

# 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 24 & 25, 2011

## This Week in our Parishes

### Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup>

9:00 am, New Roman Missal Wksp - OLMC  
4:00 pm, Mass - SAS (+William & Hedy Ruth)  
7:00 pm, SMAC! Corn Maze – Lawyers Maze

### Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup> Ordinary 26

7:00 am, Mass – SAS (+David Stouter)  
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Chris Demmon)  
9:00 am, Religious Ed. Classes K - 8 – TMS  
9:30 am, Mass - SAS (+Chad Williams)  
11:00 am, Mass – OLMC (L&D Parishioners)  
7:00 pm, Haiti Committee Mtg. - OLMC Parish Ctr.  
7:00 pm, Sr. High Y.M. Mtg. – SAS Upper Hall

### Monday, September 26<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Eugene Rosensteel)  
9:30 am, Mom's Group Meeting - SASH  
2:00 pm, Eucharistic Adoration – OLMC  
7:00 pm, Finance Committee Mtg. - SAS  
7:00 pm, AA Meeting – SAS Upper Hall

### Tuesday, September 27<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Bob Sabatini)  
4:30 pm, SFO Prayer Group – SAS Lower hall  
7:00 pm, Pastoral Council Meeting - OLMC

### Wednesday, September 28<sup>th</sup>

No Morning Mass  
6:30 pm, Handbell Practice – OLMC  
7:00 pm, RCIA – SAS Upper Hall

### Thursday, September 29<sup>th</sup>

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

### Friday, September 30<sup>th</sup>

7:30 am, Morning Prayer - OLMC  
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Thomas Seltzer)

### Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup>

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

### Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> Ordinary 27

Second Collection – Buildings & Grounds  
7:00 am, Mass – SAS (+Bill Garner)  
8:00 am, SAS Flea Market – SAS Pavilion  
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (Int. George & Helen  
Deluca 65<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary)  
9:00 am, Religious Ed. Classes K - 8 – TMS  
9:30 am, Mass - SAS (+Jack Topper)  
11:00 am, Mass – OLMC (L&D Parishioners)  
1:00 pm, Blessing of Animals – SAS Lawn  
3:10 pm, Prayer Service – OLMC Church  
7:00 pm, Sr. High Y.M. Mtg. – SAS Upper Hall

### 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 1 & 2

### Scripture Readings for Mass

**First Reading** ~ Isaiah 5:1-7/139

**Responsorial** ~ Ps. 80:9,12,13-14,15-16,19-20

**Second Reading** ~ Philippians 4:6-9

**Gospel** ~ Matthew 21:33-43

## 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.

Please remember in prayer the following parishioners who are in nursing care facilities:

*Ray Horst*

*Louise Horst*

*Anna Little*

*Justine Mayer*

Also, please remember the following parishioners in prayer:

*Francis Bittle*

*Scott Bush*

*JoAnn Cannada*

*Kathleen Cekic*

*Dick Cool*

*Grace Crotts*

*Denise Ferguson*

*John Fink*

*Jimmy & Doris Glass*

*Diane Hawkins*

*Mary Jack*

*Lloydann Kauffman*

*Cate Krietz*

*Jeanette Massena*

*Dolores Munafo*

*Tony Newman*

*Rachel Patrick*

*Luke Joseph Portier*

*Ed & Helen Reaver*

*Mary Reckley*

*Rev. Paul Redmond*

*Jennifer & Ruttinger*

*Harley Ruttinger*

*Diane Shockey*

*Francis Smith*

*Margaret Smith*

*Robert Smith*

*Alice Springer*

*Carroll Wivell*

*Lorraine Wivell*

*Al Zienda*



## For Prayer Requests

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



## Baptismal Preparation Classes

*Congratulations to all new parents*

If you are planning to have your baby baptized, please contact the parish office to register for the baptismal preparation class. Parents and godparents are invited to attend.

The next class will be **Sunday, November 13, 1:00 pm** at **Our Lady of Mt. Carmel** in the **church**.

## S M A C! Youth Ministry News

All 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade parishioners are invited to the **SMAC! Meeting** on **Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup>** from 7:15 to 8:45 pm in the old Schoolhouse at St. Anthony's. Don't miss the fun, food and friends! For information call *Dale Phillips* at (301) 712-7082 or email [dalerader@gmail.com](mailto:dalerader@gmail.com).

## S M A C! Upcoming Events

- Fri, Oct 7** SMAC! Mtg. 7:15-8:45 pm SASH
- Sat, Oct 22** Cemetery Clean-Up 10 am – 1 pm  
St. Joseph's Church
- Fri, Oct 28** Halloween Party – 7-9:30 pm SAUH

## Youth Ministry Music Practices

for students in grades 6 – 12 are held Sunday evenings 6:30 - 8:00 pm in the OLMC Parish Center.

