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## **Parish Office Hours:**

Monday - Thursday: 9 am - 5 pm

Friday: 9 am - 3 pm

**Outreach Office Phone:** 757-596-1727

## **Outreach Office Hours:**

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday: 12 noon - 2 pm

Tuesday & Friday: 9 am - 11 am

**Pregnancy Helpline:** 757-870-3131

## Mass and Sacrament of Reconciliation

**Saturday:** 3:00 pm Confessions; 5:00 pm Mass

**Sunday:** 8:00 am Mass, 10:00 am Mass, 2:00 pm Mass (en Español), 5:00 pm Mass

**Weekdays:**

**Monday** - 5:30 pm Mass

**Tuesday** - 9 am Mass

**Wednesday** - 5:00 pm Adoration and Confessions, 6:30 pm Mass

**Thursday** - 8:05 am (School Mass), Eucharistic Adoration 9 am ~ 6:30 pm,  
5:30 pm Confesiones (en Español solamente); 6:30 pm Mass (en Español)

*Thirst: Adoration and Praise (Monthly on the first Thursday 7:30 ~ 8:30 unless otherwise posted)*

**Friday** - 7 am Mass

*\* Scheduled Mass times unless indicated on the Mass Intentions Calendar*



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**Saturday, January 4, 2025**

5:00 – +Steven R. Rutherford Family

**Sunday, January 5, 2025**

8:00 – Int's of Celeste Daignault The Daignault Family

10:00 – +Marie Bello Michelle & Bill Adsit

12 CNU – The People of the Parish

2:00 – +Salvador Guerra Gomez Rosalia Mendoza

5:00 – +Stanley Jakubowski Janet Glasofer

Mon – (5:30pm) +Kevin Koorie Betsy Zeigler

Tues – (9am) +Bill Liquori Dave & Mary Litzinger

Wed – (6:30pm) +Severina de Joya Mia & Anton Siochi

Thur – (8:05am) +John Epifano Joyce Kiser

(6:30pm) **No Mass**

Fri – (7am) +Wilma Mazary Dave & Eileen Mazary

**Saturday, January 11, 2025**

5:00 – +Mary Decker Family

**Sunday, January 12, 2025**

8:00 – +Jerry Dougherty Linda Scholl

10:00 – +Anna Marie & Joe Beckman Cathy Luth

12 CNU – +Vicky Shelton Chris & Mike Shelton

2:00 – The People of the Parish

5:00 – +Tito Bossman The Bossman Family

### Weekly Collections

#### **December 21 & 22**

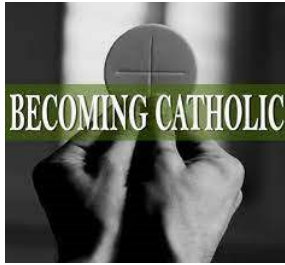
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#### **Christmas**

\$17,230

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## Initiation Programs for Adults



**Are you or anyone you know interested in exploring the Catholic Church as your church home?**

**Have you been sitting in the pew next to your Catholic spouse for years wondering what you have to do to become Catholic?**

If so, join us for a time of prayer, reflection, study, faith sharing, discernment and participation in the life of the parish. This process is for adults and children (age 7-17) who have never been baptized, those who were baptized in another faith tradition, or those who were baptized Catholic and seek full initiation. **Contact Lisa Wienhoff at [lwienhoff@olmc.org](mailto:lwienhoff@olmc.org) for more information.**

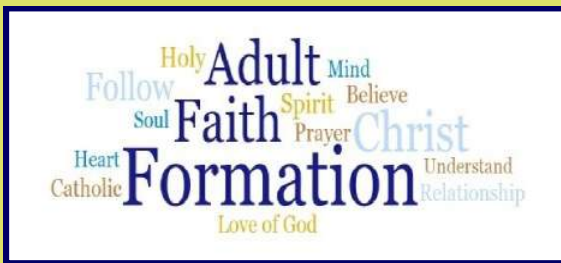
## Adult Faith Formation



**New Women's Bible Study session will begin on January 8th  
Wednesday Mornings at 9am  
Unlocking the Mysteries of the Bible**

Many Catholics want to read the Bible but get bogged down by the long stretches that seem not to make sense or get lost among the sea of Old Testament names and places. *Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible*, an eight-part Bible study, helps you uncover the story woven throughout Scripture, so you can get the "big picture" of the Bible and understand what it's all about.

