



A CATHOLIC ORATORY OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK
Our Lady of Mount Carmel
MONTCLAIR
Celebrating Our 120th Anniversary

120
YEARS
1907 * 2027

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BULLETIN FOR THE THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 25TH, 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



30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart,
with all your soul, and with all your mind.” - Mt 22:37

30° DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

“Amarás al Señor, tu Dios, con todo tu corazón,
con toda tu alma y con toda tu mente”. - Mt 22, 37

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CLOSED ON TUESDAYS – NO MASS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

Sunday Vigil

4:30 pm Michael DiPrenda (Birthday)

SUNDAY, october 25TH

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 am James, Joseph, and Gerard Pignatello

6:00 pm For the Parish

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26TH

Weekday

8:30 am Franco Fedele

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28TH

St. Simon and Jude, Apostles

8:30 am Fr. Ed Przygocki, MSA

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29TH

Weekday

8:30 am Patricia Hunt

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30TH

Weekday

8:30 am For the Parish

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31ST

Sunday Vigil

4:30 pm Donna Monaco

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST

Feast of All Saints

11:00 am Mary Whatley

6:00 pm For the Parish

**OUR SANCTUARY CANDLE IS LIT FOR
PATRICIA HUNT**



Pray for Our Sick

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



READING I: EXODUS 22:20-26

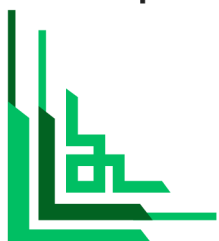
Yahweh is always the great Defender of widows and orphans, the weakest members of society. Usury on loans to the poor is also strictly forbidden.

READING II: 1 THESSALONIANS 1:5C-10

The Thessalonians were mostly Gentile converts who rejected their former idolatry to turn to Christ. Remaining faithful, they will be spared the eternal destruction of sinners.

THE GOSPEL: MATTHEW 22:34-40 THE 613

The 613 commands of the Mosaic Law are distilled into two prescriptions: Love God and your neighbor. Love is the greatest theological virtue.



Sunday Donations October 18th

Saturday 4:30 PM	\$242
Sunday 11:00 AM	\$622
Sunday 6:00 PM Spanish Mass	\$345
Saturday 6:30 PM Neocatechumenal Mass	\$418
Candles	\$39
Weekly Online Donations	\$435
World Mission Sunday	\$323
GRAND TOTAL	\$2424

Minimum needed to meet goal is \$2,600.00

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



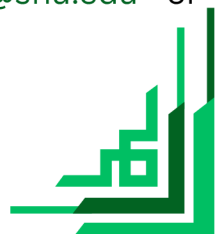
Register today and explore how Parish Giving can make supporting our parish simple and secure.

Upcoming Events

OCT 25	Fellowship after 11am Mass sponsored by the Rosary Society	
OCT 30	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
OCT 26- DEC 31ST	Mercy House Coat Drive - see pg 6	
NOV 1	All Saints Day REG MASS SCHEDULE	
NOV 2	Mass of Remembrance for the Commemoration of the Faithful Departed at 7:00 pm	
NOV 11	Rosary Society Meeting at 7:00 pm in Church Hall	
NOV 21	Giving Tree Donations begin to support the Center for Family Services	
NOV 19	ADVISORY TEAM MEETING 7PM	



Volunteers are currently needed to teach Spanish to seminarians, mostly native English speakers, at Seton Hall University's School of Theology. If you have an hour, or more, a week to help these future priests improve their language skills to better spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ, please contact Chandler S. Cohen, program director at Immaculate Conception Seminary at chandler.cohen@shu.edu or 973 - 761 - 9226. Gracias!



A Message from Your Rector

Dear Members of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Montclair,

I would like to remind you that the Religious Education program has began here at OLMC Oratory and, therefore, the parents who would like to register their children should do so as soon as possible.

Also I would like to remind you that at the entrances of the church you will find the All Souls envelopes on which you may write the names of your loved ones and give a donation to the church. The envelopes with the names of the deceased will be on the altar for the all month of November.

I wish you a wonderful week.

Fr. Giandomenico Flora
FR. GIANDOMENICO FLORA



Un Mensaje de Su Rector

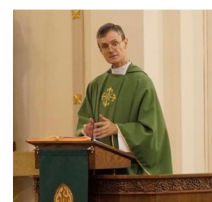
Estimados miembros de Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo de Montclair,

Quisiera recordarles que el programa de Educación Religiosa ya ha comenzado aquí en el Oratorio de OLMC. Por lo tanto, los padres que deseen inscribir a sus hijos deben hacerlo lo antes posible.

También quisiera recordarles que, en las entradas de la iglesia, encontrarán los sobres para la conmemoración de los Fieles Difuntos. En ellos podrán escribir los nombres de sus seres queridos y ofrecer una donación a la iglesia. Los sobres con los nombres de los difuntos permanecerán en el altar durante todo el mes de noviembre.

Les deseo una excelente semana.

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Our Lady of Mount Carmel cordially
invites you to a Special Liturgy to
commemorate

All Souls' Mass of Remembrance

Monday ● November 2, 2026 ● 7:00pm

OLMC Montclair will continue our annual tradition of a special **Mass of Remembrance on Monday, November 2nd at 7:00 pm**. During this Mass, we will honor and pray for our parishioners and their families who have experienced the loss of a loved one, especially those who have died during the past year, **November 1, 2025, through October 1st, 2026**.

We warmly invite you, your family, and your friends to join us as a parish family to remember those we have lost, pray for their eternal rest, and offer comfort and support to one another. Please extend this invitation to others who may find strength and consolation through our shared faith and prayer.

Whether or not you are able to attend, please be assured of the prayers of OLMC for all those called home to God and for the families and loved ones who continue to mourn their absence. **Please email the Parish Office at office.olmcmontclair@gmail.com if you have a loved one being honored this year and plan to attend the Mass.**





OLMC MONTCLAIR
120TH ANNIVERSARY



Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality. —Romans 12:13



WINTER COAT DRIVE



Our Lady of Mount Carmel in collaboration and in support of The Mercy House of the Archdiocese of Newark, are sponsoring a Winter Coat Drive for adults and children of all ages. We are collecting gently worn and clean coats (non-wool), jackets, scarves, hats, and gloves.. for those in need.

COLLECTION BOX IN THE CHURCH VESTIBULE

Learn more about the mission of The Mercy
House here:
<https://rcan.org/mercy-house/>

OR



**The Coat Drive will run through
December 31st**



OLMC Faith Formation Program

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

You can now register and pay online,

Classes are in session

¡LAS INSCRIPCIONES YA ESTÁN ABIERTAS!

Ahora puede inscribirse y pagar en línea,



*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.