

# Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church

120 Prospect Street, Nutley, New Jersey 07110

May 3, 2026



O Sweet & Lovely Mary,  
Holy Mother of God,  
Queen of all Mothers,  
Pray for us!

*Our Lady of Mount Carmel*  
*Pray for Us*  
*5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter*

Rev. Paciano A. Barbiato, S.T.L.  
*Pastor*

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*Retired Deacon*  
Amanda Andrade  
*Parish Administrative Assistant*  
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*Music Director*

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## Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m.  
Saturday Morning: 8:00 a.m.  
Saturday, 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 10:45 a.m. & 12:15 p.m.  
Filipino Mass ~ Third Sunday of the month: 5:00 p.m.  
Holy Days: As Announced

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Weekdays after the 8:00 a.m. Mass  
Saturday: 2:00 p.m.

## Mission Statement

Our mission as a holy parish is to communicate and to celebrate the life and spirit of Jesus by our words and actions in order to build a dynamic, loving, caring and outreaching community of faith.

### **Rectory Hours:**

Monday – Thursday  
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
*The rectory is closed between  
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.*

### **Rectory Phone Numbers:**

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(973) 661-1623  
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### **Emails:**

olmcutley@optimum.net  
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### **Website:**

www.olmc-nutley.org

### **Marriages**

Please schedule at least ONE YEAR in advance of your wedding. Pre-Cana and other instruction sessions are required.

### **Sacraments of Healing**

Please notify the parish office if someone is ill at home.

### **Baptisms**

We request parents attend a Baptism Instruction Session before the birth of their child. The Sacrament of Baptism is usually celebrated the third Sunday of each month, except during Lent (when we will not celebrate the sacrament until Easter). All Baptisms are scheduled in person at the rectory.

### **Parish Membership**

All are welcome to join our Parish Family. Parish policy requires registration to participate in Baptism, Marriage and Religion Classes. Please notify the office when a change of address or move occurs.

Mass Intentions

Prayers for Health Reasons

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>May 2</b>
8:00 a.m.	Joseph Conforto
5:00 p.m.	Patricia Dotoli
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>May 3</b>
7:30 a.m.	Frank C. Falcone
9:15 a.m.	Don Strimike and Deceased Members of Strimike Family
10:45 a.m.	Sue Melito
12:15 p.m.	Gloria and Jose Jaugan
<b>Monday</b>	<b>May 4</b>
8:00 a.m.	Filipe and Romeo Sunga
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>May 5</b>
8:00 a.m.	Thelma Gamboa
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>May 6</b>
8:00 a.m.	Carole Lalicato
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>May 7</b>
8:00 a.m.	Kathryn Pobuta
<b>Friday</b>	<b>May 8</b>
8:00 a.m.	Thelma Gamboa
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>May 9</b>
8:00 a.m.	Erlinda Zarate ~ <i>Death Anniversary</i>
5:00 p.m.	Nenita Garcellano
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>May 10 ~ <i>Mother's Day</i></b>
7:30 a.m.	<i>All Mothers Living and Deceased</i>
9:15 a.m.	<i>All Mothers Living and Deceased</i>
10:45 a.m.	<i>All Mothers Living and Deceased</i>
12:15 p.m.	<i>All Mothers Living and Deceased</i>

Delfina Alessio, Caren Angrisano, Deacon Aldo Antola, Melissa Benimeo, George Berkovich, Jesse Bruno, Eleanor Brush, Erlinda Cajigas, Rose Marie Candiloro, Rudolfo Clavecilla, Marion Dellanno, Ana Marie de Vera, Joshua Di Costanzo, Richard Dinzes, Anna Marie Ferrante, Raquel Magalong Go, Robert Griffin, Patricia Holevas, Justin, Carol Kaufman, Robert Krupinski, Maria Lalli, Patricia Loprete, Lucille, Peter Maioriello, Cynthia McDevitt, Eve McKay, Madeline Micael, Lawrence Miller, Karen Ann Niles, Jack Nitz, Christopher Nolting, Karen P., Maria A. Penaranda, Evelyn Perry, Rosalie Petracca, Vincent Petracco, Anthony Petrillo, Sam Pica, Simpmicia Ramirez, Richard Reidy, Albert Reyes, Jocelyn Reyes, Jaxson Rivera, Robert D. Roberto, Roberto N. Roberto, Joanne Sacchetti, Josephine Senek, Damaso (Jun) Serrano, Susan, John Tiseo, Mariana Toledo, James Tressito, Diana Vaicels, Susan Verlingo, Gina Villaggio, Ramona Zungri

Mass Intentions

The **2027 Mass book is open and there are Masses available.** You can also come to the rectory to: Make an offering in honor or in memory of a loved one for The Sanctuary Light, Bread and Wine or Church Flowers.

