



*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

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| 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. |
| Donna White | Hall Manager/Development |
| Macey Glinka | Facilities Manager |
| Rodney Armero | Director of Worship Music |
| Charles Alexander | Assist. Director of Worship Music |

Parish Support

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| Jerry Mulcahy | Pastoral Council Chair |
| Judy Glinka | Altar Society |
| Janet Cogliano | Lectors |
| Joseph Borchetti | Eucharistic Ministers |
| Darla Breslin, Joanna Puglisi and Cate Puglisi | Altar Server Ministry |
| Luke Hogue | Ushers |
| Mary Laber | Social Justice Ministry |
| Mary Mulcahy | Bereavement Ministry |
| Mary Helen Gurney | Evangelization Ministry |
| Renee Medri | 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 and Web Editor |

Sacraments

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults All those interested in living the faith in our Roman Catholic tradition are welcome. Program begins in September and culminates at the Easter Vigil.

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.

August 2, 2015

18th Sunday
in Ordinary Time

Sunday:

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/
Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

Monday:

Nm 11:4b-15/
Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday:

Nm 12:1-13/Mt 14:22-36
or 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday:

Nm 13:1-2, 25--14:1, 26-29a,
34-35/Mt 15:21-28

Thursday:

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/
Mk 9:2-10

Friday:

Dt 4:32-40/Mt 16:24-28

Saturday:

Dt 6:4-13/Mt 17:14-20

Next Sunday:

1 Kgs 19:4-8/Eph 4:30--5:2/
Jn 6:41-51

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

Pastor's Page

ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO...

Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of the Catholic Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm accepting setting. We will hold our information and registration for RCIA on Wednesday, August 26th from 7-8 pm in the Severn Room of the Lauer building, which is adjacent to the church. If you can't attend but have question or would like to register, please contact, Renee Medri, at either email – reneemedri@yahoo.com or by calling her on her cell phone, 443-726-3241. We look forward to meeting you!

NUN RUN

Remember when the Little Sisters were here a few weeks ago and fleeced us of every red cent we owned? Remember they asked if any of us here at OLC who help them as walkers, sprinters, runners, joggers, amblers, drawlers, skippers in the forthcoming NUN RUN? Would any of you guys and gals be game for their September 12th Fundraiser. The Sisters operate St. Martin's Home for the elderly and every cent help them immensely. More info available at www.littlesistersofthepoorbaltimore.org

Prayer for Ordinary Parents

Mary, queen of the Ordinary----

Queen of the spinning wheel and loom, who wove from ordinary stuff
The flawless fabric of God's humanness.

Queen whose pregnancy
Put Joseph's other plans aside,
And sent his saw singing into cradle-wood.

Queen of water jars daily filled,
Of swaddling clothes spread outdoors
To dry, or scrubbed floors and everlastingly saw-dusty son.

Queen of skinned knees.
Splintered fingers,
Aching stomach, fevered head, herbal teas.

Queen of fresh-baked
Whose wheaty power
Put flesh on growing boy and joy at evening mead----

Mary Queen of ordinary time and space, thank you for your ordinary grace.

...the kindness of Extraordinary Claire LeDoux

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Notice the special wooden box as you enter the church.

Do you know someone who is going through tough times? Maybe that someone is you. Put your name on a post-it note and put it in the box.

Do you know someone with health concerns? Do you know someone who could use some prayers for any reason? Put their name in the box.

We will ask everyone to pray for the names in the box. When we pray for the names in the box God will know who they are!

Our Lady of the Chesapeake Pastoral Council

Officers:

Jerry Mulcahy – Chair Person
Carol Hall – Vice Chair Person
Tina Zahorcak – Secretary

Ex-officio (Non-voting) Members:

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

Voting Members:

Dominic Aiello
Adam Beres (Youth Representative)
John Donnelly (KOC)
Rick Fahlteich
Bill Forman
Al Giunta
Mary Helen Gurney
Bob Hines
Tom Jeffers
George Johnson
Suzanne Keys
Bruce Mundie
Terry Puglisi
Jack Streb
Joyce Wiesner
Diane Williams

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

Parish Council meetings will resume after summer.

ALL members of OLC are welcome to attend the monthly meetings. We welcome & need your ideas & input.

Winter Relief Dinner/Auction Planning Meeting

We are currently in the planning process for the Winter Relief Dinner/Auction which will be held on Saturday, November 14, 2015. Monthly meetings are on the third Monday of the month at 7:00 PM in the Gathering Place. The next meeting is Monday, August 17, at 7:00 PM. New faces and new ideas are always welcome.

HELP, DO YOU HAVE CONNECTIONS?

Our 9th annual Banquet & Auction to aid the Winter Relief efforts for sheltering the homeless in the community will take place Saturday, November 14th.

We know it's early but, the Committee is already hard at work. We are always hoping donations of items or services, to be included in the auction, will come our way because of your connections and generosity.

- Time Shares, Vacation Homes, other Vacation Opportunities
- Tours & Trips: car, bus, boat, train or planes
Lessons: golf, music, skiing, dance, Yoga, tutoring, personal training, etc.
- Services: Home improvement, decorators & designers, plumbing, electrical, landscaping, legal services, estate planning, etc.

