

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 2 & 3, 2010

This Week in our Parishes

Saturday, October 2nd

2:30 pm, Sacrament of Reconciliation - SAS
4:00 pm, Mass - SAS (+Roy E. Miller, Janet Miller
Pratt & John Ohler)
5:00 pm, CTC Night - SAS Schoolhouse

Sunday, October 3rd Ordinary 27

Second Collection - Buildings & Grounds
7:00 am, Mass - SAS (+George P. Kramer)
8:00 am, SAS Flea Market - SAS Pavilion
8:00 am, Mass - OLMC (+Mary & Morris Berstler)
9:15 am, Religious Education Classes - TMS
9:15 am, Confirmation Class - TMS
9:30 am, Mass - SAS (L&D Parishioners)
11:00 am, Mass - OLMC (+Robert Cline)
2:00 pm, Blessing of the Animals - SAS Lawn

Monday, October 4th Eat at Rocky's

8:00 am, Mass - OLMC (+Frances Seltzer)
10:00 am, Mom's Group Mtg. - SASH
2:00 pm, Eucharistic Adoration - OLMC
7:00 pm, AA Meeting - SAS Upper Hall

Tuesday, October 5th

8:00 am, Mass - OLMC (Int. Betty Burdick &
Pat Pasquariello)
8:30 am, Thurmont Ministerium Meeting
1:00 pm, Bring Your Own Craft - SAUH
7:30 pm, Knights of Columbus Mtg. - OLMC

Wednesday, October 6th

No Morning Mass
6:30 pm, Handbell Practice - OLMC
7:00 pm, RCIA - SAS Upper Hall

Thursday, October 7th

8:00 am, Mass - OLMC (Int. Carol Comer)
8:00 am, SAS Yard Sale - SAS Pavilion
6:30 pm, Choir Practice - SAS
6:30 pm, YOGA - SAS Upper Hall

Friday, October 8th

7:30 am, Morning Prayer - OLMC
8:00 am, Mass - OLMC (L&D Mbrs of Bob & Dot
Maze Family and Katherine Beard)

Friday, October 8th Continued

8:00 am, SAS Yard/Bake Sale - SAS Pavilion

Saturday, October 9th

8:00 am, SAS Yard/Bake Sale - SAS Pavilion
8:00 am, OLMC Food Stand - Thurmont Park
4:00 pm, Mass - SAS (+Wanda Hemler Wantz)

Sunday, October 10th Ordinary 28

Second Collection - Propagation of the Faith
7:00 am, Mass - SAS (+Regina Shields &
Kathy Clabaugh)
8:00 am, OLMC Food Stand - Thurmont Park
8:00 am, Mass - OLMC (+Susan Fedak)
No Religious Education Classes today
9:30 am, Mass - SAS (L&D Parishioners)
No 11:00 am, Mass - OLMC today - Colorfest

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 9 & 10

Scripture Readings for Mass

First Reading ~ 2 Kings 5:14-17/144

Responsorial ~ Ps. 98:1,2-3,3-4

Second Reading ~ 2 Timothy 2:8-13

Gospel ~ Luke 17:11-19

Our Ministry of Prayer

Please remember in prayer the intentions written in our Book of Prayer located in each Church and the Parish Center entrance area. We also remember those persons who have requested prayers through the prayer chain.

Also, please remember the following parishioners in prayer:

JoAnn Cannada

Dick Cool

Denise Ferguson

Brian Gebhart

Doris Glass

Lloydann Kauffman

Jeanette Massena

Karen Mills

Tony Newman

Mary Reckley

Diane Shockey

Margaret Smith

Carroll Wivell

Lorraine Wivell

Kathleen Cekic

Grace Crotts

John Fink

Jimmy Glass

Mary Jack

Corey Kinna

Rosemary McDermott

Dolores Munafa

Helen Reaver

Elfrieda Ridenour

Francis Smith

Robert Smith

Joe Wivell, Sr.



For Prayer Requests

please call the Parish Office at (301) 447-2367 or Linda McCauley at (301) 271-7561.



Baptismal Preparation Classes

Congratulations to all new parents.

If you are planning to have your baby baptized, please contact the parish office to register for the baptismal preparation class. Parents and godparents are invited to attend. The next class will be **Sunday, November 14, at 1 pm at Our Lady of Mount Carmel** in the **church**. The class is expected to last about one hour. If you have any questions, please call Barbara at the parish office (301) 447-2367.

ConnecTeen Catholics (CTC)

CTC Night- Saturday, November 6, 5 to 7 pm

Join us at SAS Schoolhouse after 4:00 Mass for Food, Fun, Faith and Friends!

