

A CATHOLIC ORATORY OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

94 Pine Street Montclair NJ, 07042

BULLETIN FOR THE TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME AUGUST 30TH, 2026

Mass Schedule

WEEKDAY MASS

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

WEEKEND MASSES

• SATURDAY

04:30 PM | Sunday Vigil
in English

06:30 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

9:00 AM to 2:00 PM | M & W

9:00 AM to 1:00 PM | FRIDAY
Church Lower Level



22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“For the Son of Man will come with his angels in his Father’s glory,
and then he will repay all according to his conduct.” - Mt 16:26-27

22° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

“Porque el Hijo del hombre ha de venir rodeado de la gloria de su
Padre, en compañía de sus ángeles, y entonces le dará a cada uno
lo que merecen sus obras”. - Mt 16, 26-27

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 29TH

Sunday Vigil

4:30 pm Jewa Miscia

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30TH

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 am In Honor of St. Sebastian

7:00 pm Gustavo Valdez y Las
Almas del Purgatorio

MONDAY, AUGUST 31ST

Weekday

8:30 am Joan S. Donatiello

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND

Weekday

8:30 am Herbert Pattridge

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD

**St. Gregory, the Great, Pope &
Doctor of the Church**

8:30 am Agnes Pattridge

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH

Weekday

8:30 am Esther Bol

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH

Sunday Vigil

4:30 pm Anthony Galasso

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 am Michelle Torre

6:00 pm For the Parish

**OUR SANCTUARY CANDLE IS LIT FOR
ELIAS ROSENBERG (LIVING)**



Pray for Our Sick

Jack W • Sasha • Jamie • Virginia H
• Marian • Gianna Lenore • Jane
• Marianne P Antonio • Michael I •
Doreen Kenneth • Peter G • Monique C
• Connie R • Vito G Mary M • Jeffrey A •
Anna Marie • Krysty • Julia R



READING I: JEREMIAH 20:7-9

The prophet makes a daring accusation because he feels misled. God has promised to protect his life, but not to provide him protection from suffering the hostility he will meet.

READING II: ROMANS 12: 1-2

Because worldly values are often deformed, we must allow God to transform us into the likeness of Christ.

THE GOSPEL: MATTHEW 16: 21-27

Just after predicting His passion and death, Jesus challenges His Apostles to accept the fact that self-denial and suffering are essential elements of living the Christian life.

Sunday Donations August 23rd

Saturday 4:30 PM	\$139
Sunday 11:00 AM	\$381
Sunday 6:00 PM Spanish Mass	\$277
Saturday 6:30 PM Neocatechumenal Mass	\$392
Candles	\$23
Assessment - All Masses	\$543
Assumption	\$100
GRAND TOTAL	\$1855

Minimum needed to meet goal is \$2,500.00

Advisory Team Meeting Schedule

October 1st
at 7:00 PM, Church Hall

PARISH GIVING ONLINE

Parish Giving, is our 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

AUG 29,30	Special 2nd Collection for Earthquake Victims in Colombia and Indonesia	
AUG 29	Novena to St. Sebastian and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 7:30 pm	
AUG 30	St. Sebastian Mass and Confirmation at 11am with Bishop Cruz Procession at 3:30pm Spanish Mass at 7pm (this weekend only)	
SEP 9	Rosary Society Meeting 7pm at Church Hall	
SEP 11	Bi-Lingual Mass of Remembrance for the 25th Anniversary of the 9/11 Attacks at 7:00 pm	
SEP 20	Welcome Back from Summer! Piano Concert following 11am mass with pancake brunch after. Details to follow!	
SEP 25	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 7pm	
OCT 4	Blessing of the Animals and Pawty! 3:00pm to 4:00pm at Church Parking Lot	
OCT 9	OLMC Pizza Night! 7pm in Church Hall	
OCT - Rosary Events	Oct 14th - Rosary Society Meeting at 7pm in Church Hall Oct 25th - Fellowship after 11am Mass sponsored by the Rosary Society	

Un Mensaje de Su Rector

Estimados miembros de Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo de Montclair,

Por favor, les pido nuevamente que se unan a mí para dar una cálida bienvenida a nuestro Obispo Regional, Monseñor Manuel Cruz, quien tiene previsto presidir la Misa de las 11:00 a. m. este domingo 30 de agosto y administrar el Sacramento de la Confirmación a cuatro candidatos. Quiero agradecer a nuestro Obispo Regional por su generosa disponibilidad de venir, por segunda vez en tan solo dos meses, para presidir la Misa en honor a San Sebastián y, una vez más, conferir el Sacramento de la Confirmación.

También quisiera poner en su conocimiento que este fin de semana, 29 y 30 de agosto, marca el final de mi cuarto año de servicio como Rector del Oratorio de OLMC. Damos gracias a Dios por todo lo que ya hemos logrado y le pedimos al Señor que nos guíe en todo lo que aún queda por realizar.

Sin duda, la experiencia nos ha enseñado que es muy importante trabajar juntos como una sola comunidad de fe, caminando unidos hacia una misma meta: nuestra salvación.

