

October 21, 2018



Welcome to

Our Lady of the Chesapeake

A Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition

8325 Ventnor Road, Pasadena, MD 21122

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Weekday Masses: Tuesday—Friday, 9:00 am

Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:00 pm,

Sunday 8:30am, & 10:45 am

Monthly First Friday Holy Hour

Join us for First Friday Holy Hour from 9:30 am to

10:30 am in the Daily Mass Chapel

New Parishioners may register online or at our Pastoral Office

any weekday from 8:00 am - 3:00 pm

Welcome

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Rodney Armero	Director of Worship Music
Charles Alexander	Assist. Director of Worship Music

Parish Support

Suzanne Keys	Pastoral Council Chair
Judy Glinka	Altar Society
Janet Cogliano	Lectors
Joseph Borchetti	Eucharistic Ministers
Kiniry Family	Altar Server Ministry
Luke Hogue	Ushers
Mary Laber	Social Justice Ministry
Donna Moran	Bereavement Ministry
Mary Helen Gurney	Evangelization Ministry
Kathy Clifford, Sr. Sally Russell	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/ Web Editor, jheid67@hotmail.com

Sacraments

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

Reconciliation: Saturday 4 pm to 4:30 pm Anytime by appointment.

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

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: All those interested in living the faith in our Roman Catholic tradition are welcome. The program begins in September and culminates in May.

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Mass Intentions:

October 20
5:00 *Duane Terry*

October 21
8:30 *Parishioners*
10:45 *Mary Madlyn Jones*



GiveCentral is an easy and convenient way to make your **Stewardship Donations and other offerings** OLC. To enroll, go to givecentral.org, click on "Start Giving", enter "Our Lady of the Chesapeake" or "21122", select us from the list, and begin setting up your account. If you would like help with enrolling, please stop by the Parish Office. We would be happy to assist you.



Text APP to 88202, download the MyParish app, open it up and search for Our Lady of the Chesapeake.

Sign up today!



The Knights of Columbus of Our Lady of the Chesapeake will meet the first and third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 pm in the Lauer building.

All Knights are welcome.

*Any questions call John Donnelly
410-437-0116.*

FREE nursery program for OLC children age 5 and under

10:30 am Mass in the Lauer wing of the Gathering Place. If interested visit the OLC Website

for Tips for Parents and Registration Form or contact Suzanne Keys at suzannemkeys@gmail.com

Dear Friends of Our Lady of the Chesapeake,

This weekend, OLC will TAKE THE NEXT STEP when it comes to our stewardship commitment. As I mentioned last weekend, I know some parishioners are upset with the recent crisis in our Church and have decided to withhold or suspend their support. And I respect your decision. Our Church is certainly in need of reform and renewal, and unfortunately, it will take some time for this to happen. However, in the meantime, OLC still needs to pay its bills and pay the salaries and benefits for its staff, which has become more difficult to do over the past three years. That is why I am asking everyone who is financially able to TAKE THE NEXT STEP and commit to making a small increase in your stewardship offering each week. I have taken the next step and increased my giving by 6.7%, or \$10 a month. I invite you to take a step in the same direction. Thank you for your prayers, support, and generosity to OLC.

Another fun way to support OLC is to support are recently initiated fundraising activities. We are selling raffle tickets for OLC's first big fundraiser: We're ALL Winners Autumn Raffle. Each ticket is \$100 and every ticket is guaranteed to win either a cash prize or a \$5 Maryland Lottery Scratch Off ticket. Only 300 tickets will be sold. WE NEED HELP SELLING TICKETS to make this fundraiser a success. If you are willing to take 5 tickets to sell to family members and friends, please stop by the parish office or the table after Mass this weekend. Thanks!

Our Winter Relief Auction Dinner tickets are also on sale. The dinner is Saturday, Nov. 3rd from 6:00pm to 10:00pm. Tickets are \$40 each. All proceeds support OLC's shelter week and local charities helping the homeless and less fortunate in Anne Arundel County.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will take place immediately after the 5pm Mass on Saturday, Oct. 27th. There is a wedding at 7pm that evening so we will need to be quick (this time)!

The Archdiocesan Marriage Tribunal is hosting presentations concerning divorce and annulments. This presentation is especially helpful for divorced Catholics who are looking for information on annulments. The closest session to OLC will be at St. Andrew by the Bay on Tuesday, Nov. 13th at 7:00pm in the Parish Center Upper Hall. No prior registration is required. For more information, please call 410-547-5533.

