



Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica – Saint Anthony Parish

Youngstown, Ohio



PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD • March 24, 2024



Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica

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Office Hours

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

Parish Directory

Pastor/Rector

Very Rev. Msgr. Michael J. Cariglio, Jr.(330) 743-4144

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Parish Council

Chairperson, Mr. Louis Fusillo

Eucharistic Adoration Coordinators

Jean Talley. (330) 758-3335
 Maria Panozzo. (330) 372-5141

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.org. 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, MARCH 24

Palm Sunday

Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16

Is 50:4-7

Phil 2:6-11

Mk 14:1—15:47 or 15:1-39

MONDAY, MARCH 25

Is 42:1-7

Jn 12:1-11

TUESDAY, MARCH 26

Is 49:1-6

Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

Is 50:4-9a

Mt 26:14-25

HOLY THURSDAY, MARCH 28

Mass of the Lord's Supper

Ex 12:1-8, 11-14

1 Cor 11:23-26

Jn 13:1-15

GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 29

Passion of the Lord

Is 52:13—53:12

Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9

Jn 18:1—19:42

HOLY SATURDAY, MARCH 30

Easter Vigil

Gn 1:1—2:2 / Gn 22:1-18

Ex 14:15—15:1 / Is 54:5-14

Is 55:1-11 / Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4

Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28 / Rom 6:3-11

Mk 16:1-7

EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 31

The Resurrection of the Lord

Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8

Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7

POPE FRANCIS' INTENTIONS

FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH:

For the new martyrs.

We pray for those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

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INTERCESSION FOR VOCATIONS:

We pray for the faithful response of all men and women called to follow Christ and His passion through a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life.

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, MARCH 23: *St. Turibius of Mogrovejo*

12:00 PM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel For the Universal Church by Maria Panozzo

4:00 PM at Saint Anthony Frank Novello by Family

SUNDAY, MARCH 24: Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

9:00 AM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel The Deceased Members of the Berardino / DiVito / Mastroberardino Families by Liana, Bob, & Anthony

11:00 AM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Mary Lou Crouthers (A) by her sister, Paulette Chiarello

MONDAY, MARCH 25

12:00 PM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Herman & Johanna Schaecken by Michele & Chris Berardi

TUESDAY, MARCH 26: *2nd Week of the St. Anthony Novena*

12:00 PM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Edwin Mucillo by Grandchildren

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

12:00 PM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Amanda Marie Ferraro (A) by Grandparents, Don & Marie Ronyak & Family

THURSDAY, MARCH 28: Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper

7:00 PM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Bishop George Murry by the Ziobert Family

FRIDAY, MARCH 29: Good Friday Passion of the Lord

7:00 PM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

SATURDAY, MARCH 30: Holy Saturday, Easter Vigil

8:00 PM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Richard Brauer (A) by Kim Brauer, daughter & Phillip J. Pillin, grandson

SUNDAY, MARCH 31: Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

8:00 AM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Deceased loved ones of the Caughey, Colantuoni, Smith and Tufaro families by Mark & Dena Caughey

10:00 AM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Deceased Members of the Izzo & Kanos Families by Dcn Mark & Susan Izzo

10:00 AM at St. Anthony Sam DelGenio by William & Barbara Tyndall

12:00 PM at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Deceased Members of the Cardiero & Hartwig Families by Mary Ann & Tony Cardiero

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

Office Closed

The Parish Offices will be closed on Friday, March 29 and Monday, April 1. For matters of urgency, please call 330-743-4144 and the live answering service will contact Msgr. Cariglio.

Mass and Candle Intentions for 2024

Masses and Candles are still available. Please phone, visit or email the Parish Office with your requests.

Information for Bulletins

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

Livestreamed Masses

We live-stream the weekly **11:00 AM Sunday Mass** on our Youtube channel. Search “Basilica of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Youngstown”, on Youtube.

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.

Vestibule Plaques

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica is making available vestibule plaques for the commemoration of loved ones. Cost is \$350. For more information, contact the parish office at 330-743-4144.

Along the WAY

The topic of *going to Confession* is often discussed, especially during Lent. Some, unfortunately, will say, “I don’t have to go to Confession; I just tell Jesus my sins.” I say *unfortunately* because that is *not* the desire of Jesus Himself. He gave the Church the power to forgive - that power coming from Him *as the source*. To Peter, He said, “Whose sins you forgive are forgiven.” (Matthew 16:19).

