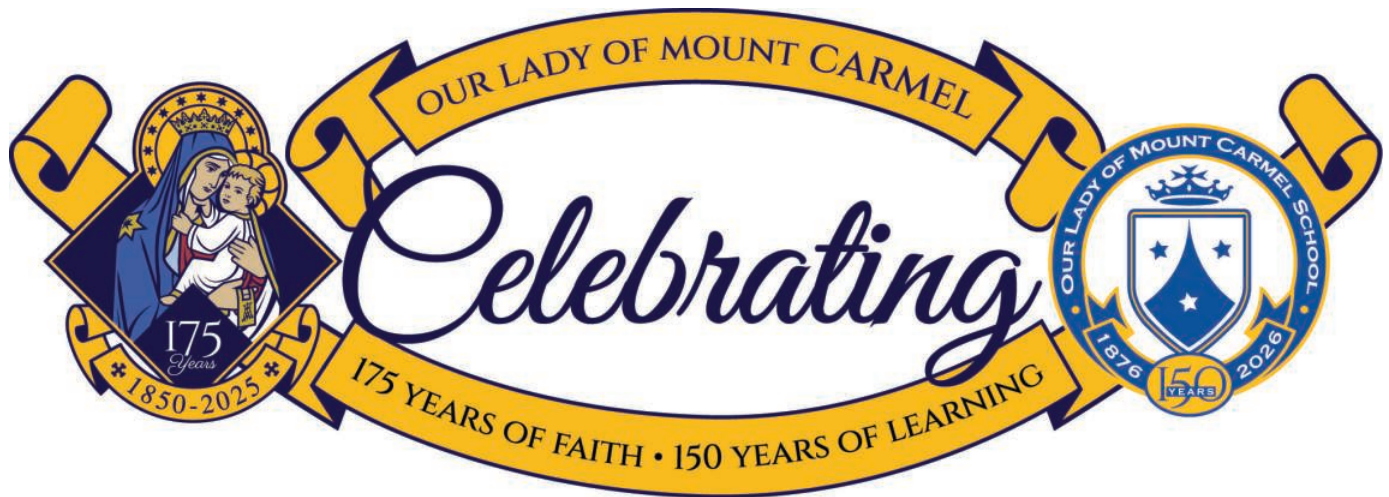




Though I am not entirely certain, I am quite convinced that Saint John the Baptist never went to “Charm School.” And if he did he probably flunked out. I am certain, however, that he never read Dale Carnegie’s *How to Win Friends and Influence People* because he doesn’t use any of the rhetorical techniques that Carnegie puts forth.

In our Gospel this week, John addresses the Pharisees and Sadducees with this scathing critique: “You brood of vipers!” And he was just getting started.

To see this half-clad, semi-mad holy man so roundly denounce the stuffed-shirt, holier-than-thou leadership of Jerusalem must have at least been entertaining for the crowds. It’s easy to imagine them eating popcorn as they looked on.

John was preaching for a change in behavior. “Produce good fruit as evidence of your repentance.” Any words not accompanied by a concrete change in lifestyle are useless.

The response of these vipers – “We have Abraham as our father” – can be similar to when some of us say, “I was baptized here,” or “I went to Catholic school,” or “I wear the brown scapular,” or “I am a priest.” All of these things are fine but if our lives do not bear “good fruit” then we are actually sinning by presumption to put our confidence in external markers of our Catholic faith.



Even in his own day, John the Baptist was universally regarded as a great prophet, revered by the people and feared by their leaders. Nevertheless, the One who was coming after him was so great that John knew he was not even “worthy to carry His sandals” – the task of a slave!

Friends, this is Who Jesus Christ is.

He is the Word made Flesh ... the Alpha and Omega ... the Light of the World Who scatters our darkness.

He is love and mercy ... our Savior and Redeemer ... the Prince of Peace and Lord of all.

So let’s continue to prepare for His birth by making room for Him in our hearts ... changing whatever behaviors we need to change!