For information on High School Youth Ministry

Events or to volunteer contact:

Lori Carter (301) 271-4050 kpltcarter@comcast.net.

S M A C Youth Ministry News

All 6th, 7th and 8th grade parishioners are invited to the **SMAC** meeting on **Friday, November 5th** from 7:15 to 8:45 pm in the old Schoolhouse at St. Anthony's. Don't miss the fun, food and friends! For information call Mike Miller at (301) 271-9871.

Youth Ministry Music Practices

for students in grades 6 – 12 are held Sunday evenings 6:30 - 8:00 pm in the OLMC Parish Center.

Upcoming practices are scheduled for:

October 17 & 24

A Pizza social will follow the practices.

Mark Your Calendars

- Oct 3 – SAS Flea Market – 8 am SAS
- Oct 3 – Blessing of Animals – 2 pm SAS
- Oct 4 – Eat at Rocky's Day
- Oct 5 – Bring Your Own Craft – 1 pm SAUH
- Oct 7-9 – SAS Yard Sale – 8:30 am SAS
- Oct 9-10 – Colorfest Food Stand – Town Park
- Oct 16 – Benefit Concert – 7 pm OLMC
- Oct 17 SAS Flea Market – 8 am SAS
- Oct 19 – KofC Social Night – 6:30 pm OLMC
- Oct 25 – Blood Drive – 2 pm OLMC
- Oct 25 – Finance Committee Mtg. – 7 pm SAS
- Nov 13 – Cash Bash – 3-8 pm OLMC

Peace & Social Justice Committee

an education and action ministry

October

3rd **Emmitsburg Life Chain** 2:15 pm prayer service at St. Joseph's & 2:30 to 3:30pm Life Chain in town square.

27th **Casseroles for FRM** due date

40 Days for Life

This fall, from September 22nd through October 31st, our faith community will participate in a nationwide, ecumenical prayer event to end abortion. The campaign will include three components:

Prayer and Fasting: We are invited to join together for 40 days of fervent prayer and fasting for an end to abortion.

Peaceful Vigil: Volunteers are invited to pray peacefully outside of the abortion clinic in Frederick. We are scheduled to pray at the vigil on Saturdays. Volunteers are asked to sign up for one hour blocks of time.

Community Outreach: The pro-life message will be promoted through media efforts and public visibility.

To volunteer or participate in any activities, please contact Deacon John Hawkins at (301) 271-2194 or JHawkins@archbalt.org.

"This is my commandment: love one another as I love you." John 15:12



Colorfest Help Needed

We need your help with the OLMC Colorfest Crabcake & Sausage Stand. We need cooks, counter help, folks to set up & take down, & lots of other extra hands to make this a success. **No previous experience necessary.** The stand is open for breakfast & lunch on Sat./Sun., Oct. 9/10. Set up is on Friday & take down is Sunday afternoon. The long time coordinators, Randy & Karen Smith, Dot Kos and their families, stepped down last year so we need an influx of new helpers. Please consider volunteering for at least one shift or more if you can. Will Lyons & Larry Jayne are coordinating the event. If you can help or need more details contact Will at (571) 334 6142 or email him at lyonsteam@aol.com.



Altar Flowers

On St. Anthony's altars this weekend are in loving memory of the **Roy E. Miller Family** by the family.

Blessing of Animals

Celebrate the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi with your pet on **Sunday, October 3rd at 2:00pm**. All are welcome to bring their pets to the **SAS red brick school house grounds** for an animal blessing. Plan to stay afterwards for light refreshments.

Bring Your Own Craft

The BYOC group meets every first Tuesday of the month from 1-3 pm in SAS Upper Hall. Everyone who likes to do any kind of craft or just likes to come and socialize for a couple of hours is invited.

Our next meeting will be on October 5th.

Marriage, Divorce and Annulments from a Catholic Perspective

The Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Baltimore will be giving a presentation in our area concerning divorce and annulment from the Catholic perspective. This presentation will be helpful for divorced Catholics; those divorced who wish to marry Catholics, those parish leaders involved in the RCIA process and any others who may have a vested interest because of family or friends. This session will be held on **Thursday, October 28 at 7:00 pm at St. Timothy's** in the Seton Conference Room. *No prior registration is required.* For further information, please call (410) 547-5533.



Our next **Blood Drive** will be held on **Monday, October 25** in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel's Parish Center from 2:00-8:00 pm. Call Terri Allen at (301) 271-7872 to make an appointment. Walk-ins are also welcome.

Benefit Concert for Thurmont Food Bank



The Thurmont Food Bank will hold a **benefit concert** on **Saturday, October 16 from 7:00 – 9:00 pm** at **Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish Center**, 103 N. Church St. Thurmont.