Thank you for your prayers and support of OLC.

Father Steve

New Cancer Ministry Available

Our Journey of Hope is a cancer ministry, and a hope ministry. It is centered on bringing God's hope to patients and their caregivers. If you are interested in attending a Cancer Support Group at Our Lady of the Chesapeake on Tuesday evenings, please contact Marilou L. Filoteo at 410-575-1118 or marilou_f@hotmail

Upcoming Events:

October

10/21 @ 9:35 am
Praying the Rosary with Fr. Steve in the Church

10/27
Anointing of the Sick following 5:00 pm Mass

10/28
Children's Themed Homily at the 8:30 am and 10:45 am Masses

November

11/1 - All Saints Day
Masses at 9:00am and 7:00 pm

11/3 6:00 pm
Winter Relief Auction Dinner @

11/4 @ 8:30 am Mass
November Marriage Anniversary Blessing

“WE’RE ALL WINNERS” AUTUMN RAFFLE

As part of our fundraising efforts, OLC will be selling raffle tickets for the **“We’re All Winners” Autumn Raffle**. There will be only 300 tickets sold and each ticket is \$100. The grand prize is \$5,000 and all proceeds will benefit OLC. Every ticket is guaranteed to win either a cash prize or a Maryland Lottery Scratch Off ticket – therefore We’re ALL Winners!) We need volunteers to help sell tickets to your family members and friends.

Also, tickets can be purchased through GiveCentral. Everyone who purchases a ticket is invited to attend the drawing event on Saturday, Nov. 24th in the Gathering Place.

Thank you to everyone who came to the Brian Boru Irish Restaurant & Pub Benefit for the OLC Winter Relief Ministry last Monday—your support is greatly appreciated! See you at the Dinner Auction in November! Be sure to purchase your tickets before they sell out!

From the Desk of Sister Sally:

Jesus told the disciples that the way to rank first is by serving others. What does unselfish service look like in your parish, work, or home? Could it change the world? How?

“Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant ...” In this quotation from his United Nations address below, where does Pope Francis say the full meaning of individual and collective life is found? Why does Jesus attribute so much importance to the emptying of oneself?

The common home of all men and women must continue to rise on the foundations of a right understanding of universal fraternity and respect for the sacredness of every human life, of every man and every woman, the poor, the elderly, children, the infirm, the unborn, the unemployed, the abandoned, those considered disposable because they are only considered as part of a statistic. This common home of all men and women must also be built on the understanding of a certain sacredness of created nature.

Such understanding and respect call for a higher degree of wisdom, one which accepts transcendence, rejects the creation of an all-powerful élite, and recognizes that the full meaning of individual and collective life is found in selfless service to others and in the sage and respectful use of creation for the common good. To repeat the words of Paul VI, “the edifice of modern civilization has to be built on spiritual principles, for they are the only ones capable not only of supporting it, but of shedding light on it.”

Pope Francis: [Speech to the United Nations, Sept. 25, 2015](#)

Save the Date!

Tuesday: November 13th: 7:00- 8:30pm

Guest Speaker Sister Mary Ann Mulzet, SSJ

will share the meaning of our weekend Liturgy.

Sister will address the reasons why we pray as we do, and how we live the Eucharist as we go forth to our daily lives.

Don't miss this wonderful opportunity.

Upcoming Events:

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

meets Wednesdays 7 p.m. in the Maryland Suite in the Church.

RCIA offers time for community, prayer, reflection, study and conversation about the Catholic Faith. Please consider inviting someone to complete the sacramental process or join the Catholic Faith.

Contemplative Prayer:

Come and Quiet your thoughts and be with God in silence.

Tuesday, October 23rd at 9:35 a.m.;
Wednesday, October 24th at 7:00 p.m.

Pope Francis' Encyclical:

Rejoice and Be Glad

Tuesday, October 2nd

Msgr David Fulton, from St. Mary's Seminary will open our discussion on Pope Francis' Encyclical Rejoice and Be Glad.

The Gathering Place: 7- 9:00 p.m.

The Sessions will continue each Tuesday of October (23rd and 30th).

Email:

srussell@olchesapeake.org or call 410-255-3677 Ext. 104 to register.

Spiritual Direction

offers the value of sharing our lived experience of God with another. opening us to a fuller relationship with God.

