## Mass Intentions: June 22-28, 2024

Sat. June 22	6 p.m.	For the repose of the soul of Harris Dalmida		
Sun. June 23	7:30 a.m.	For OLMC benefactors		
	9:30 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Verna Dagou		
(Coral Bay)	12:30 p.m.	For Patti Nolan and family for God's		
		blessings		
(Spanish)	5:30 p.m.	For the Hispanic Community of St. John		
Tue. June 25 (Coral Bay)6 p.m.		For Anne & George Griffith, Ann &		
		Charles Jules, Evelyne Stephen, Helena		
		Watt, Luis Parrilla, Noel Boynes Sr. & all		
		on our sick list for God's healing; & for		
		O'neil Mohammed in thanksgiving to God		
		requested by Adeline & Reynald Jean		
Wed. June 26	6 p.m.	For the repose of the soul of Verna		
		Dagou; & for O'neil Mohammed in		
		thanksgiving to God requested by Adeline		
		& Reynald Jean		
Thu. June 27	7 a.m.	For O'neil Mohammed in thanksgiving to		
		God requested by Adeline & Reynald Jean		
Fri. June 28	7 a.m.	Birthday blessings for Marion Sonny; &		
		for O'neil Mohammed in thanksgiving to		
		God requested by Adeline & Reynald Jean		
Offer a Mass for your loved ones. Call the office at 776-6339				





#### St. Michael Prayer

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the divine power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who roam throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls. **Amen.** 

Monday: June 24 Is 49:1-6 Acts 13:22-26 Lk 1:57-66, 80

Tuesday: June 25 2 Kgs 19:9B-11, 14-21, 31-35A, 36 Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday: June 26 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3 Mt 7:15-20

**Thursday: June 27** 2 Kgs 24:8-17 Mt 7:21-29

Daily Readings



Friday: June 28 2 Kgs 25:1-12 Mt 8:1-4

Saturday: June 29 Acts 12:1-11 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18 Mt 16:13-19

**Sunday: June 30**Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24
2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15
Mk 5:21-43

# Stewardship of Treasure

une 15	6 p.m.	\$519.00
une 16	7:30 a.m.	\$282.00
	9:30 a.m.	\$990.00
	12:30 p.m.	\$149.00
	5:30 p.m.	\$108.00

Thank you for your offerings. May God bless you abundantly.



OLMC
welcomes
children
to the faith



Children Brian and Patrick Fields Namphy, above, and Amelia and Andre Wilkinson were recently baptized at Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As Vicar for Clergy, I am given the responsibility to plan our annual Priest Retreat.

In my attempt to structure a retreat that will have substantial benefits for us, we are taking our retreat to San Juan, Puerto Rico. We have 19 clergy, including our own Bishop, Jerome Feudjio.

The cost for one priest with meals and accommodation is \$300.00.

I come seeking your help in sponsoring a priest. If you cannot at this time, please keep us in your prayers.

Our annual retreat is scheduled for September 16-20, 2024. Thank you.

In Christ,

Fr. Anthony Abraham Vicar for Clergy

# Parish Announcements

Continue to pray for the members of our body who are sick or suffering both on and off island. May we keep them in our hearts and in our minds. The names of the sick are posted on the bulletin board in the back of the church.

- SECOND COLLECTION: The second collection this weekend is to assist the poor and less fortunate.
- PRAYER MEETING: Prayer Meeting will be held on Thursday, June 27, at 6 p.m. It
  will be an evening of praise and worship and intercessory prayer. There will be no
  Prayer Meeting on Thursday, July 4.
- ALL-NIGHT VIGIL: All-night vigil will be held on Friday, July 5, beginning at 7 p.m.
- SAVE THE DATE: OLMC will celebrate our Patronal Feast on the weekend of July 13-14, 2024. We are planning to have a three-night mission from July 9-11; a concert on July 12; a family day on July 13; and OLMC Feast Mass at 9:30 a.m. July 14 with Bishop Jerome Feudjio.
- **FENCING ST. THERESE:** Make a donation to fence the property at St. Therese Chapel. Envelopes are available at the back of the church.
- MASS CARDS: Parents, please have your child's Mass card signed by a priest, deacon, acolyte or teacher when they attend Mass on the weekend.
- **OFFICE HOURS:** We have office hours in Coral Bay from Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. If you would like to talk with a priest or deacon, call 340-693-2650 to schedule an appointment.
- **LEARN TO SWIM:** The Friends of the V.I. National Park is holding free Learn to Swim Classes at Cinnamon Bay. The classes are from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. every first and third Saturday. Free transportation is available from and to Cruz Bay. Transportation leaves Cruz Bay at 9 a.m. and leaves Cinnamon Bay about 11:40 a.m. Ages 4 & up are welcome. Adults & children are invited. Register at www.friendsvinp.org.
- PERPETUAL ADORATION: It's not too late to sign up for Perpetual Adoration, which is available 24 hours a day. Come spend some time with the Lord. The signup sheet is at the back of the church.
- MINISTRY FORMS: Get involved in your church. Ministry forms are at the back of the church with a list of ministries.



