

08 December 2024

Second Sunday of Advent

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CATHOLIC CHURCH



NEWPORT NEWS, VA

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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, December 7, 2024

5:00 – +Marjorie Garrison Family

Sunday, December 8, 2024

8:00 – +Robert & Dorothy Boughamer Michale Weaver

10:00 – +Mary Dietz Sharon & Dennis George

12 CNU – The People of the Parish

2:00 – + Salvador Guerra Gomez Rosalia Mendez

5:00 – +Frances Teresa Lowry Linda & Robb Schrock

Mon – (5:30pm) +Consuelo Medalla Family

Tues – (9am) +Don Murren The Waltz Family

Wed – (6:30pm) Int's of the Priests of our Diocese

Thur – (8:05am) +Richard Vollmer Lucy Oliver
(6:30pm)Int's of the Hispanic Community of OLMC

Fri – (7am) Int's of Mathieu Ivan & Arbogaste Mevono

Saturday, December 14, 2024

5:00 – +Steven Svelan Jack & Ann Svelan

Sunday, December 15, 2024

8:00 – +Eustaquio Medalla, Sr. Family

10:00 – +John Dietz Sharon & Dennis George

12 CNU – No Mass

2:00 – The People of the Parish

5:00 – +H. Daniel Lowry Linda & Robb Schrock

Weekly Collections

November 23 & 24

\$23,528 (E-Giving \$9359, Sunday \$14169)

We are thankful for your generosity!

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION
The Immaculate Conception of
the Blessed Virgin Mary

DECEMBER 9, 2024



9 am Mass
School Mass, open to everyone
6:30 pm Mass
8 pm Mass (en Español)



Poinsettia Donations

This Christmas Season, remember your loved ones by sponsoring a poinsettia used to decorate our Church. Please bring your check or cash donation of \$15 to the Parish Office along with a note telling us who the plant is in memory of.

If you wish to place your donation in the offertory or mail it, please mark the envelope "Attn: Eileen" and be sure to include the name(s) in the envelope.

*Donations must be received by
Wednesday, December 18th.*



Initiation Programs for Adults



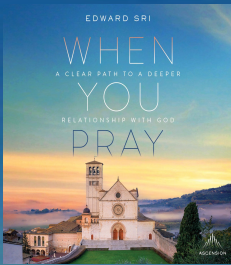
**Are you or anyone you know interested in exploring
the Catholic Church as your church home?**

**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 for more information.

Adult Faith Formation



When You Pray: A Clear Path to a Deeper Relationship with God

Saint Michael Hall, Wednesdays 7- 8:30pm

All are welcome, join in at any time!

Inspired by the real example of the saints, we will learn how to pray with the same consistency, trust, peace, and passion that led to deep transformation in their souls. **When You Pray: A Clear Path to a Deeper Relationship with God** will help you begin your journey of prayer, rejuvenate your prayer life, and strengthen your relationship with God so that you can give God your entire heart.

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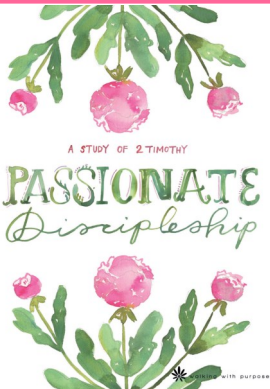
That Man is You (TMIY) honestly addresses the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, especially those relating to their roles as husbands and fathers. The program harmonizes current social and medical science with the teachings of the Church and the wisdom of the saints to develop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

Saturday Mornings, 7am - 8:30am

Saint Michael Hall

ALL MEN OF THE PARISH ARE WELCOME!

Register online at olmc.org. Contact Lisa Wienhoff at 757-595-0385 ext. 131 or lwienhoff@olmc.org for more information.



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 fall study, **Passionate Discipleship, Saint Michael Hall on Wednesday's**, following Mass, **register online at olmc.org.**

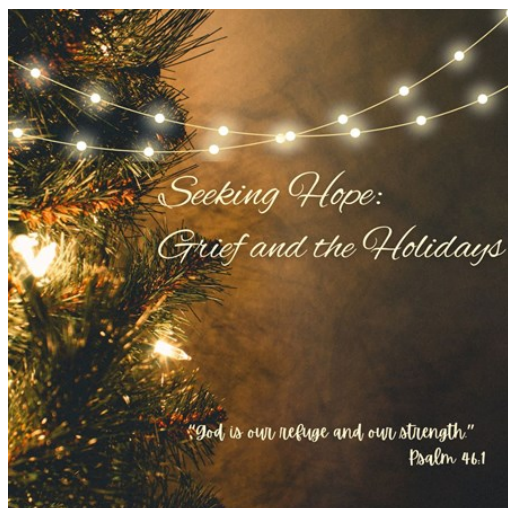


Walking with Purpose

All women of the parish are welcome, join in at any time!

