



*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

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday—Friday, 9:00am

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5:00pm,

Sunday 8:30am, & 10:30am

Rosary: Sundays 8:00am

*New Parishioners may register online or at our
Pastoral Office any Weekday from 8:30AM - 4:00PM*

Welcome

Rev. Brian "Raff" Rafferty, STL

Pastor

Rick Clemens	Deacon
Tim Janiszewski	Pastoral Associate/Youth Minister
Judy Glinka	Adm. Assistant/Business Manager
Stacey Beres	Dir. of Religious Ed./Admin. Assist.
Sr. Sally Russell	Dir. of Adult Faith Formation
Donna Moran	Hall Manager/Development
Macey Glinka	Facilities Manager
Rodney Armero	Director of Worship Music
Charles Alexander	Assist. Director of Worship Music

Parish Support

Jerry Mulcahy	Pastoral Council Chair
Judy Glinka	Altar Society
Janet Cogliano	Lectors
Joseph Borchetti	Eucharistic Ministers
Daria Breslin, daria.breslin@verizon.net	Altar Server Ministry
Luke Hogue	Ushers
Mary Laber	Social Justice Ministry
Mary Mulcahy	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

Sacraments

Baptisms: Baptisms are usually held every month on selected Saturday and Sunday afternoons. Please call to schedule.

Reconciliation: Saturday after the 5:00PM Mass; 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.

November 6, 2016

32nd Sunday
In Ordinary Time

Sunday:

2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8,
15/2 Thes 2:16--3:5/Lk 20:27-38 or
20:27, 34-38

Monday:

Ti 1:1-9/Ps 24:1-6/
Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday:

Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Ps 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27,
29/Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday:

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:3-6, 8, 11/1
Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

Thursday:

Phlm 7-20/Ps 146:7-10/
Lk 17:20-25

Friday:

2 Jn 4-9/Ps 119:1-2, 10-11, 17-18/
Lk 17:26-37

Saturday:

3 Jn 5-8/Ps 112:1-6/
Lk 18:1-8

Next Sunday:

Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-9/
2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

FREE nursery program for OLC children age 5 and under

10:30 am Mass in the Lauer wing of the Gathering Place.
If interested please visit the OLC Website for Tips for Parents
and a Registration Form
or contact Suzanne Keys at suzannembryant@yahoo.com

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Pastor's Page

The reports of my death are greatly exaggerated...

Mark Twain was in London in 1897 as part of a speaking tour around the world. While he was in London, a rumor started that he was seriously ill. This was followed by a rumor that he was dead. Supposedly after that, when asked about all this by a reporter, Twain said, "The reports of my death are greatly exaggerated."

Over the next few weeks if you hear any rumors started because folks may not see my smiling countenance—know that they are greatly exaggerated! Sunday I will be joining our illustrious High School Youth Ministry on retreat. Thus with my batteries recharged from the boost they always provide, I will be heading for warmers waters and will be on a cruise for the next two weekends. I am still alive and kicking!

Fear not while I am away, you are in good hands as I leave Sister Sally, Stacey, Judy, Donna, Deacon Rick, Tim, and Macey at the helm.

This prose is being penned just prior to OLC's Winter Relief Dinner Auction, but I do not want to step out without extending a huge thank you to all on the committee for their dedication and hard work that makes the event bigger and better every year. Also a huge thank you to our parishioners who generously open their hearts and wallets so we are able to provide a place to sleep, warm meals, and support to our guests from the House of Hope for a week each winter.

See you Thanksgiving and God bless!

Raff

A LETTER OF THANKS

The special collection we held for the flooding in Ellicott City was sent to St. Paul Catholic Church in the amount of \$2,500.

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October 25, 2016

Dear Raff,

I'm writing to thank you and the people of Our Lady of the Chesapeake for you very generous gift to assist the lengthy process of rebuilding Main Street, and bringing back its businesses and residents. May God bless you as richly as he has blessed the people of Ellicott City through you.

