

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica – Saint Anthony Parish



"My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, my spirit rejoices in God my Savior."

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT • December 17, 2023





Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica

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Our Lady of Mount Carmel ... *Monday-Friday* 8:30am - 3pm **Saint Anthony** ... *Mon. and Fri.* 8am - 2pm, *Wed.* 8am - Noon

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New Parishioners

Welcome to our Parish! We hope you will find a warm and welcoming home here. To help us connect with you better, we invite you to formally register with our parish. Please call the parish office at 330-743-4144 or email office@olmcsta.com. Current parishioners are asked to notify us of a change of address or if you are moving out of our parish altogether.

Sacrament Information

BAPTISMS

Infant and child baptisms take place at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica after the 11am Sunday Mass, and at St. Anthony of Padua after the 4pm Vigil Mass. Please call the Parish Office at 330-743-4144 to schedule the Baptism.

Reconciliation/Confessions

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica every Saturday morning at 11am or by appointment.

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION

Children entering the second grade or older who were baptized as infants and have received two years of catechesis can celebrate their First Communion. Please contact Leanna Pipala at our Faith Formation Office for more information.

CONFIRMATION

Preparation takes place every other year for youth in the eighth and ninth grades, with the next year being 2024-2025.

Adult Confirmation

If you are an adult baptized Catholic who never had the opportunity to receive your Confirmation, or if you have adolescents at home who are of age and have not yet received the Sacrament, please contact our parish office.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

If you are planning to be married at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica or St. Anthony Church, please contact the parish office at least six months prior to your wedding date. If you and your spouse were married outside of the church, please contact the parish office about having your marriage validated.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If a member of your family is in the hospital or in a nursing home and is in need of either Anointing of the Sick or Communion, please call 330-743-4144.

BECOMING CATHOLIC

Becoming Catholic is one of life's most profound and joyous experiences. If you are interested in becoming Catholic or in learning more about the Catholic faith, please contact the parish office.

VISITS TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Our parish, through the Visitation of Mary Society, meets the Sacramental and spiritual needs of our homebound parishioners. If a member of your family would like to receive visits and have Holy Communion brought to them, please call 330-743-4144.



The parish has subscribed to the Catholic website: FORMED. The website has wonderful Catholic content for expanding our knowledge of our faith. Enjoy great Catholic videos, movies, articles, audio books and more. Sign up online, then download the app. Log in and explore at no cost to you when you sign up under our parish.

- 1. Visit www.formed.org.
- 2. Select Sign up as a parishioner.
- 3. Enter our parish's zip code: 44505
- 4. Create your account.

This Week's Readings

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17 3ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT Is 61:1-2a, 10-11 1 Thes 5:16-24 Jn 1:6-8, 19-28

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18 Jer 23:5-8 Mt 1:18-25

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19 Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a Lk 1:5-25

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20 Is 7:10-14 Lk 1:26-38

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21 St. Peter Canisius Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a Lk 1:39-45

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22 1 Sm 1:24-28 Lk 1:46-56

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23 St. John of Kanty Mal 3:1-4, 23-24 Lk 1:57-66

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24 **4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT** 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16 Rom 16:25-27 Lk 1:26-38

POPE FRANCIS' INTENTIONS

FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER: For persons with disabilities. We pray that people living with disabilities may be at the center of attention in society, and that institutions may offer inclusive programs which value their active participation.

DIOCESE OF YOUNGSTOWN'S

INTERCESSION FOR VOCATIONS: We pray for a deeper trust and

openness to the Holy Spirit in people discerning a call to serve Christ through the priesthood or in consecrated life.

