

~Alive in Faith & Tradition~

Shrine Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel - Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

275 North 8th Street Brooklyn, New York 11211

*Welcome to our Parish Community Benvenuti Alla Nostra Comunitá Parrocchiale
¡Bienvenidos a nuestra Comunidad! Witajcie W Naszej Parafii*

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Msgr. Jamie J. Gigantiello
Pastor

Rev. Fr. Michele Vricella
Parochial Vicar

Deacon Philip Franco
Pastoral Associate

Giuditta Coccia, A.O.,
Italian Apostolate & Pastoral Care

Rosemarie Walsh,
Director of Faith Formation

Richard Slizeski, Music Director
Diego Tornelli, Organist



December 29, 2019
**The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary
and Joseph**

God Shows No Partiality – All are Welcome Here

Are you a sinner? Have you been away from the church for a long time? Are you divorced or separated? Are you physically or mentally challenged? Are you from a different culture? Are you visiting our neighborhood? Are you not accepted because of your sexual orientation? Are you elderly, a teen or young adult? Are you discriminated against because of your color? Are you feeling broken? Are you poor or out of work? Have you been imprisoned? Have you a feeling that you are left out?

You are welcome here!

This is God's House!

This is Everyone's Home



OLMC

Saturday:

5:00pm (Vigil)

Sunday:

8:00am

9:45am (Italian)

11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS: 8:30am

On National Holidays that fall on the weekdays, there will be no weekday mass that day.

HOLY DAYS: For Mass Schedule & Times please consult bulletin or call the Rectory.

CONFESSION: Saturday 4:15pm – 4:45pm

Any other time, call Rectory for an appointment

THE CHURCH OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED

VIRGIN MARY

North 5th & Havemeyer St.

Sunday:

10:00am (Lithuanian)

11:30am (Spanish)

6:00pm (English)

RECTORY INFORMATION

Phone: (718) 384-0223 **Fax:** (718) 384-5838

E-mail: olmcn8th@yahoo.com

275 N 8th Street, Brooklyn NY 11211

Church Website:

www.Mountcarmel-Annunciation.com

Feast Website: www.OLMCFEAST.com

OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday 9:00am - 8:00pm

Friday: 9:00am – 5:00pm

Rectory Closed Daily for Lunch 12pm – 1pm

Saturday: Call Rectory for an Appointment

Sunday: 9:00am-12:30pm

PARISH SOCIETIES

Pastoral Council:

Meets regularly throughout the year.

Consult Bulletin for meeting dates

Holy Name Society:

Second Sunday of the month after Mass.

Third Order of Our Lady of Mount Carmel:

Last Sunday of each month after the 8:00am Mass.

St. Rita Rosary Society:

Meets first Sunday of the month at 10:00am

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, December 28th

4:15 - 4:45 Confession

5:00 Katherine Torello~~~Anthony, Amarilis and Nola Torello

Sunday, December 29th, The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

8:00 Available

9:45 Salvatore & Angelina Franzese~~~

Daughter, Carmela

Rosa Pitro Ckiccole~~~Carmela Pasquariello & Family

11:00 Grace Deperino~~~Her Family

Loretta Cutrone, Amelia & John Casalette~~~

Amy Cutrone & Family

6:00 Chris Yerro, Happy Birthday in Heaven~~~

Love, Mom, Dad & Collins

Monday, December 30th

8:30 Pro Popolo

OLMC Novena After Mass

Dominic D'Alto~~~Lucia D'Alto & Children

Tuesday, December 31st, New Years Eve

8:30 Pascale Louis~~~Mary Louis

5:00 Available

Wednesday, January 1st, New Years Day

10:00 Available

Mass in English and Italian

Thursday, January 2nd

8:30 Connie Fontano~~~Frances & Josephine Baglino

Friday, January 3rd

8:30 Available

Anointing Mass, Blessing with Relic of St. Peregrine

Saturday, January 4th

4:15 - 4:45 Confession

5:00 Camille Nunziata~~~Grace & Maria Tellone

Sunday, January 5th, Epiphany of the Lord

8:00 Available

9:45 Ida DiBlasi~~~Family

11:00 Joseph Zabiski~~~American Legion Ladies Auxiliary

Loretta Cutrone~~~Amy Cutrone & Family

6:00 In Memory of David Mitchell~~~Stella Cenuti

Memorials for the Week

- Bread & Wine—\$25.00
- Tabernacle Candle—\$20.00
- OLMC Candle--\$20.00
- St. Jude Candle—\$20.00
- Altar Flowers—\$50.00
- Food Pantry—\$25.00 minimum