Our Lady of Mount Carmel has purchased land in Coral Bay to build this chapel, which will be named, St. Therese. We need your financial support to make this a reality.

To make a donation,

- \* Make checks payable to Our Lady of Mount Carmel, P.O. Box 241, St. John, VI 00831; memo line: Coral Bay Chapel.
- \* PayPal: Our Lady of Mount Carmel (olmc@hotmail.com)
- \* Scan the QR Code to the left.

Donations are tax-deductible.

## Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word

The Lord speaks to Job out of the storm. Job 38:1, 8-11

**Psalm 107** "Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting."

2 Cor 5:14-17 Christ's love impels us.

Mark 4:35-41 Jesus calms the stormy seas.

Storms dominate today's readings, but as both the first reading and the Gospel point out, God dominates the storms. Job learns that God not only created the rain and the sea, but also set limits on them. The powerful waves are kept at bay. In the midst of a violent squall, the frightened disciples are awestruck that Jesus is able to make the strong winds and high waves obey. Let us hear how God can calm even the worst storms.



Our Lady of Mount Carmel has obtained property in Cruz Bay to build a homeless shelter.

We need your financial support to make this a reality. To make a donation,

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- \* PayPal: Our Lady of Mount Carmel (olmc@hotmail.com)
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#### **Hurricane Season Prayer** June 1-November 30

God, our Father, all the elements of nature obey your command. Keep us safe from the danger of hurricanes, earthquakes, floods, and other natural disasters. May we be secure in your protection and always feel the presence of your love as you turn our fears into praise of your goodness. Bless our families and bring peace to all nations. We ask this through our Lord Jesus

Christ who lives and reigns with you forever and ever. Amen.





Mongoose Junction





# Weddings & Events

## Elder care and housekeeping provider needed

Hello! I am seeking an elder care and housekeeping provider to join our household in St. John. This position is available for live-out arrangements, and I am offering a competitive hourly rate of \$25. The ideal candidate will have own transportation and will be responsible for providing home care, meal preparation and assisting with personal care if needed. The required housekeeping involves laundry, changing of bed linens, and light cleaning of small 2 bedroom apartment. I am looking for a compassionate and dedicated individual to take care of my 83-year-old mom who has Alzheimer's.

If you are interested, or would like more information, call 770-335-7038.

Scan this QR Code to make donations and payments directly to OLMC.



~ Wish List ~

- Pillows for homeless shelter
- New upright piano

#### OLMC Member Birthdays June 22-28

- Deborah Schnell June 23
- Irma De Leon June 23 Naheem Modeste June 24
- Sabrina Laurencin June 25

If your birthday is not listed, call the office at 776-6339.

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Jerome Feudjio, Bishop

## Week in Preview

Youth Ministry: Mondays at 4:30 p.m.

**Music Ministry:** Wednesdays at 4:45 p.m.

Charismatic Prayer Group: Thursdays from 6 p.m.-7:30 p.m.



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Deacons: Evans Doway, Peter C. Laurencin, Cassius Mathurin & Michael Jackson Sr. Acolytes: Hayden Smith & Audy Castillo

Youth Group President: Liandra Dagou Young Adults President: Shanekua Lee-Tyrell



**OLMC VI Virgin Islands** 

Masses

#### Weekend Saturdays: 6 p.m. Sundays: 7:30 a.m.

9:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m.(CORAL BAY) 5:30 p.m. (SPANISH)

#### Weekday

Tuesdays at 6 p.m. (CORAL BAY) Wednesdays at 6 p.m. Thursdays & Fridays

## **DEVOTIONS**

**Eucharistic Adoration** Available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays at 5 p.m.; after Masses; or by appointment

#### Hours

#### The Church is open Mondays to Fridays: 7 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

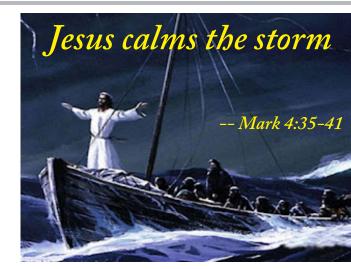
Saturdays: 8 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Sundays: 6:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.

#### **Office Hours** Mondays to Fridays: 9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Pastor's Hours Mondays to Fridays:

9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Call for an appointment



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