

Basilica of Our Lady of Mount Carmel - St. Anthony of Padua Parish

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2026



4th Sunday IN ORDINARY TIME

Rejoice and be glad; your reward will be great in heaven.

- Matt 5:12

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica

343 Via Mount Carmel, Youngstown, Ohio 44505

St. Anthony of Padua Church

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OFFICE HOURS at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica

Monday to Friday, 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM

Occasionally the office is open after hours. Please call ahead to confirm.

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Announcement requests for the bulletin MUST be submitted two weeks prior to the date of the bulletin you would like it in. Please send information and pictures from past events to office@olmcsta.com.

WEEKEND MASSES - Youngstown City Collaborative

Saturday	4:00 PM	St. Anthony of Padua Church St. Columba Cathedral, 154 W Wood St.
Sunday	9:00 AM	St. Edward Church, 240 Tod Lane St. Angela Merici Parish, 397 S Jackson St.
Sunday	10:30 AM	Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica St. Columba Cathedral, 154 W Wood St.
Sunday	11:00 AM	St. Patrick Parish, 1420 Oak Hill Ave
Sunday	5:00 PM	St. Columba Cathedral, 154 W Wood St.

WEEKDAY MASSES - Youngstown City Collaborative

Mondays	8:30 AM 12:10 PM	St. Patrick Parish St. Columba Cathedral
Tuesdays	8:30 AM 12:10 PM	Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica St. Columba Cathedral
Wednesdays	8:30 AM 12:10 PM	St. Angela Merici Parish St. Columba Cathedral
Thursdays	8:30 AM 12:10 PM	St. Edward Church St. Columba Cathedral
Fridays	8:30 AM 12:10 PM	Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica St. Columba Cathedral
Saturdays	8:30 AM	St. Edward Church
1st Saturdays	9:00 AM	Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

1st Saturdays	8:00 AM - 8:45 AM	Our Lady of Mt Carmel Basilica
2nd & 4th Saturdays	3:00 PM - 3:30 PM	St. Anthony of Padua Church
3rd & 5th Saturdays	11:00 AM - 11:45 AM	Our Lady of Mt Carmel Basilica

Or call the parish office to book an appointment.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION at the Basilica

Sundays 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Wednesdays 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Mondays 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Thursdays 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM
Tuesdays 8:00 AM - 7:00 PM	Fridays 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Eucharistic Adoration Coordinators:

Maria Panozzo 330-372-5141 Jean Talley 330-758-3335

With the exception of Fridays, the doors of the Basilica remain locked during the day for the safety and security of our Adorers.

VISITS TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

If a member of your family would like to receive visits and have Holy Communion brought to them, please call the Parish Office at 330-743-4144 to make arrangements. Please let us know if you or a family member is in the hospital as hospitals no longer inform us.

NEW TO OUR PARISH?

Welcome! We invite you to register with our parish. Forms are available in the Vestibule and online at:

olmcsta.com/our-parish/become-a-parishioner/



The Beatitudes

Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are they who mourn,
for they will be comforted.

Blessed are the meek,
for they will inherit the land.

Blessed are they who hunger and thirst
for righteousness, for they will be
satisfied.

Blessed are merciful,
for they will be shown mercy.

Blessed are the clean of heart,
for they will see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called children of God.

Blessed are they who are persecuted for
the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the
kingdom of heaven.



The Sermon on the Mount opens not with a list of demands, but with a radical portrait of the human heart in relation to God. Jesus presents actions that redefine success, influence and purpose. When Jesus proclaims whom he considers “blessed” the strong and the proud are not listed. The rich and powerful are absent. Jesus says the blessed ones are the humble and lowly, the faithful who pursue justice and place their trust in the Lord.

The Beatitudes that we hear today present a summary of the qualities and attitudes that all Christians should have, if we are to model our lives on Christ. The world may consider us foolish, weak, and duped for following Jesus in these ways, but our Lord promises us great blessings and rewards for doing so. The Christian life is not an easy one, but we have the support of God and our faith community to help us.

