



*Welcome to
Our Lady of the Chesapeake
A Christian Community in the
Roman Catholic Tradition*

8325 Ventnor Road, Pasadena, MD 21122

Phone: 410-255-3677

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday—Friday, 9:00am

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5:00pm,

Sunday 8:30am, & 10:30am

Rosary: Sundays 8:00am

*New Parishioners may register online or at our
Pastoral Office any Weekday from 8:30AM - 4:00PM*

Welcome

Rev. Brian "Raff" Rafferty, STL	Pastor
Rick Clemens	Deacon
Tim Janiszewski	Youth Minister/Pastoral Associate
Judy Glinka	Adm. Assistant/Business Manager
Stacey Beres	Secretary
Donna White	Hall Manager/Development
Macey Glinka	Facilities Manager
Rodney Armero	Director of Worship Music
Charles Alexander	Assist. Director of Worship Music

Parish Support

Jerry Mulcahy	Pastoral Council Chair
Judy Glinka	Altar Society
Janet Cogliano	Lectors
Joseph Borchetti	Eucharistic Ministers
Darla Breslin, Joanna Puglisi and Cate Puglisi	Altar Server Ministry
Luke Hogue	Ushers
Mary Laber	Social Justice Ministry
Mary Mulcahy	Bereavement Ministry
Mary Helen Gurney	Evangelization Ministry
Renee Medri	R.C.I.A.
John Donnelly	Knights of Columbus
Susan Israel	Prayer Line
Paula Gentile	Respect Life
Angie Stull	Associate Accompanist
Joyce Heid	Wellness Ministry, Bulletin and Web Editor

Sacraments

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults All those interested in living the faith in our Roman Catholic tradition are welcome. Program begins in September and culminates at the Easter Vigil.

Baptisms: Baptisms are usually held every month on selected Saturday and Sunday afternoons. Please call to schedule.

Reconciliation: Saturday after the 5:00PM Mass; anytime by appointment.

Sacraments: Please contact the Pastoral Office for information, 410-255-3677.



The Knights of Columbus

For the summer, the Knights of Columbus meet the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm in The Gathering Place.

June 7, 2015

**Most Holy
Body and Blood of Christ**

Sunday:

**Ex 24:3-8/Heb 9:11-15/
Mk 14:12-16, 22-26**

Monday:

**2 Cor 1:1-7/
Mt 5:1-12**

Tuesday:

**2 Cor 1:18-22/
Mt 5:13-16**

Wednesday:

**2 Cor 3:4-11/
Mt 5:17-19**

Thursday:

**Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/
Mt 5:20-26**

Friday:

**Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9/Eph 3:8-12,
14-19/Jn 19:31-37**

Saturday:

**2 Cor 5:14-21/Mt 5:33-37
Immac. Heart: Is 61:9-11/
Lk 2:41-51**

Next Sunday:

**Ez 17:22-24/2 Cor 5:6-10/
Mk 4:26-34**

FREE nursery program for OLC children age 5 and under

10:30 am Mass in the Lauer wing of the Gathering Place.

If interested please visit the OLC Website for Tips for Parents and a Registration Form or contact Suzanne Keys at suzannembryant@yahoo.com

Pastor's Page

Hi Gang,

YOU'VE HEARD OF "CHRIST LIFE" -----NOW HERE IT IS----- REVEALED AND UNVEILED-----IN ITS FULL SPLENDOR

We hope you have enjoyed the Splash of Pentecost in your life and the outpouring of God's Spirit. Think back to how He /She "blew into" into your life. Did you notice or did you miss Him / Her'? We frequently do miss The Presence!. Most of us need a friend or bud to help distinguish the true Sprit from wishful thinking, or an itch; you know! CHRIST LIFE invites people like most of us who need a little direction and a boost in detecting this movements of God's Spirit in our lives. CHRIST LIFE gathers together like-minded and searching folks like us to put our heads together to present God's Spirit a bigger target and maybe stronger zap-ping. Sound good? It has worked wonderfully in scores of other parishes.

What is this thing called "CHRIST LIFE"? First let me say it is not a retreat or a parish mission. It is not a "one-size-fits-all" program; it has something for everyone. It is first and foremost a commitment to schedule

---- Two and a half hours---from 6:30 PM until 9:00 PM ----

on Tuesdays of this October and the first three Tuesdays
of November (7 evenings in all)

and a one day retreat

The experience begins with a delicious dinner (not rubber chicken and back-from-the-tomb string beans). Then a "Teaching" or lesson, usually a DVD. Group discussion (about 8 persons each) follows. You are guaranteed a 9:00 pm finishing time. Further details will be passed along in time but this is CHRIST LIFE in a nutshell. For more info please go on line as we are a "NOW" Parish of the Bi-millennium! Thanks a million!

