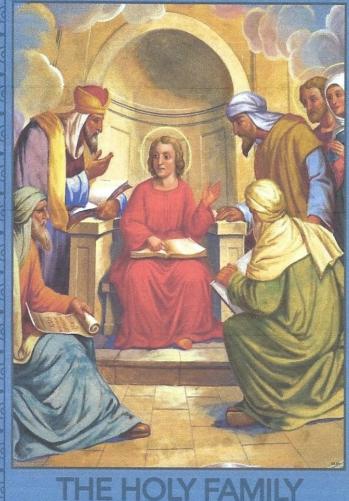
# Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

#### DECEMBER 26TH 2021 ~ THE HOLY FAMILY



#### BAPTISM AT MT. CARMEL CHURCH

Parents must be contributing members, regularly attending weekly Mass, for at least 4 months. In preparation for the sacrament, a one hour class for parents must be completed prior to the baptism, please contact the rectory, 652-7660, at least 2 months in advance.

#### MARRIAGE ARRANGEMENTS

Should be made with the pastor at least six months to one year before the proposed wedding date. One member of the couple must be a registered, practicing member and contributor of record at Mt. Carmel for at least six months. Couples sharing the same abode will be asked to live separately prior to their marriage.

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday 3:00 pm until 3:45 pm, Tuesday 5:00 pm until 5:30 pm. When available Fathers Campbell and McDermott will hear confessions before Sunday Masses.

#### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday~ 7:15 am

7:00 am Morning Prayer, Rosary after Mass.

Tuesday Adoration 3:00pm until 5:30 pm. Mass at 5:45 pm.

Saturday 8:30 am (Traditional Latin Mass)

4:00 pm (Mass Anticipation)

Sunday 7:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm (Traditional Latin Mass)

MT. CARMEL CHURCH 19th Avenue & 54th Street...

Entrance on 19th Avenue.

MT. CARMEL RECTORY 1919 54th Street

Kenosha WI 53140

Rectory office hours: Monday -Thursday 8:00 am until 1:30 pm. Closed on Fridays.

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PASTORAL COUNCIL Silvana Presta, Chairperson: Peter Martin, Vise Chairman:

#### **READINGS & OBSERVANCES**

For the week of December 26, 2021

**Sunday: The Holy Family** Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Lk 2:41-52

**Monday: St. John, Apostle and Evangelist** 1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 [12]/Jn 20:1a, 2-8

**Tuesday: The Holy Innocents, Martyrs** 1 Jn 1:5—2:2/ Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 [7]/Mt 2:13-18

Wednesday: St. Thomas Becket, Bishop and Martyr 1 Jn 2:3-11/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6 [11a]/Lk 2:22-35

**Thursday:** 1 Jn 2:12-17/Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [11a]/Lk 2:36-40

Friday: St. Sylvester I, Pope; New Year's Eve | Jn 2:18 -21/Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13 [11a]/Jn 1:1-18

**Saturday: New Year's Day; Mary, The Holy Mother of God; World Day of Peace** Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [2a]/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21

Next Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord; Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf. 11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12



## PRAYER

### Please pray for the sick in our parish

Jean Wawiorka, Giovannina Apostoli, Maria Savaglio, Gilda Bilotti, Aldo Bosco, Sharon Fair, Dorothy Ramcheck, Rosemarie Werwie, Richard Kaminski, Lena Bilotti, Teresa Belmonte, Carol Schulczewski, Gilbert Sr. & Eva Saldana, Nick Guarascio, Roger Smith, Tom Komarec, Jean Ann Powers, and Tom Woodbury

AseraCare Hospice Volunteers Needed: If you're interested in making a difference in the lives of others, consider becoming a hospice volunteer. AseraCare Hospice has volunteer opportunities available for: Companions, Office Assistance, Reflections/Life Review, Respite Visits, Veteran Volunteers, Pet Companions, Bereavement Volunteers, Vigil Volunteers, Companion Artists and Music. AseraCare offers free training and flexible hours at a variety of convenient locations. If interested, please call our volunteer coordinator at 262-785-1356. THANK YOU

#### **Parish Support**

For the Weekend of December 12, 2021

Weekly budgeted need \$6,800.00 Parish Support \$8,049.00

OVER \$1,249.00

#### **Pope's Monthly Prayer Intentions**

#### December

Let us pray for the catechist, summoned to announce the Word of God: may they be its witnesses, with courage and creativity and in the power of the Holy Spirit.