If you need to visit or call the rectory **on Mondays** and **it is not an emergency**, we would sincerely appreciate your consideration and assistance in **delaying your visit or call until after 11:30 a.m.** *Thank You!*

Baptism Information

If you are expectant parents, please arrange to attend our Baptismal Instruction Program before the birth of your child. Baptismal Instruction and Baptisms must be scheduled in person, at the rectory. The next Baptism is **May 17**. Please visit our website to read guidelines for Godparents and for a complete Baptismal Schedule.



April 26: \$4,264 Catholic Homes Mission: \$1,577  
Filipino Mass: \$402

*As you give to the Lord, may He bless you in return.*



The **Sanctuary Light** honoring the Eucharistic Presence of Our Lord in the Tabernacle is lit in Honor and Memory of **Nancy Teal**

The **Bread and Wine** offering this week is in Honor and Memory of **People of the Parish**

May 3, 2026 ~ 5th Sunday of Easter

**Origins of the Month of May Devotions to the Blessed Virgin Mary**

May devotions to the Blessed Virgin Mary refer to special Marian devotions held in the Catholic Church during the month of May honoring the Virgin Mary as "the Queen of May". These services may take place inside or outside. A "May Crowning" is a traditional Roman Catholic ritual that occurs in the month of May.

A number of traditions link the month of May to Mary. Alfonso in the 13th century wrote in his Cantigas de Santa Maria about the special honoring of Mary during specific dates in May. Eventually, the entire month was filled with special observances and devotions to Mary.

The origin of the conventional May devotion is still relatively unknown. Herbert Thurston identifies the seventeenth century as the earliest instance of the adoption of the custom of consecrating the month of May to the Blessed Virgin by special observances. It is certain that this form of Marian devotion began in Italy. Around 1739, witnesses speak of a particular form of Marian devotion in May in Grezzano near Verona. In 1747 the Archbishop of Genoa recommended the May devotion as a devotion for the home. Specific prayers for them were promulgated in Rome in 1838.

According to Frederick Holweck, the May devotion in its present form originated at Rome where Father Latomia of the Roman College of the Society of Jesus, to counteract infidelity and immorality among the students, made a vow at the end of the eighteenth century to devote the month of May to Mary. From Rome the practice spread to the other Jesuit colleges and thence to nearly every Catholic Church of the Latin rite. In Rome by 1813, May devotions were held in as many as twenty churches. From Italy, May devotions soon spread to France. In Belgium, the May devotions, at least as a private devotion, were already known by 1803. The tradition of honoring Mary in a month-long May devotion spread eventually around the Roman Catholic world in the 19th century together with a month-long devotion to Jesus in June and the Rosary in October.

The celebration of May as a holy month for Mary has been ratified by several popes through the ages. Pope Benedict XV ordered a prayer for peace in 1915 during World War I and Pope Pius XII called for May devotions in 1939, at the start of World War II.

Sources: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/May\\_devotions\\_to\\_the\\_Blessed\\_Virgin\\_Mary](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/May_devotions_to_the_Blessed_Virgin_Mary) **and** <https://helpof-christians.blogspot.com/2011/05/may-month-of-virgin-mary.html>

*At a Glance ....*

**May 3**

May Crowning of the Blessed Mother ~ 12:15 p.m. Mass

**May 10**

Second Collection ~ Parish Assessment



**Pilgrimage ~ Finland, Sweden, Denmark, Norway and Iceland**

**September 5 - 16, 2026 (12 days/11 nights)**

**Tour Cost: \$5,899.00**

**Included:** Hotel accommodation at tourist class hotel, 2 nights on cruise, daily breakfast and dinner, round trip transfer from airport to hotel, all entrance fees in itinerary, touring in the itinerary with a deluxe air conditioned motor coach, daily Mass, baggage handling at hotels, hotel taxes and service charges, airline costs.

**NOT Included:** lunches, gratuity for guides, drivers and launches, personal expenses.

**For information and registration please contact:**

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Fr. Alex Barbieto: 973-908—5498

Lety Sauler: 973-704-1545

**\*Check flyers on bulletin boards for full details.\***

**Religious Education**



Registration for the 2026-2027 year is currently open.

www.olmc-nutley.org/religious-education

**Communion for the Homebound**



Upon request, Communion will be brought to any parishioner confined to the home. Please contact Denise at 973-542-0191. Reminder: those who are seriously ill, or weak from the burden of years, should request the Anointing of the Sick ~ to schedule: please contact the Rectory.

