



**OUR LADY of MERCY
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

October 30, 2022

**Zacchaeus, come down
quickly, for today I must
stay at your house.**

Luke 19:5

**31st
Sunday in
Ordinary Time**



News from P.I.T. (Pastor in Training)

We are in the midst of a highly televised sporting season, from the World Series of Baseball to College and Professional Football.

It is funny to think of the conversations I have with those who love sports as much as I do; the conversation usually revolves around a simple question, "Did you see that game?" As human beings, there is always a longing to see. Not only in the things of this world like sports, but more importantly, we long to see in our faith.

In our Gospel this weekend, Zacchaeus longed to see the Lord by climbing a tree. Zacchaeus was a powerful, wealthy man. He could have used his stature and authority to push his way to the front. However, Zacchaeus instead chose to climb a tree, and this show of humility and poverty of spirit moved our Lord to respond, "Tonight I must stay at your house!" In seeing the Lord, Zacchaeus found Jesus entering his heart and home!

With this in mind, I would like to share in humility a desire I have for Our Lady of Mercy. Just as Jesus blessed and changed Zacchaeus' life forever, I would like to have more opportunities for that same encounter for our parishioners. I would like to have a beautiful, dedicated Adoration Chapel at our parish under the patronage of Divine Mercy.

There are many reasons for this, but allow me to share just a few. You may already be aware that the US Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) recently called for a Eucharistic Revival in our country. More adoration would follow this call while also spiritually supporting our many beautiful ministries and families. What is more, this would fulfill the original building plans for our Church! If you enjoyed our week of adoration earlier in October, then you'll be happy to hear that I have already taken steps in making this desire a reality by seeking approval from the bishop, staff, volunteers and some parishioners.

I would like to humbly ask for your support. As things develop, from design, to contracting, cost, and God-willing construction, I'll be keeping you informed every step of the way. As seen in the example of Zacchaeus, I believe that allowing more parishioners to see the Lord in adoration will bear tremendous fruit for our parish. May our desire to see the Lord be fulfilled in this effort, so that we might receive the Lord ever more deeply into our hearts and homes.

Father Michael



Liturgy Schedule & Mass Intentions

Monday, October 31 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 am † Aurora Polto, by Lori Janik
- 8:30 am Eucharistic Adoration
- 6:00 pm Benediction
- 7:00 pm Int Norie Nieves

(All Saints Vigil Mass in English)

Tuesday, November 1 - All Saints

- 8:00 am † Dionicia Reyrao, by Family
- 12:00 pm † Lauren Zink, by Mom and Dad
- 7:00 pm Reconciliation (Until All Are Heard)

Wednesday, November 2 - All Souls' Day

- 8:00 am Victoria Tiu Lo, by Elizabeth Lo
- 12:00 pm † Margaret Lillian Piccioulo, by Sharon Fernandez
- 12:30 pm Reconciliation (Until All Are Heard)
- 7:00 pm † Dearly Departed

Thursday, November 3 - St Martin de Porres, Religious

- 6:30 am † Souls in Purgatory
- 8:00 am † James Weber, by Shirley Staples
- 8:30 am Eucharistic Adoration
- 6:00 pm Benediction

Friday, November 4 - St Charles Borromeo, Bishop

- 8:00 am † Jim Horton

Saturday, November 5 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

- 8:30 am Int The Richardson & Flipek Families
- 9:00am Reconciliation (Until 10:00 AM)
- 1:30 pm Reconciliation (Until 2:30 PM)
- 4:00 pm **Vigil - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**
- † Rick LoGalbo
- † Zenaida Naguit, by Edgar & Maria Cuartero

Sunday, November 6 - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 am † Mary Ellen Feldman, by Family
- † Virginia Sillasen, by Tom & Joan Campion
- 10:00 am † Timothy Savoie, by Family *(Live Streamed)*
- 12:00 pm The People of Our Lady of Mercy
- 5:30 pm † Amy D'Silva, by Maybird D'Silva



Blessed Sacrament Chapel Lamps

Votive lamps will burn this week before the Blessed Sacrament for the following intentions.