#### **INFLATION**

If you have been following the news or have been shopping lately, you are no doubt aware that inflation is increasing. The factors giving rise to this situation also affect Mt. Carmel Parish. The Parish Finance Committee has noticed that many of our members have been contributing the same amount weekly/monthly for several years. When inflation was low, the impact has been somewhat muted. However, over time the impact is more severe.

If you have not adjusted your contributions for several years, please consider whether an increase might be feasible. We appreciate the generosity of our parishioners and realize that what we are asking may not be possible for many. We just ask that you be aware of the parish needs and consider what you can afford. And remember, "God loves a cheerful giver"

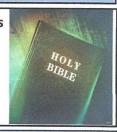
(2 Cor. 9:7). Thank you.



Listen to THE MARIAN HOUR
with Fr. Campbell
WSFI 88.5 FM & and now also on
750AM Every 2nd & 4th Wednesday.

Next program: Wed. Jan 12 @ 2pm.

Fr. Campbell's Wednesday 6 am Men's Bible Study via Zoom: To get the link, email Fr. C at FrCampbell@olmckenosha.org. Please have a Bible and Catechism!



#### **Emergency Assistance Fund:**

Contact Fr. Campbell if you need financial assistance 652-7660

#### The Twelve Days of Christmas

(The Faith Hidden in Song)

Catholics in England were forbidden to practice their faith openly during the years from 1538 to 1829. This song was developed to communicate their gift of faith in coded lyrics. The 12 days run from 25 December (Christmas) to 6 January (Epiphany). The "True Love" refers to God. The repetition of the melody signifies God's continual renewal of His gifts.

A Partridge is the symbol of Christ. The partridge will feign injury to protect nestlings who are defenseless, just as we are before Satan without Christ. A pear tree is the symbol of the salvation of humanity, just as the apple tree signifies human downfall.

Two Turtle doves symbolize the Old Testament sacrifice offered by even the poorest of people in Israel (with which Christ was "redeemed" by His parents at His presentation in the Temple).

Three French hens, valued for their beauty and rarity, symbolize the gifts of the three Wise Men, as also the three theological virtues of Faith, Hope, and Charity.

Four calling birds represent the four major prophets and the four Evangelists, the former announcing His coming and the latter proclaiming His message.

Five golden rings represent first and foremost the five most precious Crucifixial Wounds of Christ (to which there had long been great devotion, and thus the reason for the change in the melody at this point), as also the perfect circle of faith: God's love for us, our love for God, and our love for each other. The number five refers as well to the five obligatory sacraments (Baptism, Penance, the Holy Eucharist, Confirmation, and Extreme Unction) as also to the five books of the Bible which make up the Pentateuch, also known as the Law, in the Old Testament.

Six geese a-laying represent the six days of creation.



Seven swans a-swimming are the seven Gifts of the Holy Ghost and the seven Works of Mercy (there are seven works of Corporal Mercy and seven of Spiritual mercy).

Eight maids a-milking are the eight Beatitudes preached by Christ in the Sermon on the Mount, as well as the eight occasions during the year that were prescribed at that time for the reception of the Holy Eucharist.

Nine ladies dancing are the nine ranks of angel choirs, the Spirits who surround the Throne of God.

Ten lords a-leaping represent the Ten Commandments.