As ever,

Warren
Father Warren Tanghe



SAVE THE DATE!
Our Lady of the Chesapeake Christmas Afternoon Tea
December 11, 2016
\$25.00
Tickets will go on sale November 12th

Our Lady of the Chesapeake Pastoral Council

Officers:

- Jerry Mulcahy – Chair Person*
- Carol Hall – Vice Chair Person*
- Mary Mulcahy– Secretary*

Ex-officio (Non- voting) Members:

- Rodney Armero*
- Judy Glinka*
- Joyce Heid*
- Stacey Beres*
- Tim Janiszewski*
- Mary Laber*
- Rev. Brian Rafferty*
- Donna Moran*

Voting Members:

- Dominic Aiello*
- Cate Puglisi (Youth Representative)*
- John Donnelly (KOC)*
- Rick Fahlteich*
- Bill Forman*
- Mary Helen Gurney*
- Tom Jeffers*
- George Johnson*
- Suzanne Keys*
- Terry Puglisi*
- Joyce Wiesner*
- Diane Williams*
- Tina Zahorcak*

To contact the council please call the church office or email olcparishcouncil@yahoo.com

The next Parish Council meeting is November 23rd, at 7pm. ALL members of OLC are welcome to attend the monthly meetings. We welcome & need your ideas & input.

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

Come to the Waters of Healing

A day retreat for women suffering from Post Abortion Stress
Saturday, November 19, 2016

For more information or to register, please contact
projectrachel@archbalt.org or call 410-625-8491

In Remembrance of Veterans Day

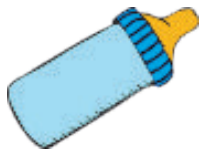
The OLC family would like to honor our homeless Veterans
by remembering them with a special project called
OPERATION FILL THE BOOTS.

On the weekends of November 5th and 6th and 12th and 13th,
there will be 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 Balti-
more 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



Thank you to all who participated in this year's Baby Bottle Campaign. The parish support is truly appreciated! A total of the donation amount will be published as soon as possible. Your generosity will assist many babies in need.

OLC Parishioner Offering Eldercare

A longtime parishioner is available to offer eldercare in your home. References available upon request. For more information contact Barbara Miller, 410-437-1868.

Next OLC Blood Drive

November 30th, 2:30pm to 8pm

The Wellness Ministry will be hosting a small health fair during the blood drive and flu shots will be available—more information coming soon!

*To register for the blood drive go to
www.redcrossblood.org*



The Knights of Columbus will meet the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month in the Lauer building at 7:30 P.M.. All Knights are welcome.

From the Desk of Sister Sally

But how is this to be understood? Not least, how do we connect to our loved ones after they have died?

In the Gospels, Galilee is more than a place on a map; it's also a place inside the Spirit, God's Spirit and our own. In the Gospels, Galilee is the place where, for the most part, the good things happen. It's the place where the disciples first meet Jesus, where they fall in love with him, where they commit themselves to him, and where miracles happen. Galilee is the place where Jesus invites us to walk on water. Galilee is the place where the disciples' souls enlarge and thrive.

And that is also a place for each of our deceased loved ones. In each of their lives, there was a Galilee, a place where their persons and souls were most alive, where their lives radiated the energy and exuberance of the divine. When we look at the life of a loved one who has died we need to ask: Where was she most alive? What qualities did she, most-uniquely, embody and bring into a room? Where did she lift my spirit and make me want to be a better person?

Name those things, and you will have named your loved one's Galilee—and you will also have named the Galilee of the Gospels, namely, that place in the heart where Jesus invites you to meet him. And that is too where you will meet your loved ones in the communion of saints. Don't look for a live person in a cemetery. She's not there. She's in Galilee. Meet her there.

Elizabeth Johnson, leaning on Karl Rahner, adds this thought: "Hoping against hope, we affirm that they [our loved ones who have died] have fallen not into nothingness but into the embrace of the living God. And that is where we can find them again; when we open our hearts to the silent calmness of God's own life in which we dwell, not by selfishly calling them back to where we are, but by descending into the depth of our own hearts where God also abides."

And the "Galilee" of our loved ones can also be found inside our own "Galilee." There's a deep place inside the heart, inside faith, hope, and charity, were everyone, living or deceased, is met. Ron Rolheiser

Year of Mercy Book Club:

The Return of the Prodigal Son by: Henri J. Nouwen. Cost: \$14.00 Four Opportunities to attend!
Monday, November 14th; 21st; 28th : 1:30p.m. – 3:00p.m in the Maryland Suite
Tuesday, November 15th, 22nd, 29th : 7:00p.m. – 8:30p.m. in the Maryland Suite
Thursday, November 3rd, 10th; December 1st: 7:00p.m. – 8:30p.m. in the Maryland Suite
Thursday, November 3rd, 10th, 17th: 9:45a.m. – 11:30a.m. in the Maryland Suite

*****Coming Attraction: Musical and Prayerful Reflection on the Year of Mercy**
Sunday, November 6th; 7:00p.m. -8:00p.m.
Invite your family and friends to join us!

