



*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 Thursday 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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Deacon Paul (home) - 508-886-2856

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**MINISTERIAL STAFF**

Rev. Msgr. F. Stephen Pedone, Pastor

Most Rev. George E. Rueger, in residence

Gerald Montiverdi, Deacon

Joan D'Argenis, Director of Religious Education

Maria Sciannameo, RCIA Director

Mary DiSilvestro, Sacristan

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.

**Sponsors for Baptism and Confirmation**

We receive numerous requests to issue a letter of suitability for persons who are to serve as sponsors for baptism and confirmation at other parishes. This letter serves to indicate that the person has received the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation in the Catholic Church, that he or she is a registered member of either Our Lady of Loreto Parish or Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish, is a regular attendee at Mass and practices the Catholic faith.

We cannot issue such a letter if these criteria are not met. At times, we have to refuse to issue this letter because a person is not registered or attending Mass at either Our Lady of Loreto or Our Lady of Mt. Carmel. Thank you for understanding. If you have any questions, please see Msgr. Pedone or Deacon Paul.

**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 Barbara Reidy, mother of Rev. Richard Reidy. May God grant her peace forever and bring comfort to her family and friends.*



**YEAR OF MERCY**

“I was in prison and you visited me’ (Mt 25:36). In the summer of 1987, Mother Teresa paid a visit to San Quentin’s death row section, a visit described afterward by one man awaiting execution. The inmates in this section known as ‘the shelf’ were gathered together where Mother Teresa greeted them individually and gave each one a Miraculous Medal of Mary. The inmate recounted that at one moment she turned to a nearby sergeant and said for all to hear: ‘What you do to these men, you do to God.’ The sergeant, said the inmate, was affected for n’a whole day and a half.’ Cynicism may have clouded the inmate’s perception, or maybe the words of Mother Teresa did in fact deliver only a passing shock. We ourselves may be unable to enter into prisons, but even if we cannot fulfill this corporal work of mercy in a concrete manner, we still should make a serious effort to live it. This can be done by intentions in our prayer. Those in prison have usually sinned much, and they need much prayer. In many cases the salvation of their souls is in a precarious state of uncertainty. They are also often quite forgotten. Cut off from our attention, they may receive little prayer from us. They are the poorest of the poor in that sense. Perhaps we may find one day that this work of intercession was one of our most important works.

*Father Donald Haggerty*

**“COFFEE AND... “**

Join us once again after the  
8 am and 10 am Masses  
For coffee, a sweet treat and  
Good Conversation!



**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Sept. 13, 6:00 pm—CYC “Welcome Cookout”** at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Center for young people in Grades 7-12 and their parents. Call 508-791-6139 for more information and to make a reservation.

**Sept. 17—after 4:00 pm Mass—Safe Environment Training** and CORI renewal at Loreto. Call Ginny Lelakis at 508-792-2750 for details.

**Sept. 25—Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Women’s Guild -** 11:30 am Mass at Our Lady of Loreto followed by Brunch at Maxwell Silverman’s, \$26.00. Call Stella at 774-2537015 for **reservations by Sept.23.**

**Oct. 22, 9am-4pm—Our Lady of Loreto HARVEST FEST** @ Mt. Carmel’s DeFeudis Center.

**Loreto Financial Stewardship**

For the week ending September 4, 2016

**Income**

Offertory	\$2,687.00
Maintenance	538.00
Rental Income	400.00
Funeral Stipends	300.00
Mass Stipends	75.00
Candles	47.00
Assumption	5.00

**TOTAL** \$4,052.00

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

**Expenses**

Salaries & Wages	\$3,370.74
Diocesan Invoices (August)	2,149.27
Mass Stipends (August)	395.00
Cantors (August)	350.00
Envelopes & Monitoring	319.38
Repairs & Maintenance	310.50
Visiting Priests (Mass Coverage)	300.00
Funeral Stipends	250.00
Organists	250.00
Rubbish Removal	138.60
Altar Supplies	78.30

**TOTAL** \$7,911.79

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

**HARVEST FEST  
UPDATE**

**October 22, 2016**

**9 am—4 pm**

**To be held at**

**Our Lady of Mt. Carmel's DeFeudis Center  
Outside Vendors are Welcome**

**Next meeting: Tuesday, September 13 @ 6:30 pm**

Contact:

Elaine Beaudry @ 508-835-4592 or Matt Colletta  
@ 508-755-1165 for more information. All are  
welcome to plan, participate and have fun!!

**Remember: everyone participating must be  
CORI checked.**

**LAST OPPORTUNITY FOR TRAINING!!**

**Saturday, Sept. 17, after the 4:00 Mass for  
both Safety Environment Training and CORI  
renewals. Please call Ginny Lelakis if you are  
planning to attend either session.**



Blessing for the Fallen of 9-11

God of mercy,  
in your word of Scripture, you instruct us to  
"Do to others as you would have them do to you."