Thank you in advance,
The OLC Winter Relief Committee

If you or anyone you know has a connection and would like to make a donation, please contact Helen Fahlteich at [410-437-1912](tel:410-437-1912) or Diane Williams at [410-315-8440](tel:410-315-8440). You can also email the Homeless Ministry at homelessministryolc@yahoo.com. Donation forms are available at www.olchesapeake.org.

OTHER WAYS TO HELP:

- Take a tag from the tree and donate a basket or a gift certificate.
- Donate a bottle of wine or liquor. Please place bottles in the basket located in the foyer.

And the SVDP Cupboard was BARE... The shelves need restocking and the pantry is in dire need of non-perishable canned goods. There is a little red wagon in the vestibule of the church for donations, please help us by bringing in food to support this important ministry.

House of Hope Sandwiches: Each week OLC delivers sandwiches to the House of Hope - in summer, we need to increase the number of sandwiches, snacks and water we take to the House of Hope. This outreach occurs Monday through Saturday. **It takes many hands to make this ministry happen- we only ask for people to make sandwiches once a month-** If you think this is something that you might be able to do and would like to help or need more information about this very worthwhile ministry, contact Joyce W. 410-255-4437 in the morning and evening or 410-736-2683. Thank you!!!!



OLC Knights of Columbus

The Knights will have one meeting in August, on Wednesday, August 5th at 7:30pm.

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

SHOP EARLY

During the last two weeks of August (8/22,23 and 8/29,30) our "OLC Family" will be having a collection of needed items for The Baltimore Station "a therapeutic residential treatment program for veterans who are transitioning through the cycle of poverty, addiction, and homelessness to self-sufficiency."

NEEDED ITEMS INCLUDE (for Men Only)

***NEW ONLY PLEASE

---shorts, tee shirts, underwear (small up to 2X)
towels, washcloths, twin sized bed sheets, twin sized mattress covers and twin sized lightweight blankets
---baseball hats, Orioles and Ravens items
---gift cards: 7 Eleven, McDonald's, Chick-fil-A
---And most importantly, letters, notes, cards wishing the residents well and giving them support and encouragement!
Camouflaged collection cans will be put out on the far left side of the foyer. Just look for the red poster of "The Baltimore Station.....We turn Lives Around."

Thank-you for Your Generosity!

"... I want a Church which is poor and for the poor. They have much to teach us....We need to let ourselves be evangelized by them... We are called to find Christ in them, to lend our voices to their causes, but also to be their friends, to listen to them, to speak for them and to embrace the mysterious wisdom which God wishes to share with us through them."

---Pope Francis (Evangelii Gaudium--#198)

"The poor have much to teach us. You have much to learn from them."

---St. Vincent de Paul

OLC at Oriole Park!

Join us for a day with the O's!

Friday August 14th, 7:05 vs Oakland Athletics

Upper Reserve seats sections 328 to 330, rows 13-25

Tickets are \$13 with \$5 from each ticket being donated to OLC

(There is a 10% surcharge for each ticket.)

To purchase tickets visit www.orioles.com/tix/olc



Come and be REFRESHED!

Please join us in the Gathering Place for... **Discovering Christ.**

Come *relax* with us, enjoy a FREE and delicious dinner, listen to a vibrant teaching, and engage in a small group discussion about the meaning of life in Jesus Christ. Discovering Christ is a seven-week series that runs Tuesdays from Oct. 6th – Nov. 17th, and includes a life-changing retreat on Saturday, Nov. 7th.

This course is designed for **YOU!** You can relax with us AND revitalize your faith at the same time. And/Or you can bring your friends and family who have been away from the Church and are open to exploring the meaning of life in Jesus Christ in a relaxed and welcoming environment. To view an informational video or to register, just visit the Our Lady of the Chesapeake website, www.olchesapeake.org and click on the Discovering Christ icon. You can also call the parish office to register.

CHRIST LIFE/ DISCOVERING CHRIST

“There is strength in numbers.” Consider being a part of the OLC Prayer Line. There are NO MEETINGS, NO COMMITTEES, AND NO DUES. NO ONE IS TOO YOUNG OR TOO OLD. We are asking you to pray for the success of the Christ life/Discovering Christ program.

Prayer cards are available for each of you to take home. Use the card to list the special intentions (people, causes, events, etc.) you want to remember when you pray. (To pray for the success of the Christ life program is already on the card.) THE CARD IS FOR YOU. We thank you in advance for being a part of the OLC Prayer Line. The prayer cards will continue to be available for you on the table with the bulletins.

Glen Burnie and Lake Shore/ Severna Park Rotary Clubs

2nd Annual Combined Crab Feast

Proceeds to Benefit: Local Scholarships,

The Dictionary Project, Arundel House of Hope &
Other Local Projects

All we raise is Returned to the Community

Thursday, August 20, 2015 6:00pm

Kurtz Beach in Pasadena

All you can eat crabs, beer, pit beef, chicken and sides!