OLC Tea Party

Let me tell you OLC can stand tall and proudly with any Parish with in the Church of Baltimore. Every parish is significant in one way or another but we, and only we have the enviable distinction of having treated our families to a TEA PARTY. It was the triumph of the Spring Social Season regaling eighty of our Ladies and one Gentleman with the works.

The WORKS consisted in real china (S.S. Kresske) displaying several assorted teeny-weeny but delicious sandwiches, individually and painstakingly prepared by our dear ladies, banned together as the Order of the Sisters of the Skillet. Their preparation efforts can be described only as devoutly slavish as they prepared the table with Martha Stewart- designed place settings, In addition to the MS touches, each table was festooned with a real potted Vinca, a menu of the complete five course luncheon plus a cornucopia of goodies, tea bags (in addition to the . . . never mind).

Plans are already in the works for another at Christmas which will be bigger and grander. We anticipate larger crowds as the good news spreads quickly and SOME of the names on our guest list include the Rockefellers, the Versasce, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Ford, Dolly and Mr. Parton not to mention the Baltimore and Annapolis guests who sent regrets.

Our Lady of the Chesapeake Pastoral Council

Officers:

Jerry Mulcahy – Chair Person
Carol Hall – Vice Chair Person
Tina Zahorcak – Secretary

Ex-officio (Non- voting) Members:

Rodney Armero

Judy Glinka

Joyce Heid

Stacey Beres

Tim Janiszewski

Mary Laber

Rev. Brian Rafferty

Donna White

Voting Members:

Dominic Aiello

Adam Beres (Youth Representative)

John Donnelly (KOC)

Rick Fahlteich

Bill Forman

Al Giunta

Mary Helen Gurney

Bob Hines

Tom Jeffers

George Johnson

Suzanne Keys

Bruce Mundie

Terry Puglisi

Jack Streb

Joyce Wiesner

Diane Williams

*To contact the council please call
the church office or email
olcparishcouncil@yahoo.com*

The next Parish Council meeting will be held on May 27th at 7pm.

ALL members of OLC are welcome to attend the monthly meetings. We welcome & need your ideas & input.

IT'S THAT TIME OF THE YEAR AGAIN:

When the House of Hope Winter Relief shelter is about to end- we will need to increase the number of sandwiches, snacks and water we take to the House of Hope Monday through Saturday-- LAST YEAR AVERAGED 325-400 sandwiches every week from April through the beginning of October when the shelter starts- **It takes many hands to make this happen- I only ask for people to make sandwiches once a month-** If you think this is something that you might be able to do and would like to help or need more information about this very For more information or to help, contact JOYCE W. 410-255-4437 IN THE MORNING AND EVENING OR 410-736-2683.

**OLC Knights of Columbus**

For the summer months, the OLC Knights of Columbus will only meet the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30 pm in the Gathering Place. In September, meetings will resume twice a month on the first and third Wednesday of each month.

RESPECT LIFE.....Building a Culture of Life
Respecting the Dignity of all God's People

"There is so much indifference in the face of suffering. May we overcome indifference with concrete acts of charity."

"Christ leads us to go out from ourselves more, to give ourselves to serve others."

---Pope Francis

And the Cupboard was BARE...

As most of you are aware, the OLC St. Vincent de Paul maintains a food pantry which helps feed and support local families, seniors, and those down on their luck in our community. The shelves need restocking and the pantry is in dire need of non-perishable canned goods. There is a little red wagon in the vestibule of the church for donations, please help us by bringing in food to support this important ministry.

OLC at Oriole Park!

Join us for a day with the O's!

Friday August 14th, 7:05 vs Oakland Athletics

Upper Reserve seats sections 328 to 330, rows 13-25

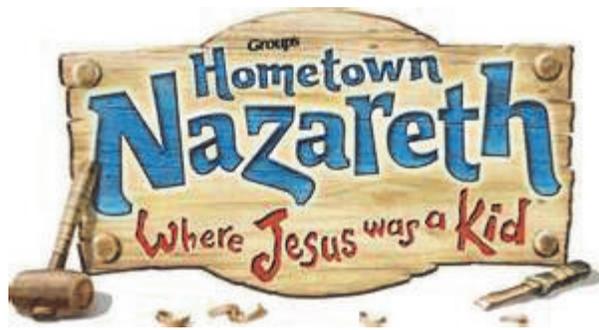
Tickets are \$13 with \$5 from each ticket being donated to OLC

(There is a 10% surcharge for each ticket.)