Anyone interested in Spiritual Direction contact Sister Sally: 410-255-3677 or srussell@olchesapeake.org.

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

Pray for: Stephen, Cory H., Maryanne J., Nick B., Steve and Phyllis L., Sharon R., Dave, Michael P, Dave, Denise, Kathy H., Katrina S., Ron C., Jeff A., John M., Betsy, Jodi, Paul R., Ella J., Kelani W., Caleb W., Bonnie M., Walter G., Kate R., Julio, Sebastian S., Michael, Nick, Leonard S. and family, Judy L. Pam D., August L., Jason N., Dick C. Jenni, Matt, Jason R., Jeannie, Bob L., Bill H., Nancy G., Pat, Sandy's family, Angela, Ian W., Marcia, Lauretta and Family, Leona K., Sue W., Caroline S., Hannah D., Emily T., Sara M., Connor, McKenzie, Sherry, Kaylie, Shellie, Shannon and her medical team, Hirschel E., Vernie E., Bill and Barbara K., Jennifer and John Q., Patricia M., Joseph P., Zach, Lucas B., Richard and his wife, Stephanie R., Ella, Martin C., Bob S., Alex R., Carly F., Jane and her family, Lauretta, Courtney, Josh, Charlotte, Gabriel. Katie M., Marcus and family, Courtney M., Mike M., Mandy, Jimmy, Hope, Kay K., Barbara L., Fran, Charlie, Bob S., Karen S., Ben B., Michaela, Perry F., Pat H., Marianne K., Ron S., Susan M., Jeanne B., Karen S., Cheryl A., Joe S., Connor S., Charlene M., Michael R., Elisa R. and family, Jessica K. and family, Gabriel, Pat, Lana, Kathryn and family, Michael, Baby JP and family, Patty, Kay J., Paul R., Liam M., Jay and Ashley H., Monica, Baby Brooks and family, Dick C. and his wife, Steve B. and family, Richie, Russell G.

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

To become a Prayer Partner contact Susan Israel at suisrael9@comcast.net .

<u>14-Oct-18</u>	Weekly		YTD	
	Current Year	Prior Year	Current Year	Prior Year
Envelopes	\$6,988	\$10,462	\$115,234	\$164,625
Give Central	2,215	-	\$30,459	-
Loose	1,445	1,785	\$20,105	27,813
Total Offertory	\$10,647	\$12,247	\$165,798	\$192,438
Average YTD Weekly Offertory			\$10,362	
Weekly needed to cover current year operating expenses			<u>14,500</u>	
Weekly Surplus (Deficit)			(4,138)	
Mass Attendance	579	555		
Average Weekly Offertory per person	\$18	\$22	\$18	\$21

JOIN THE YOUTH CHOIR!

Do you know a child who LOVES TO SING??? Youth Choir begins Thursday, November 8th, from 6-7pm in the church.

Youth Choir is open to children of confident reading age through 5th grade. (6th grade and older students are invited to join the Adult Choir). We are preparing to lead singing for the 3:30 Christmas Eve Mass, and for Mass on Easter Sunday.

If you're an adult who loves to sing, stay around for the Adult Choir that meets at 7!

For more information, email Charles Alexander at calexander@olchesapeake.org

**Tickets for the Winter Relief
November 3, 2018 Dinner/Auction
are now on sale!**

Tickets are \$40 per person and include a buffet dinner, catered by Two Rivers Restaurant, beer, wine and sodas. Tickets are available after all Masses in the office.

Help Us Get A Jump Start on Preparations!

Please help by donating a bottle of wine or liquor for the Winter Relief Dinner/Auction. Bottles of wine and liquor may be placed in the basket located in the foyer.

Thank you for your support and generosity!



Archbishop Curley will host an OPEN HOUSE
Saturday Oct. 27 & Sunday Oct. 28
from 10 AM to Noon
VIP Reception & Tour for Sons of Alumni
at 9 AM both days

RESPECT LIFE...Building a Culture of Life

Respecting the Dignity of All God's People

“A society will be judged on the basis of how it treats its weakest members; and among the most vulnerable are surely the unborn and the dying.”

--Pope St. John Paul II whose feast day is October 22

*****Volunteers Needed:** Mary's Center, a Catholic pregnancy center located in Glen Burnie, is seeking volunteers. If you are able to give a few hours each week to help women and teens in need or in a crisis pregnancy, please call 410-761-8082. Volunteer training begins in mid-October. There is also an urgent need for English -Spanish speaking volunteers.