God bless you,
Father Matthew Guckin

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 Mr. Griffin McMann
 Mr. & Mrs. Tim Mulligan
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God Bless Our Newly Baptized



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 Daughter of Jason & Jeisy



Mass Schedule

Feast of the Immaculate Conception

Monday, December 8

8 AM & 12 Noon

Please Note: No Vigil Mass

Holiday Bulletin Submissions Deadlines

December 21 • Submit by December 10
December 28 • Submit by December 12
January 4 • Submit by December 22

bulletin@ourladymtcarmel.org



Prayer & Worship

Weekly Mass Schedule & Intentions

Altar Candles Intention for this Week
Greg Cox

Sanctuary Lamp Intention for this Week
James Killian

The Marian Candle Intention for this Week
Peggy Garrity

Sat 12/6	5 PM Vigil	Alyssa Michele Holiday
Second Sunday of Advent 12/7	7:00 AM	Pat & Jerry Happ
	9:00 AM ▶▶ 🎵	Sandra Duchnowski
	10:30 AM 🖐️	Gordon Jeffrey Jones
	12 Noon	Monica Oswald
	▲ = Retired Religious Fund	
Mon 12/8 Immaculate Conception	8:00 AM	The Dardzinski Family
	12 Noon	Jean C. Savoca
	▲ = Immaculate Conception	
Tues 12/9	8:00 AM	John Perrotta
	12 Noon	Caroline Lafferty
Wed 12/10	8:00 AM	Greg Johnson
	12 Noon	Parishioners of OLMC
Thurs 12/11	8:00 AM	John Perrotta
	12 Noon	Helen Mellon
Fri 12/12	8:00 AM	Carol Pirolli
	12 Noon	Lola Shaheadi
Sat 12/13	5 PM Vigil 🎵	John Munley
Third Sunday of Advent 12/14	7:00 AM	Eileen V. Silk
	9:00 AM ▶▶	Cami Polgardy
	10:30 AM 🖐️	Deacon Peter Burghart & Margaret Burghart
	12 Noon	Jack Eckenrode
	▲ = Capital Improvements	

🎵 = Choir Singing ▶▶ = LiveStreamed
 ▲ = Special Collection 🖐️ = ASL Interpreted
 ♥ = Sensory Friendly

Children's Liturgy
Sundays • 9 AM Mass
Preschool (Age 4) - 5th Grade
Teen & adult volunteers needed.
Call (215) 348-4190 to volunteer.

Daily Mass Schedule During Advent Through Tuesday, December 23

Weekly Mass Schedule LiveStreamed ▶▶

Sunday 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM ▶▶, 10:30 AM & 12:00 Noon

Monday - Friday 8:00 AM & 12 Noon

Saturday 5:00 PM Vigil

December 7 (Red Hymnal #1004)

Reading I: Isaiah 11: 1-10

Resp. Psalm Psalm 122: 1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9

Reading II: Romans 15: 4-9

The Gospel: Matthew 3: 1-12



December 14 (Red Hymnal #1007)

Reading I: Isaiah 35: 1-6a, 10

Resp. Psalm Psalm 146: 6-7, 8-9, 9-10.

Reading II: James 5: 7-10

The Gospel: Matthew 11: 2-11



Sensory Friendly Mass

Come to Me

~Matthew 19:14



Wednesday, December 24 • Christmas Eve • 6 PM

Sunday, December 28 • 4th Sunday of Month • 12 Noon

The Parish will celebrate two Sensory Friendly Masses this month: Christmas Eve (December 24) at 6 PM and Sunday, December 28 at 12 Noon.

Sensory Friendly Masses at OLMC are celebrated with lower lighting, softer volume, shorter homilies, limited physical interaction and no music (with the exception of a soft underplay of recorded music played during the distribution of Communion).

Please be considerate of this as we do our best to reach out to everyone in our parish family, so that all can hear the voice of God which guides, purifies, strengthens, forgives, feeds, comforts, enriches, liberates, heals and saves.