The blessed one imitates God with merciful acts. To them God promises his mercy on the day of judgment. The blessed one mourns, but God promises his comfort and consolation. The blessed one longs for God’s justice. To them God promises what their heart most desires, the fullness of the Spirit of God. The blessed ones live in peace wherever they go because they do not return evil for evil or trampling the weak.

God’s wisdom, foolish in the eyes of the world, is particularly apparent in the actions of the blessed. The Beatitudes is a journey from being to doing. We cannot be happy unless we are first poor in spirit, mournful over sin, and hungering for righteousness. The Beatitudes provide the flavor and the glow that make our presence in the world meaningful. We are called to be a distinct people, cherishing that we are blessed so that we may bless the world in which we live in.

Max. Z...

Available today on [Formed.org](https://formed.org):

The Beatitudes | Real + True

The catechism says the beatitudes are the heart of Jesus’ preaching, that they reveal the goal of human existence. What would happen if you tried to live out the beatitudes every day for a week? app.formed.org/app/collections/1017960



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This Week's Daily Mass Readings

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Zep 2:3; 3:12-13

1 Cor 1:26-31

Mt 5:1-12a

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2

The Presentation of the Lord

Mal 3:1-4

Heb 2:14-18

Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3

St. Blaise, St. Ansgar

2 Sm 18:9-10,14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3

Mk 5:21-43

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4

2 Sm 24:2, 9-17

Mk 6:1-6

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5

St. Agatha

1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12

Mk 6:7-13

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6

St. Paul Miki & Companions

Sir 47:2-11

Mk 6:14-29

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7

1 Kgs 3:4-13

Mk 6:30-34

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 58:7-10

1 Cor 2:1-5

Mt 5:13-16

INTENTIONS OF POPE LEO XIV FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY

For children with incurable diseases. Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

INTERCESSION FOR VOCATIONS

We pray for those discerning consecrated life, that they may hear Christ's divine prompting and embrace this vocation with joy and devotion.

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, JANUARY 31

4:00 PM St. Anthony Paglia Family by Diane Laudo

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1

10:30 AM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Frank Pasqualino & Pearl Rizzo by Chris, Lori & Christopher Litrenta


TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3

8:30 AM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Lucille & Francis De Luco by Diane De Luco & Family

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6: First Friday

8:30 AM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Johanna & Herman Schaeken by Michele & Chris Berardi

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7: First Saturday

8:00 AM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Sacrament of Confession
9:00 AM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Ted & Carmi Olesky by Joe & Robin McCormack
4:00 PM St. Anthony Ann & Tony Liguore by Family

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8

10:30 AM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Philip J. Pillin (A) by Sonny & Becky Amadio


“And the Church, if she wants to be Christ’s Church, must be a Church of the Beatitudes, one that makes room for the little ones and walks poor with the poor, a place where the poor have a privileged place.”

Pope Leo XIV, *Dilexi Te*, no. 21



Liturgical Ministers & Volunteers - February 7 & 8

MASS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS	FINANCIAL CLERKS
4:00 PM	Diane Laudo Kim Pontuti	Kimberly Howe (1) Denise Villanueva (2)	Gianna Howe Gabriella Howe Nicholas Keish	Erich Kist Diane Kist Rick Cappellino
10:30 AM	Tom DeToro Jim DeToro Robert Giampetro Nannette Jacobs Leanna Pipala Giuliana Ricchiuti Dan Rossi	Atianna Caggiano (1) Dominic Cross (2)	Louis Cross Preston Meranto JC Meranto Joseph Meranto Jr. Antonio Ricchiuti Callista Whorten Jenna Whorten	Mike & Norma Baca Frank Mazzocca Troy & Christine Rhoades Phil Pillin

**Candles, Lights and Eternal
Flames for the Week of Feb 1
OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL BASILICA**

