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January 21, 2023



WEEKEND LITURGIES

Saturday Vigil
4:30 PM - OLMC

Sunday Masses
8:00 AM - OLPH
9:45 AM - OLMC
11:30 AM - OLMC

WEEKDAY LITURGIES

First Tuesday & Every Thursday
5:30 PM - OLMC

Wednesday & Friday
7:30 AM - OLMC
First Friday of the Month
7:30 AM - OLPH

January 2024

- Jan 18 9am Women's Scripture Study
 Jan 20 3pm Confessions, 4:30pm Mass
 Jan 21 8am Mass OLPH; 9:45am Mass, 11:30am Mass- OLMC
 Coffee & Donuts following 9:45am Mass
 5:15pm-7pm PSR Grades 6-10
 Jan 23 9am Ladies Exercise Class
 5pm Choir Practice
 6pm OCIA
 Jan 24 7:30am Mass OLMC
 1:30pm Finance Council
 Jan 25 9am-10am Women's Scripture Study
 12pm Adoration,
 4pm Confessions
 5PM Vespers/Mass at 5:30pm
 Jan 26 7:30am Mass OLMC
 Jan 27 3pm Confessions; 4:30pm Mass OLMC
 Jan 28 8am Mass OLPH; 9:45am Mass, 11:30am Mass- OLMC
 5:15pm-7pm PSR Grades 6-10
PARENT MEETING FOR 10th GRADE at 5:15pm
 Jan 30 9am Ladies Exercise
 Jan 31 7:30am Mass OLMC
 5:15pm PSR Grades K-5/sacramental prep

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, truly present in the Holy Eucharist, we ask You to graciously listen to our prayers of intercession. Make our hearts like Yours, so that we may respond to Your call in our lives. Draw men from our land in the Diocese of Baton Rouge to sit at Your feet, listen to Your voice, and follow You as ordained members in the Body of Christ. Inspire our clergy, consecrated religious and laity to encourage young men to prayerfully consider the vocation to the priesthood. We give You permission, Lord, to have Your way with us in our walk toward eternity. Amen.

Diocese of Baton Rouge Office of Vocations
 225-336-8778 www.diobr.org/vocations



LADIES SCRIPTURE STUDY

Are you seeking a closer relationship with the Lord? Do you want to deepen your knowledge of scripture and grow in your prayer life? Join our scripture study group, which is facilitated by Michele Hardin on Thursday mornings from 9-10 am in the parish hall. Beginning 1/11/24. More info: Michele Hardin mhhardin5@gmail.com.

The Roman Catholic Diocese of
BATON ROUGE***Called By Name***

~~This January, the Diocese of Baton Rouge will implement a vocation promotion initiative. **Called by Name** is a program that invites men, 16 years of age or older, to consider the diocesan priesthood. This program was used by the Diocese of Baton Rouge from 2008 - 2009.

~~At the heart of this program is the belief that there are men in our parishes who are being called to prayerfully consider the vocation to the priesthood in the Diocese of Baton Rouge. Parishioners throughout the Diocese of Baton Rouge are encouraged to consider who in our midst might serve well as a priest and submit his name at the weekend liturgies. There are many good prospective priests who simply are waiting to be asked.

~~How does the **Called by Name** process work? Parishioners will be invited to submit names of potential candidates in their respective parishes in mid-January. Men who are nominated will be invited to a diocesan **Andrew Dinner** to be held on **April 24, 2024** at the Catholic Life Center. At this dinner, the men will learn about the call and the life of ministry of the diocesan priest. They will have an opportunity to seek answers to their questions and then be invited to explore the discernment process further.

~~The **Called by Name** program is an ambitious undertaking which holds great promise for the Diocese of Baton Rouge. In this year when our Church in the United States of America focuses on the Eucharistic Revival in our land, it is important to actively support and promote a future generation of priests to serve a growing Church hungering and thirsting for Christ in the most holy Eucharist.

~~God continuously calls men to serve our land in the Diocese of Baton Rouge. The faithful have a responsibility to identify and invite those called. Please pray and fast for the success of this initiative and consider whom in our midst God might be calling to serve. In the Sacred Heart of Jesus,

Fr. Josh Johnson, Director of Vocations

Our Next Coffee & Donuts
January 21 ~ After 9:45am Mass



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 3-DAY RETREAT
 FOR HIGH SCHOOL YOUNG MEN
FRI. FEB. 23 -
SUN. FEB. 25, 2024
 Sacred Heart of Jesus
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 Recommended cost: \$45.00
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 For questions please contact
 Beau Bennett at beaubennett@gmail.com
"And Jesus said to him, 'Follow Me.'" John 1:43

Stewardship Offerings December 31, 2023

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Identified (109)	23,199.66
Building Fund	\$1,499.28
Building for the Future Campaign	\$82,483.89
Loose Cash	\$1,386.00
Youth Group	\$79.37
Sacramental Offering	\$7.00
Works of Mercy	\$2,775.00
Religious Ed Donations	\$1,800.00
Memorial Fund	\$50.00

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Identified (16)	\$2,377.24
Loose Cash	\$51

Stewardship Offerings January 7, 2024

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Identified (51)	\$6,167.00
Local Charities	\$2,349.00
Building for the Future Campaign	\$600.00
Religious Ed Donations	\$600.00
Retirement Fund for Religious	\$20.00

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Identified (6)	\$325.00
Loose Cash	\$273.00

We offer our *deepest condolences and prayers* to Matt & Bene Robillard, on the loss of his mother,



Kathryn Major Robillard,

who passed away December 28, 2023.

May the Lord grant comfort and peace to her family.
May her soul rest in eternal peace.

RESTORE A LADIES EXERCISE CLASS

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Where: OLMC Parish Hall

WHO: Open to ALL Ladies/Friends



Instructor Michelle Hardin has over
18 years of teaching experience.

Equipment needed:

floor mat | water bottle | light hand weights | comfy clothes



Questions?

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ALTAR FLOWERS

OLMC

JANUARY 21

Debbie Bunch in memory
of Mike Bunch

JANUARY 28

Susan O'Neill in memory of
Joy O'Neill

Perpetual Help

JANUARY 21

Charie Barber in memory of
John Barber & Norris Marchand

JANUARY 28

OLPH Altar Society in memory of
Warren & Betty Westerfield

There are still some open weekends
for altar flowers at OLPH, please
consider signing up.



As a *thank you* to the parishioners of OLMC/OLPH for the support shown to the Knights of Columbus in 2023, hot gumbo (free) will be served after **4:30pm Mass January 20** and after **11:30am Mass January 21**.

Dine-In Only!

The KC Council of 7856 appreciates your help and support of our community programs throughout the year. If you would like to join the KCs, please reach out to a member.



The Knights of Columbus Council #7856 would like to invite our local graduating high school seniors to apply for this year's Catholic Youth Leadership Award as well as our Catholic Senior Scholarships. Application letters were mailed out recently to area Seniors. If you did not receive a letter and would like to apply, please contact Neil Sellers at 225-635-3997 for more information. Applications are to be submitted by **January 25, 2024 to be eligible.**

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