



Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 28 & 29, 2011

This Week in our Parishes

Saturday, May 28th

4:00 pm, Mass - SAS (+Hedy Ruth)

Sunday, May 29th **Easter 6**

Second Collection – Special Parish Needs
7:00 am, Mass – SAS (L&D Parishioners)
8:00 am, Mass– OLMC (+Marguerite Bowers)
9:30 am, Mass – SAS (+Chad Williams)
11:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Margaret & Clarence Fink)
7:00 pm, CHS Baccalaureate – SAS

Monday, May 30th **Memorial Day**

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+James Bunyan)
Parish Offices Closed
No Mom's Group Meeting today
No Eucharistic Adoration today
7:00 pm, AA Meeting – SAS Upper Hall

Tuesday, May 31st

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Barbara Tuzzolino)

Wednesday, June 1st

No Morning Mass

Thursday, June 2nd

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Elizabeth Christiano)
6:30 pm, Choir Practice - SAS
6:30 pm, YOGA – SAS Upper Hall

Friday, June 3rd

7:30 am, Morning Prayer - OLMC
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Regina Eaton)
10:00 am, MD Food Bank/Food Drop – OLMC
7:15 pm, SMAC! Meeting - SASH

Saturday, June 4th

2:30 pm, Sacrament of Reconciliation - SAS
4:00 pm, Y.M. Mass - SAS (+Roy E. Miller, Janet Miller Pratt & John Ohler)
5:00 pm, Volunteer Appreciation Picnic - SAS

Sunday, June 5th **Ascension**

Second Collection – Buildings & Grounds
7:00 am, Mass – SAS (L&D Parishioners)
8:00 am, SAS Flea Market – SAS Pavilion
8:00 am, Mass– OLMC (+Charles Putman)
9:30 am, Mass – SAS (+Chad Williams)
11:00 am, Mass – OLMC (L&D Jurchak Family)

Ascension

June 4 & 5

Scripture Readings for Mass

First Reading ~ Acts 1:1-11/58

Responsorial ~ Ps. 47:2-3,6-7,8-9

Second Reading ~ Ephesians 1:17-23

Gospel ~ Matthew 28:16-20

Our Ministry of Prayer

Please remember in prayer the intentions written in our Book of Prayer located in each Church and the Parish Center entrance area. We also remember those persons who have requested prayers through the prayer chain.

Also, please remember the following parishioners in prayer:

Scott Bush

Kathleen Cekic

Dick Cool

Denise Ferguson

John Firor

Diane Hawkins

Mary Jack

Cate Krietz

Dolores Munafo

Rachel Patrick

Mary Reckley

Harley Ruttinger

Francis Smith

Robert Smith

Lorraine Wivell

JoAnn Cannada

Chuck & Carol Comer

Grace Crofts

John Fink

Jimmy & Doris Glass

Jamie Hill

Lloydann Kauffman

Jeanette Massena

Tony Newman

Ed & Helen Reaver

Jennifer Ruttinger

Diane Shockey

Margaret Smith

Carroll Wivell

Al Zienda



For Prayer Requests

please call the Parish Office at (301) 447-2367 or Linda McCauley at (301) 271-7561.



Welcome Newest Member

Carter David Reaver, son of

Vince and Amber Reaver

Baptized May 29, 2011

Baptismal Preparation Classes

Congratulations to all new parents.

The next class will be **Sunday, July 10, 1:00 pm**
at **Our Lady of Mount Carmel** in the **church**.

Ordination of Br. Deacon

Benedict "Jeff" Jurchak, T.O.R.

John and Penny Jurchak announce the ordination to the priesthood of their son, Brother Deacon Benedict "Jeff" Jurchak T.O.R. on May 28, 2011 at the Chapel of The Immaculate Conception in Loretto, PA.



On June 5, 2011, Fr. Benedict Jurchak T.O.R. will be at his home parish, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, where he had been an altar boy for 8 years, to celebrate Mass at the 8 and 11 am liturgies. A reception will follow the 11 am Mass.

Our parishes are very proud of Br. Benedict and look forward to celebrating with him as he begins his new ministry to the People of God. Please keep Br. Benedict in your prayers as he prepares for God's calling. Thank you.

Workcamp 2011



All current **Workcampers** are reminded about our **next Workcamp Meeting** scheduled **for Sunday, June 12 at 7:00 pm SAS Schoolhouse.**

All parishioners are asked to pray for our parish youth who are attending Workcamp in Winchester, VA the week of June 25 – July 1 and for the local residents they serve.