Give us today the courage to assist those around us  
who may need our assistance.  
Give us patience when we become impatient.

But above all give us a heart  
thankful for those who have given their lives  
as first responders, as did the men and women  
who ran towards the Twin Towers  
in New York City on 9-11.

We ask all this in the name of the One  
who first responded to our need for a savior,  
Jesus the Christ.  
Amen.

**St. Teresa of Calcutta - Saint of Mercy**

On September 4, Pope Francis canonized Gonxha Agnes Bojaxhiu, known to the world as Mother Teresa of Calcutta. Born in Skopje, Macedonia in 1910, she left home at 18 to join the Sisters of Loreto in Ireland. It was there that she received the name the world came to know her by, Sr. Mary Teresa. Her community sent her to Calcutta to begin teaching in the community's school for girls. By 1944 she became the principal of the school and enjoyed 20 years as a Sister of Loreto.

On September 10, 1946, during a train ride from Calcutta to Darjeeling, Mother Teresa received her call to minister to the poor. While sitting in her seat, she was taken over by inspiration from Jesus with the message, "Come Be My Light," and formed a community dedicated to the service of the poorest of the poor. The community would eventually be called the "Missionaries of Charity." On August 17, 1948 she donned for the first time the very familiar white and blue bordered sari and set out from her community of Loreto to enter the world of the poor.

Between 1948 when she began her ministry to 1997 when she died, Mother Teresa's Missionaries of Charity grew to nearly 4,000 members and established itself in 123 countries. She was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize and upon her death was honored with a state funeral by the government of India.

St. Teresa of Calcutta will be known under the title of "Saint of Mercy."

**Mark Your Calendar**

**Tues., Sept., 13—6:30 pm—Harvest Fest Meeting  
@ Loreto Center  
7:00 pm—Knights of Columbus @  
Loreto Center**

**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. We especially need people for the 11:30 AM Mass. 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.

**SANGHEE KIM**

We are very happy to welcome our new organist for the Saturday 4 p.m. mass, Sanghee Kim, whose Christian name is Catherine. After graduating from the Pusan National University in Korea she earned a Master of Music degree from the Boston Conservatory. She has performed in many concerts in and around Boston and abroad and is currently playing at local churches on Sundays. She was the organist for the Saturday mass at Mt. Carmel and we are delighted to have her join us again.

**WEEKEND COLLECTION  
OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL  
9/3/2016 & 9/4/2016**

4:00 PM Mass	\$594.00
8:00 AM Mass	\$478.00
10:00 AM Mass	\$350.00
11:30 AM Mass	\$372.00
Total Mass Collections	<u>\$1,794.00</u>
Special Collections:	
Weekend Envelopes –mailed in	\$1,270.00
All Saints	\$15.00
All Souls	\$15.00
Assumption	\$7.00
Catholic Schools	\$15.00
Capital Campaign	\$125.00
On-Line Giving	\$195.00
Total	<u>\$1,642.00</u>
Restricted Funds	\$140.00
Unrestricted Funds	<u>\$3,296.00</u>
Total	<u>\$3,436.00</u>

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

**RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN  
INITIATION FOR ADULTS)**

The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) program at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel-St. Ann Parish & Our Lady of Loreto Parish begins in the fall and continues through the Easter season. This program is open to any ADULT who 1) is interested in becoming Catholic, 2) is in need of receiving any one or all of the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist, 3) wishes to enter into full communion with the Roman Catholic Church, as well as those who have been away from the Church and want to return and/or just want to learn more about the teachings of the Church. Our Lady of Mt. Carmel-St. Ann and Our Lady of Loreto parishes will begin their RCIA program on Wednesday October 5, 2016 at 6:30 pm at the center. For more information please contact Maria at [508-842-7604](tel:508-842-7604) or email [mls352@yahoo.com](mailto:mls352@yahoo.com). Please give your name, and contact information. Or call O.L. Mt. Center at [508-797-4546](tel:508-797-4546) or O.L. Loreto at [508-753-5001](tel:508-753-5001).

Dear Devotee's of San Vitaliano;

It's that time of year again for our Annual Feast of San Vitaliano. This year our date is Sunday October 2, 2016

Please meet at Leo's Restaurant at 12:30PM. This year we will have a family style dinner down stairs, the cost is \$35.00 per person. Any baked goods would be appreciated.

Hope to see all of you there to give Thanks to San Vitaliano for another year!