Stewardship**Oct 30 , 2016 Offertory**

Envelopes	\$7,809	
Loose	\$1,295	
Total Offertory	9,104	
Deferred Maintenance Fund		877
Poor Box		363
Total Weekly	\$10,344	
<i>Mass Attendance</i>		601

YTD Offertory (18 Week)

Envelopes	\$181,851	
Loose	33,440	
Total Offertory	215,291	
Deferred Maintenance Fund		22,520
Poor Box		4,378
Total YTD	\$242,189	
Average Weekly Offertory	\$13,455	
Average Weekly Budget	14,000	
Avg. Weekly Surplus (Deficit)	(\$545)	

Looking for Volunteers for our Bereavement Ministry

The Bereavement Ministry is looking for a few more people to fill in the gaps of our well established Bereavement Ministry that was first started by Kay Janiszewski. We are in need of people to bake a tasty treat, be team leaders and make necessary phone calls to inform volunteers, be available the day of the luncheon to help with the set-up, service, and break down of the actual luncheon for the family.

I realize that so many of us are working mom's and dad's, or students in school, but maybe just being that person to make a few phone calls or emails, or if baking is what you or your daughter/son are good at they could help in that way, maybe you work part time and could help with the set-up, serve, and clean-up on occasion.

It is sad to think that one day we will find ourselves, or maybe we already have, in need such kindness. Being on the receiving end of this myself with the passing of my brother, mother, and father was so very appreciated by my family and especially myself. It is such an honor to be part of this ministry and I know you will feel the same.

So if you could spare some time or talent and would like to find out more please join me for a short (1 hour) meeting (gathering) on Wednesday, November 9th from 7pm till 8pm in The Gathering Place Hall. If you are unable to attend the meeting, but are interested, feel free to call me at 410-255-3677 ext 105

Thank You, Donna Moran

FREE TRAIN GARDEN DISPLAY***The Largest Train Garden Open to the Public
in Pasadena, MD***

John (a retired Baltimore Police Officer) and June Sturgeon welcome the public to see the Train Garden that runs 11 trains through an Amusement Park, Football Stadium, Hot Dog Stand and a Winter Wonderland that includes decorated houses, skaters and skiers. Previously featured on CNN, It is truly an amazing display not to be missed!

Santa will be there so don't forget your wish lists cameras!

Address: 836 Turf Valley Drive, Pasadena

(Please park on Hunt Ridge Rd. which intersects Turf Valley Dr. Then walk to the house. Look for the flashing rail road crossing sign in the back yard)

Dates Open: 11/25 & 11/26, 12/2 & 12/3 ,12/9 & 12/10

12/16 straight through 'til 12/23, and 12/26 & 12/27.

Closed: Dec. 24 & 25,

Hours: 6-9 PM

Our Lady of the Chesapeake Prayer Line - Available 24/7 by emailing info@olchesapeake.org

We pray for: Tina A. and Family, Andrea H., Sam R. and family, Russ C., Jim, Ruth C. and family, Skip, John S., David K., Marie B., June, Sylvia, Chuck, Stephen, Rose, Kenny, Cory H., June R., Linda D., Janice T., Melissa T., Sylvia, Judy, Don W., Janeen N., Jeanne F., Andrew, Holly G. and Family, Paul R., Jeremiah D., Betty P., Mark H., William H., Georgia R., Kayla M., Bryan S., Kelly S., George M., Katherine, Janet, Bruce R., John O, Trey A., Melanie K., Jamie P., Brian C., Stephanie, Kathy M., Crystal, Lisa, G Family, Marilyn, Barbara, Kathy, Judy, Don, Rich, Bob P. and family, Shannon, Maureen and Family, Addie H. and Family, Alex R., Gloria L, and Carmelina D., Malcolm, Jane, Nicole, Shawn, Larry B., Kim Z., Samantha and Pat H., Maryanne J., Danny J., Caitlyn K., Phyllis H., Bill P. and family, Williams family, Richard S., Ty P., David S. and family, Pat D., Rose D., Sam, Oliver Family, Jake C., Barb, Bonnie, Jim C., Sharon W., Cheryl A., Dorothy P., Jim, Jessica K., Jeffrey S., Sharon P., Marcy P., Scott H., James C., Tom K., Carol H., Dorothy W., David B., Frank C., JoAnn C., Bob K., Katie S., Ed & Ruth S., Beth V., Joe C., Elizabeth H., Zachary H., Mary Ann R., Michael E., Joseph D., Rose D., Stan, Shelley, Diane B., Beth V., John H., Joan H., Kay J.

