



*Welcome to:
The Parishes of Our Lady of
Mount Carmel-St. Ann
and Our Lady of Loreto*



MASS SCHEDULE

All Masses are celebrated at Our Lady of Loreto Parish, 33 Massasoit Road, Worcester

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00, 10:00, and 11:30 a.m.

DAILY MASS

Monday through Friday 7:00 a.m.

HOLY DAY MASSES

Vigil: 7:00 p.m.

Holyday: 7:00 a.m. and 12:15 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday at 3:00 - 3:45 p.m. or by private appointment.

To schedule Mass Intentions please call 508-797-4546.

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Parish fax: 508-755-3506

Religious Education: 508-791-6139

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Parish Website: www.mtcarmel.ws

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Parish telephone: 508-753-5001

Parish fax: 508-754-1537

Religious Education - 508-753-5773

Parish e-mail - clergy@ourladyofloreto.net

Parish Hall - 508-799-2445

Deacon Paul (home) - 508-886-2856

Liturgical Music - 508-865-5748

MINISTERIAL STAFF

Rev. Msgr. F. Stephen Pedone, Pastor

Rev. Jesus E. Martinez, Assoc. Pastor

Most Rev. George E. Rueger, in residence

Gerald Montiverdi, Deacon

Joan D'Argenis, Director of Religious Education

Maria Sciannameo, RCIA Director

Mr. Scott Olson, Organist

Mr. Michael Garceau, Organist/Wedding Ministry

Gloria Caprioi, Safe Environment Coordinator

Lisa Fenuccio, Administrative Assistant

Phyllis Lynch, Secretary

Paul T. Audette, Deacon

Mr. Michael Sacco, Mr. Joseph Sama - Finance

Ms. Joan Venincasa, Mr. John DaSilva,

Mr. Michael Garceau - Music

Ms. Virginia Lelakis, Safe Environment

Ms. Julia Tufano - Office

Mr. John Oliver, Hospitality Ministry

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

To schedule a baptism please call 508-797-4546 or 508-753-5001.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

To schedule a wedding please call 508-797-4546 or 508-753-5001.

ILLNESS

Arrangements can be made to have Holy Communion brought to those who are homebound due to illness, age, or impairment of any kind or to celebrate the Sacrament of Anointing and Reconciliation with them. Please call 508-797-4546 or 508-753-5001.

PARISH REGISTRATION

To become a registered member of either parish, please call 508-797-4546 or 508-753-5001.

*Our Lady of Loreto's
Annual
Spring Miraculous Medal
Novena*

*concludes on Tuesday, May 31
7:00 pm*

with the Crowning of Our Blessed Mother.

*We invite you to join us for
"Coffee and..." in our Parish Center
immediately following the Novena.*

Please bring a dessert to help us celebrate!



Memorial Day Prayer

God of power and mercy,
you destroy war and put down earthly pride.
Banish violence from our midst and wipe
away our tears,
that we may deserve to be called your sons and daughters.
Keep in your mercy those men and women
who have died in the cause of freedom
and bring them safely
into your kingdom of justice and peace.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



Catholic Household Blessings & Prayers

The Waters of Baptism

*The following children were recently
initiated into our Christian family
through the Sacrament of Baptism:*



Antonia Aucoin

Daughter of Jason and Lisa (Woodbury) Aucoin

Conner James Capurso

Son of David and Jennifer (Moen) Capurso

Maci Victoria Capurso

Daughter of David and Jennifer (Moen) Capurso

Natalie Marie Marek

Daughter of Chester and Laura (Clancy) Marek III

Connor James Jacobs

Son of Matthew and Ariann (DiIorio)

*The parish families of Our Lady of Loreto and Our
Lady of Mt. Carmel—St. Ann welcome them.*

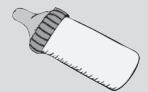
OCTOBERFEST ~OCTOBER 22, 2016!!

Gather your thoughts and ideas for our next meeting,
June 14 @ 6:30 pm. We will need volunteers (who
are CORI checked) to help us. Call Elaine Beaudry
@ 508-835-4592 for more information.