Baby bottles filled with your donations are **due back** at the church **next weekend, October 28/29**. It is not too late to participate in this Respect Life Month activity to benefit **Mary's Center**, a Catholic pregnancy center in Glen Burnie. Please help those many women in need of assistance for their babies.

**Prayer in Times of Crisis
St. Andrew's By The Bay**

701 College Pkwy., Annapolis

Sunday, Oct. 28 6:30 p.m.

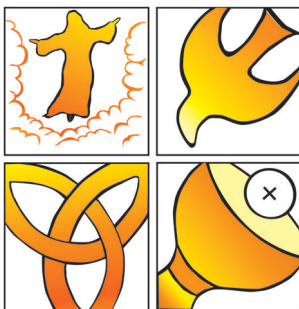
Song, Scripture and Silence

Whatever you're carrying, come pray with us.

410-974-4366

Special Note to all MSYM AND HSYM Parents: When picking up your children Monday afternoon and/or Sunday evening, PLEASE pull into the parking lot and park...PLEASE DO NOT wait in the entrance lane for your child to come out (no curbside pick-up). A line of waiting vehicles forming onto Ventnor Road is hazardous. Thanks!

Middle School Youth Ministry



Last Monday, Oct. 15th, we continued our investigation into **Being Catholic** and looked at the Church's **Liturgical Calendar**. The students competed against one another in an "It's Academic" style contest, where they were able to learn while they played. We Catholics are very symbolic people. The calendar we use to celebrate our liturgies (Masses)

and its various seasons, the colors we display, the readings we select, the different prayers and symbols we use, ARE NOT random – everything we do has meaning. The more you become aware of the meaning behind our symbolism and liturgical calendar, the more you'll understand and appreciate our celebrations.

This Monday, October 22nd from 4:30pm to 6:00pm, we will explore the Church's **sacraments** and God's active involvement in our lives! All 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students are welcome and encouraged to join us!

On Friday, Oct. 26th we have our **annual Halloween Trip**. We'll be going lazer-tagging in Columbia, and then back to OLC for a fun Halloween movie with movie snacks and treats. Flyers and permission forms were e-mailed to parents and can be found in the box on the Business Office door in the church lobby.

High School Youth Ministry AND Confirmation

Last Sunday, Oct. 14th, we continued our session called "Be Open to Jesus", which ties into Fr. Steve's homily series. Fr. Steve pointed out that in today's Gospel, Jesus speaks of the need for us to **BE OPEN to Supporting the Mission**...to place the Good News of God's love for the world through Jesus Christ first and foremost in our lives. We can tell you that every Sunday evening, but we should only be reiterating what you are being told and what you experience at home...in your domestic church...in the life of your family and the example of your parents. Tonight the students had the opportunity to reflect on their own domestic churches, and then share with their small groups.

IMPORTANT: Suicide attempts among teenagers are on the rise in the Pasadena area. This Sunday, Oct. 21st, Dr. Kristin Witte is coming to speak with students and parents. While she currently works for Catholic Relief Services, Dr. Witte previously worked for the Archdiocese of Baltimore as the coordinator of pastoral care and social justice, and coordinated their Crisis Team. **We encourage all parents to join their high school children this evening from 6:30-8:30pm** to learn more about protecting and helping our children.

Our **Fall Retreat** is approaching – November 9th – 11th. We are heading to the Hashawha Environmental Center in Westminster, MD...we turn it into a spiritual center! Our theme will be "**Go Light Your World**"...it will be fun, relaxing, AND inspirational! Flyers and permission forms were e-mailed to parents and can be found in the box on the Business Office door in the church lobby.



Wednesday Night Group

This is a **voluntary faith formation group** for high school students (and summer college students). If you are in 9th-12th grade and you're interested in pursuing your faith beyond what we do Sunday evening, AND in a relaxed setting, come join us Wednesday evenings from 6:30pm to 8:30pm. Here's our upcoming schedule...



Oct. 24 Halloween Costume Party and Movie w/ Special Treats

Our Halloween party is an annual WNG event; come dressed in an appropriate costume while we watch a great Halloween movie and enjoy special Halloween treats.

**If you have any questions about
Youth Ministry, please contact
Tim Janiszewski timjalc@verizon.net
or 410-255-3677**