**Upcoming practices are scheduled for:**

September 18, October 16 & 23  
*A Pizza social will follow the practice.*

## Sr. High Youth Ministry Calendar

- Sun, Sept 25** Sr. High YM Mtg. 7 pm SAUH
  - Sun, Oct 2** Sr. High YM Mtg. 7 pm SAUH
  - Sun, Oct 16** Adult Core Mtg. 7 pm SASH
  - Sun, Oct 23** Sr. High YM Mtg. 7 pm SAUH
- For information call Mike Miller at (301) 271-9871.*

### Mark Your Calendars

- **Sept 25**– Haiti Committee Mtg. – 7 pm OLMC
- **Sept 27** – Pastoral Council Mtg. – 7 pm OLMC
- **Oct 2** – Flea Market – 8 am SAS Pavilion
- **Oct 2** – Blessing of Animals – 1pm SAS Lawn
- **Oct 2** – Prayer Service – 3:10 pm OLMC
- **Oct 3** – Eat at Rocky's Day
- **Oct 4** – Bring Your Own Craft – 1 pm SAUH
- **Oct 5** – Confirmation Parent Mtg – 7 pm SAUH
- **Oct 6/7/8** – SAS Yard Sale – 8 am SAS Pavilion
- **Oct 8/ 9** – OLMC Food Stand – Town Park Pavilion
- **Oct 11** – Corporator Meeting – 7 pm SAS

## Peace & Social Justice Committee

*an education and action ministry*

**September**

**24<sup>th</sup>** Serve lunch at FRM

**October**

**2<sup>nd</sup>** Thurmont Life Chain 3:10 pm Prayer Service at OLMC and 3:30 to 4:30 pm Life Chain in town square.

**2, 9, 16, 23, 30** Prayer vigil at the Frederick abortion clinic 4:00pm to 6:00pm

**19<sup>th</sup>** Casseroles for FRM due date

**22<sup>nd</sup>** Serve lunch at the FRM

### Frederick Rescue Mission

**Bread of Life Community Kitchen**

**Lunch served on the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month.** Volunteers must be at least 12 years old. Middle School and High School youth are encouraged to participate. If interested in volunteering, please call Pat and Ed Superczynski at (301) 271-2217.

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

*“This is my commandment: love one another as I love you.” John 15:12*

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### Eucharistic Adoration

**Every Monday at OLMC from 2 - 6 pm.**

*Holy Hour with Benediction 7:00 pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month at 7 pm.*

The intention for **October 17** is for **Respect Life**.

### Blessing of Animals

Celebrate the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi with your pet on **Sunday, October 2nd at 1:00 pm**. All are welcome to bring their pets to the **SAS red brick school house grounds** for an animal blessing.

Plan to stay afterwards for light refreshments.

### THURMONT LIFE CHAIN

**Sunday, October 2nd**

Come, pray, and witness...

Come give public witness on behalf of our pre born brothers and sisters who have perished by abortion. Ask God to use us that day to help save God's holy innocents and to change the hearts of many. The afternoon will begin with a **3:10 pm prayer service at Our Lady of Mount Carmel**. The **Life Chain** will commence at **3:30 pm** at the **town square** and end at 4:30pm. Stand up and be counted.

*Proclaim that life is sacred!*



## Colorfest Help Needed

We need your help with the **OLMC Colorfest Crabcake & Sausage Stand.**

We need cooks, counter help, folks to set up & take down, & lots of other extra hands to make this a success. **No previous experience necessary.** The stand is open for breakfast & lunch on **Sat./Sun., Oct. 8/9.** Set up is on Friday & take down is Sunday afternoon. *Please consider volunteering for at least one shift or more if you can.* Will Lyons & Larry Jayne are coordinating the event. If you can help or need more details contact Will at (571) 334 6142 or email him at [lyonsteam@aol.com](mailto:lyonsteam@aol.com).



## **Yard Sale / Bake Sale**



**Saint Anthony Shrine** will be having a **Yard and Bake Sale** on **Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>.** For those wanting to sell items, space will be available for \$15/one day, \$25/two days or \$30/all three days; no reservations needed. All of you **BAKERS**, we will need your donations to make this day a success. Your help in the past has been most appreciated. *Thank you in advance.* For additional information, parish office (301) 447-2367.