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| 1. The Poor | 9. Paul Kohorn |
| 2. Caron & Thompson Families | 10. Charles E Thompson |
| 3. Whalen & Jirasek Families | 11. Special Intention-C.H. |
| 4. Baby Riley Chick | 12. Patricia Kramer Daugherty |
| 5. The Pluskota Family | 13. Edwin Garcia |
| 6. Dcn Bob & Betty Vavra | 14. The Sick |
| 7. Baby Cerina Skye | 15. Sr Margaret Anne Spagnola |
| 8. The Deceased | 16. The Homeless |

If you wish to have a candle burning for your intention in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, you will find envelopes on the shelf in the Narthex near the Priest's Sacristy or in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

Our Lady of Mercy Weekend Masses

November 5 & 6

Father James will preach at all Masses.

Saturday	4:00 pm	Fr James Guarascio Dcn Bugsy Sindac
Sunday	8:00 am	Fr Michael Kearney Dcn Art Tiongson
	10:00 am	Fr James Guarascio TBD
	12:00 pm	Fr Michael Kearney Dcn Tim Kueper
	5:30 pm	Fr James Guarascio Dcn Tony Leazzo

We Pray

Please contact the Parish Office if you or your **immediate** family member wish to be added to the Sick List.

For our sick, confined and their families.

David Bakke
Ailani Banulos
Alfredo Chavez
Baby Riley Chick
Robert Ciulla
Michael Dandan
Mary Dunbar
Bridget Garry
Connie Hegg
Jim Hegg
Nancy Higgins
Eric Hoerdemann
Cera Horste
Antoinette Humanski
Steve Johnson
Helen Joseph
Baby Penelope Keene
Patricia Kramer Daugherty
Kristen Manning
Susan Massett

Rev. Don McLaughlin
Susan Mennenga
Bill Morse
La Moua
Charlene Oates
Ruth Olek
Flo Paprzycki
Diane Pazos
Valerie Plesha
Jim Pluskota
Julia Schremp
Diane Singer
Hedy Sterling
Thomas F. Sterling
John Swanston
Rev. Gerald Tivy
Kathy Walowski

Please note: Due to the government legislation regarding patient privacy, names of people to be prayed for at Mass or in the Bulletin can be listed only if that person, or in the case of their incapacitation, the person delegated to their medical care, calls to give permission.

Please let the Parish Office know of names which may be removed from the sick list.

Those in service to our country

TSgt Leah Harvey, USAF
Airman Melanie Hodges, US Navy
Nicholaus Laurie, US Marines
SSG Sean Murphy, USMC
Capt. Tara Trammell, US Army
Roberto Ramos, US Army
Lt. Joshua Puscas, US Navy
SSG Gina Maro, USAF
Juan Gabriel Sindac, USAF
Aaron Godinez, US Marines
SPC Mason Webber, US Army
LC/Cprl Ryan Ludwig, US Marines
Capt. Brian Strohmaier, US Army
Elizabeth Pattermann, US Marine
LTJG Marion Bautista, US Navy
SSG Karla Venegas, US Army
SSG Jeremy Norris, US Army
Capt. Carmen Lockett, US Army
PO3 Joshua San Diego, US Navy
LT Daniel Moran, US Army



Noticias del P.I.T. (Párroco en Formación)

Estamos en medio de una temporada deportiva muy televisada, desde la Serie Mundial de Béisbol hasta el Fútbol Americano Universitario y Profesional. Es divertido pensar en las conversaciones que tengo con quienes aman los deportes tanto como yo; la conversación generalmente gira en torno a una simple pregunta: "¿**Viste** ese juego?" Como seres humanos, siempre hay un anhelo de ver. No solo en las cosas de este mundo como los deportes, sino más importante, anhelamos ver en nuestra fe.

En nuestro Evangelio de este fin de semana, Zaqueo anhelaba ver al Señor subiéndose a un árbol. Zaqueo era un hombre rico y poderoso. Podría haber usado su estatura y autoridad para abrirse paso hasta el frente. Sin embargo, Zaqueo optó por subirse a un árbol, y esta muestra de humildad y pobreza de espíritu movió a nuestro Señor a responder: "¡Esta noche debo quedarme en tu casa!". ¡Al ver al Señor, Zaqueo encontró a Jesús entrando en su corazón y en su hogar!

