



*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 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, 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.

September 27, 2015

**26th Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

**Sunday:**

**Nm 11:25-29/Jas 5:1-6/  
Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48**

**Monday:**

**Zec 8:1-8/  
Lk 9:46-50**

**Tuesday:**

**Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-  
12ab/Jn 1:47-51**

**Wednesday:**

**Neh 2:1-8/  
Lk 9:57-62**

**Thursday:**

**Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12/  
Lk 10:1-12**

**Friday:**

**Bar 1:15-22/  
Mt 18:1-5, 10**

**Saturday:**

**Bar 4:5-12, 27-29/  
Lk 10:17-24**

**Next Sunday:**

**Gn 2:18-24/Heb 2:9-11/  
Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12**

### 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

### GOOD NEWS

This weekend, we have the pleasure of welcoming as our guest speaker Bill Keown, (pronounced Cowan) a young man studying for the Priesthood for the Archdiocese of Baltimore. He is a genuine personification of how the gifts we make to the annual Archdiocesan appeal filter back to the parish. As a considerable part of our gift contributes to the education of our future priests, the AAA has a direct effect on our local ministries. Thanks a million for stepping up to the plate for this worthy mission!

### SERVE LIKE FRANCIS

As we welcome Pope Francis to the United States, his visit provides a great opportunity for Catholics in the Archdiocese of Baltimore to participate in a number of volunteer programs that serve those in need, just like Pope Francis! For a list of volunteer opportunities throughout the Archdiocese, visit [www.archbalt.org](http://www.archbalt.org) and click on "Visit of Pope Francis" at the top of the page or contact your parish.

### BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Once again the Parish is participating in the Baby Bottle Campaign. Take home a baby bottle next weekend, October 3/4. Fill the bottle with spare change and bills, and **return it with your donation to the Church the weekend of October 24/25**. All donations will go to help the needy women who seek assistance for their babies at Mary's Center and the Severna Park Pregnancy Clinic.

### Parish Health Caregivers Retreat –

Join us on Friday, October 16th from 9 AM – 3 PM at Our Lady of the Chesapeake! This retreat, facilitated by Fr. Ray Chase, will give parish health providers a chance to refresh and renew themselves for their vital ministry. Come away and meet others who share your passion for serving the ill, while nurturing your spiritual and emotional self! Cost is \$30/ participant (included lunch). To register, contact Rosanne Deludos at [rdeludos@archbalt.org](mailto:rdeludos@archbalt.org), 410-547-5405.

**Are you an Our Lady of the Chesapeake Volunteer or Ministry Member?** Do you help with Religious Education, rejoice with the Music Ministry or help as a lector? Whether you volunteer with the children of the parish, or volunteer in another capacity, please be sure to complete the Archdiocese required **Shield the Vulnerable** program if you have not already done so. There is information for new volunteers and returning. The information can be found on the parish website, [www.olchesapeake.org](http://www.olchesapeake.org). Questions? Contact Donna Moran in the church office, 410-255-3677 if you have any questions.

### 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 Moran*

#### 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)*

**The next Parish Council meeting is  
September 23rd, 7pm in the Education  
Wing of the Gathering Place.  
ALL members of OLC are welcome to  
attend the monthly meetings. We  
welcome & need your ideas & input.**

## Winter Relief Dinner/Auction

### 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 are seeking 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:

- Donate a bottle of wine or liquor. Please place bottles in the basket located in the foyer.

***Just a reminder if you took a tag from the tree, please bring the baskets/gift cards for the dinner/auction by September 30. Thank you so much for your continued support and generosity.***

## OLC PRAYER LINE

Will you consider being a Prayer Partner for the OLC Prayer Line? As a Prayer Partner you will receive emails with names of people who are requesting prayers. They might have health concerns, family concerns, job concerns, financial concerns. They might feel that they are alone – a really tough place to be.

To become a Prayer Partner for the OLC Prayer Line contact Susan Israel at [suisrael9@comcast.net](mailto:suisrael9@comcast.net) or Stacey or Judy at [info@olchesapeake.org](mailto:info@olchesapeake.org)

## House of Hope Sandwiches:

Each week OLC delivers sandwiches to the House of Hope, 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 of Columbus meet the first and third Wednesday of each month in a classroom of the Gathering Place at 7:30pm.