	DECEMBER 16:		
12:00 PM	at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Tom Crowe by Paul & Robbie Crowe	
4:00 PM	at Saint Anthony	Thomas DelGenio by Mom, Dad, Aunts & Uncles	
SUNDAY, D	ECEMBER 17: 3RD SUNDAY O	DF ADVENT	
9:00 AM	at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Berardino/DiVito/Mastroberardino Families by Liana, Bob & Anthony	
11:00 AM	at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Matilda Pecchia (A) by Children & Grandchildren	
Monday, 1	DECEMBER 18		
12:00 PM	at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Benjamin & Karen Banic (B) by Geno & Laura Capone	
TUESDAY,	DECEMBER 19		
12:00 PM	at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Edward DeBartolo by Denise DeBartolo York	
WEDNESD	AY, DECEMBER 20		
12:00 PM	at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Jamie Smith (B) by grandmother, Barbara Sarko	
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21: St. Peter Canisius			
12:00 PM	at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Edwin Muccillo by Family	
Friday, December 22			
12:00 PM	at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Thomas Strauss (B) by son, Tom	
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23: St. John of Kanty			
12:00 PM		The Caravella & Carella Families by JoAnne Caravella	
4:00 PM	at Saint Anthony	Carmen Giannini by wife, Marie	
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Mass Intentions

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24: 4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:00 AM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel The D'Amico & Palamara Families by the D'Amico Family 11:00 AM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Charles Donchatz by Dr. Abdu & Sherry

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"Mary sustains our journey toward Christmas, for she teaches us how to live this Advent Season in expectation of the Lord. For this time of Advent is a time of waiting for the Lord, who will visit us all on the feast, but also, each one, in our own hearts. The Lord is coming! Let us wait for him!"

Pope Francis

MISSION STATEMENT

To actively promote and live the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

In response to our Baptismal call, we are a People of God who witness to Christ in the world. We commit ourselves to remain faithful to the Magisterium of the Catholic Church and our call to the New Evangelization with the Blessed Virgin Mary, under the title of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, and St. Anthony of Padua as our patrons.

While primarily utilizing our rich Italian heritage, we integrate and embrace other cultural traditions as we minister to the community through prayer, catechesis, and stewardship by celebrating the Sacraments, proclaiming the Gospel, and performing the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy with care and compassion for all.

Parish Council, May 14, 2019

Marriage Banns

Please remember to keep in your prayers the following couple who is preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage:

- 3rd Dominic Lipari & Gina Ungaro
 3rd John Kostelnak &
- 3rd John Kostelnak & Gia Velasquez

Information for Bulletins

Please e-mail the parish office (office@olmcsta.com) at least two weeks in advance with information you would like included the bulletin.

Livestreamed Masses

We live-stream both the weekly **11:00 AM Sunday Mass** as well as the monthly **First Friday 12:00 PM Noon Mass** on our Youtube channel. Search "Basilica of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Youngstown" on **youtube.com**.

Lost and Found

There is a Lost and Found box located in the Parish Office. Items will be kept for a reasonable amount of time before being passed on.

Stay Informed

Have the bulletin emailed directly to you each week. Sign up at www.discovermass.com.

Items in the Vestibule

The parish office is responsible for the stewardship of the Basilica's Vestibule. Before placing anything in the Vestibule to give away, it should first be approved by someone in the office.

Along the WAY

The Church has a long standing custom of ringing the church bells at 6am, 12noon, 6pm, and at midnight to mark the Angelus. Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica and St. Anthony Church continue this most praiseworthy and laudable custom. For many years, we rang the bells at all four hours, until one day, a few Baptist families who lived around the church approached me saying that while they have nothing against Catholics, do we have to wake them up at midnight every night? I listened to them and quieted the midnight bells at that time.

The Angelus prayer recalls the great mystery of the Incarnation of Christ, our Savior, and ties it in with the Paschal Mystery, the mystery of Christ's passion, death, and resurrection. During Advent, I think we can appreciate the gesture of the Archangel Gabriel more profoundly, as we reflect on this young Virgin, Mary, who said yes to the angel and to God, conceiving by the Holy Spirit the Savior of the World in her womb.

