

A CATHOLIC ORATORY OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

94 Pine Street Montclair NJ, 07042

**BULLETIN FOR THE
THIRD SUNDAY
OF LENT
MARCH 8TH,
2026**

Mass Schedule

WEEKDAY MASS

08:30 AM | M, W, TH, F

WEEKEND MASSES

- **SATURDAY**

04:30 PM | Sunday Vigil
in English

08:00 PM | Neocatechumenal
Mass in Church Hall

- **SUNDAY**

11:00 AM | English Mass

06:00 PM | Spanish Mass

CONFESSIONS

03:30 PM | SATURDAYS

HOLY DAY MASSES

08:30 AM, 12:30 PM & 06:30 PM

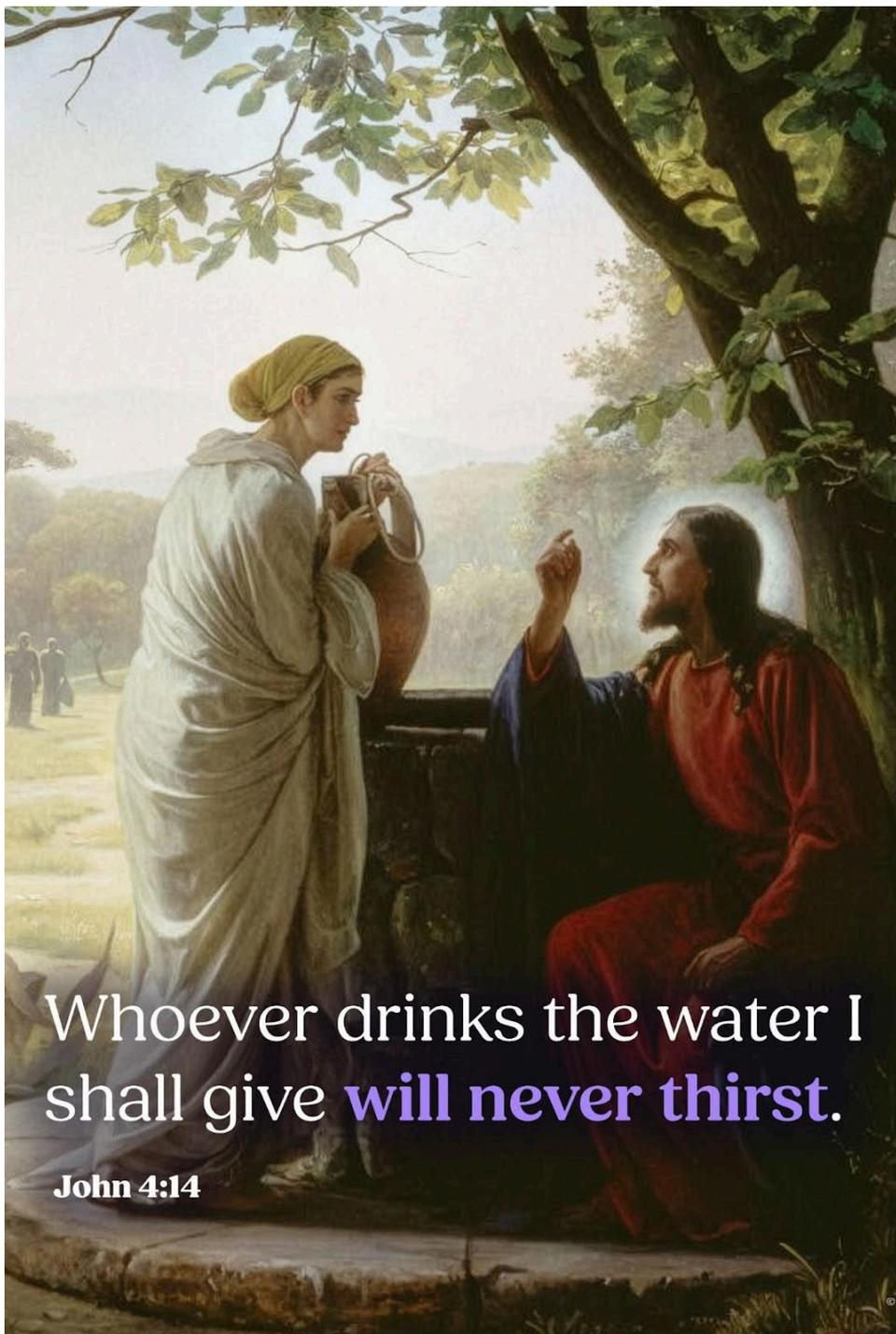
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