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### **ALL NEW ADULT FAITH STUDY STARTING IN JANUARY**

Saint Michael Hall, Wednesdays 7- 8:30pm  
AFTER THE 6:30PM MASS  
All adults of the parish are welcome!

**CHECK BACK FOR DETAILS!**

***Lisa Wienhoff at 757-595-0385 x131 or [lwienhoff@olmc.org](mailto:lwienhoff@olmc.org)***



**That Man is You (TMIY)** honestly addresses the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, especially those relating to their roles as husbands and fathers. The program harmonizes current social and medical science with the teachings of the Church and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of man fully alive! **New session starting back up in January!**

**Saturday Mornings, 7am - 8:30am, Saint Michael Hall, ALL MEN OF THE PARISH ARE WELCOME!**

Register online at [olmc.org](http://olmc.org). Contact Lisa Wienhoff at 757-595-0385 ext. 131 or [lwienhoff@olmc.org](mailto:lwienhoff@olmc.org) for more information.



### **The Wild Goose :**

**Sunday, 9-9:50am or Thursdays 1-2pm**

***Sessions have already begun, it's not too late to join, contact Lisa for more info!***

**The Wild Goose** is a 14 Part Series with Fr. Dave Pivonka on discovering a deeper relationship with the Holy Spirit. Join us to watch the series and enjoy life to the full in the power of the Holy Spirit.

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Walking with Purpose

**Walking with Purpose (WWP)** is a parish-based Bible study program for adult women, it incorporates at-home Scripture study, weekly small group discussion, and monthly talks on relevant study material. The new study, **Rooted and Radiant**, will begin on January 15th at **Saint Michael Hall** on **Wednesday's**, following Mass, **register online at [olmc.org](http://olmc.org)**.

***All women of the parish are welcome!***

**For more info contact Lisa Wienhoff at 757-595-0385 ext. 131 or [lwienhoff@olmc.org](mailto:lwienhoff@olmc.org)**

## Pastoral Care



### **When you need a break. The Respite Ministry is there to help.**

Are you a caregiver who is seeking some respite time for yourself? The Respite Ministry provides parishioners who are full time caretakers of a home-bound loved one, a break of a few hours' time to use as he or she sees fit.

During that time, a trained parish Respite Minister will provide safety, supervision, and companionship to the homebound family member.

Contact Christa at 757-595-0385 X107 or [cbloomstrom@olmc.org](mailto:cbloomstrom@olmc.org) for more information.

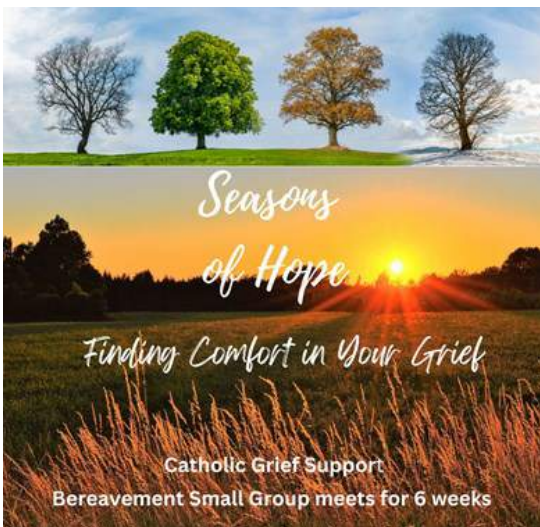
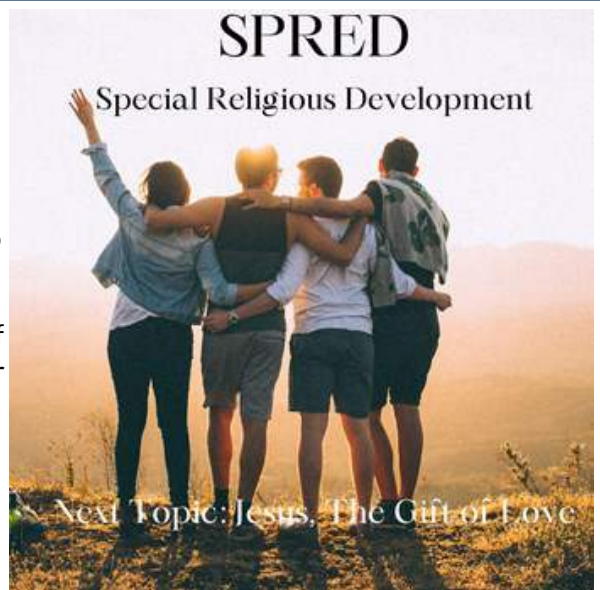
### **SPRED: Special Religious Development**

