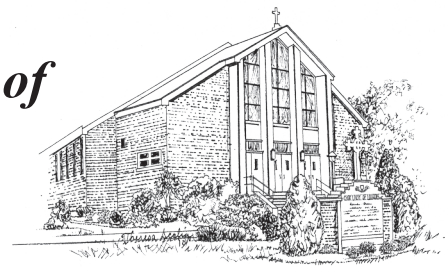




*Welcome to:  
The Parishes of Our Lady of  
Mount Carmel-St. Ann  
and Our Lady of Loreto*



**MASS SCHEDULE**

**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.

**24 Mulberry St., Worcester, MA 01605**

Mailing address: 28 Mulberry St., Worcester, MA 01605

Parish telephone: 508-797-4546

Parish fax: 508-755-3506

Religious Education: 508-791-6139

Parish e-mail: [lisaolmc@gmail.com](mailto:lisaolmc@gmail.com)

Parish Website: [www.mtcarmel.ws](http://www.mtcarmel.ws)

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**LORD'S DAY MASSES**

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

**DAILY MASS**

Monday, Tuesday, and Friday at 8:00 a.m.  
in the Parish Center Chapel

**HOLY DAY MASSES**

8:00 a.m.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

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

**33 Massasoit Road, Worcester, MA 01604**

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Parish fax: 508-754-1537

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Parish e-mail - [clergy@ourladyofloreto.net](mailto: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 at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, please call 508-797-4546. To schedule a baptism at Our Lady of Loreto Church, please call 508-753-5001.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY**

To schedule a wedding at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, please call 508-797-4546. To schedule a wedding at Our Lady of Loreto Church, please call 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.

**Lenten Schedule for Week of  
February 15 at  
Loreto and Mt. Carmel**

**Monday, February 15**

7:00 am - Mass at Mt. Carmel

**Tuesday, February 16**

7:00 am – Mass at Mt. Carmel

6:30 - 8:00 pm - Confessions at both Loreto and Mt. Carmel

**Wednesday, February 17**

7:00 am - Mass at Mt. Carmel

**Thursday, February 18**

7:00 am - Mass at Mt. Carmel

**Friday, February 19**

7:00 am – Mass at Mt. Carmel

Noon - 6:30 pm—Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at Mt. Carmel

6:30 pm - Stations of the Cross at Mt. Carmel

**Saturday, February 20**

11 am - noon - Confessions at Mt. Carmel

2:30 – 3:45 pm - Confessions at Loreto and Mt. Carmel

**Sunday, February 21**

10:30 am - Anointing of the Sick during Mass at Loreto



**UMass Memorial Ronald  
McDonald Care Mobile  
Are You Uninsured?**

**Do You Need Medical or Dental Services?**

If Yes, Come See Us in the parking lot of  
**Our Lady of Loreto Parish on Monday, February 22  
from 9 am—3 pm**

We offer preventive dental and health care services including: dental health care and Worcester Public Schools Dental Screening, physical exams, sports physicals, immunizations, outreach and more.

We provide medical and dental care for children and families even if they **have no insurance or are unable to pay.**

Flu shots provided free of charge and without an appointment.

To make an appointment, call 508-334-6073

For more information, contact: Nardy Vega at 508-341-9416

**Sponsored by UMASS Memorial**

All are invited to participate in contributing to our new **Our Lady of Mt. Carmel– St. Ann and Our Lady of Loreto Cookbook** project—no matter what your nationality! All those recipes, whether they have been handed down through generations or are your own creation, are valuable. Won't you please share them with us?

**Lenten Prayer**

*Lord God, you call us to repentance and self-denial.*

*While we can choose our penances,  
so many of our brothers and sisters  
have not the basic needs of life.*

*Teach us humility in our works of penance,  
so that our fast may be a victory over egotism  
and self-indulgence,  
through Jesus, the Christ, our Lord.*

*~Proclaiming All Your Wonders*



**YEAR OF MERCY**

**“In South Korea at the National Leprosy Center, where I served as a Maryknoll Sister-nurse, I saw countless moments of mercy among the 4,000 patients who lived in very close quarters in the men’s section. I would see five or six men on mats on the floor helping each other, feeding one another, leading a blind man, holding on to a long bamboo pole to assist an amputee with his prosthesis, never quarreling or arguing, just making life the best they could for each other.”**