Con esto en mente, quisiera compartir con humildad un deseo que tengo para Our Lady of Mercy. Así como Jesús bendijo y cambió la vida de Zaqueo para siempre, me gustaría tener más oportunidades de ese mismo encuentro para nuestros feligreses. Me gustaría tener una hermosa Capilla dedicada a la Adoración en nuestra parroquia bajo el patrocinio de la Divina Misericordia.

Hay muchas razones para esto, pero permítanme compartir sólo algunas. Es posible que ya sepan que la Conferencia de Obispos Católicos de Estados Unidos (USCCB, por sus siglas en inglés) recientemente llamó a un Avivamiento Eucarístico en nuestro país. Más adoración seguiría a este llamado y al mismo tiempo apoyaría espiritualmente a nuestros hermosos ministerios y familias. Además, ¡esto cumpliría con los planes de construcción originales de nuestra Iglesia! Si disfrutaron de nuestra semana de adoración a principios de octubre, les alegrará saber que ya he tomado medidas para hacer realidad este deseo al buscar la aprobación del obispo, el personal, los voluntarios y algunos feligreses.

Me gustaría humildemente pedirles su apoyo. A medida que se desarrollen las cosas, desde el diseño hasta la contratación, el costo y la construcción si Dios quiere, los mantendré informados en cada paso del camino. Como se ve en el ejemplo de Zaqueo, creo que permitir que más feligreses vean al Señor en adoración dará un tremendo fruto para nuestra parroquia. Que nuestro deseo de ver al Señor se cumpla en este esfuerzo, para que podamos recibir al Señor cada vez más profundamente en nuestros corazones y hogares.

Padre Michael



Lecturas de la Semana

Domingo	Sab 11, 22—12, 2; Sal 144, 1-2. 8-9. 10-11. 13cd-14; 2 Tes 1, 11—2, 2; Lc 19, 1-10
Lunes	Flp 2, 1-4; Sal 130, 1. 2. 3; Lc 14, 12-14
Martes	Apoc 7, 2-4. 9-14; Sal 23, 1-2. 3-4ab. 5-6; 1 Jn 3, 1-3; Mt 5, 1-12
Miércoles	Sab 3, 1-9; Sal 22, 1-3. 4. 5. 6; Rom 5, 5-11 o Rom 6, 3-9; Jn 6, 37-40
Jueves	Flp 3, 3-8; Sal 104, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7; Lc 15, 1-10
Viernes	Flp 3, 17—4, 1; Sal 121, 1-2. 4-5; Lc 16, 1-8
Sábado	Flp 4, 10-19; Sal 111, 1-2. 5-6. 8a y 9; Lc 16, 9-15
Domingo	2 Mc 7, 1-2. 9-14; Sal 16, 1. 5-6. 8b y 15; 2 Tes 2, 16—3, 5; Lc 20, 27-38 o Lc 20, 27. 34-38



October 30, 2022

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 11:22—12:2 | 2 Thes 1:11—2:2 | Lk 19:1-10

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

When will wisdom kick in? Even so many years later, I still struggle with some of the same questions that kept me up at night when I was 21. Fortunately, God is patient with late bloomers. The Book of Wisdom reassures us that, first, God loves us, no matter where we are on the continuum of “having it all together.” Second, the Lord won’t judge us on our worst days, but wants us to grow in wisdom and holiness. The Wisdom writer knows it’s not an overnight process; it is often marked by one step forward, two steps back: “You rebuke offenders little by little, warn them and remind them of the sins they are committing, that they may abandon their wickedness and believe in you, O Lord!” Like Zacchaeus in today’s Gospel, if we seek out Jesus and ask for his help, he will show us the way. Thanks be to a God who comes “to seek and to save what was lost.”