### Looking for NEW MEMBERS!

Interested in joining the Music Ministry at Our Lady of the Chesapeake as an instrumentalists or a vocalist?

All that is required is a LOVE of music and a willingness to serve. Our first rehearsal of the year will be held on

Thursday, September 24th at 7:00pm. If interested please contact Rodney Armero at 410-255-3677 or e-mail at [rarmero@olchesapeake.org](mailto:rarmero@olchesapeake.org)



### 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!!!

## Our Lady of the Chesapeake NY City

9/11 Memorial Museum / Little Italy

Saturday October 10, 2015 is

**SOLD OUT**

*If you have any questions, contact* Paula Gentile 410-437-1890 , [paulamgentile76@hotmail.com](mailto:paulamgentile76@hotmail.com) (Parish Member) or Martha Silvestri 410-974-0056, [toursandmore@verizon.net](mailto:toursandmore@verizon.net)

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**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.

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

"A word or a smile is often enough to put fresh life in a despondent soul."  
--St Therese de Lisieux

St Therese's feast day is October 1<sup>st</sup>. St Therese of the Little Flower, pray for us!

**Healing the Wounds of Abortion:** Rachel's Vineyard Baltimore reaches out to all women and men hurting emotionally and spiritually after involvement with abortion. This ministry helps heal your wounded relationships with yourself, your child, and God. Extending God's compassion, unconditional love and forgiveness, Rachel's Vineyard Baltimore offers hope and peace. The next retreat is October 16-18. For further information go to online at [www.rvbaltimore.org](http://www.rvbaltimore.org) or email: [rvbaltimore@archbalt.org](mailto:rvbaltimore@archbalt.org) or call 410-625-8491.

## **Pasadena Seniors Inc. fundraiser Bull Roast**

@ VFW 1720 Bayside Beach Road, Pasadena  
Sunday, October 18th from 1pm to 5pm

\$40 per person, must be 21 years of age

Tickets on sale at the Pasadena Senior Center or see a DENA SI board member. Deadline to order tickets is October 2nd.

There will be music, dancing, pit beef, pit turkey, pit ham, shredded BBQ, beer, wine, soda, 50/50 raffle, wheels, and more! All proceeds benefit Pasadena Senior Center and members. For more information call 410-222-0030 or 410-925-9187.

## **CHRIST LIFE/ DISCOVERING CHRIST**

"There is strength in numbers." Consider being a Prayer Partner. 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. Thank you for being a part of this program.

\*\*\* The prayer cards will continue to be available for you on the table with the bulletins. \*\*\*

## **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends:**

Jesus healed the deaf man. Through faith, Jesus can bring wholeness to your marriage. Renew, refresh and rekindle your marriage on one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is November 6-8, 2015 in Rockville, MD. For more information and to apply online visit [moments4marriage.org](http://moments4marriage.org), or call 301-541-7007, or email at [applications@moments4marriage.org](mailto:applications@moments4marriage.org).

## **WELCOME WEDNESDAYS**

**Come visit any Wednesday from 9am to 10am**

**Or come to our OPEN HOUSE**

**November 11, 2015**

9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 7:00 to 8:30 pm.

## **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., Andrea H., Sam R. and family, Kevin and Anita M., Russ C., Jim, Ruth C. and family, Nan E., Clark D., Marvin H., Nancy, Pete, Skip, John S., David K., Joe B., Augie L., Donnelly family.

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

Good news (beyond the normal Good News of the Gospel) – both our MSYM and HSYM faith formation meetings are beginning again. We missed the students and are looking forward to seeing them! 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.

**Special Note to all MSYM AND HSYM Parents:** When picking up your children Monday afternoon and/or Sunday evening, PLEASE pull into the parking lot and park...PLEASE DO NOT wait in the entrance lane for your child to come out (no curbside pick-up). A line of waiting cars forming onto Ventnor Road is hazardous. Thanks!

