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FOR THE FAMILY:

THE ADVENTURES OF CARLOS CATERPILLAR ~ *The Adventures of Carlos Caterpillar* is on FORMED. According to FORMED: "Hola! I'm Carlos Caterpillar! I'm just like you-except, of course, I'm a caterpillar. I love to have fun! And since I'm young, I'm still earning about life, so sometimes I get myself in situations that can be hard to wriggle out of? Ay, ay, ay! That's why I'm lucky to have Uncle Pedro, a butterfly with a lifetime of experience that he is always willing to share. Uncle Pedro remembers what it was like to be a little caterpillar that is just beginning to learn about life, and he is patient with me while I learn. He always reminds me how important it is to do the right thing because he wants me to grow up to be the best butterfly I can possibly be. And so do I! Do YOU want to be the very best YOU can possibly be? Then come with ME and worm your way into 'The Adventures of Carlos Caterpillar!' Come on! It'll be fun!"

FOR ADULTS:

ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE/CATHOLIC SAINTS ~ St. Thomas, the Apostle's **Feast Day is July 3rd**. *St. Thomas the Apostle/Catholic Saints* is on FORMED. According to FORMED: "Mary McGeehan joins Dr. Ben Akers for a discussion of the life of St. Thomas the Apostle. They dive into Scripture to explore the life, leadership and personality of this heroic and saintly man."

THE ONE THING NECESSARY: TRANSFORMING YOUR INTERIOR LIFE ~ SS. Martha, Mary and Lazarus' **Feast Day is July 29th**. According to FORMED: "In the story of Mary and Martha, Jesus tells us that the most essential thing in our faith is to spend time with him. In this talk, Matthew Leonard dives into meditative and contemplative prayer as a crucial part of the Christian life."

IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA ~ St. Ignatius of Loyola's **Feast Day is July 31, 2024**. *Ignatius of Loyola* is on FORMED. According to FORMED: "This modern and very human take on the story of St. Ignatius of Loyola, the founder of the Jesuits, often called 'The Saint of Second Chances,' is an incisive and thrilling look at the life of the real man behind the legend. In his lifelong quest to become the heroic knight of his fantasies, Ignatius stares death in the face again and again, having his leg shattered by a cannonball in battle, driven to near suicide by his inner demons, finding himself imprisoned, accused of being an illuminati, and finally finding his life in the hands of the Inquisition. Through it all, he would come to see the hand of God working in his life, shaping the self-obsessed sinner into the loyal and passionate soldier-saint."

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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – EUCHARISTIC SCHEDULE WEEK OF JULY 14, 2024

(Please note that Masses in italic print are at St. Mary's; a cross before the name indicates deceased.)

Saturday, July 13	4:30 PM	People of the Parish
Sunday, July 14	8:30 AM	+Gus Murlasits by Sharon & Richard Clemens
<i>Sunday, July 14</i>	<i>11:00 AM</i>	<i>+Father Joseph Zamary by Janet Gwynn & John Douglass</i>
Tuesday, July 16	7:00 PM	Laurie Bearbauer by Her Family
<i>Wed, July 17</i>	<i>9:00 AM</i>	<i>+Vince Costello by Anthony & Allan Tozzi</i>
Thursday, July 18	8:30 AM	Tom Bouquet by His Family
Friday, July 19	8:30 AM	Dave McKarns by Bill & Sandy Sprague
Saturday, July 20	4:30 PM	+Emil Pozderac by Jim & Ruth Birong
Sunday, July 21	8:30 AM	Josh & Maria Montagnini by Father Jonas
<i>Sunday, July 21</i>	<i>11:00 AM</i>	<i>+Vince Costello by Allan & Suzanne Tozzi</i>

OLM Confessions: Tuesday 7:45-9:00 pm; Friday 3:00-4:00 pm; Saturday 3:30-4:15 pm or by appointment***

St. Mary Confessions: Sunday before Mass by request or by appointment

PARISH ACTIVITY CALENDAR

Sun	14	
Mon	15	
Tue	16	6:15 PM Storybook Explorers-OLM Narthex 7:45 PM Confession-OLM Church
Wed	17	
Thur	18	
Fri	19	8:00 AM Rosary before Mass-OLM Church 9:15 AM Adoration-OLM Church 3:00 PM Confession-OLM Church 6:45 PM Benediction-OLM Church
Sat	20	10:00 AM Philosophy Book Club-OLM Conference Room 3:30 PM Confession-OLM Church
Sun	21	

Our Lady of Mercy Stewardship Week of July 7, 2024

Adult \$2,464.00 Loose 1,062.11 Candles \$79.55
SVDP \$546.00 Holy Father \$30.00
Building Fund \$452.00 New Rectory \$100.00
New Hall \$125.00

St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Stewardship Week of July 7, 2024

Adult \$1,238.00 Loose \$177.00
Holy Father \$25.00 Helping Hands \$110.00

ST. MARY'S SAVE THE DATE ~ The Hog Roast and Square dance at St. Mary's will take place on **Saturday, September 28th**. More details will be forthcoming.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS ~ St. Mary's would like to welcome the Oprean Family from Malvern.

GOOD NEWS ~ Bishop Edward Lohse will be joining us on **Saturday, September 21st** for the celebration of the anniversary of the dedication of the church and our parish picnic and will be blessing the new artwork. Just another reason to save the date. More details will be forthcoming.