Questions? Contact Mike Miller (301) 271-9871, **Lori Carter** (301) 271-4050 or **Deacon John Hawkins** (301) 271-2194.

S M A C ! Youth Ministry News

SMAC! Meeting - Friday, June 3, 7:15 - 8:45 pm in the old Schoolhouse at St. Anthony's. All **current 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grade** parishioners are invited. Don't miss the fun, food and friends!

For information call Mike Miller at (301) 271-9871.



Vacation Bible School

Plans are being made for this summer's Vacation Bible School "PandaMania" where kids grow stronger in their faith as they discover that God is Wild about them. VBS

will be held **June 20 – 24 at St. Anthony Shrine Upper Hall.** Adult, High School and Middle School age volunteers can help make VBS exciting and successful. This is a wonderful opportunity to have fun learning about God with our children. Please consider being a volunteer. Contact Sister Val at Valentafssj@aol.com or (301) 271-4099.

Peace & Social Justice Committee

an education and action ministry

June

22nd Casseroles for FRM due date

To volunteer or participate in any activities, please contact Deacon John Hawkins at (301) 271-2194 or JHawkins@archbalt.org.

"This is my commandment: love one another as I love you." John 15:12



Yard Sale/Flea Market

First and Third Sundays of the month from May through October at St. Anthony Shrine.

Set up is \$10 per spot.

For more information, call Leo at (240) 529-2737.



Altar Server Formation

for New and Current Servers

Anyone from 4th grade to adult interested in becoming an altar server or anyone currently an altar server can come to any of the dates listed below for training or practice. If you have any questions or wish to confirm a date that you would be attending, please call or email Jennifer Duriski at (301) 241-3793 or durski6@md.net.

- * **Sunday, June 26**, after 9:30 am Mass at SAS
- * **Saturday, July 30**, after 4:00 pm Mass at SAS
- * **Sunday, August 21**, after 9:30 am Mass at SAS

Support

Saint Anthony Shrine & Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parishes by eating at Rocky's!



Bring this coupon to **Rocky's NY Pizza & Restaurant** (301-271-7181) on Tippin Drive the **first Monday** of each month. **Rocky's will donate 15% of all sales with the coupon to our parishes.**

Eat at the restaurant, carry-out, or have it delivered.

Have fun & support the parish!

Father's Day Spiritual Bouquet Cards

are available in the back of the churches. On **Father's Day, June 19th**, the Masses will be celebrated for the intentions received.

Thurmont Ministerium Pentecost Celebration



As an extension of the Thurmont Ministerium Lenten Services, there will be a community **Pentecost celebration held at the Church of the Brethren on Sunday, June 12 at 7:00 pm.** It will be a rousing spiritual service to celebrate our common faith and the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. Please plan on joining us.

The 3rd Annual Volunteer Appreciation



Are you involved in any of our parishes' ministries? Do you take the Eucharist to the homebound? Do you help with any of the liturgical ministries? Are you a catechist with our Religious Education program? If you answered "yes" to any of the above questions then this party is for you and your family.

When: Sat. June 4, 2011 5:00 pm
(Immediately following the 4 pm Mass)

Where: St. Anthony Pavilion/Yard

There will be hot dogs, hamburgers, chips, pretzels, beverages and family friendly entertainment. The parish staff will be doing all the work so that you, our hard working volunteers, can enjoy the event without having to set-up, clean-up, or otherwise work for it. **If you can, please bring a side dish or dessert that begins with the first letter of your last name (be creative).**

We look forward to celebrating our wonderful parishioners without whom we would not be able to support all the marvelous things we do as Church. Hope you plan on joining us.



Men's Prayer Group



There is a non-denominational prayer group for men that meets **every Tuesday at 6:30 am at the Mountaingate Restaurant.** All men are invited to attend this opportunity for prayer and mutual support.

Inaugural Seton Legacy Classic

The National Shrine of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton will be holding our inaugural **Seton Legacy Classic Golf Tournament on Sunday, June 26.** All proceeds of this inaugural tournament event will assist in furthering Elizabeth Ann Seton's missions and preserving her legacy. *For more information regarding the Seton Legacy Classic or the sponsorship levels, please contact Ashley Long at (301) 447-6606. Thank you so much for your kind consideration and support of this event.*

Where: The Links at Gettysburg
601 Mason Dixon Road, Gettysburg, PA 17325
www.thelinksatgettysburg.com

When: Sunday, June 26, 1:30 pm shotgun start

Fee: \$125/ person or \$500/foursome
(includes greens fees, cart rental, dinner, prizes, and refreshments).