07:00 PM | Last Friday of every
month

OFFICE HOURS

09:00 AM to 02:00 PM | M & W

9:00 AM to 01:00 PM | FRIDAY
at Church Lower Level



Whoever drinks the water I
shall give **will never thirst.**

John 4:14

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SATURDAY, MARCH 7TH

Sunday Vigil

4:30 pm Pat N. Donatiello

SUNDAY, MARCH 8TH

Third Sunday of Lent

11:00 am Michael Petullo

6:00 pm For the Parish

MONDAY, MARCH 9TH

Lenten Weekday

8:30 am Marguerite and Ray Lautz

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11TH

Lenten Weekday

8:30 am For the Parish

THURSDAY, MARCH 12TH

Lenten Weekday

8:30 am For the Parish

FRIDAY, MARCH 13TH

Lenten Weekday

8:30 am For the Parish

SATURDAY, MARCH 14TH

Sunday Vigil

4:30 pm Francis LaPlaca

SUNDAY, MARCH 15TH

Fourth Sunday of Lent

11:00 am Rita Skibo

6:00 pm For the Parish

**OUR SANCTUARY CANDLE IS LIT FOR
PATRICK J. PIGNATELLO III (25TH ANNIV)**

Pray for Our Sick



Christian • Fabiola • Lindsay
Maria • Jack W • Sasha • Jamie
Virginia H • Marian • Gianna
Lenore • Jane • Marianne P
Antonio • Michael • I Doreen
Kenneth • Peter G. • Peter G
Monique C • Connie R • Vito G

READING I: EXODUS 17: 3-7

For the third time, the Israelites gripe and whine about their discomforts since leaving Egypt and blame Moses. The rock of Horeb that miraculously pours out water is, according to St. Paul, a sign of Christ giving us the living water of Baptism.

READING II: ROMANS 5: 1-2, 5-8

Justified people are endowed with virtues, and so they are able to become more like Christ through suffering. The dying of Christ shows us the depths of God's unconditional love.

THE GOSPEL: JOHN 4: 5-42, OR 4: 5-15, 19B-26, 39A, 40-42.

Centuries of hate between Jews and Samaritans is the background of this famous episode. Jesus breaks tradition in order to speak to the unnamed woman about His identity and the Good News of salvation. We receive a short course in what evangelization is all about.

Donations MARCH 1ST

SATURDAY 4:30 PM	\$635
SUNDAY 11:00 AM	\$591
SUNDAY 6:00 PM SPANISH MASS	\$304
SATURDAY 8:00 PM NEOCATECHUMENAL MASS	\$279
CANDLES	\$26
FEB ONLINE DONATIONS	\$2731
MAIL DONATIONS	\$745
ROOF DONATIONS	\$1050
TOTAL	\$6361

Minimum needed to meet goal \$2500.00

NEW PARISH GIVING ONLINE

We're excited to introduce Parish Giving, our new online giving and census platform! It's safe, secure, and easy to use, allowing you to give anytime and anywhere.

- Make donations anytime, anywhere
- Set up recurring or one-time gifts with just a few clicks
- Enjoy encrypted, secure transactions
- Update your family and contact information directly in our census



Register today and explore how Parish Giving can make supporting our parish simple and secure.

Upcoming Events

- MAR 8** Annual Appeal "In-Pew" Weekend
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- MAR 14** St. Sebastian Yearbook Photo Sessions 12noon-3pm
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- MAR 9** Dr. Zeni Fox, Professor Emerita from Immaculate Conception Seminary - "The Spiritual Meaning of Lent" 7:00pm Church Hall **NEW DATE**



ROSARY SOCIETY SPRING MEETING SCHEDULE

- MAR 11**
- APR 8**
- MAY 13**
- JUN 10**

*All women are welcome
to Pray the*

Rosary

Every 2nd Wednesday evening of each month
at 7:00 pm with refreshments to follow

For more information please call
Gery at 973-229-2964 or Michele at 973-405-8718



- MAR 15** ST JOSEPH'S ALTAR after 11am Mass-Church Hall

- MAR 13, 20, 27** Stations of the Cross at 7:00pm in English and 7:30pm in Spanish followed by Pizza Fellowship from 7:20-9:00pm



- MAR 23** Dr. Zeni Fox, Professor Emerita from Immaculate Conception Seminary- "The Meaning of the Tridium" 7:00pm Church Hall

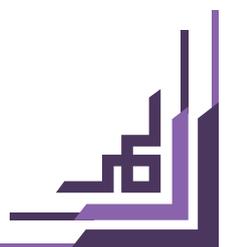
- APR 2-4** Easter Tridium

- APR 5** Easter Sunday



Advisory Team Meeting Schedule

March 12th & April 16th
at 7:00 PM



A Message from Your Rector

Dear Members of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Montclair,

This weekend, March 7th and 8th, is the In-Pew weekend for the Annual Appeal. I ask you to prayerfully consider making a donation for the Annual Appeal knowing that all proceeds are going to support the different ministries of the Catholic Church in the Newark Archdiocese as, for example, Catholic Education, Catholic Charities, the formation of future priests (the seminarians) and the retirement of elderly priests and evangelization. Catholic Charities work goes on right here at OLMC everyday, helping people in need.