Prayer

Sick & Homebound In Our Prayers

Quinn Balceniuk
Philip Baldwin
Angelina Fagnoli
Margaret Talamo

JoAnn Bennett	Bernard Krasnisky
Paul Benyovszky	Joan Krasnisky
<i>Stephanie</i>	<i>Deborah</i>
<i>Boccuzzi</i>	<i>Kulp-Hocker</i>
Robert Borrini	Noah Langan
Maripily Braffa	Catherine Latessa
Marie Brescia	Laurie Lerner
Alice Bromiley	James Leung
Mary Buckley	Vicky Longhofer
<i>Nancy Buckman</i>	Clare Lucente
<i>Paravecchia</i>	Elaine Lund
Ryan Burke	Monica Maeyer
Pamela Butkus	Amy Mattle
Keith Cole	<i>Michael</i>
Tara Conway	<i>McConaghy</i>
Rick Dalton	Mary McManemy
Joy Davis	Benny Morrissey
Ronan DeStefano	Eleanor Noll
Ron Dolan	Bonnie Olliver
Andrew Donohue	Kathleen Parker
Dorothy Fahie	Jack Pfeifer
Scarlett Fehrl	Marilyn Richards
Joseph Fellona	John Roche
Barbara Finn	Bryan Rosica
<i>Mr. & Mrs. J.</i>	Brian Sacco
<i>Roland Fernandez</i>	Andrew Schmidt
<i>The Fruman</i>	<i>The Schramek</i>
<i>Family</i>	<i>Family</i>
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<i>Christopher</i>	Joseph Stanley
<i>Gannon</i>	Pat Stoerle
Edwina Gill	<i>Bernadette</i>
Mary Graeff	<i>Strzelecki</i>
<i>Rev. Msgr.</i>	James Sullivan
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Lisa Hall	Jeanne Wallace
Charles Heiber	Bill Walsh
Joe Horan	Susan Ward
Tommy Humeston	<i>Connie</i>
Benjamin Keller	<i>Wrzesniewski</i>
Kaitlyn Kelly	Walter Zangerle
Patrick Kenney	Alexa Zoto
Butch Kilda	
<i>Maureen</i>	
<i>Krystkiewicz</i>	

Please Pray for Our Troops

Andrew Bailey
Maggie Borek
Joshua Bozarth
Bradley Cannon
Matthew R. Conway
Cecilia A. Davies
Christopher Davies
Ian Donaher
Jason Douple
Daniel T. Ely
Connor Ferzetti
Lauren Griffith
Joseph Guckavan, III
Brandon Horak
Sydney Ives
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Please Remember All the Faithful Departed

Helen I. Gisoldi
Joseph M. Stark



May they Rest in Peace.

Tuesday Night Scriptural Rosary 7:00 PM



Before coming for the first time, email
Marianne for location information.
tuesdaynightrosary@
ourladymtcarmel.org

Join Us in Reciting a Decade of the Rosary

10 Minutes before
weekend Masses

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Anyone in need of spiritual
support may place their
requests on the prayer chain
by emailing Carol at:

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Men's Scripture Study

Wednesdays • 7 AM - 8 AM
St. Mary's Hall

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Advent

Prepare Room for
the Newborn King



Saturday, December 13
8am-9:15am
in Church

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Confessions

Saturdays
December 6, 13 & 20
3:45 PM - 4:45 PM

Wednesday
December 10
6 PM - 7 PM

Wednesday
December 17
6 PM - 8 PM

Saturday December 20 is the last opportunity
for the Sacrament of Reconciliation before
Christmas. There are no Wednesday
Confessions on December 24 or 31.
Wednesday Confessions will resume on
Wednesday, January 7, 2026.

Confessions at Local Parishes

**Sacrament of
Reconciliation
at Our Lady of
Guadalupe**

Saturdays 4:30 PM
Sunday Mornings
8:30 AM & 10:30 AM

**Sacrament
of Reconciliation
at the Shrine of Our
Lady of Czestochowa**

Monday - Saturday
11:00 AM - 11:45 AM
Sunday 8:00 - 9:30 AM,
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM
2:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Christmas

Our Lady of Mount Carmel



Christmas Eve Masses Wednesday, December 24

4 PM 🎵

6 PM

6 PM Sensory Friendly Mass
Interpreted in ASL
No Music.

8 PM 🎵

10 PM 🎵

10 PM Choir Sings Carols
Starting at 9:30 PM

Christmas Day Masses Thursday, December 25

Not the Sunday Mass Schedule

8 AM 🎵

8 AM Ensemble

10 AM 🎵

12 PM 🎵

🎵 *Music at All Masses with the Exception of the
6 PM Sensory Mass on Christmas Eve*

New Year's Day The Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

Thursday, January 1, 2026

8 AM • 12 PM

Note: No Vigil Mass on December 31.