BLESSED SACRAMENT LIGHT

In memory of Lucille & Francis De Luco
by Diane De Luco

SACRED HEART LIGHT

In memory of Barbara Carissimo
by George & Mary Anne Gania

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL LIGHT

Special Intention: Joseph Montana (Living)

ST. ANTHONY LIGHT

Special Intention: Dan Rossi (Living)

GUARDIAN ANGEL LIGHT

In memory of Keith Rhoades (B)
by Troy & Christine Rhoades

**ST. THERESE OF THE LITTLE FLOWER
LIGHT**

In memory of Eileen Clemente
by Ralph Storti

Garden of St. Anthony Shrine

JANUARY 25, 2026

Albert, John and Frances Kollar Redolphi
by Ms. Grace Boros

In memory of the Carnevale and Falabella
Families by Ms. Angela Carnevale

For Joe Tufaro, Ada Silva, Josh Caughey,
Nancy Skolada by Mr. & Mrs. Mark Caughey

In memory of Heath L. Harmon
by Mary Anne E. Creatore

For Mrs. Lena Flask & Ida Cestone
by Atty. & Mrs. Edward Flask

Donations of \$10 or more made to the Garden of St.
Anthony Shrine are printed in the bulletin, along
with any intentions written on the envelope.

May every
human life be
protected in law
and welcomed
in love.



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

- Sandra Ambrose
- Justine Antol
- Arlene Avdey
- Stephen Bada
- Tina Batcha
- Lorenzo Bianco
- Virginia "Gigi" Cannone
- Giovanna Cipriano
- Phil Conti
- Patricia Dawson
- Anthony DeAscentis
- Phyllis DeChurch
- Anna DeLuco
- Micheline DiVito
- Bill Duffy
- Roberta Elmo
- Dolores Fusillo
- Bob Giampetro
- Anna Marie Gresko
- Frank Heri
- John Janacone
- Robert Julius
- Joann Knuth
- John Kopnisky
- Jacob LaLama
- Jennie Marinelli
- John Mascardine
- A. J. Napoli
- Tony Parish
- Bonnie Pesce
- Edward Pesce
- Ronald Pesa
- Frank Righetti
- Bob Rimedio
- Maria Valley
- Robert Wallis
- Priscilla Weaver
- Rose Wydick
- Eleanor Ziobert

**Names will be listed in the
bulletin for three months unless
otherwise requested.**

**Vatican Approved
Eucharistic Miracles
of the World Exhibit**

Jan 31 - Feb 1, Saturday and Sunday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

*Our Lady of Mount Carmel Minor Basilica
343 Via Mount Carmel, Youngstown, Ohio*



2026 Mass Intentions are available

There are still Masses and Lights available. Please call the parish office at 330-743-4144 to book a Mass for a loved one.

St. Anthony Novena

The Unfailing Novena to St. Anthony of Padua will begin on St. Patrick's Day - Tuesday, March 17. The Novena prayers will be prayed following the **12pm Noon Mass** at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica, and following a **5:30pm Mass** at St. Anthony of Padua Church.

Connecting Young Adults

If you are a young adult, between the ages of 18-30, and would like to connect with other young adults in our parish, phone or text Alex Micco at 330-397-8979. Through Alex's leadership, over twenty young adults have connected, sharing opportunities for prayer, service, and fellowship through text messages.

Vocation Cross & Vocation Prayers

Our parish will begin praying a Prayer for Vocations at the beginning of Mass on the weekend of February 28 and March 1, the Second Sunday of Lent. Until then, we will continue to invite families to take the Vocation Cross home each week.

2025 Contribution Statements

Statements are available by request only. If you would like to receive your statement, please email the parish office at office@olmcsta.com or phone the parish office at **330-743-4144**.