To purchase tickets visit www.orioles.com/tix/olc

FREE--Concert--Friday, June 26--7:00-8:30PM--St. Clement I Lansdowne

On Friday evening, June 26, 7:00-8:30 PM, at St. Clement I Lansdowne, there will be a concert performed by Dan Schutte, a founding member of the St. Louis Jesuits. Dan is a well-known singer/composer who has given us "Here I Am, Lord", "City of God", "Sing A New Song" and many, many more hymns. This will be an evening you will not want to miss. This concert is FREE – no tickets are needed – it is sponsored by Oregon Catholic Press (OCP). Additional information: Contact Jim DeBoy (JimDeBoy@comcast.net or 443-799-3096).

**Here at OLC VBS Summer 2015!**

July 13th-17th, 9 am- 12 pm

Registration forms are in the lobby of the church

For more information contact Stacey Beres:

410-255-3677 x102

sberes@olchesapeake.org

Every child will receive a camp shirt and tote bag.

Step back in time at Hometown Nazareth, exploring what it was like to live in the town where Jesus grew up. Kids and adult helpers participate in a memorable Bible-times marketplace, sing cool songs, play teambuilding games, dig into Bible time snacks, and visit with Mary where we can learn about God's world!

FUN- GAMES-SNACKS-FUN

Peartree Assisted Living Help Wanted:

We are looking for an experienced cook who has cooked for groups of 15 or more. This cook must enjoy the elderly, cook nutritional foods and must be able to cook from scratch. Our residents love the taste of home cooked meals and we are here to please them. The cook is also responsible for maintaining a clean and organized kitchen. Please contact Jennie Banner at 410-437-5050.



ask.
seek.
knock.

discovering
CHRIST
a seven-week experience

Please join us in the Gathering Place for Discovering Christ.

Enjoy a free dinner, listen to a dynamic teaching, and join in a small group discussion about the meaning of life in Jesus Christ. Discovering Christ is a seven-week series that runs Tuesdays from Oct. 6th – Nov. 17th, and includes a life-changing retreat on Saturday, Nov. 7th.

This course is designed for you to revitalize your faith and/or to bring your friends and family who have been away from the Church and are open to exploring the meaning of life in Jesus Christ.

To view an informational video or to register, just visit the Our Lady of the Chesapeake website, www.olchesapeake.org and click on the Discovering Christ icon.

Essay Contest:

The Archdiocese of Baltimore is sponsoring an essay contest for all students or educators from Catholic schools, parish religious education programs, and homeschooling co-ops, grades Kindergarten through 12, to participate. The goal of the Fortnight for Freedom “Christian Acts of Service” Essay Contest is to demonstrate how our Catholic faith (including Catholic education) instills a sense of mission to bear witness to the Gospel as expressed through acts of charity, including those animated by a desire to serve those in Baltimore City who were impacted by the recent acts of violence. The winning entrants must be available to announcement at the National Mass of the Fortnight for Freedom on June 21, 2015 at 10:45 AM at the Baltimore Basilica, which will be aired live on Eternal Word Television Network. All entries must be received by Monday, June 15. For more information, please visit <http://www.archbalt.org/about-us/fortnightforfreedom>.

St. Jane Frances School

St. Jane Frances is still accepting registrations for the 2015-2016 school year. For more information, please visit www.stjaneschool.org.

From the Wellness Ministry...

Community Health and/or Recreational Water Quality E-mail Alerts

The Anne Arundel County Department of Health has two free e-mail alert programs.

The Community Health E-mail Alerts provide subscribers with timely notices about new Department of Health services, community health issues and emergencies.

The Recreational Water Quality E-mail Alerts provide subscribers with information on County recreational waterway closures and advisories. Subscribers will also be notified when closures and advisories are lifted.

To sign up for one or both Alerts visit www.aahealth.org/alerts.