GOING AWAY ~ Father Jonas will be away from the parish between **July 8-19**.

STORYBOOK EXPLORERS ~ Join us this **Tuesday, July 16 at 6:15 pm, in the OLM Narthex**, as we explore our third tale, "The Weight of a Mass" by Josephine Nobisso. In celebration, one little listener's name will be drawn as winner of a prize in connection to this wonderful tale. Please refer to this session's flyer, on the bulletin board, for a detailed summary of the current book. *Jessica Olenick*

A SUMMER WITH THE SAINTS ~ Let's celebrate! Children who have participated in "A Summer with the Saints" and their immediate family are invited to attend our reading program conclusion celebration: "Saints Social". Join us **Sunday, August 18 from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm in the OLM Narthex** for the gift basket prizes raffle, food, and fun! Kindly **RSVP by Sunday, August 4**. Please text me at (740) 457-9213 or email (library@olmcarrollton.org) with your name and number of guests.

PSR CATECHIST NEEDED ~ We are in need of a catechist to teach our combined third/fourth grade class. Please keep in mind, all catechists must meet diocesan safe environment and continued education requirements. Please prayerfully consider joining our team. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please contact Chrissy at 330-312-8577.

LOST & FOUND ~ Within the library you'll find a bin reserved for OLM's unclaimed personal belongings. Every **January and July** all items that remain unclaimed get donated, to free up space. As a reminder, the contents stored within the lost and found bin will be **donated by the end of this month**. *Jessica Olenick*

DPSC ~ Thanks to all who participated in the 2024 DPSC. Your generosity helps to continue the Mission of the Church. For those who have not yet responded, you are encouraged to send in your pledge card. You can place it in the collection basket, or mail it directly to the Diocesan Pastoral Center using the pre-addressed DPSC envelope. Additional pledge cards are available at the parish office and in the entrances to the church. You can also contribute to the campaign online at give.diosteub.org. All funds received through the DPSC are donor restricted and will remain in the Diocese of Steubenville.

DPSC FROM FR. JONAS ~ If you have never given to the DPSC, please consider giving this year, even if it is a small amount. Even though both parishes usually exceed the goal, there is not high participation in giving. Last year OLM had a 39% participation rate and is currently at 36% for this year. St. Mary's had a 51% participation rate and is currently at 40%. It would be great to see those numbers rise into the 90% range to show our support for the Diocese.

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN ~ The local KofC council will run their traditional baby bottle campaign from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend with 100% of all proceeds going to AIM Womens Center in Steubenville. Bottles may be picked up in the narthex/vestibule. Please drop your loose change in the bottle and return by Labor Day. For more info, contact Dan Hitchcock, 786-810-3712 or Jack Sowko, 330-627-4410.

CATHOLIC HOMESCHOOL GROUP ~ Carrollton and the surrounding area has a Catholic homeschool group. If you are homeschooling or interested in homeschooling in the future, you may want to join us! Contact **Jessica Dougherty** for more information at **740-381-8581**.

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SAINT BONAVENTURE

SAINT BONAVENTURE ~ Bishop and Doctor of the Church. St. Bonaventure's **Feast Day is July 15th**. St. Bonaventure is widely known as "The Seraphic Doctor". If you would like to read more about St. Bonaventure's life there are two books available in the OLM library. "Voices of the Saints" by Bert Ghezzi (page 384) and "The 35 Doctors of the Church" by Christopher Rengers, O.F.M. Cap. with Dr. Matthew E. Bunson, K.H.S. (page 359).

SUNDAY HOMILIES ~ Don't forget that if you would like to listen to or send others the homilies from **Sunday Mass**, they can be accessed on soundcloud.com. On the website, search **FoJo**, Fr. Jonas' user name. Look for the picture of Jesus giving communion at the Last Supper to verify you are at the right place. You can also go to our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/olmcarrollton/ or the website at olmcarrollton.org to hear his homilies.

OLM GREETERS~ The Craig Brooks Family this week and the Burgett Family next week.

Happy Birthday OLM ~ Neil Miller 7/15; Joel Hopper 7/16; Bill Sprague 7/16; Elizabeth Boyd 7/17; Gannon Rutledge 7/18; Cliff Calvert 7/20

Happy Birthday SM ~ Suzanne Tozzi 7/17; Mary Smith 7/18; Andrew Shockey 7/20

Happy Anniversary OLM ~ to all those celebrating in July.

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If you or any family member is ill or hospitalized or we have removed a name that should not have been, please inform the parish office.

St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception Prayer Needs

Brenda Sandefur, Harold Wolbert, Claire Shockey, Elizabeth Wolford, Shelbia Otte, Anthony Tozzi, Dan Grossi Family

Our Lady of Mercy Prayer Needs

Vicky Oboy, Rose Rombough, Anna Schiavone, Claire Shockey, Bob Meyer, Jack Sowko, Zach Oboy, Shirley Dale, Kristine Stenger, Matthew Kwisnek, Paycen Havens, Denise Dale Nedrow, Scott Kazer, Hunter Leake

ITEMS TO BE PLACED IN THE COMING WEEK'S BULLETIN NEED TO BE GIVEN TO THE OFFICE BY WEDNESDAY NOON.