Mark Your Calendar

**Tues., May 31- 7:00 pm—Conclusion of Miraculous
Medal Novena followed by Reception
in Loreto Center**
**Sat., June 4— Meeting of Lectors and Extraordinary
Ministers of Holy Communion
immediately following 4 pm Mass in
church (Alternate meeting immediate-
ly following 11:30 am Mass on
Sun., June 12.)**

**VISITATION HOUSE BABY
BOTTLE DRIVE**



Filled baby bottles due back to us by Father's
Day, June 19. There are a few empties left. Let's clean out
the basket! Thank you in advance for your support.

**Loreto Financial Stewardship
For the week ending May 22, 2016**

<u>Income</u>	
Offertory	\$2,262.00
Donations	775.00
Wedding Stipend	250.00
Altar Servers Car Wash	227.00
Partners in Charity (10th Report)	110.00
Mass Stipends	45.00
Candles	32.00
Maintenance	11.00
Ascension	5.00
TOTAL	\$3,717.00
Excluding monies restricted to specific needs, we paid the following bills with this week's deposit and from our reserve in the checking account:	
<u>Expenses</u>	
Diocesan Invoices (March, 2016)	\$2,143.00
Electricity (Entire Campus)	931.14
Organists	500.00
Computer Software	463.73
Payroll Taxes (April)	342.39
Salaries & Wages	262.00
Supplies	234.50
Natural Gas (Church & Rectory)	230.89
Internet Access & Cable	202.04
Rectory (Food & Household)	195.83
Repairs & Maintenance	123.95
Partners in Charity (10th Report)	110.00
Telephone (Entire Campus)	89.97
Catholic Free Press	19.00
TOTAL	\$5,848.44
The Finance Committee has determined that we need to collect \$5,380 weekly to meet our financial obligations.	



Proper Reception of Holy Communion

This Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ is a good opportunity to review the proper way to receive Holy Communion. As Catholics, we fully participate in the celebration of the Eucharist when we receive Holy Communion. We are encouraged to receive Communion devoutly and frequently. In order to be properly disposed to receive Communion, we should not be conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted for one hour. (Water and medication are not included in this fast.)

To ensure that full respect is given to the Eucharist, a few items should be noted.

If you are carrying a child in your arms, please receive the Eucharist on your tongue. In this way, care is taken to avoid dropping either your child or Jesus.

Make a slight bow and then either hold out your hands, palms upward and slightly cupped, at about the level of your heart (right hand under your left hand although if you are left-handed you may reverse the hand positions) or open your mouth wide and stick out your tongue.

When Father or Deacon or the Extraordinary Minister says, "The Body of Christ," the expected response is "Amen." Silence is inappropriate. "Thank you," while polite, is also an incorrect response.

Receive Holy Communion in your left hand and use your right hand to place Holy Communion in your mouth (or opposite if you reverse the hand position).

Chewing the Sacred Host is acceptable.

Chewing gum immediately prior to receiving Holy Communion is NOT acceptable; neither is chewing gum while Holy Communion is in your mouth. Please do not swallow the gum. You could choke. Rather, come forward for a blessing.

It is very much appreciated if you clearly indicate whether you wish to receive Holy Communion on the tongue or in the hand.

Any individual who receives Holy Communion must **IMMEDIATELY** consume the Sacred Host in the presence of Father, Deacon or the Extraordinary Minister.

Rest in Peace

We, the parish communities of Our Lady of Loreto and Our Lady of Mt. Carmel extend our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Joseph Pellegrino, Vincent Perrone and Robert Lapriore. May God grant them peace forever and bring comfort to their families and friends.



Call for Hospitality Ministers

We are very proud of our corps of Hospitality Ministers who greet Mass-goers at the door, assist them with any special needs, take the collection and distribute bulletins. As the parishes of Our Lady of Loreto and Our Lady of Mt. Carmel come together, we invite any men and women to come forward to be a part of this ministry. If interested, see Msgr. Pedone, Deacon Paul, Deacon Gerry or John Oliver.



We wish to congratulate John Surabian and Bianca Ciuffredo, who were married on Saturday, May 14, at Our Lady of Loreto. May the God of love warm their hearts and lives.