A Message from Your Rector

Dear Members of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Montclair,

Please, I ask you again to join me in welcoming our regional Bishop Most Rev. Manuel Cruz who is scheduled to preside the 11 am mass on this Sunday 08/30 and to give the sacrament of Confirmation to 4 candidates. I would like to thank our regional Bishop for his availability to come for the second time in 2 months to preside the mass in honor of St. Sebastian and also to confer again the sacrament of Confirmation.

I also would like to bring to your attention that this weekend 08/29-30 marks the end of the 4th year of my assignment as the Rector of OLMC Oratory.

We give thanks to God for what has been already achieved and we ask the Lord for guidance for what still remains to be done. For sure the experience is telling us that is very important to work together as one community of faith walking towards the same goal that is our salvation.

Fr. Giandomenico Flora
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OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL,
MONTCLAIR, NJ
94 PINE STREET

MISA DE RECORDACIÓN



EN MEMORIA DE QUIENES PERDIMOS EN EL
25TH ANIVERSARIO DEL 11 DE SEPTIEMBRE

**SEPT 11, 2026
7PM**

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL,
MONTCLAIR, NJ
94 PINE STREET

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

BI-LINGUAL-ENGLISH/SPANISH



HONORING THOSE LOST ON THE
25TH ANNIVERSARY OF 9/11

**SEPT 11, 2026
7PM**

FEAST OF SAINT SEBASTIAN LAST DAY



GRANDE FESTA DEL SANTO PROTETTORE
E SANTO PATRONO IL GLORIOSO MARTIRE

SAINT SEBASTIAN CENTENNIAL 100TH FEAST & CARNIVAL 1926-2026



ST. SEBASTIAN
MAY 1926

AUGUST 26TH – 30TH, 2026
KAVENY FIELD &
CHRISTOPHER STREET AREA

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29TH
SOLEMN VESPERS: 7:30PM

We welcome the faithful to march
with us to vespers service from
Kaveny Field to Our Lady Of
Mount Carmel Church
Montclair NJ 94 Pine St 07042.

Historic Centennial Montage to
commence after The Saint Sebastian
Society return to the field with a
firework display directly afterwards.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30TH
**HIGH MASS IN SAINT SEBASTIAN'S HONOR:
11:00AM**

Presided By His Excellency Bishop Cruz
at Our Lady Of Mount Carmel Church
Montclair NJ 94 Pine St 07042.

PROCESSION AT 3:30PM:
Saint Sebastian comes out of church
at 3:30PM sharp so make sure you get
to church early to get a good spot to
see him come out.

OFFICERS OF SOCIETY:

President: Joseph DiBella
Vice President: Danny Arminio
Second Vice President: William Anello
Corr. Secretary: Ennio Mongioj
Finance Secretary: Robert Petronaci
Treasurer: Pat Palmieri
Sergeant At Arms: Angelo Mongioi

**DANNY ARMINIO:
FEAST PRESIDENT**

FEAST COMMITTEE:

Joseph DiBella
Sebastiano B. Locascio, Jr.
Robert Petronaci
Marco Locascio
Richard Denicola
Anthony Scarano
Lou Cammarata
Christian Cornelius
Ennio Mongioj
William Anello
Stephen Ruccio
Natale Petronaci
Pat Palmieri
Charles Diliberti
Angelo Mongioi
Sebastian Voltarelli

PROCESSIONAL BANDS:

The Metropolitan Festival Band
& The Giglio Band of Brooklyn NY

RIDES & GAMES:

Provided By Campy Amusements

ENTERTAINMENT

WEDNESDAY NIGHT
AUGUST 26TH
6-10 PM

ADL

A Different Level Events
DJ Anthony Di Lauri

THURSDAY NIGHT
AUGUST 27TH
6-10 PM

Eddie And The Gang:
**The Rockin'
Soul Band**

FRIDAY NIGHT
AUGUST 28TH
6-10 PM

**"The Voice"
Tommy Scala**

SATURDAY NIGHT
AUGUST 29TH
6-10 PM

Dynamic Duo
Angelo Venuto
"The Voice" Including
"L'ITALIANO" and his
daughter Maria Venuto behind
the voice of her hit song
"Felicità" (Ci Sarà)
Cover of Maladetta Primavera

SUNDAY NIGHT
AUGUST 30TH
3:30 - 10 PM

Jimmy Bono Geany
3:30 - 6:30 PM
Stella Crispo
6:30 - 10:00 PM

WINE & BEER GARDEN

1 WINNER 50/50 & 2 GIANT'S TICKETS • BOTH DRAWING SUNDAY, AUGUST 30TH AT 9:30 PM

FOOD • RIDES • GAMES OF CHANCE

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL: 973-943-0733

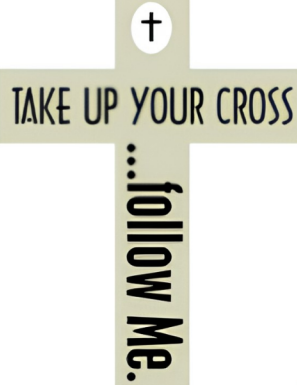
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Gospel Today

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time | Matthew 16:21-27

The message Jesus had for His disciples is the same for us today. Being a follower of God requires love, strength and difficulty. When we follow Jesus, He is with us and hears our prayer when we need help.