***Joan Sauvigne, M.M.***

**Loreto Financial Stewardship**

For the week ending February 7, 2016

**Income**

Offertory	\$2,724.00
Rental Income	800.00
Maintenance	509.00
Catholic Free Press	150.00
Donations—Other	125.00
Memorial Donations	100.00
Fuel	100.00
Expense Reimbursement	74.97
Candles	12.00
Mass Stipends	10.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$4,604.97</b>

Excluding monies restricted to specific needs, we paid the following bills with this week’s deposit and from our reserve in the checking account:

**Expenses**

Calendar Raffle Winners (1/25-1/31)	\$825.00
Repairs & Maintenance	466.00
Salaries & Wages	354.00
Organists	250.00
Rubbish Removal	138.60
Envelope Monitoring	130.79
Cantors	60.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,224.39</b>

The Finance Committee has determined that we need to collect \$5,380 weekly to meet our financial obligations.

**Lenten Anointing**

During the 10:30 am Mass at Loreto on February 21 and the 11:30 am Mass at Mt. Carmel on February 28, parishioners will have the opportunity to be anointed. Anointing with oil has long been associated with the covenantal relationships of God's people, and as a form of the church's ministry to the sick. In a similar way, the laying on of hands has long signified the consecration of persons. In faith we believe that God intends for us to be spiritually whole; that spiritual wholeness is the basis of sound health; that the power to restore wholeness and health resides only in God; and that only in and through Christ is wholeness available. Anointing expresses our faith that even when a person must bear illness or loss of bodily function, this person's relationship with God will sustain them. It recognizes that confession, forgiveness, and restoration of relationship are essential to wholeness. We invite anyone suffering physical, emotional or spiritual illness to avail themselves of this wonderful Lenten opportunity.

**Mark Your Calendar**

Mon., Feb. 15- 3:00 pm—Prayer Group @ Lourdes  
 Tues., Feb. 16 - 7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus at Loreto Center  
 Wed., Feb. 17 - 6:30-9:30 pm—Deacon Classes at Loreto Center  
 Sun., Feb. 21 - Religious Education for Grades 1-9 @ Lourdes  
 Mon., Feb. 22 - 9 am—3 pm—UMass Care Mobile @ Loreto

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Monday, Feb. 22** - 1-2:00 pm—Our Lady of Good Council, six-session **Bereavement Support group**. Call Renate @ 508-8353286 to register.  
**Saturday, March 12**—16th Annual Diocesan Men's Conference @ Worcester DCU. Call 508-929-4345 for more information.  
**April 21-24** - Men's Cursillo Weekend  
**June 23 - 26** - Women's Cursillo Weekend - Immaculate Conception Spiritual Renewal Center in Putnam, CT . Call Carolyn @ 508-847-7005 or Joan @ 774-239-2474 for more information.

**Rest in Peace**

*We, the parish community of Our Lady of Loreto, extend our deepest sympathy to the families and friends of Mary Grace and Nicholas Fusaro, Louis Calcagni and Ruth Boria. May God grant them peace forever and bring comfort to their families and friends.*

**Mass Intentions for Our Lady of Loreto**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2016**

4:00 pm—In *Thanksgiving for Thelma Ortiz*  
 By Ortiz Family And  
 Maureen Karalus By Peg Moran

**FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**  
**FEBRUARY 14, 2016**

8:00 am - *Living & Deceased Parishioners*  
 10:30 am - *Robert Audette (2A)* By Deacon Paul & Marilyn

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2016**

4:00 pm—*Maureen Karalus* By Peg Moran  
 Confessions: 2:30 pm at Loreto

**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**  
**FEBRUARY 21, 2016**

8:00 am - *Living & Deceased Parishioners*  
 10:30 am - *Kristina Naikelis* By Vanda Ramonas

Members of the family requesting the Mass are asked to bring the gifts of bread and wine to the altar. Please make yourselves known to the Hospitality Ministers and position yourselves when it is convenient to join the Offertory Procession.