## **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) 539-2737.



## **Men's Fall ½ Day Retreat**

**Why?** To reflect on and share our catholic identity

**Who?** All catholic men – 18 years of age and older

**Where?** Mount Saint Mary's Seminary

**When?** **Saturday, October 15**

8:30 am – thru lunch (12:30)

**Retreat master:** Father Brian Doerr – Vice Rector of Mount St. Mary's Seminary

**Cost:** suggested donation of \$10.00 includes coffee, pastries and lunch

**Sponsored by:** St. Joseph Church Emmitsburg, KofC Brute Council 1860, Holy Name Society

**Rsvp:** St. Joseph Church, (301) 447-2326 or [stjosephemmitsburg@comcast.net](mailto:stjosephemmitsburg@comcast.net)

## *Cash Bash*

*Saturday, November 12, 3 – 8 pm*

*Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish Center*

### *4 Drawing per Hour*

1 <sup>st</sup> drawing	\$400
2 <sup>nd</sup> drawing	\$300
3 <sup>rd</sup> drawing	\$200
4 <sup>th</sup> drawing	\$100

*8:00 pm Grand Prize \$3,000*

*(based on the 3-Digit MD Lottery)*

*You need not be present to win*



*Also available:*

*Games of chance & Tip jars*

*(No one under 18 can play the games)*

*Music by the Backroads*

*Tickets: \$25 per person*

*(includes food & refreshments)*

*Only one person admitted per ticket.*

*No tickets will be sold at the door.*

*Tickets are on sale at the parishes' office (located at St. Anthony's) for \$25. Either stop in the office or give us a call at (301) 447-2367.*

*All tickets sold and returned by 4:00 pm, October 15<sup>th</sup>, will be eligible for the \$100.00 Early Bird Drawing – to be held that day!*

We need people to help sell tickets. Please call the office (301) 447-2367 if you are able to take a packet of 5 to sell or if you would be willing to sell tickets after the weekend Masses. Thanks we need your help to make this benefit a success for our parishes.

## **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!**

## From Barbara . . .

What does it mean to say “yes”? Our yes’s have to also be backed up by our actions. In today’s busy world, I find myself saying “yes” to a lot of things and then regretting it. In order to make our “yes” have meaning we also have to say “no” to some things. Before we say “yes” we should determine how committed we are going to be to the project and can we fulfill our commitment.. We don’t know why the first son didn’t do as his father asked even though he said “yes” and we don’t know what changed the mind of the second son after saying “no” but we have experienced the consequences of both situations. Take time this week to reflect on what process you go through when responding to requests and how much meaning does your “yes” have.

Our first pastoral council meeting of the new council will be held this Tuesday, September 27. Please keep the council in prayer as they provide leadership for our parishes. Council meetings are open to all so join us if you are able.

Our Colorfest events and Cash Bash will be quickly upon us. Please consider volunteering to help and/or donating some items to help us keep the costs down. Plates are in the rear of our churches with the items that we need and dates for return. Thanks for your generosity and making this one of your “yes” responses.

May God continue to bless us all.

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### FINANCIAL REPORT

#### Weekend of September 17 & 18, 2011

##### Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Attendance		184
Envelopes	(84)	2,175.00
Loose		419.25
Total		2,594.25
Poor Box		65.25

##### St. Anthony Shrine

Attendance		390
Envelopes	(63)	1,950.00
Loose		648.34
Total		2,598.34
Poor Box		60.80



is looking for **New Members**.  
If interested, please call Marylou  
Baker at (301) 447-3135.

### Saint Vincent de Paul Society

A local lay Catholic Society of St. Vincent de Paul, inspired by Gospel values, is forming in our area. The focus is for men and women to work together to offer person to person services to those who are needy and suffering. Students are encouraged to join as well. *Handouts and information will be available following all masses today.*

### Haiti Committee Open Meeting

Your ideas and help are needed to strengthen connections with our sister church in Haiti, helping raise awareness and involvement. Come join us **Sunday evening, September 25th at 7:00 pm** in the **OLMC Parish Center** for a short presentation of our current involvement with our sister church, and to take some positive steps to activate our future. All ages welcome!

### 40 Days for Life

Once again the Archdiocese of Baltimore will participate in the largest ever pro-life mobilization in history, 40 Days for Life, **September 28-November 6**. This powerful, life-saving campaign is world-wide and includes the following three components:

- 1) Prayer and fasting
- 2) Prayerful vigil at the abortion facility
- 3) Community educational outreach

We need you to join us in this life-saving effort!

<http://www.40daysforlife.com/>.

### Mother Seton School Open House

100 Creamery Road, Emmitsburg, MD

**Wednesday, September 28,**

**10 am - 1 pm and 7 - 8 pm**

**For more information, contact (301) 447-3161**  
or [www.mothersetonschool.org](http://www.mothersetonschool.org).

### St. Joseph’s High School Reunion

**Saturday, October 8, 2011**

Emmitsburg Volunteer Ambulance Co

17701 Creamery Road, Emmitsburg, MD 27127

**Happy Hour** 5:30 pm BYOB - Set-ups provided

**Dinner** 6:30 pm \$10 per person

**Dance** 8 pm to 12 am \$10 per person

**RSVP** Mary Topper 301-447-6615 or  
Sam Wivell 301-447-2082

**For reservations** Send check to Mary Topper,  
28 Federal Avenue, Emmitsburg, MD 21727