Prayer When Visiting a Cemetery



Eternal God,
Have mercy on all who are buried here.
(In particular, we pray for N. and N.)
Bring them into your kingdom of light and peace
and let them share joy with you
and with all your saints.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessings and Prayers for Home and Family

"COFFEE AND..." Join us next Sunday, June 5th, between 8:45 and 11:15 am for our first gathering for coffee and conversation. Volunteers needed

We thank James Buffone, Jr. for his donation towards the new organ recently installed in Our Lady of Loreto church.

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 23-26—Women's Cursillo Weekend at Prindle Pond Conference Center, Charlton, MA. Call 508-847-7005 or 774-239-2474 for information.

August 4-7—Women's Cursillo Weekend at Immaculate Conception Spiritual Renewal Center, Putnam, CT. Call 508-847-7005 or 774-239-2474.

**WEEKEND COLLECTION
OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL
5/21/2016 & 5/22/2016**

4:00 PM Mass	\$399.00
8:00 AM Mass	\$460.00
10:00 AM Mass	\$365.00
11:30 AM Mass	\$519.00
Total Mass Collections	<u>\$1,743.00</u>

Special Collections:

Weekend Envelopes –mailed in	\$430.00
Fuel	\$5.00
Catholic Communication Campaign	\$5.00
Peter’s Pence	\$5.00
Capital Campaign	\$20.00
On-Line Giving	\$333.00
Total	<u>\$798.00</u>

Restricted Funds	\$30.00
Unrestricted Funds	<u>\$2,511.00</u>
Total	<u>\$2,541.00</u>

Thank you for your continued support of Our Lady of Mount Carmel-St. Ann parish.

PARKING LOT

It has become a common practice for people to park in our lots who are using the restaurants and other businesses on Shrewsbury Street. Only those who patronize Leo’s Ristorante are authorized to park in the parish lots, as are those using the bocce courts, the parish center, or are here to watch baseball at our Little League field. All others are subject to towing. I am exploring the use of parking lot services to monitor and charge those parking in our lots who are not attending the above listed activities. I am also concerned about vehicles speeding through the lot as a ‘thruway’ between Shrewsbury and East Central Streets. There are signs posted indicating that the lot is not a ‘thruway’ and is private church property. Speeding vehicles present a real danger to all of us, especially to children playing at the ball field and to the elderly residents walking from Mount Carmel Apartments to activities at the parish center and back. I am seriously exploring the possibility of erecting gates at the East Central Street entrance of the parking lot, closing off and preventing this ‘cut thru’ and to control traffic more effectively in our lots.

Monsignor Pedone

PARISH OFFICES AT BOTH OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL AND OUR LADY OF LORETO WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, MEMORIAL DAY. MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED AT 7:00 AM. A HAPPY AND SAFE HOLIDAY TO ALL!

FROM THE PASTOR’S DESK

Dear Friends,

I’m sure we were all deeply saddened and shocked over the tragic death of Police Officer Ronald Tarentino who was killed in the line of duty early last Sunday morning in Auburn. Our society is a very violent one where human life means very little. We seem to have lost respect for each other. When police officers are murdered doing their jobs then no one is safe. Respect for others must be taught in the home by parents who are not afraid to be parents. Our children have to be taught that there are consequences to actions. We see this disrespect not only toward police officers but also toward teachers and other authority figures who we feel stand between us and what we demand for ourselves. Our young people must see respect exercised in the home between parents and among family members. Our society has pushed God to the periphery of our lives and God, the gentleman that he is, is obliging us and leaving us victims of our own poor judgment and actions of those of others.

Our society will continue to tip closer and closer to the precipice of disaster unless we make God an important part of our daily lives and not something we pay lip service to or turn to only when we want something. As I often say – “God will not be mocked!” We need to pray for ourselves, our country, and as we commemorate this Memorial Day weekend, to pray for all those who serve our country as law enforcement personnel, as members of the military, for all those who gave their lives in service of our country.

Let us today turn back to God and make Him the center of our lives. In doing so God will continue to bless us, our great country and all those we love and cherish.

Monsignor Pedone

**REDUCTION OF PARISH STAFF AT
OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL**

Because of a sharp drop-off in offertory collections during the past several weeks, it has become necessary to cut three members of the parish staff. Our Lady of Mount Carmel is experiencing a serious cash flow problem and the Mt. Carmel Finance Committee will continue to monitor this.

BAKE SALE

The Dominican Sisters will be selling their baked goods this weekend **Saturday, May 28 and Sunday, May 29** after all Masses.