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

At Mass recently, the priest encouraged parishioners to turn to the person next to them and ask them for whom they would like us to pray. I’ve been at Masses where we introduce ourselves, but this “Hi, how are you, please pray for X” was new to me. As Mass continued, I prayed for Matt, the son of the woman in front of me. She prayed for my friend Jim, whose sore knee had sidelined him during his walk along the Camino de Santiago. How encouraging it must have been for the early Christians to know that St. Paul held them in prayer, “that our God may make you worthy of his calling and powerfully bring to fulfillment every good purpose and every effort of faith.” Just as Jesus seeks us out, we, in turn, can accompany others who may be lost or hurting or who just happen to be in the next pew. Through our prayers, we can build up one another, our parish, and the wider Church.

PRAY When a friend shares a struggle or challenge, don’t be shy about offering your prayers. Make a list of people to pray for and set it by your bedside so you don’t forget.

Pastoral Care

All Soul's Day Mass of Remembrance

All are invited to the annual Mass of Remembrance on Wednesday, November 2 at 7:00pm in the church. The Mass is a special way to remember loved ones that have passed away. As in the past, a candle will be available to write the name of your loved ones on and process into church with the candle lit before Mass. The candle is placed on the steps leading up to the altar. The candle will burn during Mass. Please take the candle home as a memory of your loved one.

There will be grief support resources and material available to help you in your grief journey. Refreshments will be served after Mass offering a time of fellowship and support.

Coping with Grief and Loss during the Holiday Season

For some, holidays are a time to celebrate and get together with family and friends. For others, holidays are difficult and not a time to celebrate as they are dealing with feelings of sadness, loss and emptiness.

If you are looking for support to help you cope with grief during the holiday season, please consider attending a support session that will focus on coping with grief during Thanksgiving time.

There will be two sessions – one during the day and one in the evening. The same information will be discussed at each session. *Coping with Grief and Loss during the Holiday Season* will be on Wednesday, November 9 from 11am to 12:30pm and from 7pm to 8:30pm in Room 218 in the Parish Life Center.

There is no registration. If you have any questions, please contact Jolene LeRoy RN Director of Pastoral Care at 331-707-5380.

Annual Ladies' Advent Tea

Save the date for the annual *Ladies' Advent Tea* on Sunday, November 27 from 2:00pm to 4:30pm. Slow down and take the time to start your Advent season in a special way on the First Sunday of Advent. Ask family members or friends to join you for faith sharing and fellowship. If you are planning to attend, please register at jolenel@olmercy.com.

October Health and Safety Tip

October is *National Fire Prevention Month*. It is an opportunity to take steps to prevent fires especially during the winter months when there is an increase in home fires. It is important to keep our homes warm during the cold weather but just as important to be aware of ways to prevent fires in the home.

The National Fire Prevention Association offers the following suggestions. Make sure the heating

source in the home is well maintained. Check the heating source and its equipment before using or have them serviced. Do not store items near a heating source such as boxes, clothes and other fuels. Make sure that combustible items such as draperies and furniture are far from the heating source.

Never leave a burning candle unattended. Do not leave burners or grills unattended. Keep items away from heating elements and open flames. Make sure that smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors are working. Place a fire detector every level of the home and test them monthly. Replace batteries annually. Read about other safety tips from the National Safety Council and the National Fire Protection Association.

Pastoral Care Needs

If you are homebound and unable to come to Mass and would like Holy Communion brought to you, please contact Jolene LeRoy RN Parish Nurse and Director of Pastoral Care for support and resources at jolenel@olmercy.com or call 331-707-5380. If care is needed in an emergency after office hours, please call 630-851-3444 to connect with the emergency line and talk with the priest on call.

God bless you and keep you in His care!

50th Anniversary of Priesthood – Father Hugh Fullmer

I would like to invite all of you to celebrate my 50th Anniversary as a priest at the 4:00pm Mass on Saturday, November 19 at Our Lady of Mercy Church. I was your pastor from 2000 to 2017 and you will always be a big part of my life. Please join me as we celebrate on November 19. There will be a reception after Mass in the Parish Life Center. Please RSVP if you will be attending the reception by a text to (312) 699-6871. May God's love always be with you!