**IN RESPONSE TO A NUMBER OF REQUESTS, BEGINNING THIS SUNDAY, WE WILL INITIATE AN 8:00 AM MASS. THEREAFTER, LORD'S DAY MASSES WILL BE CELEBRATED AT 4:00 PM SATURDAYS AND 8:00 AND 10:30 AM SUNDAYS.**

**2015-2016 Religious Education News for Our Lady of Loreto**

Classes for Grades 1 - 9 and for Confirmation are on Sunday mornings immediately following the 9:30 Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes (10:30—11:45 am). Contact Joe Caforio at 978-808-8583 or Deacon Paul at 508-753-5001 if you would like more information or for a registration form.

All public school students need to be enrolled in Religious Education classes. In addition, all public, parochial and private school students need to be enrolled in Grade 2 (First Penance & Communion) classes.

**MACARONI & MEATBALLS CONTEST**—Saturday, March 5, 6:15 pm. Which CCD teacher makes the best?

**WEEKEND COLLECTION  
OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL  
2/6/2016 & 2/7/2016**

4:00 PM Mass	\$1,042.00
8:00 AM Mass	\$853.00
10:00 AM Mass	\$1,443.00
11:30 AM Mass	\$1,269.00
Shared Envelopes	\$90.00
Total Mass Collections	<u>\$4,697.00</u>

Special Collections:

Weekend Envelopes –mailed in	\$799.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$20.00
Catholic Free Press	\$30.00
Fuel	\$186.00
Initial Offering	\$20.00
Churches in Latin America	\$25.00
Capital Campaign	\$285.00
On-Line Giving	\$393.00
Candle Offering	\$211.00
Total	<u>\$1,969.00</u>

Restricted Funds	\$360.00
Unrestricted Funds	<u>\$6,306.00</u>
Total	<u>\$6,666.00</u>

The Finance Committee has determined that we need to collect \$9,400 each week to meet our current expenses. Thank you for your continued support of Our Lady of Mount Carmel-St. Ann parish.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION BEGINNING AT 12:30 PM EVERY FRIDAY AT OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL (EXCEPT GOOD FRIDAY) AND ENDING WITH BENEDICTION AND STATIONS OF THE CROSS AT 6:30 PM**

**EXPANDED OPPORTUNITIES FOR  
CONFESSION**

Confessions will be heard every Tuesday evening in Lent from 6:30 to 8:00 pm and every Saturday from 2:30 to 3:45 pm at both Mt. Carmel and Loreto. Additionally, every Saturday from 11:00 am to 12:00 noon at Mt. Carmel only.

**VERY IMPORTANT MEETING OF ALL PARISHIONERS OF BOTH PARISHES ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21<sup>ST</sup> BEGINNING AT 1:00 PM IN MT. CARMEL PARISH CENTER. WE WILL BE DISCUSSING THE FUTURE PLANS FOR BOTH PARISHES. YOU ARE STRONGLY URGED TO ATTEND.**

**SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING**

On February 21<sup>st</sup> at the 10:30 Mass at Loreto and on February 28<sup>th</sup> at the 11:30 Mass at Mount Carmel, we will administer the Sacrament of Anointing. This sacrament is intended for those experiencing serious illness, are awaiting surgery, are dealing with the debilitating effects of old age or are feeling the need for physical, emotional or spiritual healing are invited to come forward for the reception of this sacrament.

**PRESIDENTS' DAY –  
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15<sup>TH</sup> -  
PARISH OFFICES AT BOTH MT. CARMEL AND  
LORETO WILL BE CLOSED.  
ENJOY THE HOLIDAY!**

**WINTER WEATHER POLICY**

For the sake of safety, *when Worcester schools cancel or delay class, morning Mass at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church is canceled.* Please listen to WTAG or WSRS for no school announcements.



**ADULT CONTINUING ED CLASSES**

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel-St. Ann Parish will continue the Adult Continuing Ed Classes beginning on **Monday February 8, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.** During these sessions, we will be discussing what the season of Lent and how we can best participate in it in preparation for Easter.

Anyone interested in taking part in these sessions, are asked to please contact Maria @ [508-842-7604](tel:508-842-7604).