**Free Seminar at BWMC: Spot It: How to Avoid and Identify Skin Cancer
June 17, 6:30pm to 8pm**

University of Maryland Baltimore Washington Medical Center internal medicine physician, Eugenia Robertson MD, will discuss tips on preventing and identifying skin cancer. Symptoms, risk factors and non-surgical and surgical treatment options will be included. Attendees will have the opportunity to enter to win a \$50 gift card. Pre-registration is requested by calling 410-787-4367. The seminar will be held at the Leo & Lysbeth Courtney Conference Center, 8th Floor, 301 Hospital Drive Glen Burnie, Maryland 21061.

Our Lady of the Chesapeake Prayer Line Available 24/7 by emailing info@olchesapeake.org

We pray for: Tina A. and Family, Marie C., Matthew G., Stephen, Rylan, Rose, Emmett, Larry, Eileen, Jim, Randy B., Maria, Dean K., Marilyn, Chris, Bob B., Chris, Adam, Brian, George, Marianne, Janice T., Cassidy Sue, Marie Z., Alma A., Kathy D., Albert T., Ellen R., Jen, Reggie, Luke, Cory, Scott, Chad B, Vivian D., Joe, Tricia S., Al B., Geoff, Kathy, David B., Ken, Veronica, Jen P., Bill W., Dennis S., Deja H., Marie, Linda N., Andrew and Marlee, Emma C., Jocilyn S., Bonnie, Bill D., Geoff, Tina

Only first names are listed to ensure privacy—don't worry, when you pray God knows who you are talking about!

Youth Ministry

Middle School Youth Ministry

We will be participating in a regional **Summer Madness** program this summer from July 20th-24th. It is an opportunity for Middle School students (current 6th-8th graders in the 2014/2015 school year) to take part in service activities, meet students from other parishes (make new friends), and have fun. Each day (Monday - Thursday) the students will go to a different service site in the morning and help serve. They will return for lunch together, and then we'll all go have fun in the afternoon (bowling, laser-tag, skating, etc.). On Friday, July 24th, we'll all go to Hershey Park for the day (the Hershey Park trip is ONLY open to students who are participating in Summer Madness). Summer Madness can not happen without parents helping (Child Protection trained and cleared parents). Flyers with more details and permission forms have been e-mailed to parents, and are also available in the box on the Business Office door in the church lobby. Space is limited, and is first come, first serve. **Deadline is fast approaching!**

High School Youth Ministry

While our Sunday evening meetings have ended until the Fall, our **Wednesday Night meetings run all through the summer**. We even have a new format for the Wed. Night Group (see below), and encourage all our high school to come and join us! AND...keep your eyes peeled for a listing of our **Summer Events!**

Finally, again this summer we are sending teams out for our **Work Camp trips**. One team will be heading into Baltimore City (June 21-27), and one team will be going to Terra Alta, West Virginia (June 28-July 4); teams from OLC consist of at least 5 students and 2 adults. Our teams will be joining many other students from parishes around the Archdiocese of Baltimore to perform "Habitat for Humanity" type work for the week. Flyers are NOT AVAILABLE YET but will be soon. **The expenses for the Baltimore and Appalachia trips are \$350 per person. For both work camp trips, we're asking the students to pay for part of their expenses (\$175), and we're hoping parishioners will consider sponsoring students for the remainder of their expenses (\$175 per student, although partial sponsorship is also welcome).** **We have asked this of you in years past, and you have supported us amazingly; we are grateful!** **We know things are tight in this economy, but this is a worthwhile investment!** Please contact Father Raff or Tim Janiszewski if you are interested in sponsoring one of our students (410-255-3677 or tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org).

*****Wednesday Night Group – NEW FORMAT*****

Our Wednesday Night Group has a new format starting April 29th and running through the summer. While we will still have evenings of deep discussion on matters of faith, current events, and prayer, we are also going to include evenings of community building, such as games, fun field trips, and service. And we're going to be including some GREAT EATS! The schedule for the entire summer will be e-mailed to parents, and then we will post here in the bulletin the upcoming month's schedule. So...if you are in 9th-12th grade, come join us please Wednesday evenings from 6:30pm to 8:30pm. Here's our schedule for the next month...

<u>Date</u>	<u>Activity</u>
June 10	Go-Karting FIELD TRIP - Go-Karting w/what? Hey, it's go-karting...it doesn't need anything else!
June 17	Story Night w/Cookie Bake and Milk Stories to make you think, and share your thoughts, while we bake and eat cookies. Hey, gotta have milk with cookies!

More events coming soon.....

If you have any questions about Youth Ministry, please contact Tim Janiszewski (410-255-3677 or tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org).