It is a wholesome prayer for you to say, as you begin your day at 6am, pause at 12noon, or approach the supper hour. And if awake at midnight, well...why not? Below is printed the Angelus prayer, and by meditating on the words, you will see what I mean when I say it is a perfect prayer of the Church to pray, throughout the year, and especially this time of Advent. May we always be mindful that the Lord dwells among us, in the members of our families, the people we encounter throughout the day, and especially in the Most Blessed Sacrament.

By the way, during Easter, the Angelus prayer is replaced at the same hours by the famous prayer: the Regina Caeli, which celebrates the resurrection of the Lord.

Great prayers for us and our spirituality, as we go along the Way. . .

Monsignor Michael J. Cariglio, Jr., Pastor and Rector





4:00pmat St. Anthony Church5:00pmat Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica10:30pmat Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica

Christmas Day

9:00am 11:00am

12:00pm

New Year's Day at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica

at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica

at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica



MSGR. CARIGLIO

This Week at a Glance OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL BASILICA SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17

Bambinelli Sunday

10:00 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation 12:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22

3:00 PM Hour of Divine Mercy with the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy, and Benediction (Church)

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23

11:00 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation

ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23

No Pizza this weekend.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica Faithful Stewardship

Thank you to all who give so generously to support our parish and its mission. Due to early bulletin deadlines, offerings received from last weekend will be reported in a future bulletin.

St. Anthony Shrine Offering at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica

Due to early bulletin deadlines, offerings to the Garden of St. Anthony will be printed in a future bulletin.

2024 Mass and Candle Intentions

The 2024 Mass Intention Book is open. Please phone 330-743-4144, email the Parish Office at office@olmcsta.com, or visit the Office Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 3pm.

Liturgical Ministers for December 23 & 24				
Mass	ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	FINANCIAL CLERKS
4:00 PM St. Anthony of Padua Church	Jeffery Howe Gabriella Howe Gianna Howe Joseph Jr. Meranto	Joseph Meranto (1) Kimberly Howe (2)	Deacon Mark Izzo Diane Laudo Jeff Howe	Sam Frasco Diane Laudo
9:00 AM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica	Adrianna Marsco Luciano Marsco Ava Carbon	Scott Schulick (1) Michael Jordon (2)	Deacon Anthony Falasca Debra DiTullio Gary DiTullio	
11:00 AM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica	Phillip Pillin Jake Wrataric Allison Wrataric SERVER NEEDED	LECTOR NEEDED (1) Atianna Caggiano (2)	Deacon Anthony Falasca Stephanie Chimento Tiffany Chimento Joseph Nohra	Mike & Norma Baca Frank Mazzocca Troy & Christine Rhoades Phil Pillin

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Ministry Scheduler Pro View the full schedule and request substitutes by logging onto <u>https://secure.rotundasoftware.com/30/web-</u> terminal/login/olmcsta. If you have any questions about Ministry Scheduler Pro, please contact the Parish Office.

St. Anthony Church Faithful Stewardship

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Candles, Lights and Eternal Flames for the Week of December 17-23 OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL BASILICA

BLESSED SACRAMENT LIGHT

In memory of PATSY DELSIGNORE by daughter Angela & Bill

SANCTUARY LIGHT

SPECIAL INTENTION

SACRED HEART LIGHT In memory of EDWIN MUCCILLO by Family

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL LIGHT

In memory of IDA ARMENI by Ed & Bonnie Katzman

ST. ANTHONY LIGHT In memory of EARL DUCAY by Family

GUARDIAN ANGEL LIGHT

In memory of BENJAMIN & MARIE LIPINSKY by Children & Grandchildren

ETERNAL FLAME

December 23 - In memory of RALPH RANALLI by wife Claudia, son Patrick, daughters Angela Duncan & Rose Weese & Family

ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

TABERNACLE CANDLES

From Anonymous

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New Altar Server Opportunities

All current 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th graders are encouraged to consider becoming an Altar Server at our parish. The ministry of Altar Server is an important ministry and part of our regular celebration of the Eucharist.