**BEATO ANGELO D'ACRI ITALIAN WOMEN'S  
CLUB – 79 YEARS STRONG!**

We are welcoming new members and past members to come join in the fellowship of belonging to the Beato Angelo d'Acri Italian Women's Club. If you are at least 18 years of age, of Acri or other Italian decent, or are "Italian thru marriage", please drop in and check us out. We meet the first Monday of the following months: March, April, May, June, September, October, November and December at the American Legion Post #201 – 326 Plantation St. Worcester. Meetings begin at 7:00 P.M. If you cannot make our first meeting, you are welcome to join us at any of our remaining meetings. The dues is \$20.00 for our calendar year. Some of the things you'll experience are field trips, guest speakers, parade participation, community service projects, and delicious "coffee and" prepared by volunteering members. I look forward to seeing all the new faces and welcoming back our past members.

Jane Sabatalo Karantzoulidis- President





# MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 13, 2016—4:00 p.m.

**Robert J. Pellegrino** by daughter Marlena and Family  
**Fusae Pignataro** (6th Anniversary) by daughters Maria and Michelle

Sunday, February 14, 2016—8:00 a.m.

**Anthony F. Ritacco, Sr.** (18th Anniversary) by Family  
**Cornelius O'Connor** by Family  
**Henry Pignataro, Sr.** (16th Anniversary) by wife Chelestine

Sunday, February 14, 2016—10:00 a.m.

**Ida Fraioli** by Mary Ann and Carmelita Bello  
**Frank Riccardi** (4th Anniversary) by wife Mary

Sunday, February 14, 2016—11:30 a.m.

**Ann Dumas** by Family  
**Marie Pecorelli** by husband and children

Monday, February 15, 2016—7:00 a.m.

**Deceased of Feola Family, Antoinetta Rossetti,**  
**Rosalba Puca** by D'Andrea Damily

Tuesday, February 16, 2016—7:00 a.m.

**John O'Connor** by David and Barbara Lamacchia

Wednesday, February 17, 2016—7:00 a.m.

**Lucy Marzilli** by Jim Burke

Thursday, February 18, 2016—7:00 a.m.

**William C. Scaglione** by son Michael

Friday, February 19, 2016—7:00 a.m.

**The Sick of the Parish**

Saturday, February 20, 2016—4:00 p.m.

**Eric E. Swenson** (First Anniversary) by Mother and Sister

Sunday, February 21, 2016—8:00 a.m.

**Joseph Cianci** (First Anniversary) by Mr. and Mrs. Michael Cianci and daughter Gianna  
**John A. Pascarelli** (21st Anniversary) by wife Lillian

Sunday, February 21, 2016—10:00 a.m.

**Francis Turo** (Anniversary and Birthday Remembrance) by Family  
**Gregory Travaglio** by Carlo and Lucrezia Sasso  
**Nikki & Joe Gangai** by Marlene, Steve, Gene and Michelle

Sunday, February 21, 2016—11:30 a.m.

**Felix D. Scricco, Jr.** by Wife and Daughters  
**Frank & Mary Bafaro, Lorraine & William Blais, Carl & Richard Bafaro and Dr. John Howard** by Family



**Please pray for the sick of our parish:** Anna Perro, 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, Eileen Biziewski, 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, Ethel Toney, Marcia DiLeo, Virginia Czubrynsk, Karen Remian, Chester DiLeo, Nelson Carlson, Donna & Skippy Brideau and Mike Scaglione. May the Lord give them strength, courage and healing.

## COOKBOOKS

Thank you for your interest in the Mount Carmel-St. Ann and Our Lady of Loreto Cookbook.



Again:

- We encourage you to submit no more than 5 recipes.
- We encourage recipes from all ethnic backgrounds.
- Print legibly in ink.
- Electronic copies available upon request from cherylbert23@gmail.com or ebeaudry19@gmail.com
- Recipes due February 18, 2016.
- We anxiously await to hear from you.

For questions, contact a Committee Member.

