

October 28, 2018



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 Fax: 410-437-7527

www.olchesapeake.org, info@olchesapeake.org

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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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 27
5:00 *Geraldine Glinka*

October 28
8:30 *Parishioners*
10:45 *Tom Nolan*



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,

Due to a printing error, we were unable to TAKE THE NEXT STEP last weekend as part of our fall Stewardship program. The plan is to conduct the commitment program this weekend. Please prayerfully consider making a small increase in your Stewardship offering each week. Am I mentioned last week, I have taken the next step and increased my giving by 6.7%, or \$10 a month. I pray your financial situation will allow you to do the same. Thank you for your prayers, support, and generosity to OLC.

In this weekend's bulletin is a summary of the comments made during OLC's Parish Listening Session concerning the sex abuse and leadership crisis in the Church. We had about 50 people attend the session, which was held on Sept. 19th. You may send your thoughts and comments to the Archdiocese by participating in the Archdiocesan electronic town hall meeting by using the MyParish App or send your comments and concerns to communications@archbalt.org.

If you are celebrating a marriage anniversary in November, please join us for our monthly anniversary blessing on Sunday Nov. 4th at the 8:30am Mass. We will offer a prayer of blessing for all couples at the end of Mass. If you were not married by a priest or deacon in the Catholic Church, and are interested in having your marriage blessed by the Church, please contact Fr. Steve or a member of the parish staff to discuss your situation. A marriage blessing (or validation) can be a relatively simple process (unless there was a prior marriage for one or both of the spouses, but all things are possible with God!) If you are in need of an annulment or have questions about annulments, there will be a presentation at St. Andrew by the Bay on Tuesday, Nov. 13th at 7:00pm. No prior registration is required.

This Thursday is All Saints Day, a great Holy Day honoring the saints of God! We will offer Masses at 9:00am and 7:00pm on Nov. 1st. So, enjoy All Hallows Eve (Halloween) at home on the 31st and come and celebrate with us on Nov. 1st.

Our Winter Relief Auction Dinner is only 7 days away! The dinner is Saturday, Nov. 3rd from 6:00pm to 10:00pm. Tickets are \$40 each and the proceeds support OLC's shelter week and local charities.

We are still selling raffle tickets for OLC's 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. 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!

Thank you for your prayers and support of OLC.
Father Steve

Baby Bottle Campaign for Mary's Center

Baby Bottles are due this weekend! The donations will help the many women who seek assistance for their babies at Mary's Center in Glen Burnie. If you forgot your bottle today, please bring it with you next weekend. Thank you for participating!

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.com

Upcoming Events:

November

11/1 - All Saints Day
Masses at 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

11/3 6:00 p.m.
Winter Relief Auction Dinner @

11/4 @ 8:30 a.m. Mass
November Marriage
Anniversary Blessing

11/17
First Reconciliation Service

**Additional events can be found on
our parish calendar on our website,
www.olchesapeake.org.**

"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.

From the Desk of Sister Sally:

From The Scandal of Redemption

When we live lives centered on God, then God is the center of our life, and our relations with others derive from God. When my use of the things God has created derives from God as the center that inspires my ethics, then I will be moral, honorable, and honest; I will tell the truth, I will not distort the news; I will not spread calumny because I know that God will hold me accountable. When God is the center of our lives, as Saint Paul says, then we will "pursue righteousness, devotion, love, faith, patience, and gentleness; we will struggle hard for the faith" (1 Tim. 6:11–12).

My sisters and brothers, this struggle of faith in which we are engaged is not a struggle of arms or of violence but of ideas and convictions. We do violence first to ourselves by the inspiration of faith according to what Saint Paul says so beautifully: "I insist that you keep the commandment without stain or reproach" (1 Tim. 6:14). The commandment is the whole body of things that God has revealed and commanded, and we as servants of God have an obligation to obey. But when we shake off God's yoke and no longer hear God speaking in our conscience, then we have the situation where each person wants to be a god. The result of this is a cataclysm, as if the sun and the planets revolving around it were to lose their center of gravity and crash into one another. The sun is God, and as long as we revolve around God with an ethic that looks to God, then we will live together as sisters and brothers.

St. Oscar Romano

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.

Tues. Nov. 13 9:35 a.m.

Weds. Nov. 14 7 p.m.

Tues. Nov. 27, 9:35 a.m. and 7 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 .