**NEXT TOPIC:  
Jesus, The Gift of Love**

**SPRED** prepares persons with intellectual disabilities to fully belong in the liturgical life of the parish.

Within this small faith community, we hear the Word of God, reflect upon our life experiences, offer prayers for one another, and enjoy a simple sharing of food together.

**“I will sing of your mercy forever, Lord proclaim your faithfulness through all ages.”  
Psalm 89:2-3**



### **Seasons of Hope ~ Catholic Grief Support New six week series begin January 7.**

When you or someone you care about is suffering from the loss of a loved one, the process of grieving is a natural part of healing. Grief, however natural, can be intense and experienced in very individual ways. It is sometimes hard to know, “Is what I’m going through ‘normal’ or natural?”

Seasons of Hope offers a safe and compassionate environment for adults whose loved one has died. Seasons of Hope, rooted in Catholic tradition, conveys God’s consolation through scripture, prayer, reflection and sharing our faith.

**Register at [olmc.org](http://olmc.org) or call the parish office.**

## Social Ministry

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### PANTRY NEEDS:

spaghetti sauce  
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jelly

### PERSONAL NEEDS:

toothpaste

### PREGNANCY NEEDS:

receiving blankets  
bibs  
sleep sacks (0-3 months)

### Office of Social Ministries

The Office of Social Ministries for OLMC is has been operating and serving those most poor and vulnerable in the city of Newport News for 30+ years. Other agencies and Churches doing this work throughout the city have stressed their overwhelming appreciation for the work that you at OLMC have done and are doing. Please help our volunteers continue this great history of service by stepping in where you are able. Donations to Parish Charities (Poor Fund) aid our financial ability to serve.

### OUTREACH OFFICE

The Outreach Office receives those in need of assistance into our office 2 hours each day during the week. We could use extra support interviewing, answering the phone or packing food in the pantry. If you have time & aren't sure if this is for you, please schedule a time to check us out. You do not need to have any prior training as the office is training ground enough. To volunteer contact Kim Taylor at 757-595-0385 ext. 118 or [ktaylor@olmc.org](mailto:ktaylor@olmc.org)

### Pregnancy Outreach Office

The Pregnancy Outreach Office serves those women in need with items for themselves or their children—up to 2 years. We could use support folding/bundling clothes, meeting with women, packing up needed items, etc. To volunteer contact Kim Taylor at 757-595-0385 ext. 118 or [ktaylor@olmc.org](mailto:ktaylor@olmc.org)

### FOOD PANTRY

The OLMC food pantry is stocked 100% by the parishioners who go to Mass with us. Please bring one item to Mass with you each weekend. Each family giving one item from our list will be more than enough food weekly. We cannot do it without you. To volunteer contact Kim Taylor at 757-595-0385 ext. 118 or [ktaylor@olmc.org](mailto:ktaylor@olmc.org)

## Ministerio Hispano

Director - Diácono Francisco Anleu

Oficina - (757) 595-0385 Ext. 123, Email - [fanleu@olmc.org](mailto:fanleu@olmc.org)

### Misas en Español:

Domingos 2:00 PM, Jueves 6:30 PM

### Confesiones:

Sábados, 3 PM, Miércoles, 5 PM,  
Jueves 5:30 PM en Español solamente



### Bautismo Infantil

Los bautizos de infantes se llevan a cabo el cuarto domingo de cada mes. Los padres deben asistir a una breve clase de bautismo antes de bautizar a su bebé.