Ministry of Bereavement

As always, please pray for the deceased of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel & Annunciation

Each Month we have a Holy Hour with Adoration and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. The Holy Hour takes place the first Saturday of every month at 10:30am in OLMC.

Please join us in prayer and community!

“1000 Years of Human Glory is not with one hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament.” Padre Pio

E-Giving

Electronic Giving Is Here...Have You Signed Up Yet?

It benefits you and our parish! Enrollment is friendly, safe, and trouble-free. Never worry about forgetting to bring money to church again

Please visit our website at:

<http://givecentral.org/olmc-b> to learn how using Give

Central will provide you with an efficient and secure way to support the parish.

Christmas Donations that came in after bulletin went to print

Christmas Tree in Church -
In Memory of: Chichie & DeDe Galasso and Martha & Andrew Badamo



Christmas Tree of Ornaments -
In Memory of:

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|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| Grace Grande | Annette Ferreri |
| Phil Manna | Ralph Bergamo |
| Marie Langone | Rose Marie Esposito |
| Angelo Tardalo | Marion Pennolino |
| Andrea Catalanotti | Matty Badamo |
| Helen Altieri | Minnie Giffone |

Donated By: Vera & Andrew Badamo

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 1 Jn 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-10; Lk 2:36-40
- Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:18-21; Ps 96:1-2, 11-13; Jn 1:1-18
- Wednesday: Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21
- Thursday: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28
- Friday: 1 Jn 2:29 — 3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-6; Jn 1:29-34
- Saturday: 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Jn 1:35-42
- Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturday 4:15pm—4:45pm. Any other time, call the Rectory for an appointment with one of the priests.

BAPTISM If you desire to have your child baptized into the Catholic Faith, please call the Rectory for an appointment. A class prior to the celebration is required. Children 7 years & older must prepare for Baptism by attending Religious Instructions.

MATRIMONY Couples must make arrangements at the Rectory 8 months before the Marriage. Both parties must see the priest. All couples must attend the Pre-Cana program. Log onto www.pre-cana.org for introductory session and dates.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK If there is someone sick at home, please contact one of the priests to administer the sacrament at home; Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are also available to bring Eucharist. Urgent calls are responded to at any time.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) Any adult (18+) who wishes to be Baptized into the Catholic Faith or who needs to complete the Sacraments of Initiation (Eucharist, Confirmation) is asked to call the Rectory for information.

CATHOLICS COME HOME

Please feel free to invite those who have been away from our parish to attend Mass with you. If there is anyone you know of that is upset with the church and feels that my speaking to them would be of help, please let me know so that I may speak to them.

- Msgr. Jamie

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2019

To ensure success of the appeal at OLMC and Annunciation we need everyone's support. After our parish reaches its goal, we will receive 100% of all the funds raised over our goal.



OLMC

GOAL - \$21,198.00
PLEDGE - \$29,180.00
RECEIVED - \$25,716.99
NUMBER OF DONORS - 112

ANNUNCIATION

GOAL - \$3,685.00
PLEDGE - \$6,609.00
RECEIVED - \$6,009.00
NUMBER OF DONORS - 34

We encourage you to watch the new ACA 2019 Video at www.CFBQ.org/ACAVideo

Sunday Collection:
December 15, 2019 \$1,999.00

December 22, 2019 Not Available At This Time



WELCOME ... WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE! If this is the first time you have been to Mount Carmel, Welcome! We promise that if you keep your heart and mind open to God, you'll find what you're looking for. **Would you like to talk to someone?** We're here to listen and help if we can. Just call the rectory when you're ready. In the meantime, remember that you are always prayed for and that it is our hope to pray with you each week.