If you are interested, please contact Leanna Pipala at 330-743-3508 or email at OLMCReligiousEdOffice@gmail.com to sign up for the training.



Birthdays for the Week of December 17-23

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica: Harper Collins, Addyson Davis, Ian DeCapita, Joe

Dundee, Sarita Pace, Alexander Palombo, Patricia Vagnarelli, Anthony Cardiero, Nick Carrabbia, Dawn Foltz, Dolores Latroncia, Christa Saulino, Carol Cafaro, Tommaso Graewe, Shawna Horvath, Carl Nunziato, Marlene Storti, Karen DeVicchio, Ryan Antonucci, Victor Berarducci, Ali Aladean Hammond, Jacqueline Haus, Shirley DePietro, Barbara Leone, Cathy Mastropietro, John Gresko, Louise Matash, Marco Mediati II, Michael Recchia, Angelina Sorice.

St. Anthony Church: Patricia Trell, Steve Buccieri

Please remember in your prayers our parishioners who are ill, homebound, or in nursing homes:

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica:

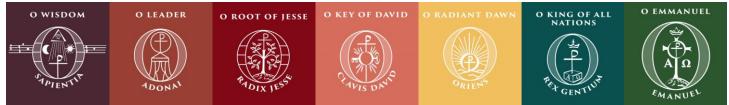
William Jenkins	Anthony DeLuco
Jean Hull	John Rose
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Roberta Elmo	Dolores Fusillo
Stephen Medovich	Joseph Turafo
Justine Antol	Mary Tufaro
Jennie Dundee	Frank Napolitano
John Mascardine	Anita (Pangio) Palocyi
Dean Traficant	Christine Piccirillo
Kantele Rouan	Christa Pico
Anna DeLuco	Linda Herrock
Dominic Tocco	Andrea Kissinger
Dr. Mellie Espino	Bob Giampetro
Coleen Villone	Madison Leone
Anthony DeAscentis	Ronald Pesa

St. Anthony of Padua Church:

Sandra Ambrose	Bob Rimedio
Mary Frasco	Frank Thomas
John Janacone	Lee Thomas
Jake LaLama	Anthony DelFratte
Jennie Marinelli	Tom Menelle
Lucy Meso	Maria Valley
Jessica Meso	Mary Ann Vandetti
Tony Parish	Eleanor Smith
Theresa Polovischak	Bill Grove
Frank Righetti	Corina Garcia

Our Lady, Help of the Sick, pray for us.

To be added or taken off our prayer list, please contact Michele Berardi at 330-743-4144.



FAMILIES OF BABY LOSS

Have you, or has someone you know, suffered the tragic death of a baby at any stage of pregnancy or beyond? Some families suffer in silence. Help us to find these families. We would like to remember these precious babies and their families by giving them an angel ornament this Christmas Season.

Ornaments can be picked up before or after Mass on the weekend of December 23/24/25.

Call or text Sharon Cross with the name and the best Mass time for pickup, or with any additional questions: 330-360-7261

Gift Baskets for Those Most in Need

As part of our parish's regular outreach to the poor in our community, gift baskets consisting of special items or cleaning supplies, valued at \$10 to \$20, are offered first at our altar on Sunday, then given out at the SSVP Food Pantry throughout the week. Parishioners are welcome to contribute a basket. Phone the Parish Office for more information.





Phone the Parish Office at 330-743-4144

Visits to Parishioners in the Hospital, Nursing Homes, and the Homebound

The Visitation of Mary Society meets the Sacramental and spiritual needs of our sick and homebound parishioners. If a member of your family would like to receive visits and have Holy Communion brought to them, please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Please remember that the hospitals are no longer informing us when our parishioners are admitted. It is now up to the individual or family to inform the parish.

Celebrate the Season of Christmas with

Family Adoration Night

Join us for a Family Dinner & Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday, January 2, 2024 From 6:00pm -7:30pm

6:00pm - 6:50pm

Schedule Pizza & Salad Dinner (Lower Church Hall)

7:00pm - 7:30pm Family Adoration in the Basilica

Please bring your favorite Christmas cookies to share with everyone.