Las clases de bautismo se llevan a cabo en el Salón San Miguel de 9:30 a 11:30 horas en las siguientes fechas:

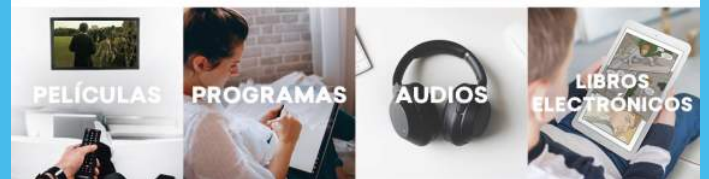
11 de Enero

8 de Febrero

8 de Marzo

Para obtener más información, comuníquese con la señorita **Elizabeth Kassel** en la oficina parroquial, **757-595-0385** o envíe un correo electrónico a [ekassel@olmc.org](mailto:ekassel@olmc.org).

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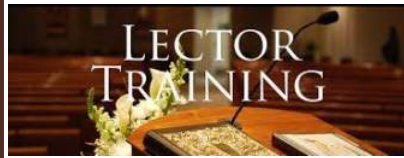
**Para registrarse gratis:** visita [signup.formed.org](http://signup.formed.org)

Ingrese el código postal de nuestra escuela parroquial (23601) y el nombre de la escuela.

Para obtener más información, envíe un correo electrónico a Lisa a [lwienhoff@olmc.org](mailto:lwienhoff@olmc.org)

## Liturgy

## Community



The lector ministry is open to all practicing Catholics sixteen and older who have received the sacrament of confirmation. If you are an articulate reader who feels called to this ministry, contact Jim Ellis at jimellis1206@gmail.com for more information.

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### Adorers Needed



We are looking for adorers to commit to an hour of Eucharistic Adoration on Thursdays between 9:00 am and 6:30 pm. If you are available to commit to a weekly Holy Hour, please email [adoration@olmc.org](mailto:adoration@olmc.org)

### Bunco Party & Silent Auction!

Let's get together and join your fellow parishioners for a night of fun and excitement at the Bunco Party & Silent Auction on Saturday, February 1, in St. Michael Hall. Doors open at 6:15 p.m. for our Silent Auction, accompanied by complimentary hors d'oeuvres, wine, and beer. The guilds of the Ladies of Carmel are donating themed gift baskets and other wonderful items to the auction.

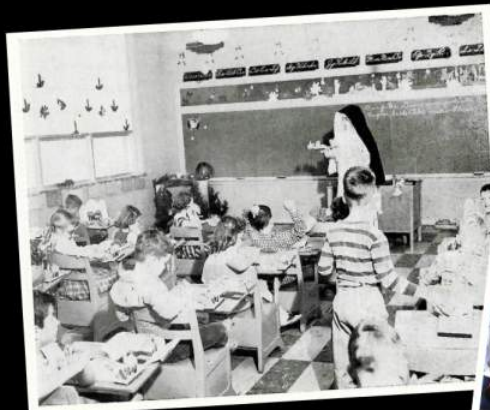
Bunco begins at 7:30. **Never played Bunco before? Fear not!** It's really easy, and our resident Bunco expert, Susan Adams, will teach us all how to play! Cash prizes will be awarded in several categories of winners (& even losers)! We will also have a 50/50 raffle that evening.

**Tickets are \$25/person** and are available in the Parish Office during the week and in the Narthex January 11/12 & 25/26.

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