



*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

<b>Rev. Brian "Raff" Rafferty, STL</b>	<b>Pastor</b>
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

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 30, 2015

**22nd Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

**Sunday:**

**Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22,  
27/Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23**

**Monday:**

**1 Thes 4:13-18/  
Lk 4:16-30**

**Tuesday:**

**1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/  
Lk 4:31-37**

**Wednesday:**

**Col 1:1-8/  
Lk 4:38-44**

**Thursday:**

**Col 1:9-14/  
Lk 5:1-11**

**Friday:**

**Col 1:15-20/  
Lk 5:33-39**

**Saturday:**

**Col 1:21-23/  
Lk 6:1-5**

**Next Sunday:**

**Is 35:4-7a/Jas 2:1-5/  
Mk 7:31-37**

### 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](mailto:suzannembryant@yahoo.com)

## Pastor's Page

Today I want to take a leaf out of St. Paul's book. Paul had a habit, a very commendable habit, of thanking all the Churches of the ancient world for all their charitable outreach to one another. During the weekdays when I wander around the campus, I see one sign after another of your generosity in taking care of the needs of so many. So many of you have your heart and concern in different areas that need attention. Some organize the gathering of items needed by our Veterans, others for our homeless, still others the hungry of Baltimore. You are doing a great job!

All around the campus are signs of your desire to reach out to those near and far, for persons and causes we know and still others we will never know. You are overwhelmingly generous to our Little Sisters of the Poor and I wish to shout out to the hills your generosity to our Lady of the Chesapeake. All throughout the month of August your weekly collections have topped \$12,000 and this week we hit 13,000. For the end of the summer and the end of the month, your dedication to our parish is staggering and we are so, so grateful. I think you will be pleased to know how we are investing your generous support.

The end of the summer is when lots of bills come in for books and myriad publications for our Religious Ed. Program. I think Ms. Stacey is every bit as sharp and incisive as she is sparkling and fun and you can bet that she is responsible for the continued first class caliber of Faith Formation continuously adding new technology and programs. Building on the foundation laid by Ms. Carole, Mr. Tim and Ms. Stacey are constructing a ministry capable of accepting all who come to us of any age and /or academic background searching for Jesus. We send no one away looking for greener pastures.

And dig this! Divine Providence has sent to us a new professional aide in the person of Sr. Sally Russell, a religious of the Community of the Sisters of St. Joseph. In addition to assisting Tim and Stacey in whatever areas aid is needed, Sally will work with our RCIA (Convert Instructions) and provide for the development of a more far-reaching Adult Education experiences for our families. Thanks for being the great parish you are!

### 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!

### Religious Education

Registration for Religious Education is now open for the 2015-2016 school year on our website at [www.olchesapeake.org](http://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.*

**\*\*\*\*Volunteer teachers and assistants are needed for grades 1—5.**

**No experience necessary! Teens welcome to help too! Please contact Stacey Beres by calling the church office or email [sberes@olchesapeake.org](mailto:sberes@olchesapeake.org) if you feel the call to share the Gospel with our children and youth!!!**

### 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](mailto: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, September 21st, at 7 PM.**

### HELP, DO YOU HAVE CONNECTIONS?

Our 9<sup>th</sup> 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, 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](mailto:homelessministryolc@yahoo.com). Donation forms are available at [www.olchesapeake.org](http://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.

### JOIN THE OLC YOUTH CHOIR!!!

Do you have a kid who LOVES TO SING??? Join the OLC Youth Choir! The Choir is open to students age 6 through 13 (emerging readers through eighth grade, no previous experience is necessary), and meets to rehearse on Saturdays from 3:45-4:45pm in the Church, just before the 5PM Mass. The Youth Choir sings for the 3:30PM Mass on Christmas Eve, and will lead the 5pm Mass in song on the 3rd Saturday of every month, beginning in October. Rehearsals begin on September 5th, but new members may join at any time through the month of September!!! Come and sing with us!!!



## OLC Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus meet the first and third Wednesday of each month in a classroom of the Gathering Place at 7:30pm.



**The Knights of Columbus will raffle a 2016 Ford Mustang or \$18,000 cash option.** You can buy tickets after Mass on Saturday and Sunday September 12th & 13th. on tables outside of the Church. Chances are \$1.00 each.

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

"When I pick up a hungry person from the street, I give him a plate of rice, a piece of bread. But a person who is shut out, who feels unwanted, unloved, terrified, the person who has been thrown out of society-----that spiritual poverty is much harder to overcome."  
*Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta*

### THE BALTIMORE STATION

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." Camouflaged collection cans will be put out in the foyer.

### 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, twin sized light weight 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  
*"The Baltimore Station".....We turn Lives Around."*  
*Thank-you for Your Generosity!*

**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!!!!



## 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](http://www.olchesapeake.org) and click on the Discovering Christ icon. You can also call the parish office to register.