Families with children of all ages are welcome.

<u>RSVP by December 29 th</u> is requested so that we can have enough food for all!

Contact Leanna Pipala – Religious Education Coordinator (330) 743-3508 or email: olmcreligiousedoffice@gmail.com

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God dwells in our midst, in the Blessed Sacrament of the altar. - St. Maximilian Kolbe



AT OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL BASILICA

Sunday Monday & Wednesday Tuesday & Thursday Friday Saturday 4pm - 8pm 1pm - 8pm 8am - 12pm, 1pm - 8pm 1pm - 4pm 6am - 7am

ADORERS ARE NEEDED

Sun 5-8pm; Mon 4-6pm; Tues 9-10am, 1-3pm; 7-8pm; Wed 4-5pm, 7-8pm; Thurs 1-4pm, 7-8pm; Fri 1-2pm.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact Jean Talley, 330-758-3335 or Maria Panozzo, 330-372-5141.





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"Mo one is more relevant today than a priest who understands his role as the servant of the Word; as one who can give us God under

the form of bread and wine."

Catherine Doherty

Celebrating MSGR. MICHAEL J. CARIGLIO JR.

Nears

"The spirit of the Lord God is upon me because the Lord has anointed me." Is God asking you to follow Him by serving in the priesthood or consecrated life? Talk to your priest or contact Fr. Chad Johnson at (330) 744 -8451 or cjohnson@youngstowndiocese.org.

I am interested in taking the Vocations Cross home and praying for an increase in Vocations in the Diocese of Youngstown.

The Mass I/we frequently attend is:

4pm (St. Anthony)

9am (Our Lady of Mt. Carmel)

11am (Our Lady of Mt. Carmel)

____ Please call me / us if you need someone to take the Vocation Cross for a week.

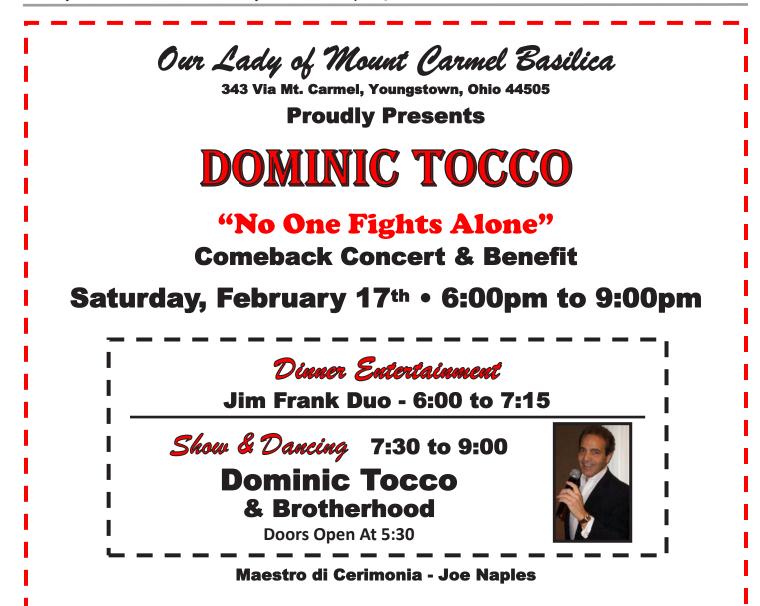
I am willing to serve on a rotation schedule for the following: 1st 2nd 3rd 4th 5th weekend of the month. (circle preference)

Name:

Phone:

E-mail:

Please return the completed form to your parish office, collection basket, or email: office@olmcsta.com



\$20.00 Admission • \$150.00 for Tables of 8

All individual tickets will be open seating. Only 350 seats available. Advanced ticket sales only. Tickets available through Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish Office, 343 Via Mt. Carmel, Youngstown, Ohio 44505. For more information phone 330-743-4144.



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