Prayer



Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays after the

8:00 AM Mass

Reposition at 3:00 PM

Divine Mercy Chaplet
Immediately Following

adoration@ourladymtcarmel.org



CHILDREN'S ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9 • 10 AM

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(CONVENT)**



A.C.T.S.4 Adoration (Adults, Children, Teens, Sanctified 4th Wednesday Adoration)

"[The Church] was of one
heart and mind" ~Acts 4:32

**Resumes January 28
6 - 6:45 PM**

All are invited to praise Him

Monthly Adoration will be held during
regularly scheduled Wednesday Confessions



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**NEXT MEETING
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17 AT 7:00 PM**

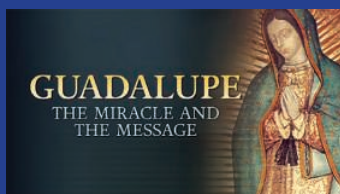
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commemorate St Juan
Diego and the feast of
Our Lady of Guadalupe.

Watch this documentary that explores both
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and the continued relevance of the Guadalupe
apparition to our modern world.

Narrated by Jim Caviezel.



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Christian Formation

Pray with the Saints of St. Mary's Cemetery Columbarium St. Katharine Drexel Wall

Katharine Drexel was born in Philadelphia into a wealthy and loving family. In 1891 she answered a Call from God and using her own money founded the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament. This mission, entrusted to her from Christ, was prayer and service among the African and Indigenous American communities.

Among others, Katharine founded a school for Indigenous Americans in New Mexico and a secondary school for African Americans in New Orleans. This latter school becoming Xavier University in 1915.

Mother Katharine Drexel's life was an inspirational example of using one's own resources and influence for the betterment of others. Today the order continues Katharine's mission in 21 states and Haiti.

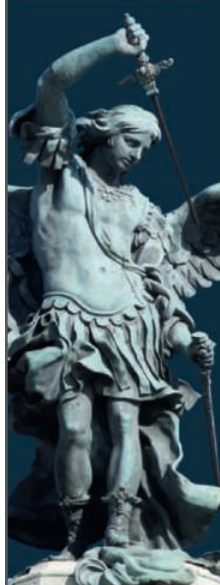
Mother Katharine Drexel was canonized in 2000 and her tomb now rests at the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul in Philadelphia.



The St. Katharine Drexel Wall in St. Mary's Cemetery Columbarium sits to the Our Lady of Mount Carmel statue's left. Please come visit and spend some time.

*Find the prayer
video series in this
week's Flocknote.*

INTO THE BREACH



ALL MEN ARE INVITED

**A monthly men's gathering
for prayer and discussion
with Fr. Flanagan**

**DUE TO EXTENDED
ADVENT CONFESSIONS,
THE WEDNESDAY, 12/10
MEETING IS CANCELLED.**

NEXT MEETING: JAN 14

7 PM - 8 PM

**2ND WEDNESDAY
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Special Collections ▲

December 7	Retired Religious Fund
December 8	Immaculate Conception
December 14	Capital Improvements

The Next St. Vincent de Paul Food Drive is December 13 & 14.

The following items are needed:
Paper Towels • Tissues • Toilet Paper
Applesauce • Water • Shampoo

Any nonperishable items are welcome.



Remember to Save Your Altomonte's & McCaffrey's Simply Fresh Receipts

Now collecting receipts for October, November & December. (Receipts expire after 3 months).

**Please place receipts in the baskets
by the Church doors.**



Peace and Justice Ministry Meeting

Join us on **Monday, January 5**
from 6:30 - 7:30 PM • St. Mary's Hall



Jesus and Catholic social teaching tell us to love all of our neighbors including immigrants. Join our discussion with local experts on how we can better serve and welcome our neighborhood immigrant community.

All are welcome!

Questions? Contact us at:
peacejustice@ourladymtcarmel.org

Discipleship/Get Involved

Christmas Dinner Baskets

We are in need of your help once again to provide **Christmas Dinner Boxes** for families in need. We hope that many of you who helped at Thanksgiving will help us again in reaching out to those in need. We also encourage new people to include this project in your Christmas giving.

Please call **(215) 348-8833** and leave your name and phone number, someone will return your call and give you a code number, and the size of the family and whether they wish a turkey or ham. The code number maintains confidentiality.