They will be selling their breads, brownies, and apple and blueberry pies. These are baked according to the Dominican Sisters. The proceeds from the sale will be used to buy medical supplies for their mission to support the lepers. Your support is greatly appreciated.



**MASS
INTENTIONS**

Saturday, May 28, 2016—3:00 p.m.— Confessions

Saturday, May 28, 2016—4:00 p.m.

Carol Cruzen (3rd Anniversary) by Sister, Anna Fenuccio

Joseph Steinys by Aldona Kibelkstis

Lucy R. DiLeo (Birthday Remembrance) by Family

Sunday, May 29, 2016—8:00 a.m.

The People of the Parish

Sunday, May 29, 2016—10:00 a.m.

John Turo (18th Anniversary) by Family

Kleber Burgos (2nd Anniversary) by Yolanda Burgos and Family

Paul Marrone by sister Caryl

Sunday, May 29, 2016—11:30 a.m.

Gino Ceccarelli by wife Gina and Family

Miguel Gilardez by Family

Monday, May 30, 2016—7:00 a.m.

Parishioners Intentions

Tuesday, May 31, 2016—7:00 a.m.

The Sick of the Parish

Wednesday, June 1, 2016—7:00 a.m.

Mildred Stapor (First Anniversary) by Family

Thursday, June 2, 2016—7:00 a.m.

Parishioners Intentions

Friday, June 3, 2016—7:00 a.m.

The People of the Parish

Saturday, June 4, 2016—3:00 p.m.— Confessions

Saturday, June 4, 2016—4:00 p.m.

Barbara A. Pedone by Children

Deceased Members of the Valarioti Family By Flo & Tony Murgo

The Intentions of Mendrick Banzuela By Banzuela Family

Sunday, June 5, 2016—8:00 a.m.

Edwin Radziewicz (10th Anniversary) by Children and Grandchildren

Sunday, June 5, 2016—10:00 a.m.

AnnMarie Clemente Cavalieri (15th Anniversary) By Family

Joseph Bellino by Parents

Ralph Notarangelo (First Anniversary) by Wife and Daughter

Josie Fifi Panzero by Family

Sunday, June 5, 2016—11:30 a.m.

Deceased Members of the Martone Family and June Leonard By Martone Family

Marie Pecorelli (Birthday Remembrance) by Family

Alfred Sacco (First Anniversary) by Family



Please pray for the sick of our parish: Francis Caffone, Susan Stomski, Donna Grasseschi, Lori Blackwell, Carmella Szklarz, Matteo Fiore, Matthew Hicks, Henry Penny, Patrick Loconto, Eleanor Lupisella, Butch Rano, Mary O'Connor, Christina Rovezzi, Christopher Collazo, Eleanor Gaudenzi, Patricia Naples, Paula Mari, Sim Simone, Cathy Coffey, Mary Ciuffredo, Mildred Bassan, Vincent Pusateri, Debbie Caffone, Carol Youngstrom, Juana E. Pignataro, Joseph Lapomardo, Joseph Ginskus, Philip Powers, Marcia DiLeo, Virginia Czubrynski, Karen Remian, Chester DiLeo, Nelson Carlson, Mike Scaglione, Sandra Powers, Robert Mazzola, Jennifer Bodinizzo, Martin Laine, and Antoinette Raddi. May the Lord give them strength, courage and healing.

**THIS WEEK OUR SANCTUARY LAMP IS
DEDICATED TO THE MEMORY OF:**

Vera Sbrogna
By Husband Gus

**OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL – ST. ANN
GOLDEN YEARS CLUB**

Program for the Month May 2016

May 31, 2016

10:00 A.M. Socializing

12:00 NOON Lunch – Followed by Social.

PARTNERS IN CHARITY

Again this year we are asked to assist the Diocese in its charitable and educational outreach to the people of Worcester County. This appeal is a vital lifeline for many throughout the Diocese and allows our parish members to assist in the Church's mission. Special *Partners in Charity appeal* envelopes can be found in the pews. You can either mail your gift to the Chancery Office or drop it in the collection basket. Our goal this year is \$56,700.00. So far, you as a parish community have donated or pledged \$43,262 toward our goal. We need to raise \$13,438 to meet our goal. Please be generous.