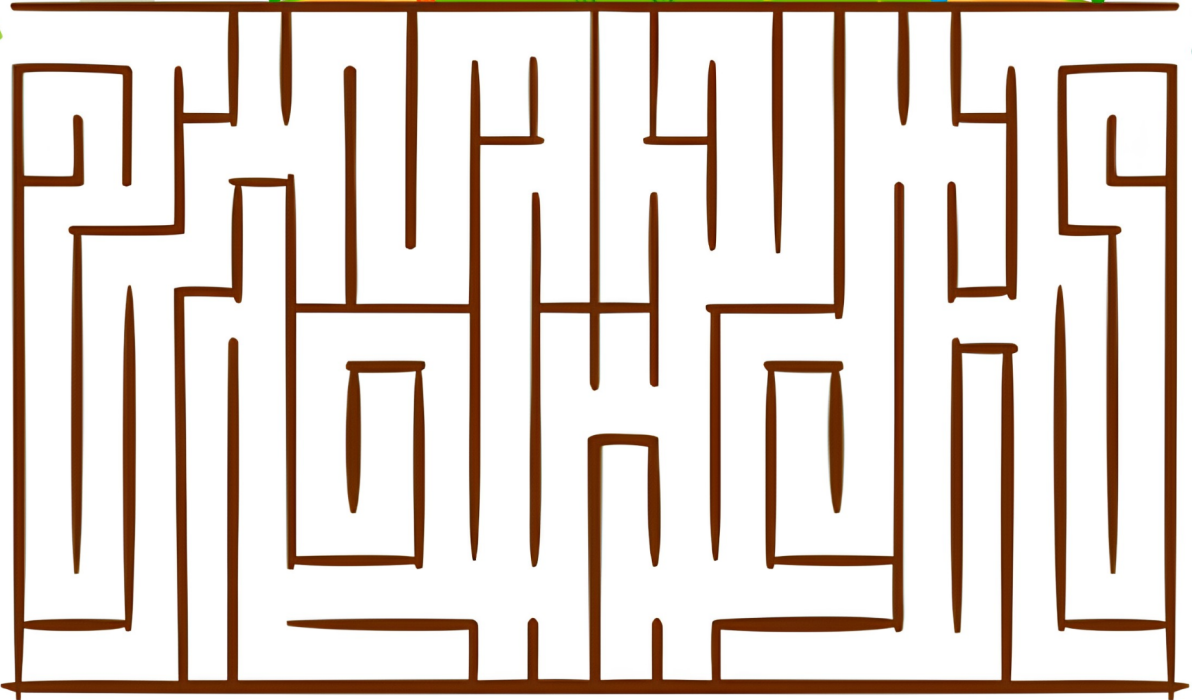
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Matthew 16:24

For the Son of Man will come with His angels in His Father's glory, and then He will repay everyone according to his conduct.

Matthew 16:27



Do not be afraid to follow God's way!

Peter had a hard time accepting God's way - Jesus had to remind him God and man do not think alike (Peter was thinking like a man).

What do you have trouble accepting?



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OLMC Faith Formation Program

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

**You can now register and pay online,
classes begin October 18th**

¡LAS INSCRIPCIONES YA ESTÁN ABIERTAS!

**Ahora puede inscribirse y pagar en línea,
las clases comienzan el 18 de Octubre**



SCAN HERE !

*You can register online in
English or Spanish*

*Puede inscribirse en línea en
inglés o en español*

The Ancient Christians used to talk about the faith being “echoed” through the ages. Our faith has always been supported by four “pillars.” It is around these four, age-old pillars, that every Catholic faith formation process exists.

The first pillar is the Liturgy. The Sunday Mass is the first and most important aspect of Catholic life and faith. Everything we do comes from the Eucharist and returns to the Eucharist. Without Sunday Mass, our Catholic faith is not fully passed along. Fully celebrating the Lord’s Day as a family brings the Eucharist back to its proper place at the center and heart of any religious education process. The liturgical calendar has all the elements of the faith one needs to learn.

The second pillar is the Family. It is in the family that we learn our most important values, life lessons, and virtues. The support of Catholic families has always been integral to passing on faith to the next generation.

The third pillar is the Christian Community. The Christian Community helps and challenges us to live the Gospel message in our daily lives. We are blessed when we can be part of a community that is committed to making the world a better place through the example of Jesus Christ.

The last pillar is formal Religious Education. Unfortunately, many people believe that this pillar is the most important pillar in passing on the faith, but in fact it is not. Religious Education has taken many forms throughout our 2000 year history, but in every age, it has always served the other three pillars. The faith cannot be passed along with just a religious education (CCD) program. It is important that beyond the classroom, families practice their faith and pray together.



CLASS SCHEDULE

English
Bi-monthly Sessions on
SUNDAY MORNINGS
from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Español
Sesiones semanales
DOMINGOS
de 5:15 PM a 6:00 PM

OCIA - Adult Education

Please see Father Flora or call the parish office.