Passionate Discipleship journeys through 2 Timothy verse by verse. Come learn how to live as disciples of Christ, living with Him as the center of our lives and entrusting this message to others who can pass it on as well.

Pastoral Care



Honor the memory of your loved one with a Mass intention. A reminder that they are with you and interceding for you.

Be honest with God. Enter into conversation with him. Turn to him in prayer.

Do something different. Break tradition. Cherish new memories being made.

Plan how you'll be part of the holiday festivities. Keep your celebrations simple and communicate that to your family.

Peaceful moments can be enlightened with prayer as you light a candle of hope.



Visiting the Sick and Homebound

Bring hope to the homebound during Advent

Will you bring hope to the homebound this Advent?

Visit: Extend an offer to visit and bring coffee or tea.

Write: A letter or card to uplift spirits.

Call: Make a call to wish them a blessed Advent.

Prayer: Pray with those who are lonely or grieving.

Share memories: Share memories of a loved one who has died, or ask someone to share a memory with you.

Communion: Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Eucharist take Communion to those unable to attend Mass. Inquire at the parish office about training.

Transport: The OLMC van picks up parishioners every Sunday for the 10:00am Mass. Inquire at the parish office about shadowing one Sunday & consider driving.



Circle of Hope

Saturday, December 14 at 10:30am

We are a faith-based, spiritually uplifting group of men and women who gather on the first Saturday of every month for fellowship, prayer and support.

Are you going through or have gone through a health diagnosis or chronic condition?

Are you looking for support and encouragement from other Catholics who are experiencing something similar?

Newcomers are always welcome!

Contact Christa at the parish office to inquire.

Transformed by *The Eucharist...*
Reaching Out into community



PANTRY NEEDS:
cereal
jelly
1 pound bags of rice

PERSONAL NEEDS:
toilet paper

PREGNANCY NEEDS:
size 4, 5 and 6 diapers and wipes

The Weary World Rejoices

As we wait in joyful Hope for the Coming of Our Savior, Jesus Christ.

At this time of year, many groups seek opportunities to serve our community. The desire to love and serve are the spiritual fruits of contemplating God's love and blessings for us. How wondrous is Jesus' sacrifice and gift to us in the Incarnation! He willingly ceded His divine privileges to become a poor human infant, and subject himself to life's travails and death's sting.

You have been so generous in your gifts to the homeless — proving items to fill their lunch bags and volunteering to serve at PORT. You have been so generous to the poor and vulnerable in our community by filling Thanksgiving bags with food, personal products and cleaning supplies. There are more opportunities to come: taking Angel tags and buying a gift for a child less fortunate than many, and filling Christmas food bags.

But the truest gift we can give to our neighbors is our fervent prayer for them. Please take time this Advent to pray for the poor and our entire community. The generosity of time in prayer will likely be the source of the greatest blessing to them. Perhaps offer an hour of Adoration for their intentions and needs.

For more information contact Kim Taylor at
757-595-0385 ext. 118 or ktaylor@olmc.org

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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:

14 de Diciembre
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 envíele un correo electrónico a
ekassel@olmc.org.

Damas del Carmen
Paseo de las Galletas Navideñas

Sábado, 14 de diciembre 1-4:30 PM
en el Salón de San Miguel
para
Feligreses y amigos de la Iglesia y la Escuela de OLMC
Con una variedad de galletas tradicionales americanas e internacionales.

\$5/libra – Solo Efectivo o Cheque personal
y
Disfrute de Café, Té o Chocolate caliente- \$1/taza
en el
Café de 8º grado de OLMC 

Las ganancias se destinan al Fondo de la Peregrinación de 8º Grado.

También:
Envoltura de regalos 
disponible para
Regalos de los Ángeles
y
Regalos personales de Navidad
con una donación de artículos de tocador, atún enlatado o pollo enlatado para el **Ministerio de Caridad Pastoral de OLMC.**

Liturgy

Community

LECTOR TRAINING

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.

BE ONE WITH JESUS *eucharistic adoration*

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Every Thursday
9am ~ 6:30pm
Blessed Sacrament Chapel

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



Ladies of Carmel **Christmas Cookie Walk**

Saturday, December 14th 1-4:30 PM

St Michael Hall

for

OLMC Parish & School Families and Friends

With a wide variety of traditional American & International Cookies

\$5.00/pound – Cash or Personal check only
and

Enjoy Coffee, Teas, or Hot Cocoa - \$1.00/cup

at the

OLMC 8th Grade Beverage Café

Proceeds go to the 8th Grade Pilgrimage Fund.



Also:

Gift Wrapping

available for

Angel Gifts

and

personal Christmas gifts



with a donation of toiletries, canned tuna, or canned chicken to the **OLMC Outreach Ministry**

THANK YOU

Your generous giving through iGiveCatholic has made a tremendous impact for our 345 Crusaders.

Thank you, thank you, thank you!

May the Lord bless you for your goodness towards our school!

We are praying for you this Advent.



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