Bring a canned good for admission.

A free-will offering will also be received.

We are looking for choirs, bell choirs, solo performers, quartets, etc. to fill 15 minute slots. Contact Rick Hill (301) 898-7044 or send an email to Rick: rickhill@ricksfolk.com.

Thurmont Walk for Hunger and Human Needs Sunday, November 7, 1:30 pm

The **10th Annual Walk** is being coordinated by Graceham Moravian Church in conjunction with The Thurmont Ministerium. The Walk begins and ends at the Thurmont Senior Citizens Center at East Main Street. 50% of the funds raised will be given to the Thurmont Food Bank and 50% to the Thurmont Ministerium. For additional information, call Pastor Jeff Gehris or Joanne Fuss, DCE at (301) 271-2379.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend of September 25 & 26, 2010

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Attendance		200
Envelopes	(57)	1,399.00
Loose		534.62
Total		1,933.62
Poor Box		160.75

St. Anthony Shrine

Attendance		394
Envelopes	(71)	1,935.00
Loose		837.34
Total		2,772.34
Poor Box		323.63

Support

Saint Anthony Shrine & Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parishes by eating at Rocky's!



Bring this coupon to Rocky's NY Pizza & Restaurant (301-271-7181) on Tippin Drive the first Monday of each month. Rocky's will donate 15% of all sales with the coupon to our parishes.

Eat at the restaurant, carry-out, or have it delivered. Have fun & support the parish!

From Barbara . . .

Our faith calls us to do more than just our obligation. As disciples of Christ our obligation is the minimum that we must do. We must constantly be striving for the next thing that is needed and do more than what is asked of us. How do we live up to the expectations of disciples? Our faith strengthens us and our discipleship pushes us forward. Take time this week to do more than your obligation.

From September 22 – October 31, 2010, we will be marking the 40 Days for Life Campaign. This is a program that draws our attention to life issues and asks us to pray for those who are struggling with life decisions. Every day during the 40 days there is a prayer vigil held somewhere in the county. Every Monday following adoration, Deacon John Hawkins will be leading prayer at Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Please pray especially during these 40 days and if you can join us at Our Lady of Mount Carmel on Monday evenings.

Don't forget Colorfest is next weekend and we will not be having the 11:00 Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Our parishes will be having a Crabcake and Sausage pavilion in the Thurmont Park and a yard and bake sale at St. Anthony's. If you have agreed to donate something please bring it in this week. If you can help at the stand it would be most appreciated. Your generosity for our fall fundraisers is undeniable. Thanks for everything.

May God continue to bless us all.

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The Visitation Academy

The only all-girls PreK3 – 8th grade Catholic school in Frederick County, has openings for the 2010-2011 academic year. Please join us for an **Open House** on **Sunday, October 17**, from **1:00 – 3:00 pm** to meet our new principal Mrs. Paula Redman. Our Open House presentation focuses on **"How to Afford a Visitation Education."** Tours of the campus will follow the presentation to RSVP for our Open House, please contact Carol Guaccero at cguaccero@thevisitationacademy.org or call (301) 662-2814. Visit our new website www.thevisitationacademy.org for more information.



Yard Sale / Bake Sale



Saint Anthony Shrine will be having a Yard on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, **October 7th, 8th & 9th**. A **Food stand** and **Bake table** will be available on Friday and Saturday. For those wanting to sell items, space will be available for \$15/one day, \$25/two days or \$30/all three days; no reservations needed. All of you **BAKERS**, we will need your donations to make this day a success. Your help in the past has been most appreciated. *Thank you in advance.* For additional information, parish office (301) 447-2367.

Cash Bash

Saturday, November 13, 3 – 8 pm
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish Center

4 Drawing per Hour

1 st drawing	\$400
2 nd drawing	\$300
3 rd drawing	\$200
4 th drawing	\$100

8:00 pm Grand Prize \$3,000
(based on the 3-Digit MD Lottery)
You need not be present to win



Also available:

Games of chance & Tip jars
(No one under 18 can play the games)
Music by the Backroads

Tickets: \$25 per person
(includes food & refreshments)
Only one person admitted per ticket.
No tickets will be sold at the door.

Tickets are on sale at the parishes' office (*located at St. Anthony's*) for \$25. Either stop in the office or give us a call at (301) 447-2367.

All tickets sold and returned by 4:30 pm, October 13th, will be eligible for the \$100.00 Early Bird Drawing – to be held that day!

We need people to help sell tickets. Please call the office (301) 447-2367 if you are able to take a packet of 5 to sell or if you would be willing to sell tickets after the weekend Masses. Thanks we need your help to make this benefit a success for our parishes.