Others will say, “I can see why you need to go to Confession whenever you commit a *serious* or *mortal* sin but I don’t really sin *that much*. . . it wasn’t a mortal sin so I don’t feel the need to go to Confession.”

Still others will say, “Though I am not aware of any serious or mortal sins, I do have my share of venial sins. I encounter Christ in the sacrament of Confession as I seek to lessen my involvement in sin, even though it may not be mortal. I am forgiven, cleansed, and nourished with the grace of the sacrament.”

Psychologists have often shared with me as a priest that if Catholics took more advantage of the sacrament of Reconciliation, they would have fewer clients.

Without a doubt, Confession touches us directly with forgiveness from Christ Himself and gives us a *new beginning* as we face the trials which are often heavy, and it enables us to move forward with hearts and minds cleansed and renewed - *even sanctified*. What a wonderful way to go Along the Way.

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



Dr. Ray Guarendi

Last Sunday, Dr. Ray Guarendi spoke to parents at our Light of Faith and Family session on getting back to the family.

Sfingi di San Giuseppe

The Solemnity of St. Joseph was celebrated at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica with cream puffs and fellowship.

Special thanks to our organizing committee, led by Cathy Zack, who did a wonderful job decorating and keeping our plates and stomachs filled.



“Every poor, needy, suffering or dying person, every stranger, every prisoner, every infirm person is ‘the child’ whom Joseph continues to protect.”
Pope Francis, *Patris Corde*, 5

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica Faithful Stewardship

Thank you to all who give so generously to support our parish and its mission.

SUNDAY, MARCH 17, 2024

Total Sunday Collection \$ 8,553.00
St. Anthony Shrine & Novena \$ 987.00



This Week at a Glance

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL BASILICA

TUESDAY, MARCH 26

12:00 PM Mass with St. Anthony Novena (Basilica)
4:30 PM RCIA (Basilica)
7:00 PM St. Anthony Novena with Benediction of the
Most Blessed Sacrament (Basilica)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

11:30 AM Stations of the Cross (Basilica)

THURSDAY, MARCH 28

10:00 AM Visitation of Mary Society (JP2)
7:00 PM *Mass of the Lord's Supper*
8:30 PM Seven Churches Pilgrimage

FRIDAY, MARCH 29

3:00 PM Hour of Divine Mercy with the Chaplet of
the Divine Mercy (Basilica)
7:00 PM *The Passion of the Lord*

SATURDAY, MARCH 30

12:00 PM Blessing of the Easter Baskets (Outside Basilica)
8:00 PM *Easter Vigil*

ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

TUESDAY, MARCH 26

5:30 PM St. Anthony Novena with Benediction of the
Most Blessed Sacrament

Liturgical Ministers & Volunteers for March 28 - 31

MASS	DEACONS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS	FINANCIAL CLERKS
Holy Thursday 7:00 PM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica	Anthony Falasca Mark Izzo	Chelsey Santucci	Ronald DiBacco (1) Dominic Cheffo (2)	NOT FILLED (x6)	
Good Friday 7:00 PM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica	Anthony Falasca Mark Izzo	Debra DiTullio Gary DiTullio	Michele Berardi 1) Deirdre Adduci (2)	NOT FILLED (x6)	
Easter Vigil 7:00 PM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica	Anthony Falasca Mark Izzo	Frances Klanica	RCIA (1-4)	Lauren Klanica NOT FILLED (x5)	
Easter Sunday 8:00 AM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica	Anthony Falasca	Ramona DiSchiavo Gary DiTullio Debra DiTullio	Danielle Shaw (1) Matthew Shaw (2)	NOT FILLED (x3)	
Easter Sunday 10:00 AM St. Anthony Church	Anthony Falasca	Kim Pontuti Deborah Duffy	Deirdre Adduci (1) Denise Villanueva (2)	NOT FILLED (x4)	Erich Kist Diane Kist Rick Cappellino
Easter Sunday 10:00 AM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica	Mark Izzo	Ronald DiBacco Tom DeToro	Matthew Giannini (1) Michael Jordon (2)	Gregory Carbon Ava Carbon Luciano Marsco Gabiella Weese NOT FILLED (x2)	
Easter Sunday 12:00 PM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica	Anthony Falasca Mark Izzo	Joseph Nohra Phillip Pillin James Harrison Stephanie Chimento Tiffany Chimento NOT FILLED	Marie Belfast (1) Dominic Mattiussi (2)	Scott Cross Jake Wrataric Allison Wrataric Dominic Cross Louis Cross NOT FILLED (x3)	Mike & Norma Baca Frank Mazzocca Troy Rhoades Christine Rhoades Phil Pillin

St. Anthony Church Faithful Stewardship

Thank you to all who give so generously to support our parish and its mission.