THINKING OF BECOMING A CATHOLIC... or is someone you know thinking of it? If so, then the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the right step for you to take. The RCIA is a process that consists of a combination of participation at Sunday Mass and instruction on the teachings and customs of the Roman Catholic Church. RCIA is also for baptized Catholics who have not received both First Holy Communion and Confirmation. The sessions meet once a week on Thursday at 7pm in the Rectory. If you are seriously thinking of entering this program, please call the Rectory at 718-384-0223 and ask for Rosemarie Walsh.

RELIGIOUS ED - Meets Sundays at 9AM

BEREAVEMENT GROUP - The holidays can be a hard time for all of us. We are here for you! Meetings are held on Tuesdays. Please call Rosemarie Walsh at the rectory Ext. 104.

LIVE STREAM

Please tell your family, friends and neighbors that every Sunday they will be able to live stream the 11:00am mass by going to our website at www.olmcchurchbk.com and click on live mass stream or by going onto the parish Facebook account www.facebook.com/OLMCCHURCHBK

Bishop DiMarzio and the staff of Catholic Charities Brooklyn and Queens along with those served by Catholic Charities send their sincerest thanks to the parishioners of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel and Annunciation parish for their generous contributions to the Christmas Collection for Catholic Charities. Your gifts enable Catholic Charities to work with the children and families of our diocese who are in need.

If you missed the special collection last week, your donation is still urgently needed to help Catholic Charities continue our critical work.

Donations may be mailed to: **Catholic Charities Brooklyn and Queens, Attn: Development & Communications, 191 Joralemon Street, 12th Floor, Brooklyn, New York 11201**

Mass Book is open for the months January - June 2020

If anyone is interested in sending Fr. Tomaz a friendly hello, he would love to hear from you. Please contact the rectory for his address



Youth Group Meeting January 10, 2020 at 6:30pm in the lower room. Anyone who would like further information regarding the Youth Group, please leave a message for Mike Chirichella at the rectory.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH

- Marie Henry
- John Astore
- Carmela (Millie) Mannara
- Josephine Torre
- Marie Curran
- Buddy Abrams
- Alberta Rosie Rolling
- Baby Ryley
- Joseph Langone
- Kelly Gahagan Napolitano
- Benny Leone
- Robert John Ihne
- Dcn. Anthony Martucci
- Linda DePalma
- Mike Charon
- Andrienne Weiss
- Adriane John
- Elizabeth Saulino
- Felicia Saulino
- Maria Cutrone
- Anna Cotto
- Domenico D'Erasmus
- Rosa Maria Santos
- Sarah Teri
- Susan DeAngelis Ruppel
- Patti Wilson
- Joann O'Neill
- Geraldine Maschetti
- Baby Anthony Ditzio
- Mauricio Vasquez
- Diane Camacho
- Alfredo Salas
- John Jacques
- Jerry Pompa
- Mariana Triolo
- Stephanie Nunziata
- JoAnn G. Coules
- Vanessa Schilling
- Maria Musso
- Nancy Ann DeLise
- Margaret Calza
- Philip DeLuca
- Anna & Ted Dellolio
- Elizabeth Kissane
- Rina Mottes
- Jameelah Allahna Abdul Mateen
- Linas Stankunas
- Joey Damiano
- Jamey Macgilvray
- Stevie Mignano
- Josie Jamie
- Mary Ann Walsh
- Skylar Marshall
- Patricia Joseph
- Joe Aponte
- Mallory DeLise
- Alexandra Maroulis
- Barbara Esposito
- James Leung
- Donna Guiliano Hoag
- Ann Marie Pasquin
- Elizabeth Pries
- Rita Paragone

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PEOPLE IN THE MILITARY



**THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF
MT. CARMEL & ANNUNCIATION**
Invites you to celebrate Mass with us