Stewardship Reflection

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." MATTHEW 5:3

The phrase "poor in spirit" can be confusing. Think of it in this sense – poor in spirit means depending on God's providence and not depending on our own self-reliance. Being detached from earthly things (power, money, and comfort) and being attached to heavenly things (charity, sacrifice, and mercy). Denying ourselves from satisfying our desires and helping others obtain their basic needs.

Faithful Stewardship

Due to inclement weather conditions, the contribution amounts from January 24 will be printed in next weekend's bulletin.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Live-streaming Mass

Each Sunday, Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica is live-streamed on our Youtube channel: **Basilica of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Youngstown**. Two volunteers are needed who can commit to streaming Masses two Sundays a month. We are also looking for two backup volunteers who can serve monthly. If you are interested in serving our homebound parishioners in this way, and are familiar with computers, contact the parish office: office@olmcsta.com or 330-743-4144. Training will be provided.

Safety Committee

Our parish is committed to ensuring the safety of all individuals within the premises of both Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica and St. Anthony of Padua Church. The parish is looking for volunteers to serve on our Safety Committee. If you are passionate about safety-related issues, such as First Aid/CPR, fire, personal safety, coordinating quick and effective evacuations, etc., and are able to commit to a monthly evening meeting, we invite you to put your name forward by contacting the parish office at 330-743-4144 or office@olmcsta.com.

Funeral Altar Servers

Our parish is looking for disciples willing to serve Christ at the Altar, especially for Funeral Masses. As Catholic-Christians we are called to regularly pray for the dead and assist in the burying of the dead. If you feel called to serve in this ministry, and are able to commit one or two mornings a month, please contact the parish office at 330-743-4144 or email office@olmcsta.com. Both men and women can serve and past experience is not necessary. Training will be provided.

BUON COMPLEANNO!

Nicholas Amon, Thomas Amon, Edward Drennen, Jordyn Kenneally, Michael Malkovits, Sophia Modarelli, Lucia Zorella, Patricia Flask, Jerry Fullum, Peter Rassega, James Soltis, Anthony DeAscentis, Thomas Sabo, Sophia Wolf, Lori DeLisio, Daniel Fronius, Johnny Gennaro, Kathleen LaRocca, Santino Moffo, Jenna Tauro, Mari Ann Cann, Glen Folsom, Weston Green, Luke Wrataric, JoAnne Caravella, Catherine Cavallaro, Gianna Mediati, Sarah Miller, Vincent Pilolli, Elio Rickert, Kristin Rodriguez, Lukus Adduci, Tricia Carano, Riley Collins, Braedon Hall, Lina Huckleby, Frances Klanica, Nancy Mshar, Bonnie Pesce

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: A Gift of Grace in the Holy Spirit

Anointing of the Sick is a sacrament in which a person who is ill is anointed with blessed oil and prayed over by the priest. It is meant for anyone who seeks comfort and strength from Christ the Divine Physician.

If you are suffering with a serious illness or facing surgery, or if you are advanced in age, you are encouraged to be anointed.

Anointing of the Sick will take place following the weekend Masses on February 14 and 15.



<https://www.sthelenofthecross.org/anointing-of-the-sick>

World Day of the Sick Prayer

Lord of Life,
In this moment we come to You
With our hearts and minds
Troubled with names and stories of our brothers and sisters
Afflicted with sickness.
In their pain, they cry out for your Mercy.
We ask for the grace
To know how to accompany and love them by bearing their pain.
You who know pain and suffering,
Give us the strength of your Spirit, so that
Imitating the Good Samaritan,
We may live the call to be neighbors,
Always doing good,
With deep love for every human being.
Mary, our Mother,
Under the title of Our Lady of Lourdes,
Merciful Mother of God,
attentive to the pain and sufferings of humanity,
Take us by the hand and bring us to your Son, Jesus,
So that we never grow tired of
consoling, healing and doing
good.
Amen.