**Line Dancing at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel**



Do you like to dance? If so, come and join the OLMC Line Dancing Group! The group meets **each Friday night from 6:30 – 9:30 p.m.** here in the church hall. It is a night of dance and fun! You do not want to miss out.

*Save the Date*

We are holding our Annual Summer Soiree on **Wednesday, July 15, 2026 at the Brookside Banquets 41 Broughton Ave., Bloomfield.** Tickets are **\$125 each.** It will consist of a 5 hour premier

liquor open bar, cocktail hour with butler passed d'oeuvres, captain stations, sit down dinner, dessert and DJ. **You can purchase tickets at the rectory beginning May 12.**

**OLMC Website**

Visit our website **www.olmc-nutley.org** to read updated information, check out the latest bulletin, get Religious Education news, Mass schedules, find out more information about our various organizations events, and much more. Pay us a visit!

*Join Us...*

**Knights of Columbus**

The group meets the **first and third Tuesday of the month at 8:00 p.m.** Meetings are held **September through June.** To join: email Ken at **KofC6195@verizon.net** or call the Rectory.

**Women's Auxiliary**

The group meets on the **second Monday of the month at 1:00 p.m.** Our next meeting will be on **May 11.** For more information call Linda, (973) 661-0090 or email **lkr160@aol.com.** New members welcome!

**Prayer to the Immaculate Heart of Mary**

Immaculate Heart of Mary,  
full of love for God and mankind,  
and of compassion for sinners,  
I consecrate myself to you.  
I entrust to you the salvation of my soul.  
May my heart be ever united with yours,  
so that I may hate sin,  
love God and my neighbor,  
and reach eternal life with those whom I love.  
May I experience the kindness of your motherly heart  
and the power of your intercession with Jesus  
during my life and at the hour of my death.

**Prayer to Our Lady of Fatima**

Most Holy Virgin  
who hast deigned to come to Fatima,  
to reveal the treasures of graces  
hidden in the recitation of the Rosary,  
inspire our hearts with a sincere love of this devotion  
that meditating on the  
Mysteries of our Redemption recalled therein,  
we may obtain the conversion of sinners  
and the favors we ask you now,  
for the greater glory of God,  
for your own honor,  
and for the good of souls.

Amen.

**Food Pantry**



We sincerely appreciate your generosity throughout the year! Donations to our Food Pantry may include non-perishable foods: such as soups, sauces, pasta, rice, cereals, dry milk, canned foods, as well as toiletries.

**Please check expiration dates before donating food.** Drop off food donations in one of the church vestibules. Please refrain from leaving donations on the porch of the rectory.

**Parish Membership - Why is it Important?**

In order for the parish to keep accurate records, please notify the parish office of any changes in your address or phone number. In order for us to testify to your ability for sponsorship in Baptism, Confirmation or witness to a Catholic marriage, it is necessary to be a registered member of this parish. To register, fill out the form below and place in the collection basket.

**Quick Parish Registration Request**

Our welcome mat is always out. If you enjoy worshipping at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, make us your official Parish by taking a few moments to register. You may also download a registration form on our website. All information is confidential.

*I wish to register as a Parishioner of OLMC*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

New Registration       Change of Address

**Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Bible Study**



OLMC Bible Study Group has begun. All meetings are held 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. on the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month. The next meeting is **May 25<sup>th</sup>**.

**Stewardship**

We have an obligation to share with others that which God has given us. Share your time and talents. Everyone can become involved in the life of our Parish by becoming an **Altar Server, Catechist, Choir Member, Lector or Usher**. By taking an active role in the liturgical life, and service of the Parish, you can have a wonderful experience. *Please complete the form below and drop it in the collection basket .*

**Ministry Sign Up Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Town/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

I am interested in the following Ministry(ies):

- Altar Server
- Catechist
- Lector
- Choir
- Other \_\_\_\_\_



The Women's Auxiliary is having a **Paint on Canvas Fundraiser on May 16, 2026** in the church hall. Cost is \$45 and include cake and coffee. Contact Linda 973-661-0090 or Kathy 973-477-2309 for reservations or more information.

**Report Financial Misconduct Confidentially**

If you suspect financial misconduct, use EthicsPoint, an independent and confidential reporting tool that helps the Archdiocesan community address issues while promoting positive parish, school and workplace environments. Visit [www.rcan.org](http://www.rcan.org) for the hotline and reporting link.

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