WEEK OF MARCH 16, 2024

Regularly Weekly	\$ 1,548.00
Candles	\$ 117.00
Pizza	\$ 1,000.00

**Candles, Lights and Eternal Flames
for the Week of March 24 - 30**

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL BASILICA

ST. ANTHONY LIGHT

In memory of JOSEPH & GEMMA DILORETO (B) by Family

GUARDIAN ANGEL LIGHT

In memory of AMANDA FERRARO (A) by grandparents, Don & Marie Ronyak

INFANT JESUS LIGHT

In memory of EDWIN MUCCILLO by Grandchildren

HOLY CROSS LIGHTS

March 24 - Special Intentions of the Belfast Family

March 27 - In memory of JOHN J. DUCAY (A) by Family

ETERNAL FLAME

March 24 - In memory of ESTHER PEDALINE by Msgr. Michael J. Cariglio Jr.

**St. Anthony Shrine Offering
at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica
MARCH 17, 2024**

\$100.00 GIFT

- Rev. Msgr. Michael J. Cariglio Jr.

\$20.00 GIFT

- In memory of the Carnevale & Falabella Families by Ms. Angela Carnevale
- In loving memory of Mary Ann Pellegrini by Cleto

- Mrs. Wanda Centofanti
- Mr. & Mrs. Amico Colaizzi
- Dr. & Mrs. Michael Leone
- Mr. & Mrs. Theodore F. McCoy

\$10.00 GIFT

- Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Struble



**Birthdays for the Week of
March 24 - 30**

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica: Anthony Belfast, Talon Brown, Angela Grahovac, Judith Mascardine, Debra Beronja, Ann Desimone, Charles Sammarone, Gemma White, Stephen Basista, Nicole Carrabbia, Thomasina DeMain, Colomba Kuzman, Joseph McCormack, Genevieve Whorten, Anthony Monroe, Benedetto Capone, Amelia Carrabbia, Leonard DePinto, Clara Donchatz, Toni Hammond, Vincent Morgione, John Paul Pipala, Pat Ranalli, Maria Salreno, Roberta Elmo, Gregory Hall, Thomas Howley, Nicholas Kana, Rosemary Muccillo, Marla Peachock, Erik Peachock, Phyllis Prato, Michael Bane II, Frank Carbon, Santino Cocca, Christine Cordy, Connie Gagliano, Patsy Maxin, Leonard Perry, Anthony Pizzuto, Scott Schulick.

St. Anthony Church: Nicholas Gennaro, Lindsay Frangos, Giovanna Cestone, Carla Cestone, Marie Giannini, Guy DePizzo.

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

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica:

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| Roberta Elmo | Christine Piccirillo |
| Justine Antol | Christa Pico |
| Jennie Dundee | Linda Herrock |
| John Mascardine | Bob Giampetro |
| Dean Traficant | Ronald Pesa |
| Anna DeLuco | Louis Marinelli |
| Dominic Tocco | Joe DelSignore |
| Dr. Mellie Espino | Michelle Smith |
| Coleen Villone | Cindy Dikun |
| Anthony DeAscentis | Seth Ensign |
| Anthony DeLuco | Carl Carbon |
| Dolores Fusillo | Frank Napolitano |
| Joseph Tufaro | Sarita Pace |
| Mary Tufaro | Andrea Kissinger |
| Anita (Pangio) Palocyi | Kantele Rouan |

St. Anthony Church:

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

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

Names will be listed in the bulletin for three months unless otherwise requested. To be added or taken off our prayer list, please contact Michele Berardi 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.

**Phone the
Parish Office at
330-743-4144**



Congratulations!

Congratulations to Alexander Lake Damgaard, son of Kristy Lake, who was baptized on March 17, at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica.