**Eleven pipers playing** are the eleven surviving Apostles proclaiming the Resurrection of Jesus.

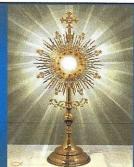
Twelve drummers drumming are the twelve minor Prophets of the Old Testament and the twelve points of the Apostle's Creed. They symbolize also the Twelve Tribes of Israel, the twelve Apostles (their number being restored after Pentecost), as also the twelve Fruits of the Holy Ghost, Who came down at Pentecost. Twelve is also the Scriptural number representing completeness and fairness.



#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Mount Carmel: Tuesdays at 3:00 pm-5:30 pm. Please come and adore Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament! Benediction at 5:30 pm, Mass at 5:45 pm.

St. Therese: Fridays at 8:30 am- 5:00 pm. (First Friday Adoration continues through Saturday 6:00 am.



#### Sign up for Formed!

A program which gives our parishioners free access to many Catholic programs and movies.1. visit Formed. Org 2.Click Sign up. 3. Select a parish. 4. Find your parish by name and address 4. Enter your e mail, and YOUR in.

#### Sign Up for Flocknote!

To sign up: Text the word LOOP (In all CAPS) as a text message to **84576.** Then you will be in our parish "loop" and will receive texts and emails from Fr. Campbell on important news and events in the parish

Sign up for free **Daily Advent Reflections** by Dr. Tim Gray on FORMED at **DAILY.FORMED.org**. To sign up for FORMED see above ad in our bulletin!

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**OLMC PRESCHOOL:** Will Be closed for Christmas break starting Dec 24th. Classes resume Monday, Jan 3rd 2022. **Happy New Year!** 

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God will be celebrated Sat. Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>, 8:30am

will be celebrated **Sat. Jan. 1**<sup>st</sup>, **8:30am Mass.** Normally this is a Holy Day of Obligation, but this year it is not an obligatory Holy Day because it falls on Saturday. But we can still come to Mass Saturday morning to honor the greatest title and dignity of the BV Mary: Mother of God. As usual on Saturday mornings, it will be a low Latin Mass with readings in English.



## **MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday December 25 Nativity of the Lord

12: am Midnight (high Latin) Mass

10:00 am Christmas Carols sung before Mass

NO 4:00 pm MASS on CHRISTMAS DAY (anticipated Mass for Sunday, Dec. 26)

**Sunday December 26** 

7:00 am Roger Martin (Fran Collman)

James Spallato (Family)

10:00 am Mark Marano (Loving Family)

Rita Romano (The Amborn Family)

12:00 Noon Pro-Populo ~ OLMC Parishioners

**Monday December 27** 

7:15 am Our Parents: DeBartolo & Spizzirri

(Maria & Children)

**Tuesday December 28** 

5:45 pm Dr. Al Savaglio Sr. (Wife Maria)

Wednesday December 29

7:15 am Rita Romano (Mary Romano)

**Thursday December 30** 

7:15 am Rodney Strohm (Family)

Friday December 31

7:15 am Stan & Majda Slobodnik (Wanta Family)

Saturday January 1

8:30 am Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God:

Joseph Slobodnik

(Stan & Majda Slobodnik)

4:00 am *Pro-Populo* ~ OLMC Parishioners

Sunday January 2 The Epiphany of our Lord

7:00 am Roger Martin (Family)

10:00 am Joseph & Delores

Joseph & Delores Griffiths (Family)

Angelina Tenuta (Cousin Sandy Lori)

12:00 Noon Bob & Delores Ellison (Wanta Family)

For Our Country (Wanta Family)

Benny Ricchio

(Sister Ada, Nieces & Nephews)

#### LECTORS

Saturday December 31, 4:00 pm Caleb Laitinen
Sunday January 1, 7:00 am
Sunday January 1, 10:00 am Nick Hartnell

#### Altar Boys

Christopher Doan, Carter Allen, Dominic & Pascal Blome, , Vinnie & Dominic Gentile, Robert, Peter &