Sincerely  
Mark Gerardi

Please send payments to me at Mercadante Funeral, Home, 370 Plantation St., Worcester, MA 01605

**WOMEN'S GUILD**

The Our Lady of Mt Carmel Women's Guild will start their year with Mass on Sunday, September 25 at Our Lady of Loreto. Mass will be at 11:30 a.m. followed by a Brunch at Maxwell's Silverman's. The cost of the Brunch will be \$26.00 and that includes the taxes and gratuity. Reservations must be made in advance. We invite all women to join us, even those who are not yet members. For reservations please call Stella at [774-253-7015](tel:774-253-7015). Reservations must be made by September 23, no exceptions.

**PARISH FOOD PANTRY**

Through your generosity, we are able to help families in our local area with food. Please drop off food items at the parish center. Your donations make a big difference to someone who is hungry. Many thanks!

**“Any country that accepts abortion is not teaching its people to love, but to use any violence to get what they want. This is why the greatest destroyer of love and peace is abortion.”**

**Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta**

**SPECIAL COLLECTION TO AID THOSE  
AFFECTED BY THE DEVASTATING FLOODS  
IN LOUISIANA**

This collection will be taken up at all Masses next weekend. Many of the people in areas of Louisiana have lost everything. We join with all the other Catholic parishes of the United States in taking up this collection which will go to help those impacted by this disaster.

**PILGRIMAGE TO MONTREAL**

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel KofC is hosting a pilgrimage to Montreal over Veterans Day weekend. A bus will leave from OLMC parking lot Friday November 11 and return Sunday night November 13. The package includes 1 dinner, 2 complimentary receptions, 2 breakfasts, lodging, transportation, and a guided tour of the city focusing on St. Joseph's Oratory & Notre Dame Basilica. Cost is \$379pp dbl. occupancy. For more information contact Nino Giamei – [774-232-0295](tel:774-232-0295) or [vinonino@gmail.com](mailto:vinonino@gmail.com)





# MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 10, 2016—3:00 p.m.—Confessions

Saturday, September 10, 2016—4:00 p.m.

**Carmelo and Maria Carmela Nasitano and Albert C. Nasitano** By Family

**Lucy DiLeo** (11th Anniversary) by Family  
**Congetta D'Iorio** by Family

Sunday, September 11, 2016—8:00 a.m.

**The People of the Parish**

Sunday, September 11, 2016—10:00 a.m.

**James O'Brien** (Month's Mind) By Family  
**Connie D'Iorio** by Jeffrey McLaughlin  
**Deceased of the Bello and Palumbo Families** by Mary Ann Bello

Sunday, September 11, 2016—11:30 a.m.

**Dan Marin** (24th Anniversary) by Michael Marin

Monday, September 12, 2016—7:00 a.m.

**Parishioners Intentions**

Tuesday, September 13, 2016—7:00 a.m.

**The Sick of the Parish**

Wednesday, September 14, 2016—7:00 a.m.

**Parishioners Intentions**

Thursday, September 15, 2016—7:00 a.m.

**The People of the Parish**

Saturday, September 17, 2016—3:00 p.m.—Confessions

Saturday, September 17, 2016—4:00 p.m.

**Clementine and Rocco Gagliastro** By sons  
**John Fenuccio** (11A) & **Ronald Beaudry** (1A)  
By Anna, Elaine and Families  
For the intentions of **Mikela Banzuela** By Family  
**Jean Tomaiolo-Harney** by Rosemary Walsh

Sunday, September 18, 2016—8:00 a.m.

**Margaret Capozzo**

Sunday, September 18, 2016—10:00 a.m.

**John Morello, Sr.** (10A) By Family  
**Leonardo and Pasquale Giuliani** by Donna Giulianui

Sunday, September 18, 2016—11:30 a.m.

**Msgr. Rocco Piccolomini** (First Anniversary) by Michael Martin  
**Henry C. Martin, Sr.** (29th Anniversary) by Michael Martin  
**Connie D'Iorio** by Steve and Donna Grasseschi



**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 Ginkus, Philip Powers, Marcia DiLeo, Virginia Czubrynski, Karen Remian, Chester DiLeo, Nelson Carlson, Mike Scaglione, Sandra Powers, Robert Mazzola, Jennifer Bodinizzo, Martin Laine, Antoinette Raddi, Dianne Grasseschi and Loretta Sciafani. May the Lord give them strength, courage and healing.

**THIS WEEK OUR SANCTUARY LAMPS ARE DEDICATED TO THE MEMORY OF:**

*Connie D'Iorio*  
By Ginger Rinaldi

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

**Program for the September 2016**

### September 13, 2016

10:00 A.M. Socializing  
10:30 A.M. Board Meeting  
11:00 A.M. Business Meeting  
12:00 NOON Lunch – Followed by Social.