**Registrations Open at Villa Maria Teresa School
Pre-School & Kindergarten**

Villa Maria Teresa School is now taking registrations for the 2024-2025 school year. In a simple, loving, and caring manner, the children are provided a basic Christian formation and solid education. The school consists of spacious classrooms, beautiful grounds, and enticing playground. The doors of Villa Maria Teresa School are always open and parents are welcome to visit the school with their child any week day from 9:30am to 3pm. For more information, please call the school at 330-759-7383.

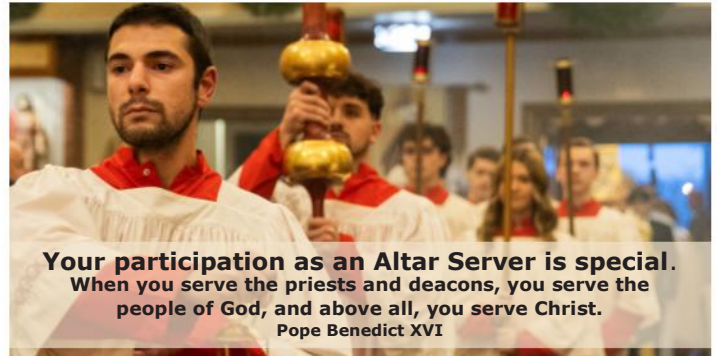
- Kindergarten** \$1,500 per year
- Pre-Kindergarten**. \$19.00 per full day, 9am to 3pm
\$17.00 per half day, 9am to 12pm
- Early and After Care**. . . \$5.00 per hour

**300 Sisters in Red: Passport to Wellness
19th Annual Health Seminar**

On Saturday, April 13, from 9am to 3:30pm at Choffin Career & Technical Center (200 E. Wood St., Youngstown, OH 44503), all women are encouraged to dress in red and enjoy a free health screening, lunch, Zumba and breakout sessions. For more information or to register, call Beth Siwula at 330-480-3070 or email elizabeth_siwula@mercy.com

Not what I will but
what you will.

Mark 14:36



Your participation as an Altar Server is special.
When you serve the priests and deacons, you serve the people of God, and above all, you serve Christ.
Pope Benedict XVI

New Altar Server Opportunities

We would like to extend an invitation to all current 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th graders who are not already involved in this ministry, to consider becoming an Altar Server at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica and St. Anthony's. The ministry of Altar Server is an important ministry and part of our regular celebration of the Eucharist. In addition to serving at the weekend liturgies, altar servers assist at weddings and funerals as well as at other liturgical celebrations throughout the year.

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

Will you not stay with me one hour?

**BE ONE WITH JESUS IN
Eucharistic Adoration**

Adoration is an intimate time of prayer before the Lord and a wonderful opportunity to spend time with Jesus present to us in the Blessed Sacrament. Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica offers opportunities to spend time in Adoration every day of the week.

This Lent, please consider committing to a weekly Holy Hour.

NEW 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, Maria Panozzo, 330-372-5141, or phone the Parish Office 330-743-4144.



*25th, 40th, 50th and over
Wedding Anniversary
Celebration*

Sunday, May 5 • 2pm • St. Columba Cathedral

Includes Mass with Bishop Bonnar, renewal of vows, light reception. Limited spaces available. Couples must make reservations by contacting the parish office at 330-743-4144 before **March 27**.

The Seven-Churches Pilgrimage

*A Tradition dating from the Middle Ages,
Celebrated in Youngstown and beyond...*

HOLY THURSDAY, MARCH 28

Feast of the Institution of the Most Holy Eucharist

The tradition of visiting the seven Major Basilicas of Rome on Holy Thursday is an ancient practice. This year, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica will have its own Seven Church Visitation, with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on the Altar of the Repose at each site after the Evening Mass of the Lord’s Supper. All the faithful are welcome to join in the pilgrimage.

- 7:00pm Mass at the Basilica
- 8:30pm Board the private Motor Coach Bus at the Basilica
- 11:30pm Return back to the Basilica

PILGRIMAGE SITES

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica • St. Columba Cathedral
Shrine of Our Lady Comforter of the Afflicted
The Parish of St. Maron • St. Joseph Parish
St. Edward Parish • St. Anthony of Padua

Seats on the Motor Coach are limited.

RSVP is REQUIRED

There is no cost, but a FREE WILL OFFERING will be accepted.