Tickets \$50 in advance, \$55 at the door

Contact Katie Peiffer

410-599-0750/kpeiffer@arundelhoh.org

Pakistani Pastor to Speak on Ministry to Muslims

A Pakistani pastor will speak on ministry to Muslims in a presentation starting at noon Wednesday, Aug. 5 at Galilee Lutheran Church, 4652 Mountain Road. Rev. Falak Robson is on the staff of Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Catonsville and LINC Baltimore, specializing in outreach to first generation Americans. LINC is the Lutheran Inter-City Network Coalition, a non-profit faith-based agency supported by area congregations and individuals that seek to serve the community through leadership development, education, human care ministry and faith sharing.

Rev. Robson is a native Pakistani who has a master's degree in Islamic studies from a Muslim university in his home country. His presentation will be hosted by the Brown Bag Bible Class, a Bible study that meets on the first Wednesday of the month. Participants are invited to bring a sack lunch to eat during the hour-long session, which will include time for questions and answers. More information is available by contacting Emily Phoenix, director of discipleship (410-255-82326 or dodemily@galileelutheranchurch.org).

Ice Cream Social to Benefit Baltimore Area Ministry

The Lutheran Women's Missionary League of Galilee Lutheran Church on Mountain Road will host an old-fashioned ice cream social from 5:30-7:30 pm Friday, Aug. 14. The auxiliary of the church will serve a variety of ice cream treats. Funds raised will benefit LINC Baltimore. LINC is the Lutheran Inter-City Network Coalition, a non-profit faith-based agency that seek to serve the community through leadership development, education, human care ministry and faith sharing. A bake table and silent auction also will be offered in the atmosphere of an old-fashioned ice cream parlor. The community is invited to attend. For more information, please contact the church office (410-255-8236) or visit the church website at www.GalileeLutheranChurch.org.

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

We pray for: Tina A. and Family, Marie C., Matthew G., Stephen, Rylan, Rose, Emmett, Larry, Eileen, Jim, Randy B., Maria, Dean K., Marilyn, Chris, Bob B., Chris, Adam, Brian, George, Marianne, Janice T., Cassidy Sue, Marie Z., Kathy D., Albert T., Jen, Reggie, Luke, Cory, Scott, Chad B, Vivian D., Joe, Tricia S., Kathy, David B., Ken, Veronica, Jen P., Bill W., Dennis S., Deja H., Marie, Linda N., Emma C., Jocilyn S., Bonnie, Bill D., Geoff, Tina, Michael, Marie S., Dan S. Sandy D., Rachael E., Marion, Pat, Earl, Don W., Rosalie G., Desi, Delores, Cheryl A, Theresa P, Marie B., Dylan and family, Andrea H., Kal-El M.

Only first names are listed to ensure privacy—don't worry, when you pray God knows who you are talking about!

Youth Ministry

Middle School Youth Ministry

Our Monday afternoon meetings for 6th, 7th, and 8th graders are **on break until the Fall**. Our Parent/Student Orientation meeting is scheduled for Monday, Sept. 14th at 7pm in the church, and our first class for the students will be Monday, Sept. 21st from 4:30-6:00pm. The tentative calendar for the year can be found on the parish website.

We participated in a regional **Summer Madness** program this summer from July 20th-24th. It was an opportunity for Middle School students (current 6th-8th graders in the 2014/2015 school year) to take part in service activities, meet students from other parishes (make new friends), and have fun. Each day (Monday - Thursday) the students went to a different service site in the morning and help serve, then returned for lunch together, and fun in the afternoon (bowling, laser-tag, skating, etc.). On Friday, July 24th, we went to Hershey Park for the day. A great time was had by all, thank you for your prayers and support!

High School Youth Ministry

Our Sunday evening faith formation meetings are on break until the Fall. The tentative calendar for the year can be found on the parish website.

While our Sunday evening meetings are on break until the Fall, our **Wednesday Night meetings run all through the summer**. We even have a new format for the Wed. Night Group (see below), and encourage all our high school to come and join us!

Wednesday Night Group – NEW FORMAT

Our Wednesday Night Group has a new format running through the summer. While we will still have evenings of deep discussion on matters of faith, current events, and prayer, we are also going to include evenings of community building, such as games, fun field trips, and service. And we're going to be including some GREAT EATS! The schedule for the entire summer 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> |
|----------------|--|
| Aug. 5 | Movie in Theatre FIELD TRIP – We're off the movies to see...Ant-Man...Pixels...Mission Impossible...who knows??? We'll decide together as it gets closer. |
| Aug. 12 | WWJD? Game w/Grilled Hot Dogs and Smores Come play our fun and thought- provoking WWJD? game. It's a WNG classic! We'll play outdoors around the fire pit and grill hot dogs and toast smores. <u>Bring your own comfy lawn chair.</u> |

If you have any questions about Youth Ministry, please contact Tim Janiszewski (410-255-3677 or tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org).

Religious Education

Registration for Religious Education is now open for the 2015-2016 school year on our website at www.olchesapeake.org and paper forms are in the lobby of the church.

This includes registration for grade school, middle school, and high school classes.