Format: 4 Man Scramble
Individual Registrations are welcome!
(Teams will be assigned)

****Proper golf attire required, jeans not acceptable.****

Retreat – June 17 to 19 Mount St. Mary's Seminary with Fr. Jack Lombardi

Blessed or stressed? Living a Holy Life in today's challenging world is the theme for this retreat. In today's fast paced world how can we lead Christ-centered lives? Discover ways to develop a sacred-sacramental life. Learn ways to foster mindfulness in your daily life. Learn how "activism" can demolish you, families and churches. Do you seek and enjoy holy silence? How much do you decide to stay on "the treadmill" of busyness and how much do you allow the culture to keep "pushing" it? Is simplicity really possible in today's wired, wily world? How can the saints and other holy persons help us lead grace-filled lives? Learn ways of avoiding extremes and embracing moderation. So send up an S.O.S by joining us on this weekend away...Embrace on this leisurely retreat the **"Sacredness of Simplicity,"** and learn how it is possible in today's world. For more information: (301) 678-6339 or officestpeter@verizon.net.

From Barbara . . .

One of the titles for the Holy Spirit is Comforter. But the Holy Spirit is not the kind of comforter that's all warm and snuggly or like a parent's embrace. The Holy Spirit comforts us and gives us peace by pushing us and challenging us to be on the forefront of issues that are not just; to preach the Word of God and the teachings of the Church even when it's not the "comfortable" thing to do. God will not leave us orphans, we will always have a home to return to, but we can't remain at home comfortable in our beds. We have to advocate for the vulnerable and the downtrodden. It's what we are called to do as Catholic Christians. The teachings of the Church are not easy to live or embrace, but we must continue to be challenged by the Word of God and inspired by the Holy Spirit to speak out for all who are unable to speak for themselves. Take time this week to learn about the teachings of the church and to speak out when you encounter injustice.

This weekend is Memorial Day Weekend. Give thanks for all those who have given their lives for the freedoms that we enjoy. Don't take them for granted.

Next Sunday we will celebrate the Ascension. Several years ago the Bishops of the United States gave dioceses the option of celebrating the Ascension on the 7th Sunday of the Easter Season instead of on the Thursday before. The Archdiocese of Baltimore took advantage of the option and we will celebrate it on Sunday as will most of the dioceses in the country.

May God continue to bless us all. Alleluia! Alleluia!

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Mark Your Calendars

- **May 29 – CHS Baccalaureate** – 7:00 pm SAS
- **Jun 4 – Volunteer Appreciation Picnic** – 5pm SAS
- **Jun 5 – Flea Market** – 8 am SAS Pavilion
- **Jun 4/5 – Pastoral Council Elections**
- **Jun 6 – Eat at Rocky's Day** all day
- **Jun 13 – St. Anthony's Feast Day**
- **Jun 13 – Budget Meeting** – SAS
- **Jun 19 – Flea Market** – 8 am SAS Pavilion
- **Jun 21 - KofC Social Night** – 6:30 pm OLMC
- **Jun 22 – FRM Casseroles Due**
- **Jun 28 – Pastoral Council Meeting** – 7 pm SAS

FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend of May 21 & 22, 2011

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Attendance		221
Envelopes	(81)	1,947.00
Loose		185.00
Total		2,132.00
Poor Box		179.31

St. Anthony Shrine

Attendance		379
Envelopes	(82)	2,399.00
Loose		859.05
Total		3,258.05
Poor Box		359.17

Community Country Breakfast

Many thanks to all who helped and participated in the May 15th Community Breakfast. We served 123 breakfasts and our net profit, which supports both parishes, was \$690.21. Mark your calendars now to attend our **next Community Breakfast on July 3rd**.

Silent Auction Items

St. Anthony Shrine

- _____ Name the drive between school house and St. Anthony's old parking lot.
- _____ Reserve Parking space

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

- _____ Name the drive in front of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church.
- _____ Reserve Parking space

Minimum bid for each item is \$50.00. Please place an X next to appropriate bid item.

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Amount of Bid _____ \$ _____

All bids must be submitted in writing using this form. Please place form in an envelope marked "Silent Auction" and place in collection basket. Sorry, no bids accepted after 11:00 am Mass on Sunday, June 5. Thank you.