### September 20, 2016

9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. VNA "Keep Well Clinic" – Blood Pressure and Flu Shots  
12:00 NOON Lunch – Followed by Social.

### September 27, 2016

10:00 A.M. Socializing  
11:00 A.M. Paper Sale – No broken packages.  
12:00 NOON Lunch – Followed by Social.

## OUR LADY OF SORROWS

The next meeting of Our Lady of Sorrows is October 19th at 6:00 p.m. in the Mt. Carmel Parish Center. If you are interested in joining Our Lady of Sorrows please attend our next meeting and learn more about our group and mission. All are welcome to join.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION**

**All CCD classes for both Our Lady of Mt. Carmel and Our Lady of Loreto will be held at Our Lady of Loreto parish center, directly behind the church.**

Children in public schools or non-Catholic private schools and academics should be attending religious education classes on a yearly basis. Children planning on receiving the Sacrament of First Holy Communion **must** attend classes for two years (Grade 1 and Grade 2.) Candidates for the Sacrament of Confirmation **must** attend classes for two years (Grade 9 and Grade 10.)

Children in parochial schools and private Catholic schools are required to attend classes only for one year (the year of preparation.) First Holy Communion is usually received in Grade 2 and Confirmation in Grades 9 or above. Registration forms are available in the office at the Mount Carmel Parish Center, Monday –Thursday from 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. and in the front of the church at Our Lady of Loreto. There is a fee of \$25.00 per child or \$40.00 per family.

**CCD Schedule**

**Classes will begin on Sunday, September 25.** Grades Pre-K through Grade 4 will meet on Sunday mornings from 8:30 – 11:00 a.m. and includes attendance at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Parents are asked to attend Mass with their children. Attendance in the pre-K and Kindergarten are not mandatory. Grades 5 – 10 will meet on Sunday mornings from 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. Students are required to attend Mass, it is suggested that they attend the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

**Religious Education Parents Meeting**

There are two meeting scheduled for parents; **On Sunday, September 25 at 8:45 a.m. in the lower level of Our Lady of Loreto Church** for all parents. This is our first week of CCD classes; students will attend class while parents attend the meetings. These meetings are important, for they will include a description of the programs and will include discussions on the reception of the Sacraments of First Penance, and First Holy Communion.

There will be another meeting on **Sunday, October 2 at 11:15 a.m. in the lower level of Our Lady of Loreto Church** for parents of students planning on receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation either in the spring of 2017 or the spring of 2018. **Candidates for the Sacrament of Confirmation must attend classes for two years (Grade 9 and Grade 10.)**

**ANNUAL NEW YORK CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TRIP**  
 Saturday, December 17.  
 Cost - \$60.00  
 Email Joan at [joan\\_dargenis@yahoo.com](mailto:joan_dargenis@yahoo.com) or call the office at [508-791-6139](tel:508-791-6139)

**CYC “WELCOME COOKOUT”**

On **Tuesday, September 13** beginning at 6:00 p.m. our present CYC will host a “Welcome Cookout” at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel center. All young people in grades 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> (old and new) and their parents are cordially and sincerely invited to come to this cookout. The CYC will provide the hotdogs. If you would like to attend please call [508-791-6139](tel:508-791-6139) in advance so that we may get a head count and plan the food. Also new and old members are asked to bring potluck dishes for example, salads, casseroles , deserts, etc. Come and find out what CYC is all about. Again, **WELCOME!!!!**

**ITALIAN CLASSES**

This semester we are offering three levels of classes for adults. Italian for Beginners 1, this class is intended for people who have had no exposure to Italian. A Beginner 11 is intended for those who have completed Beginners 1 and are not ready of Intermediate. Intermediate Italian for those that have completed Beginners Italian I and II. Beginners 1 will be offered on Tuesday, Intermediate will be held on Thursday, Beginners 11 will be held on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. Cost: \$130.00 non-members and \$100.00 members of The Gene J. DeFeudis Italian American Cultural Center. Classes run for ten weeks and will begin the week of September 13. For more information email Joan at [joan\\_dargenis@yahoo.com](mailto:joan_dargenis@yahoo.com)

**UPCOMING THEATRE TRIPS**

October 2 - Wicked – Cost \$75.00—**SOLD OUT**  
 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](mailto:joan_dargenis@yahoo.com) to reserve tickets.

**CYC CAR HOP**

Join us for a journey back to The Goold Old Days. CYC Car Hop with music from 50’s, and good old fashion curb side service without getting out of your car, as our waitresses serve hamburgers, hot dogs, soft drinks and a few surprises!



**Will take place at Our Lady of Mount Carmel parking lot.  
 Wednesday, September 14 from 4:30—7:30 p.m.**

# **End of Bulletin**

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