	Weekly		YTD	
	Current Year	Prior Year	Current Year	Prior Year
21-Oct-18				
Envelopes	\$5,747	\$9,195	\$120,981	\$173,820
Give Central	2,685	-	\$33,144	-
Loose	1,257	1,448	\$21,363	\$29,261
Total Offertory	\$9,690	\$10,643	\$175,488	\$203,081
Average YTD Weekly Offertory			\$10,968	
Weekly needed to cover current year operating expenses			<u>14,500</u>	
Weekly Surplus (Deficit)			(3,532)	
Mass Attendance	559	594		
Average Weekly Offertory per person	\$17	\$18	\$18	\$20

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!



**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

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

In Remembrance of Veterans Day

The OLC family would like to honor our homeless Veterans by remembering them with a special project called **OPERATION FILL THE BOOTS**. On the weekends of November 3rd and 4th and 10th and 11th there will be 2 pairs of boots on two tables out in the foyer of church. We are asking you to "fill the boots" with change or whatever. The contributions will go to helping **The Baltimore Station**, an organization for homeless veterans.

"Every dollar directly impacts the residents in our program who are working hard every day to turn their lives around and lead a life of recovery." The Baltimore Station

THANK-YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE

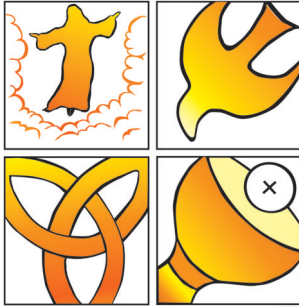
****Checks may be made out to
Our Lady of the Chesapeake.*

*****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.

Monsignor Slade Open House
November 12, 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Pre-k2 to 8th grade
STEM Lab, 100% Certified Teachers
Safe, caring and warm environment
More than 25 sports, clubs & extra curricular activities
Summer Programs, Award Winning Band Program

Youth Ministry

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. 22nd, we continued our investigation into **Being Catholic** and looked at the **Sacraments**. Through the sacraments, God takes ordinary human beings and does extraordinary things TO them and THROUGH them. God gives us the grace we need to complete our mission of bringing

others into God's family, facilitating healing and the restoration of relationships, and serving others through love. Through the sacraments, God gives us the gift of his very self!

This Monday, October 29th from 4:30pm to **6:30pm**, we will explore the Church's mission in more depth! All 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students are welcome and encouraged to join us! Please note the time is extended to 6:30 so the students can celebrate at the end of class with a **Halloween party**. Those parents who volunteered, please remember to make and send in your snacks for the party (even if you didn't volunteer, please send in treats)!

On Friday, Oct. 26th we had our **annual Halloween Trip**. We went laser-tagging in Columbia, and then back to OLC for a fun Halloween movie with snacks and treats. Thanks to the parents who drove/chaperoned to make our evening of fun possible.

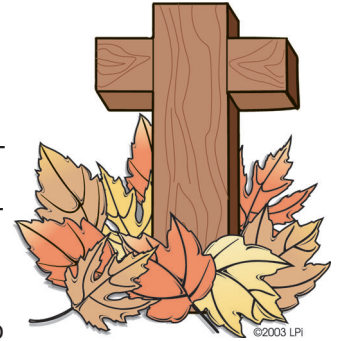
High School Youth Ministry AND Confirmation

Last Sunday, Oct. 21st, we completed our session called "Be Open to Jesus", which ties into Fr. Steve's homily series. **Suicide** attempts among teenagers are on the rise in the Pasadena area. So this past Sunday evening, Dr. Kristin Witte came 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. She talked with us about how we can be open to recognizing when others need help, to be open to asking for help from adults, and to **BE OPEN to Life**. Thank you to all the parents who attended!

We will be on break Sunday evenings until Nov. 25th when we begin **Session 2**, which is all about "Wholeness."

Fall HSYM Retreat

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. The deadline for registering is Sunday, Oct. 28th.



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. 31 No Meeting

Stay Home and Enjoy Halloween with your family

Nov. 7 No Regular Meeting – Retreat

Run-Through Meeting for Peers

Our Fall Retreat is the approaching weekend, so there's no regular WNG meeting this week as the Peer Leaders are meeting tonight to help them prepare.

Nov. 14 Service Night w/ Grilled Cheese & Tomato Soup

We'll be helping Mrs. Stacey prepare for next Summer's Adventure Bible Camp again, and we'll enjoy grilled cheese sandwiches and tomato soup tonight too.

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