**To RSVP contact Leanna Pipala
at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica
(330) 743-3508 or
email: OLMCRreligiousEdOffice@gmail.com**



*Holy Week Events
for Children & Families*

Please join us for

Holy Thursday, March 28 @ 7pm

We would like all children in grades PreK - 8th grade to participate in The Last Supper Mass procession. The children will carry flowers. Please meet in the Lower Church Hall at 6:40pm for details.

Good Friday, March 29 @ 7pm

We would like all teenagers and college age youth to participate in the Celebration of the Lord’s Passion and burial procession. We will need young men to help carry the body of Jesus, along with young ladies to follow with the Blessed Mother, and others who will carry flowers. Please meet in the Lower Church Hall at 6:40pm for details.

To participate, please contact Leanna Pipala at
OLMCRreligiousEdOffice@gmail.com
or call 330-743-3508



It is vital that we support Christians living in the Holy Land, in order to maintain a Christian presence in the very land made holy by the life, death and Resurrection of Jesus. Learn more at www.MyFranciscan.org and click “Pontifical Good Friday.”



**CRS Rice Bowl Collection takes place on Sunday, April 7.
Bring your Rice Bowls to church or donate at crsricebowl.org/donate.**





Measuring **Spiritual Growth** and **Parish Engagement** Among Disciples

The **Disciple Maker Index (DMI) Survey** is going to close this **Wednesday, March 27**. If you have not already done so, please complete this short, 10-15 minute survey today. Thank you to all who have completed the survey. Your participation is greatly appreciated.

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica: <https://portal.catholicleaders.org/d/bb40yb>

St. Anthony Church: <https://portal.catholicleaders.org/d/b56d85>

Paper copies are also available in the Vestibules of the churches.



Benefits of the DMI survey

- ◆ Helps you to reflect on your spiritual growth and call to discipleship
- ◆ Identifies ways the parish effectively supports your spiritual growth
- ◆ Look at opportunities to support your growth in the future
- ◆ Create goals and action plans to achieve spiritual growth in our parish

Diocese of Youngstown

ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

Caring for one another through our Ministries

If every household in our parish donated **\$40** today, our parish goal of **\$81,000** would be met!

“What she has done will be told in memory of her.”

– MARK 14:9



The beginning of today’s Gospel reminds us to break our alabaster jar for Jesus. Whatever is precious is nothing compared to Him.

Please support our Annual Diocesan Appeal this week. Like the woman broke the costliest of perfumes to anoint Christ, be not afraid to anoint Him lavishly with your gifts. Our community needs you. When you anoint our local Church with your perfume, you anoint Christ, the Church’s head!

Make your gift online by scanning this QR Code or visiting DOY.org/Appeal



OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL BASILICA

MONTHLY Spaghetti DINNER

APRIL 14 • 11AM - 4PM

COST: \$10 per person
\$6 Children 6-10



TAKE OUT AVAILABLE



St. Anthony Church **\$8.00**

FAMOUS BRIER HILL PIZZA

Call Ernie to order 330-360-7663

Pre-order Wednesday through Friday
Pick up Saturday 9am - 12pm
and now, after the 4pm Mass

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Italian Festival

Thursday, July 25 - Sunday, July 28, 2024

CORPORATE SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE

Support our Festival by becoming a White (\$500), Green (\$600), Red (\$800) or Gold (\$1000) sponsor. Deadline is June 1, 2024. Contact mtcarmelfest@gmail.com for more information.

ITALIAN AUCTION DONATIONS

We sincerely thank all of you for your previous donations and look forward to your new and exciting donations for this year's auction. Once again if you are not sure of the gift, a cash donation will let us purchase a gift(s) in your name. Donations can be dropped off at the church or phone us for pick up.

Patty Schuley – 330-207-8157
Italian Auction Chairperson

Anna Marie Gresko – 330-746-0132
Italian Auction Co-Chairperson

Janice Kutsko – 330-360-1574
Italian Auction Co-Chairperson

FESTIVAL RAFFLE UPDATE

All parishioners are invited to help make our 2024 Italian Festival a success by supporting our Festival Raffle. Each parish family is asked to sell or consider purchasing five books of tickets, which have been mailed. If you have not received your tickets, please contact the Parish Office. Total prizes are worth \$9,300 and our goal is a profit of \$40,000. *This year's festival raffle will work as follows:*

Early Bird Drawing \$1,000
For any tickets paid and turned in by or on May 27.

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