Please join us.
THE DIOCESE OF
YOUNGSTOWN AT
THE CATHEDRAL OF
ST. COLUMBA FOR THE
annual
WHITE
MASS

In recognition, celebration and gratitude for the ministry of all healthcare, mental health, and other healing professionals under the patronage of St. Luke to ask God's blessing upon patient, doctor, nurse, and caregiver alike.

Presider: Bishop David J. Bonnar

*Wednesday, February 11, 2026
12:10 p.m.*

154 W. Wood St. Youngstown, OH 44503

Refreshments to follow in the St. Columba Parish Hall.



for additional information contact:
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mrbolich@youngstowndiocese.org

Lent is approaching fast!

Are you ready to make the most of it?

Studies available on **formed™**
Forming Catholics for Life.

Free through our parish subscription (see page 3).

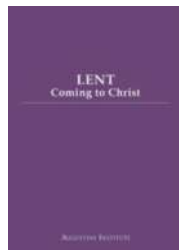


Start your Lenten preparation with *How to Lent*, where you'll learn from priests, religious, and theologians about the true meaning of Lent; why we are called to fasting, prayer and almsgiving; how to prepare well; and what makes a fruitful Lent. watch.formed.org/how-to-lent



Continue your journey with *Foretold: Finding Hope in God's Providence*, a video series that explores stories from both the Old and New Testaments, showing that the biblical history is really your history. Just as the prophecies of the Old Testament were fulfilled in Christ, you can trust that Jesus will care for you and your story. watch.formed.org/foretold

In addition to these series, the Augustine Institute has created a beautiful journal, *Lent: Coming to Christ*, with reflection questions and space to write as you work through the videos. Only \$5, with free shipping. catholic.market/booklets/len-coming-to-christ/



Learn *How* to Surrender to God This Lent

Starting Ash Wednesday, join Fr. Columba Jordan, CFR as he teaches you *how to surrender your life to God*. *Crux* is a Lenten system for doing Lent well. It's built on four core daily disciplines:

1. Daily physical exercise
2. A dietary fast
3. Daily reading of Scripture
4. A nightly Examen

Each discipline is intentionally self-determined, allowing Catholics of all ages, stages of life, and physical ability to adapt the program to their circumstances while remaining faithful to the spirit of Lent.

You can participate in *Crux* in several complementary ways:

Individually, through daily surrender reflections in the Ascension App. Follow along with daily video reflections with Fr. Columba, weekly encouragement and accountability from *Crux* Ambassadors, and an online community of fellow Catholics participating in the challenge. The series is included for paid Ascension app subscribers but new members can take advantage of special Lenten pricing: Just \$4.99 for 90-days to join!



Form a small group by inviting a friend or family member to journey with you this Lent. Using the stand alone devotional *Crux: Daily Lenten Meditations* participants will pray through the Gospel of Mark and daily written reflections. A link is provided for participants to access free *Crux* weekly videos from Fr. Columba. Order your copy through the parish office for \$6.00/book. Orders must be received **TODAY** by emailing office@olmcsta.com or phoning 330-743-4144 (leave msg with answering service).

We are here to help!

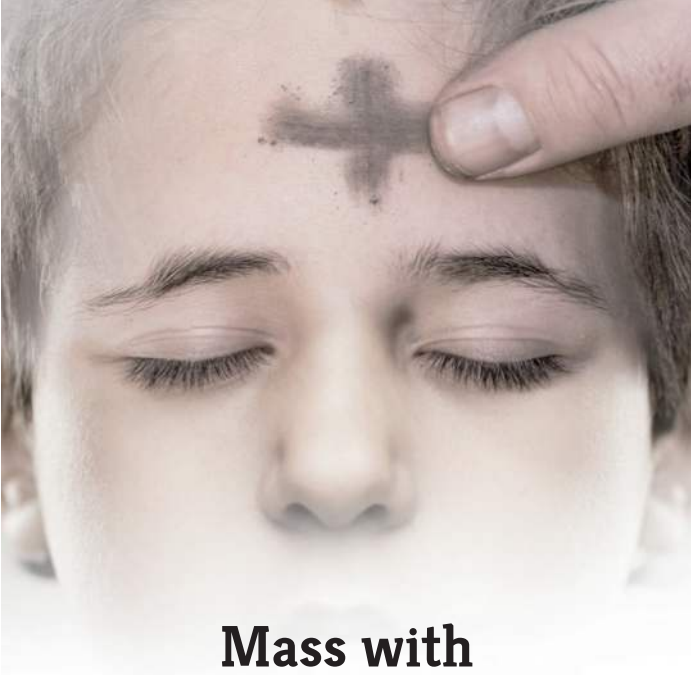
If you need help accessing any of the materials on this page, please reach out to the parish office. Mary and Michele would be happy to assist you.