Only first names are listed to ensure privacy—don't worry, when you pray God knows who you are talking about! To become a Prayer Partner contact Susan Israel at suisrael9@comcast.net or Stacey or Judy at info@olchesapeake.org

Middle School Youth Ministry

Last Monday, Oct. 31st we did not have class. This Monday, Nov. 7th, we will begin our second session of the year entitled "**Living Your Baptism**"...and we will discover how our baptisms impact our everyday lives. And while doing that we will continue to have a great time! Come join us from 4:30-6:00pm.

We have **homework** every week (just a few minutes worth). The students will not only bring a copy home with them, but we will also **e-mail** the homework to parents this year, and it is usually on our website (www.olchesapeake.org). If you are not receiving an e-mailed copy of the homework, then we probably don't have your e-mail address; please e-mail Tim (timjolc@verizon.net) and let him know your e-mail address. Thanks!

On Friday, Oct. 28th our 6th-8th graders went on our **annual Halloween Trip**. We went lazer-tagging in Columbia, and then back to OLC for a Halloween movie and pizza and snacks. We had 25 students join us, and we had a great time! Thank you to the parents who drove/chaperoned, making the trip possible!

Contact Tim Janiszewski if you have any questions or concerns (timjolc@verizon.net or 410-255-3677). **If you're uncertain whether or not you are on our e-mail list, please let Tim know so he can add you to it.**

High School Youth Ministry

We will be on break Sunday evenings until we resume again on Nov. 27th, when we begin Session 2. Last week the students offered their input to our topic for Session 2, which is not set yet. But...it will have everything to do with working your faith into your everyday lives! All high school students are welcome and encouraged to join us!

Our **Fall Retreat** underway0 – November 4th-6th. We are at the Hashawha Environmental Center in Westminster, MD...we have turned it into a spiritual center! Our theme is "**Baptism – Dive In to the Family of God**". We have about 50 students and 11 adults with us. Thank you for all your prayers, and we'll let you know next week how it went.

Wednesday Night Group

Our Wednesday Night Group is a **voluntary faith formation group** for high school 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 please! (Note: Our Sunday evening meetings are wonderful with great content; the WNG is more relaxed, and yet deeper discussions.) While we have evenings of deep discussion on matters of faith, current events, and prayer, we also include evenings of community building, such as games, fun field trips, and service. And we've got some GREAT EATS! The schedule for the entire Fall (Sept.-Dec) has been e-mailed to parents, and we will post here in the bulletin the upcoming month's schedule.

So...if you are in 9th-12th grade, come join us please Wednesday evenings from 6:30pm to 8:30pm. Here's our schedule for the next month or so...

<u>Date</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Nov. 9	WWJD? Game w/Meatball Subs Come play our fun and thought- provoking WWJD? game. It's a WNG classic! Even better when we're feasting on Meatball Subs.
Nov. 16	Happy New Year's Party w/Pie The beginning of Advent is the beginning of the new year in the Church's calendar. Come ring in the new year with us as we enjoy fresh pie (NOT apple or pumpkin...you'll get plenty of that soon), reflect together, and have a special toast (non-alcoholic of course).
Nov. 23	Annual Thanksgiving Feast – Mexican Style! Our Thanksgiving Feast is always the day before Thanksgiving. Since you're having Turkey, mashed potatoes, and stuffing the next day, we're having a homemade Mexican feast the night before. Come hungry as we welcome back our college students on break too.
Nov. 30	Service Night w/Wings We'll be helping Mrs. Stacey prepare for next Summer's Vacation Bible School again, and we'll enjoy a variety of styles of delicious wings while we do.

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