### Our Lady of the Chesapeake is Going to NY City

9/11 Memorial Museum / Little Italy

Saturday October 10, 2015

Only 25 spots first come first serve

Price: \$105.00 per person \$35.00 deposit due now

Trip includes: Bus transportation, Bagel Breakfast, Museum entrance, and all taxes & tips

Contact: Paula Gentile 410-437-1890  
[paulamgentile76@hotmail.com](mailto:paulamgentile76@hotmail.com) (Parish Member)

Martha Silvestri 410-974-0056  
[toursandmore@verizon.net](mailto:toursandmore@verizon.net)

Meet at 6:15 am BJ's wholesale club Parking lot off Ritchie Highway

Bus will depart for New York at 6:30 am

Bus leaves New York at 6:30 pm

Make checks payable to: Our Lady of the Chesapeake

Send to: Our Lady of the Chesapeake,  
8325 Ventnor Road, Pasadena MD 21122

Attention: Judy

Please write on Memo Line: Bus Trip 9-11 Museum  
Please include note with Your Name, Telephone and cell #s & Email address

Note: The excursion into Little Italy is time for you to explore and to get a bite to eat on your own.

### 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.

### WATCH POPE FRANCIS ON THE BIG SCREEN ON SEPTEMBER 27

The Archdiocese of Baltimore welcomes Catholics throughout the Archdiocese to the televising of the Mass celebrated by Pope Francis on September 27 at 4 p.m. in Philadelphia--live on a large video screen on the lawn of the Cathedral of Mary Our Queen in North Baltimore. Bring chairs and blankets and sit on the grass while you watch the Mass. People are also encouraged to bring their dinner and stay for a large "Archdiocesan family picnic" after the Mass. *For those who want to watch the Baltimore Ravens play, the game will be on prior to the start of Mass.* All are welcome. The Cathedral is located at 5200 N. Charles Street in Baltimore.

### BINGO BLAST at Good Shepherd Church

1451 Furnace Ave, Glen Burnie, MD

Sunday, September 13, 2015

\$20 Donation Includes: Roast Beef Platter, Beverages, Regular Cards – Specials

Doors Open at 12:30 PM, Play from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM  
Call 410-761-8291 for more information or to reserve a table

### Our Lady of the Chesapeake Prayer Line - Available 24/7 by emailing [info@olchesapeake.org](mailto: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., Sam R. and family, Kevin and Anita M., Russ C., Jim, Ruth C. and family

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

#### Time to Register Please

Our Monday afternoon meetings for 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> graders **will be underway soon!** Our first class for the students will be Monday, Sept. 21<sup>st</sup> from 4:30-6:00pm. The tentative calendar for the year can be found on the parish website.

If you are not registered for the year, you can do so online - <http://olchesapeake.org/religious-education>. Remember, we have never turned a student away for financial reasons, so if the registration fee is an issue, let us know, but we need you to register regardless please.

Our **Parent/Student Orientation Meeting** is scheduled for Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup> from 7:00pm to 8:00pm at the church. We encourage all parents and students to attend (even if you came last year). We will review this year's program, calendar, and events, so bring your questions.

We look forward to seeing you soon - we're going to have a great year! Contact Tim Janiszewski if you have any questions or concerns ([tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org](mailto:tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org) 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 and Confirmation

#### Time to Register Please

Our **2015-2016 High School Youth Ministry (HSYM) Program** is about ready to get underway; our first Sunday night class will be on October 4<sup>th</sup>, from 6:30pm - 8:30pm (The tentative calendar for the year can be found on the parish website.) The beginning of our HSYM program is synonymous with the beginning of our Confirmation process. **Active participation in our HSYM program for two (2) consecutive years is part of our process before candidates are confirmed.**

First year AND Second year students need to register (even if you were registered last year). If you are not registered for the Confirmation process yet, you can do so online - <http://olchesapeake.org/religious-education>. Remember, we have never turned a student away for financial reasons, so if the registration fee is an issue, let us know, but we need you to register regardless please.

Our Confirmation process begins with a series of Intake Sessions for the First and Second year students. **Each year, one of these sessions MUST be attended by the 'Family Team'** which includes: the interested young person (candidate) and at least one parent; second year students must also bring their sponsor (**they all need to be at the same meeting**). First year students do not need to have a sponsor until next year, but they DO need to attend the meeting with a parent. The available Intake Sessions will be held **IN THE CHURCH** on:

**Tuesday, Sept. 15th from 7-9pm**

**Saturday, Sept. 19th from 9-11am**

**Sunday, Sept. 20th from 5-7pm**

**Thursday, Sept. 24th from 7-9pm**

**(note the different times)**

Please register online **BEFORE** coming to the intake session. You are not considered part of the Confirmation Process unless you attend one of the Intake Sessions (**and are registered**).

We look forward to seeing you soon for another great year! If you should have any questions or concerns, please contact Tim Janiszewski ([tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org](mailto:tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org) 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.**

#### **\*\*\*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 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade, come join us please Wednesday evenings from 6:30pm to 8:30pm.

This past week's meeting we planned for a few more months in advance. **We'll advertise the updated schedule next week.**

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