**Confirmation:** This year's Confirmation Intake Sessions have ended. The students and parents who attended did a great job! If you missed one of our numerous Intake Sessions, and would still like to be part of our Confirmation process this year, please contact Tim Janiszewski (410-255-3677 or [tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org](mailto:tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org)) as soon as possible.

Our Sunday evening faith formation meetings begin on Sunday, Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> and we meet from 6:30-8:30pm...the meetings are part of the Confirmation Process. Even if you missed one of our Intake meetings, start coming Sunday evenings! Thanks!

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, please let us know, but we need you to register regardless please.

**Middle School Youth Ministry Time to Register Please:** Last Monday, Sept. 21<sup>st</sup>, we began our new season with a fun "Get-to-Know-You" class. It looks like we're going to have another great year, so thanks to all the students who came and participated. This Monday, Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>, we begin our first five-week session of the year entitled "Being Catholic." We will be getting to know this wonderful Church that we call home. 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](http://www.olchesapeake.org)).

On Friday, Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup> we are going on a **Regional Bowling Trip**. Our 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders will join JH students from around Anne Arundel County at Greenway Bowling in Odenton for fun and bowling. Flyers and permission forms were e-mailed out this past week. You can also find them in the box on the Business Office door in the church lobby. Permission forms are due Monday, Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>....SPACE IS LIMITED! We need STAND trained parents to chaperone and drive too please!

On Friday, Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> our 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders will be going on our **annual Halloween Trip**. We'll be going lazer-tagging in Columbia, and then on to the Wicked Woods at Arthur Slade school in Glen Burnie. Flyers and permission forms will be available soon. Deadline for submittal will be Monday, Oct. 20<sup>th</sup>! We need STAND trained parents to chaperone and drive too please!

On Friday, Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> our 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders will be going on our **annual Halloween Trip**. We'll be going lazer-tagging in Columbia, and then on to the Wicked Woods at Arthur Slade school in Glen Burnie. Flyers and permission forms will be available soon. Deadline for submittal will be Monday, Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>! We need STAND trained parents to chaperone and drive too please!

**High School Youth Ministry Time to Register Please** Our Sunday evening faith formation meetings for Session 1 begin Sunday, Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:30pm. Our theme for the five weeks will be "Self Portrait"...it's all about YOU! All high school students are invited to attend (even those who have been Confirmed...We really NEED you!).

**Question:** If my 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> grade child is Confirmed already, but still coming Sunday evenings, do they need to be registered?

**Answer:** Yes, we still like to have all students registered. If you can afford the registration fee, great! If you can't, or just don't think you should have to, that's okay. We're just blessed that you're sharing your child with us again!

**Wednesday Night Group:** Our Wednesday Night Group is a **voluntary faith formation group** for high school students. If you are in 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> 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 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> 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>
Sept. 30	<b>Movie Night (in house) w/Popcorn</b> Come see a great movie with popcorn and then a fascinating but brief discussion.
Oct. 7 eat	<b>Story Night w/Cookie Bake and Hot Cocoa</b> Stories to make you think, and share your thoughts, while we bake and eat cookies. And fresh baked cookies go great with Hot Cocoa.
Oct. 14	<b>Karaoke Night w/Spaghetti and Meatballs and Garlic Bread</b> If you love singing, you'll love tonight. And if you don't, that's okay...who doesn't love spaghetti and meatballs with garlic bread?!
Oct. 21 Come Think!	<b>Raff – Questions &amp; Perspectives w/Chili and Corn Bread</b> Fr. Raff is always promoting us to THINK, THINK, THINK. tonight with your questions for him. He's got no answers for us, but really great perspectives that make you Think! Think! We'll enjoy chili and corn bread tonight too.
Oct. 28	<b>Halloween Costume Party and Movie w/Special Treats</b> Our Halloween party is an annual WNG event, but this year we're adding a costume party too! Come dressed in an appropriate costume while we watch a great Halloween movie and enjoy special Halloween treats.

If you have any questions about Youth Ministry, please contact Tim (410-255-3677 or [tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org](mailto:tjaniszewski@olchesapeake.org)). We are going to have a great year! If you're uncertain if you are on our e-mail list, please let Tim know so he can add you to it.