What is needed: a frozen turkey or a ham, and all the makings to prepare that meal. Ideas: fresh or canned fruits and vegetables, cranberry sauce, gravy, bread for stuffing or stuffing mix and one home-baked item (cookies, pie, nut bread); candles, napkins, flowers or other items that you would like to add. *(Do not include any other frozen items, only the turkey)*

Put all ingredients in a box (or two smaller boxes that are easy to carry) Put the code number on the box (boxes) and deliver to St. Mary's Hall (next to the Prayer Garden) on Tuesday, **December 23, 2025 between 6 AM and 11 AM.**

We will deliver the dinner boxes to the families that same day.

Reminder

Sunday, December 7th at 12:00 PM is the day for all gifts to be returned to the **Advent Giving Tree.**

If you have any problems,
please call
(215) 348-8833.



Discipleship/Get Involved



YOUTH MINISTRY

DECEMBER EVENTS

FRI. DEC 5 - SET UP SANTA BREAKFAST

SAT. DEC. 6 - SANTA BREAKFAST - CRAFTS AND GAMES

SUN. DEC. 7 - SORT GIVING TREE GIFTS

SAT. DEC. 13 - HELPING "LEAST OF OUR BROTHERS" HOMELESS OUTREACH

SUN. DEC. 14 - CHRISTMAS PARTY AND SERVICE

THURS. DEC. 18 - CAROLING IN FRONT OF OLMC CHURCH FOR WESLEY AND PINE RUN RESIDENTS/BUSES

SUN. DEC 21 - MAKING LUMINARIES TO BE USED FOR THE CHRISTMAS REVEAL

MON. DEC. 22 - SERVING HOT CHOCOLATE AND CANDY CANES AFTER THE CHRISTMAS REVEAL

CONTACT DAWN SOLLY
YOUTHMINISTRY@OURLADYMTCARMEL.ORG

Discipleship/Get Involved

The Chosen Season 5 • The Last Supper Join Us When You Can

Mondays
1:00-2:30 PM

Thursdays
6:30-8:00 PM

Episode 8: 12/8

12/11

Please register and let us know you are attending.

Three ways to register:

1. Click the link in the Flocknote
2. Call the rectory
3. Email Parishdiscipleship@ourladymtcarmel.org



OLMC Prison Ministry

Inspired by the work
of the late Fr. David



In Matthew 25:36 Jesus calls upon us to visit those in prison.

That's exactly what the OLMC Prison Ministry does. Our members provide support, encouragement, and guidance to women and men during this critical time in their life. We offer a one-on-one mentoring program as well as religious services (communion, Mass, confessions and Bible studies) in the Bucks County jail. We're about 30 strong and welcome members of OLMC and other churches throughout the county.

Our mentors, and the people we serve, are men and women of all ages. Might God be calling you to this ministry? To learn more please write to us at prisonministry@ourladymtcarmel.org

"My mentor listened to me, loved me, paid attention to me, got to know me when nobody wanted to know me. She made me feel good about myself and connect with the God I believe in." ~ Sarah C

Santa Breakfast Thank you!

Thank you to the Santa Breakfast Planning Committee and the many ministries that helped make the Santa Breakfast a success! Thank you to all the volunteers and businesses that generously donated food or their time to continue this beloved OLMC tradition! We were able to donate many gifts to the Bucks County Housing Group. Thanks to all who attended for your generosity! Merry Christmas!

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ROCKs stands for
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Join ROCKs for monthly playdates!
Meet in the rectory lounge

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17 • 10:30-11:30AM

Please refer to our Facebook page
or email us at

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OLMC 175th Anniversary Mercer Tile Christmas Ornament



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Monday, 12/8 10 AM - 1 PM

Wednesday, 12/10 5 PM - 6:30 PM

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Given the labor intensive process
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there are a limited number
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One Ornament per person.

Academic Honors

Archbishop Wood High School is pleased to announce
that the following students have
achieved Academic Honors for
the **First Quarter of the 2025-2026** school year.



First Honors

Ryan Annulis	2027
Nicholas Caruso	2027
Matthew Frey	2028
Jacqueline Annulis	2029
Matthew DeAngelis	2029
Jacob Parvin	2029

Second Honors

Joseph Frey	2026
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 Join Our Choir at the
Christmas Reveal
Monday, December 22
5:30 PM
in Church
Details to follow

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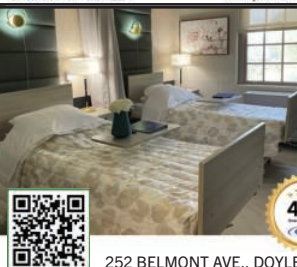


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