Peace,
Father Hugh Fullmer



VIGIL MASS
MONDAY 10/31
7PM

ALL SAINTS DAY
TUESDAY 11/1
8AM, 12PM, 7PM

ALL SOULS DAY
WEDNESDAY 11/2
8AM, 12PM, 7PM*
**is the Mass of Remembrance*


All Saints Day & All Souls Day
MASS SCHEDULE



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*Undy
Sunday*

Blood Drive


Turn a new leaf
Fall into giving 

**Saturday
November**

12

8:00am - 12:00pm

Helpful tip:
Make sure to eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water before donating.



Call (630) 723-2589 with eligibility questions.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #12005
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Dear Friends,

From the bottom of my heart, thank you for your participation in Undy Sunday 2022. The event was a great success!

Most of us take things like new underwear, warm socks, and a fresh diaper for granted, but for many families and seniors living on poverty-level incomes, it's a luxury. Providing these items promotes the health, dignity, and confidence of our most vulnerable neighbors. On behalf of those we serve, thank you.

This year, 50 churches and schools within the Diocese of Joliet participated in Undy Sunday. We are now distributing these items to children, families, and seniors who come to Catholic Charities for help. Your gifts are making a true difference.

Thank you for believing in the mission of Catholic Charities and for opening your heart to those in need.

With Gratitude,
Kathleen Langdon
Executive Director
Catholic Charities,
Diocese of Joliet

Justice & Peace Ministry

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR UPCOMING EVENTS

November 5 & 6 "Welcome to America Pack" Collection
In July we celebrated World Refugee Sunday and heard a representative from Exodus World Services speak about welcoming refugee families. When a family arrives they are set up in a place to live and provided with the basics- sheets, towels, kitchen items, etc. since they arrive with almost nothing. We will have a sign up on 11/5 & 6 - parishioners can choose an item or two and together we can provide a welcome pack for a family or two. Stop by in the lobby before or after Mass and get all the details. Thank you.

Fair Trade sale will take place November 19 & 20. This has been an annual event in the past. Come see items for your home, unique Christmas gifts - support Fair Trade - artisans receive a just living, and are able to provide for their families.

Remember the ongoing collection of personal need items for our "Blessing Bags" for the homeless. Needed - Hotel size shampoo, conditioner, body lotion, soap; socks, disposable razors, toothbrushes (single pack), toothpaste, combs, washcloths and granola bars. Collection container is in the lobby. Thank you.

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Around the Parish

Olive Wood

Bethlehem Nativity Products will be visiting OLM this weekend in the Narthex. They will have hand carved Nativities scenes, Ornaments, Statues, Crosses and much more beautiful olive wood hand carved religious items, please consider purchasing a piece of art from the Holy Land. They accept cash, personal checks and all credit cards.

Respect Life

Join us to stand and silently pray in the public right-of-way across from the Planned Parenthood abortion facility in Aurora on November 4, 2022. Prayer warriors are needed for one hour shifts 7 am - 4 pm to change hearts and save lives. Please prayerfully consider signing up via <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508054FADAC23A3FA7-olmfirst2> or please call Lisa at (630) 236-3310.

Charismatic Healing Mass

The next Charismatic Healing Mass will be Saturday, November 5th at 6:00 pm in the Church. Everyone is welcome!

St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Drive

The St. Vincent de Paul truck will be in our parking lot the weekend of November 5 & 6 for our Clothing Drive!! Donations may be dropped off before and after the 4:00 mass on Saturday and on Sunday until noon.

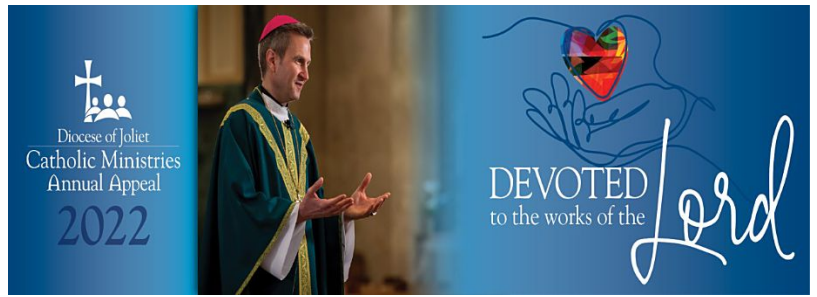
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- Clothing, shoes, linens and books in good or bad condition.
- No baby equipment such as cribs, walkers, strollers, playpens, etc. ALL BABY CLOTHES ACCEPTED
- Small housewares and electronics – dishes, glassware, utensils, toasters, blenders, coffee makers, radios, cd players etc. SORRY NO TELEVISIONS.