*Cheryl Berthiaume* 508-854-2437 or cherylbert23@gmail.com, *Elaine Beaudry* 508-769-1473 or ebeaudry19@gmail.com, *Joanne Colombo* 774-239-0560, *Mary DiSilvestro* 508-757-8437, *Caryl Masiello* 508-842-4540, *Ann Marie Moreschi* 508-842-8517, *Vera G. Novick* 508-799-9711, *Rose G. Porcaro* 508-756-9114, *Julie Tufano* 508-757-3170 and *Mike Rinaldi*.

### **Our Lady of Mount Carmel – St. Ann Golden Years Club**

**Program for the Month February 2016**

#### **February 16, 2016**

9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. **VNA** "Keep Well Clinic" – Blood Pressure Etc.  
10:00 a.m. Valentine Continental Breakfast

#### **February 23, 2016**

10:00 A.M. Socializing  
12:00 NOON Lunch – Followed by Social.

**DONATIONS NEEDED**

The Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Women's Guild has decided on two service projects.

1. A collection is being made for the Veterans of socks and toiletries. A box will be placed in the center to drop off items. The delivery will be made at the beginning of February.
2. Another collection of socks, scarfs, mittens and hats for the needy. These items will be dropped off at various locations where there is the most need. A box for this collection will also be placed in the Parish Center. This delivery will be made on Saturday, February 6.

If you would like to join the Women's Guild meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month at the Parish Center. Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, February 16 at 6:30 p.m.

**PICNIC WITHOUT ANTS**

**Thursday, February 18, 10:00 a.m. – 12:30 a.m.** Bring your picnic lunch, blanket, beach chairs and toys. This is a fun day for all ages. We will have games such as sack races, and leap frog, crafts and fun, fun, fun! Ribbons will be given to the children as prizes

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

The Pancake Breakfast will be held **February 28 after the 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. Masses.** Cost is \$4 per person. Meal includes pancakes, sausage and juice. Hope to see you there.

**CCD 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> Grades** will be presenting a Power Point Presentation on a variety of Religious Topics these presentations will be done using Paintings, Sculptors, and Books. The students will choose a particular work of art or book and explain the meaning behind the work of art or book. All parents, sponsors, friends and relatives are invited to join us on the evenings of **Monday, March 7** (9<sup>th</sup> grade presentations) and **Tuesday, March 8** (10<sup>th</sup> grade presentations) starting at 6:30 p.m. We are looking for donations of cookies and pastries 10th grade students also chose a particular question to answer and will present it via Power Point

**Commitment Sunday  
for Confirmation Candidates is Sunday,  
March 13 at the 10:00 a.m. Mass.**

**First Penance is March 19 at 8:30 a.m. with tea to follow at the Parish Center.**

**SING ALONG AT THE  
CHRISTOPHER HOUSE  
March 22**

More details will follow. We are looking for a group to join us at the Christopher House for an old fashion sing along.

**HOLY THURSDAY - March 24**

Mass for both parishes at 7:30 pm at Mt. Carmel only. A bus will be available after the Holy Thursday Mass so that we may visit local churches.

As a reminder Our Lady of Loreto and Our Lady of Mount Carmel-St. Ann follow the guidelines of the national Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People approved by the US Bishops and the policies of the Diocese of Worcester in screening those who work with children in our care and in helping victims of abuse find healing. If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a Church employee or volunteer in the past, please contact Frances Nugent, Victim Services Coordinator for our diocese at 508-929-4363 (direct line & confidential voicemail). If you are concerned about a current case of abuse, please contact the local civil authorities immediately.

**PARISH FOOD PANTRY**

Through your generosity, we are able to help families in our local area with food. Please drop off food items in the white cart in the rear of the church. Your donations make a big difference to some one who is hungry. Many thanks!

**IACC NEW YORK TRIP**

April 23 – 24, 2016 roundtrip deluxe motor coach to New York City Hotel –Lexington New York City – 48<sup>th</sup> Street 2 in the room - \$265.00 per person, 3 in the room - \$225.00 per person, 4 in the room - \$195.00 per person. Price includes hotel and bus, and a visit to the Metropolitan Museum The Cloisters. I will send additional options as I get I make arrangements. I am looking into a show, museum, etc.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
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Send payment to Joan D'Argenis, 4 Grove Heights Drive, Worcester, Ma 01605. Checks should be written payable to the IACC.

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