An offering from the  AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE



40 Days of Lent begin
Ash Wednesday, February 18



**Mass with
 Distribution of Ashes:**

- 7:00am - Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica
- 12:00pm - Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica
- 4:30pm - St. Anthony of Padua Church
- 6:00pm - Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica

**A Season of
 Fasting and Abstinence**

When do I...?

Fast and Abstain:

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday

Abstain:

All Fridays during Lent

Who has to...?

Catholics between the ages of 18 and 60 are obliged to fast
 All Catholics 14 years and older are required to abstain

What is...?

Fast:

Eating one full meal, and two small meals that together are not equal to a full meal.
 Water anytime.

Abstinence:

Refrain from eating meat
 Note: Persons that are physically or mentally ill, or are living with a chronic illness, and women who are pregnant or nursing are exempt from fasting.

Palm Collection
February 14 & 15 ONLY
 Bring your palms from last year to Mass the weekend before Ash Wednesday

*Stations
 OF THE
 Cross*

**Saturdays
 3:15pm
 St. Anthony Church**

**Sundays
 9:45am
 Our Lady of
 Mt. Carmel Basilica
 throughout Lent**

The Light is ON for You. 

Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation

**Wednesday, March 4
 5:00pm to 6:00pm
 Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica**



SNAPSHOT WHAT'S COMING UP

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1

Eucharistic Miracle Exhibit
OLMC, Social Hall
9 AM - 6 PM

Catholic AMA
OLMC, Social Hall
9 AM - 10:15 AM

Mothers of the Crucifix
OLMC, St. Joseph Hall
11:30 AM

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2

Finance Committee
OLMC, Rectory
6:00 PM

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3

Pilgrimage to Fatima & Lourdes Info Meeting
OLMC, St. Joseph Hall
6:30 PM

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4

Vestibule Club
OLMC, St. Joseph Hall
6:00 PM

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Knights of Columbus Council
OLMC, St. Joseph Hall
7:00 PM

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6

Divine Mercy Holy Hour
OLMC Basilica
3 PM - 4 PM

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Sacrament of Confession
OLMC Basilica
8 AM

Brier Hill Pizza pick up
St. Anthony Church
9 AM - 12 PM

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8

Monthly Spaghetti Dinner
OLMC Social Hall
11 AM - 4 PM

Eucharistic Miracles Exhibit

January 31 & February 1 | 9:00am to 6:00pm

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Social Hall

The Vatican-approved display of Eucharistic Miracles features 150 placards describing Eucharistic Miracles throughout the world, all catalogued by St. Carlo Acutis. Please plan on taking advantage of this one-of-a-kind opportunity the weekend of January 31 and February 1.