Brogan Family Coat Drive

On Sunday, November 6th from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm a trailer will be in the OLM parking lot accepting donations of new and gently used coats, hats, boots, and gloves. The donations for women and children will benefit Mutual Ground and the donations for men's items will benefit Breaking Free. Mike and Carole Brogan were icons at Our Lady of Mercy. Both passed away in 2019. One of the ways they supported the community was a yearly coat drive. They would literally pack up their car with donations to the point that they could barely see out of their car windows. Please continue to support this mission that is near and dear to our hearts.

Parish Sacrificial Giving		
Actual Year-to-Date Collections	\$	425,276
Fiscal Year-to-Date Budget	\$	459,000
Amount Short of Budget	\$	(33,724)
10/16/22 Sunday Collection	\$	23,734
Weekly Sunday Goal	\$	30,600
Amount Short of Goal	\$	(6,866)
<i>For the Budget Year 2022/23 we have Increased the Parish Sunday goal by 2%, to \$30,600/week, to help expand our various Ministries.</i>		
<i>Thank you for your generosity!!</i>		
<i>Please remember Our Lady of Mercy Parish in your will and estate planning.</i>		



CMAA Pledge Report

It is very important that these pledges be paid so that our parish will reach our goal. Once we have reached our goal in paid pledges, 70% of the additional funds received will be returned to the parish for our use.

Parish Goal	\$ 152,000
Amount Pledged	\$ 171,388
Amount Paid	\$ 152,961
Remaining Balance	\$ 18,427
Rebate Amount	\$ 673
# of Families Pledged	507

Parish Life Center (Construction Loan)		
April, 2009	\$	1,950,000
August, 2022	\$	468,359
September, 2022	\$	456,948

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Online Giving is a great way to help your parish staff while supporting Our Lady of Mercy. Signing up is easy! Just go to our church website at www.olmercy.com and click "Give" located in the menu at the top of the page, then look for the Online Giving logo to get started. If you need assistance, directions can be found on the parish website listed under the Online Giving Link. There is also a help video located on the Online Giving website. It can be found at the top of each page.

Note: If you are giving online and would no longer like to receive envelopes in the mail, please inform the parish office.

Look for this icon →



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Parish Office

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Monday-Thursday 8:30am-4:00pm

Friday 8:30am-1:00pm

Mass Schedule

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00am

Monday (Spanish Mass) 6:30pm

Tuesday 8:00am, 6:30pm

Wednesday 12:00pm

Thursday 6:30am, 8:00am

Saturday 8:30am

Saturday (Anticipated for Sunday) 4:00pm

Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00pm, and 5:30pm

Holy Days of Obligations

Schedule varies. Consult the Mass Schedule in the bulletin or website.

Confessions

Tuesday 7:00-8:00pm

Saturday 9:00-10:00am, 1:30-2:30pm

1st Fridays of the Month 8:30-9:15am

Or by Appointment

Prayer Chapel

Open weekdays 7:00am-8:00pm

Adoration

Monday & Thursday 8:30am-6:00pm

Wednesdays 8:00am-12:00pm

First Friday of the Month 12:00pm

Benediction

Monday & Thursday 6:00pm

New Parishioners

We welcome you! Please register by visiting our website at www.olmercy.com. Click on "New Here" and choose "Join OLM" to fill out the online registration form.

Sick and Homebound

Contact the Parish Office so we may help you in any way possible.

Hospitalization

If you anticipate a hospitalization or are admitted to an area hospital and would like a visit from a priest or Eucharistic Minister, please notify the parish office.

Baptisms

Registered parishioners wishing their child baptized must complete a parent workshop. Baptisms are not celebrated during Lent.

Weddings

The bride, groom or either set of parents must be registered members of the parish for at least six months prior to scheduling a wedding. Weddings may be scheduled no less than six months out in order to fulfill the diocesan marriage preparation requirements. Contact Diane Reiter, ext. 221.

Parish Directory

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