NEW YEARS EVE, DECEMBER 31ST

**8:30AM at OLMC
5:00PM at OLMC**

NEW YEARS DAY, JANUARY 1ST
10:00AM (English & Italian) at OLMC

**Monday, December 30th, Tuesday, December 31st,
Thursday, January 2nd and Friday, January 3rd the
rectory office hours will be 9am - 5pm, there will be
no evening hours this week. In observance of New
Years Day, January 1st the rectory will be closed**

Happy, Healthy & Blessed New Year



BABIES FIRST CHRISTMAS

**Please ask mommy and daddy to bring
you to the 11am Family Mass on January
5, 2020 The Epiphany of the Lord for a
very special blessing and small gift. All are welcome
even if you were not baptized here**

March for Life

Join the faithful from across the Diocese of Brooklyn on
Friday, January 24, 2020, in Washington DC to the
March for Life. The Secretariat for Evangelization and
Catechesis is sponsoring one bus leaving from Brooklyn
(Diocesan Offices; 310 Prospect Park West). Parking
will be limited. The bus leaves promptly at 6:30am. The
bus will leave Washington, DC after the March in the
afternoon and return to Brooklyn in the evening. The
cost for roundtrip bus transportation to Washington, DC
is \$25.00. To reserve your seat, please contact Martha
Hernandez at (718) 281-9540 or email her at
mhernandez@diobrook.org by January 17, 2020. Please
make checks payable to Diocese of Brooklyn. Please
mail payment to: Secretariat for Evangelization and
Catechesis, Attn: March for Life, 310 Prospect Park
West, Brooklyn, New York 11215. Please visit
www.marchforlife.org for additional information.

National Prayer Vigil for Life, January 23-24, 2020

The National Prayer Vigil for Life will be held from
Thursday afternoon, January 23, through Friday
morning, January 24, 2020. The Opening Mass begins
Thursday, January 23 at 5:30pm. The National Rosary
for Life begins at 8:00pm. Night Prayer begins at
9:30pm. Holy Hour begins at 11:00pm and ends at
6:00am on Friday, January 24th. The Closing Mass
begins Friday at 7:30am.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CHURCH
RESTORATION MEMORIALS
AVAILABLE FOR YOUR INTENTION

ALTAR MARBLE WALL PANELS - \$500.00

**MEDALLIONS OF JOYFUL & LUMINOUS
MEMORIALS - \$5,000 each**

*If you are interested in memorializing any of the above,
please contact the rectory for further information*

ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
CHURCH RESTORATION MEMORIALS

ORGAN - \$100,000

ALTAR - \$50,000

PULPIT - \$25,000

CONFESSIONAL - \$10,000

FRESCO - \$5,000 EACH (12 AVAILABLE)

**STAINED GLASS - \$2,500 EACH
(12 AVAILABLE)**

STATUE - \$1,000 EACH (14 AVAILABLE)

PEW - \$500.00 EACH

*Envelopes are located in the back of church if you are
interested or please contact the rectory for
further information*

**New Years Better Late
Than Never Dance**



January 25, 2020

8PM - 1AM

Msgr. Cassato Hall

**Hot Buffet - Soda, Beer, Ice,
Coffee, Cake**

B.Y.O.B - Free Door Prize -

Live Entertainment

Singles Welcome

\$50.00 per person - Tables of 10

***Please call the rectory to reserve
your tickets 718-384-0223 or contact
any Feast Lieutenant***

**TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED
IN ADVANCE**

AVVISI PER LA COMUNITA' ITALIANA

INFINITI AUGURI
DI PACE, SERENITA' E ARMONIA
PER IL NUOVO ANNO 2020

PRIMO GENNAIO

MARIA SANTISSIMA MADRE DI DIO
Abbiamo come Gesù, Maria per Madre

Festa di precetto**Orario delle Sante Messe**

martedì 31 dicembre alle ore 5:00 pm
mercoledì 1 gennaio (inglese e italiano)
alle ore 10:00 am

PAROLA DEL PAPA

*** Guardando Gesù vediamo il volto di Dio Amore, e impariamo a riconoscerlo nei volti dei nostri fratelli.

*** La Chiesa cresce con il sangue dei martiri, uomini e donne che danno la vita per Gesù. Oggi ce ne sono tanti, anche se non fanno notizia.