Catholic Ask Me Anything - Eucharistic Miracles

Sunday, February 1 | 9:00am to 10:15am

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Social Hall

Join Chris Berardi, Rich Mattiussi, and guest Tim McAndrew as they gather to discuss all things related to the Eucharist. Contact Michele Berardi for more information: 330-743-4144

Pilgrimage to Fatima & Lourdes Information Meeting

Tuesday, February 3 | 6:30pm

Our Lady of Mount Carmel, St. Joseph Hall (Lower Church Hall)

Join spiritual guide Msgr. Michael Cariglio on a pilgrimage to Fatima and Lourdes, October 25-November 3, 2026. For more information contact Leanna Pipala, Leanna's World Travel, 330-758-4828.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel's Monthly Spaghetti Dinner

Sunday, February 8 | 11:00am to 4:00pm

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Social Hall

Adults \$10 | Children 6-10 \$6 | Kids 5 & under are free | Live Music | Take out
For more information or to volunteer contact Tony at 330-718-7237.

Anchored to the Two Pillars: Setting into Deep Waters

A Parish Encounter with the Sisters of the Children of Mary

Sunday, February 22 - Wednesday, February 25 | 6pm-8pm

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica

Personally and intimately encounter Jesus truly present among us in the Blessed Sacrament. Each evening, the Sisters of the Children of Mary will present on the beautiful truths of our faith, anchoring us ever more securely to the two pillars of Jesus Eucharistic and Our Blessed Mother. A special guided Holy Hour will take place from 7pm to 8pm with confessions available.

For more information or to volunteer contact Deacon Mark Izzo at 330-770-2311.

St. Anthony Famous Brier Hill Pizza

Pick up Saturday mornings | 9:00am to 12:00pm

St. Anthony of Padua Church

Regular Pizza \$9 | Extra Toppings \$1.50 each

Phone Ernie at 330-360-7663, Wednesdays through Fridays to pre-order your pizza.



Friends in the Upper Room - February 13

Grief is a personal journey, yet no one should have to walk it alone. This class offers an opportunity to gather with Fr. Edward Brienz, Pastoral Chaplain of Cemeteries, and others who understand loss, to reflect, share, listen and find comfort through faith, compassion and community. All are welcome to attend. The first session will begin with Mass on Friday, February 13 at 12:15pm in Calvary Cemetery Chapel (248 S. Belle Vista, Youngstown 44509). Call 330-792-1855 for more information.

Complimentary Lunch & Learn - Feb. 21

Learn about prearranging funeral and estate planning needs. Sponsored by the Diocese of Youngstown, this event features industry experts who will share valuable insight and guidance. Sat. Feb. 21, 11am, at Davidson's Restaurant (3636 Canfield Rd, Austintown). Reserve your seat by calling 330-727-4721.

Eagle of the Cross Nominations - due Mar 1

This award is given annually to outstanding Catholic juniors and seniors in high school in the diocese who exemplify the qualities of moral integrity, prayer, good works, and Catholic-Christian leadership. Visit doy.org/eagle-of-the-cross-2026 to access the nomination packet. Pages 7 & 8 must be turned in to the Parish Office by **March 1**. The Awards ceremony will take place April 28 at 6pm at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica.

Marriage Enrichment Event - February 28

Rekindle your friendship and marriage with your spouse. Be uplifted by renowned Catholic speakers Jackie & Bobby Angel, experience the grace of Adoration, Confession, and Mass, and reconnect with your spouse over a candlelit dinner. This event takes place from 12pm to 9pm at the Center for Pastoral Leadership, Wickliffe, OH. \$100/couple. For more information and to register, visit <https://www.marriagesofgrace.org/events/marriage-enrichment-2026>

Scholarship for Catholic Women

Applications are now available for the Youngstown Women's Catholic Collegiate annual scholarship. The Collegiate is seeking applicants who meet the following criteria:

- Faith:** A Catholic woman in good standing with her parish.
- Academics:** Currently enrolled in a college or university with a GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Status:** Is a college sophomore or junior (30-60 completed credit hours) for the 2025/2026 academic year.

For more information or to request an application, call or text **Marla Dull at 330-727-4449**. Completed applications must be postmarked or emailed by **11:59PM on March 15, 2026**.

The Youngstown Women's Catholic Collegiate consists of approx. 100 dedicated members committed to furthering Christian ideals and supporting the education of young women in our community.

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