ITALIAN FESTIVAL BANNERS

To renew or purchase your Festival banner please contact Mary DiSilvestro at 508-757-8437 or Gina Valentine at 508-826-0048 or gina.valentine@state.ma.us

Banner forms can be found on our website mtcarmelfestival.com

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR SUMMER PROGRAM

The following is a list of supplies needed for the summer program. Please drop them off at the Parish Center Monday—Friday 9 a.m.—4 p.m.

Board games, card games, flash cards, kick balls or playground balls, jump ropes, hula hoops, bad mitten set, bean bags, finger paint, construction paper, glue sticks, fabric, yarn, blank CD discs and color foam sheets

Any and all donations are appreciated.

FUNDRAISERS FOR SUMMER PROGRAM

Here Comes Summer! And we have many plans; Our Beach Trips will be held every Monday, starting on **July 11**. Our summer program will begin on **Tuesday, July 5 - Thursday, August 4** for children ages 4 - 10. The teenagers are excited about their annual overnight in Gloucester the weekend of **August 6 -7**. This year we will go to Water Country on Thursday, **July 7**. We have a trip plan to Gillette Tower and for the adults we are planning two mystery trips. We also have a few surprises that are still being planned.

But, we need to raise money to support our programs. Last year we had a series of Dining for the Youth. The next planned fundraiser will be:

May 31, will be our EVENING OF BEAUTY and Fun from **4:00 - 7:30 p.m.** at Invidium's on Franklin Street. Which will include Dining for the Youth at **Pepe's from 4:00 -9**. Mention Our Lady of Mt. Carmel and 15% of your purchase will go the our summer youth program.

We need your help to make this Evening of Beauty a success! We are looking for hairdressers and manicurist to help. If you are willing to help or know anyone that is a hairdresser or manicurist that could support the cause, please email me at joan_dargenis@yahoo.com or call **508-791-6139**.

UPCOMING THEATRE TRIPS

October 2 - Wicked – Cost \$75.00
November 6 – The King and I – Cost \$54.00
March 5 – The Lion King – more info will follow

All of these performances are at the Providence Performing Arts Center and includes the cost of the bus (school bus). Please e-mail Joan at joan_dargenis@yahoo.com to reserve tickets.

NEW YORK CITY DAY TRIP

Saturday, July 16, 2016
\$55 per person
More information to follow.

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION AT EAST PARK

Friday, July 1. The CYC members will be face painting, hair streaking and painting nails again this year. Donations of face paint, hair spray coloring (red, white, and blue) and nail polish (red, white, and blue) would be much appreciated

WATER COUNTRY

Thursday, July 7 – This is a family trip – There will be no regular summer program on this day. No children under 10, will be allow to attend without a parent or guardian. Cost - \$35. Includes bus. Children under eight, the cost will be \$27.00.

FAMILY BEACH TRIPS

Monday, July 11	Hampton Beach
Monday, July 18	Hampton Beach
Monday, July 25	Gloucester Good Harbor
Monday, August 1	Hampton Beach
Monday, August 8	Gloucester Good Harbor
Monday, August 15	Newport

The Beach Trips fill up quickly. Sign-ups are a must. We leave at 8:00 a.m. and return at around 5:00 p.m. The cost is \$20.00 per person or \$35.00 per family up to 5 members each person thereafter is an additional \$5.00. Please call the parish office at 508-797-4546 to sign up or email Joan at joan_dargenis@yahoo.com

VACATION BIBLE & SUMMER PROGRAM

Please sign-up in Advance

Ages 4 – 10
July 5 – August 4 (9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.)
We are offering an 8:30 a.m. drop off; we will charge \$5.00 per child or \$10.00 for a family each day or \$10.00 per child for all three days and \$20.00 per family for all three days. Sign-up sheet below

Child's Name: _____
Address: _____
Parents Name: _____
Email Address: _____

Please select week or weeks your child will be attending:
July 5– 9 _____ July 12-14 _____ July 19 -21 _____
July 26 – July 28 _____ August 2 – 4 _____

There is no charge for this program, but donations to offset our cost would be greatly appreciated. Suggested donation would be \$25.00 per child.

Tuesdays will be trip day and the trips will cost \$10.00 per child.

End of Bulletin

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