I remind you that on this coming Monday March 9th there will be the first session with Dr. Zeni Fox at 7 pm in the church hall. The topic is "The Spirituality of Lent".

I also remind you that there will be a second session on Monday March 23rd in the church hall at 7 pm. The topic is "The Meaning of the Tridium". All are welcome to attend both sessions.

I also remind you that there are confessions every Saturday at 3:30 pm and Vigil Mass at 4:30 pm. The only exception will be on Holy Saturday April 4th because that day we will celebrate the Easter Vigil at 8 pm and, therefore, confessions will be at 7 pm, I say it again, only for that day.

I wish you a fruitful Lenten season.

Fr. Giandomenico Flora
FR. GIANDOMENICO FLORA



ANNUAL²⁰²⁶ APPEAL

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The 2026 Annual Appeal has begun! Each year we are invited to participate in the Annual Appeal, which is an opportunity to support essential ministries and programs of our Archdiocese. Your sacrificial support makes it possible for us to carry out the important work that we are called to do as missionary disciples of Jesus.

Please consider participating in this year's Appeal to help make a significant difference in many lives within our Archdiocese.

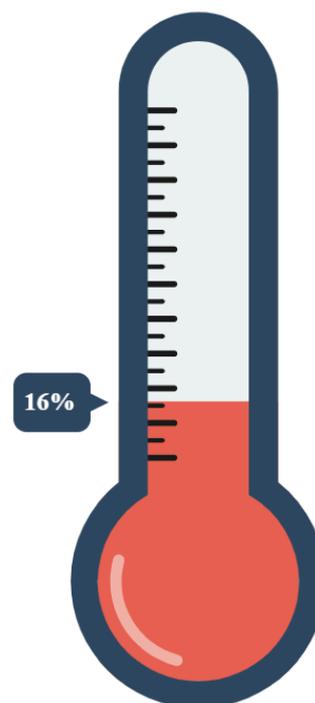
SCAN ME



Please make a gift online today by visiting rcan.org/sharing, scanning the QR code, or join us for In-Pew Weekend on March 7 and 8.

OUR 2026 GOAL IS \$15,525.00

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“VIVA SAN GIUSEPPE!”

St. Joseph's



Altar Sunday

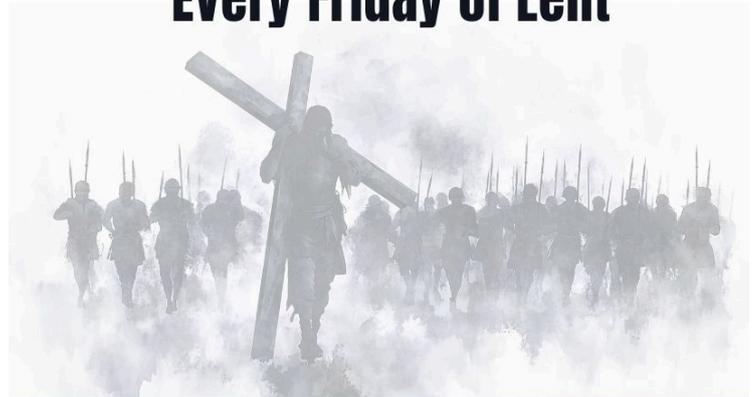
SUNDAY, MARCH 15

After 11 AM Mass

CHURCH HALL

All are warmly welcome!

Stations of The Cross Every Friday of Lent



7:00 PM | English

7:30 PM | Spanish

7:15 PM - | Home Made Pizza-
9:00 PM | Fellowship in Church
Hall

Pizza Donations \$3 a slice & Water \$1 a bottle



Dr. Zeni Fox

PROFESSOR EMERITA OF PASTORAL THEOLOGY
AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SEMINARY

A DISCUSSION OF

The Spiritual meaning of Lent

7pm • Monday
Mar 9th, 2026

at OLMC Montclair
Church Hall

Roof Project

Please prayerfully consider a donation towards
our repair and maintenance costs this Lenten Season!