*** Cristo è nato per noi! Venite, voi tutti che cercate il volto di Dio: eccolo, in quel Bambino, depresso in una mangiatoia.

*** Contemplando il Dio Bambino, che sprigiona luce nell'umiltà del presepe, possiamo diventare anche noi testimoni di umiltà, tenerezza e bontà.

*** L'albero di Natale con le sue luci ci ricorda che Gesù è la luce del mondo, è la luce dell'anima che scaccia le tenebre delle inimicizie e fa spazio al perdono.

MANDACI, O SIGNORE, DEL CORAGGIO

Mandaci, o Signore, del coraggio.

Il coraggio di agire e di agire senza temerità.

Il coraggio dell'iniziativa e il coraggio della disciplina.

Il coraggio della continuità e il coraggio di un costante adattamento.

Il coraggio di saper stare soli e quello di sempre ricominciare con quelli che restano o quelli che arrivano.

Il coraggio di non irritarsi, anche in mezzo agli abbandoni, e rimanere sempre padroni di sé.

Il coraggio di trovare sempre un po' di tempo per meditare e pregare. (*JLebre*)

DARE DA MANGIARE AGLI AFFAMATI**DAR DA BERE AGLI ASSETATI**

E' in programma di preparare la cena per Giovedì 16 gennaio per circa 40 senzatetto che si rifugiano nella "Mission" della parrocchia "Transfiguration".

Chi desidera cucinare, provvedere cibo o bevande, oppure offrire denaro per favore si rivolga a Carmela Pasquariello, Bettina Manzolillo o a Giuditta Coccia. Grazie di cuore.



COMUNIDAD HISPANA
IGLESIA DE LA ANUNCIACIÓN
DE LA VIRGEN MARIA

BIENVENIDOS!

Damos una cordial bienvenida a las personas que son nuevas a nuestra iglesia o nos están visitando por primera vez. Si desea registrarse como miembro de nuestra iglesia, llene el formulario que se encuentra en es boletín y devuélvalo en la canasta de la colecta.

HORARIO DE LA MISA

Domingo: 11:30am.

INTENCIONES PARA LA MISA

- En acción de gracias al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús por el bienestar de Olvi Torres .
Petición de Ramón Torres
Por el descanso eterno de:
- Juan Alfonso García Nando
Petición de su hermano Onésimo García
- Daniel Osorno
Petición de sus hijas

ANUNCIOS PARROQUIALES

- Las personas que deseen aportar un poco de su tiempo sirviendo en la iglesia, por favor hable con Gloria Flores después de la Misa.
- El domingo 5 de Enero, cortaremos la tradicional Rosca de Reyes después de la Misa.
- Hay intenciones para la Misa disponibles.

◇ **Favor de silenciar sus celulares antes de iniciar la Misa.**

◇ **El primer domingo de cada mes habrá confesiones en Español de 11:00am—11:30 am.**

◇ El último domingo de este mes habrá reflexión de la palabra a después de la Misa.

◇ Los bautizos se celebran el primer y el tercer domingo de cada mes.

FELIZ AÑO NUEVO!

Parish Registration Form

If you have moved, are unsure that we have your most recent contact information, or if you are new to OLMC-Annunciation and would like to register for the first time please fill out this form and return it to the Rectory via the collection basket, mail, bringing it in person! Thanks for your assistance in the process!

[Please check any that apply]

New Registrant

Updating Contact Information {Envelope # _____ }

Name: Mr./Mrs./ Ms. _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Single Married

Name of spouse: _____

Email: _____

Home phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Volunteer Opportunities:

Please contact me with information about volunteering for the following:

[Please check all that apply]

Lector Minister of Communion Usher

Music Ministry

Other: _____

My child is interested in being an Altar Server (Gr 4-5-6)

Other information you might like to share with us:
