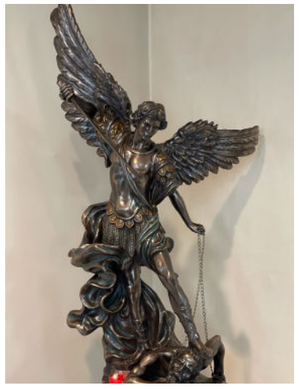
Mass Intentions: October 31-November 6, 2026

Sat. Oct. 31	7 a.m.	For Derrick Laurent & family for God's guidance
	6 p.m.	For the candidates and prospective candidates for the Emmaus Men's Retreat for God's guidance & blessings; & birthday blessings for Shaline Edward requested by Melanie Plummer
Sun. Nov. 1	7:30 a.m.	Birthday blessings for Stanley and Pamela Charles requested by the Charles family
	9:30 a.m.	For the OLMC parish, its benefactors, priests and parishioners for God's continuous blessings
(Coral Bay)	12:30 p.m.	For the Coral Bay community
Spanish)	5:30 p.m.	For the Hispanic community of St. John
Mon. Nov. 2	7 a.m.	For deceased OLMC parishioners
Tue. Nov. 3 (Coral Bay)	6 p.m.	For all cancer patients for God's healing
Wed. Nov. 4	6 p.m.	For the mentally challenged in our community
Thu. Nov. 5	7 a.m.	For Shereen Hill for healing
Fri. Nov. 6	7 a.m.	For the Casimir & Winchester families for God's deliverance & healing

Offer a Mass for your loved ones. Call the church office at 340-776-6339.



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.**

Daily Readings



Monday: November 2
Wisdom 3:1-9
Romans 5:5-11 or
Romans 6:3-9
John 6:37-40

Tuesday: November 3
Philippians 2:5-11
Luke 14:15-24

Wednesday: November 4
Philippians 2:12-18
Luke 14:25-33

Thursday: November 5
Philippians 3:3-8a
Luke 15:1-10

Friday: November 6
Philippians 3:17—4:1
Luke 16:1-8

Saturday: November 7
Philippians 4:10-19
Luke 16:9-15

Sunday: November 8
Wisdom 6:12-16
1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
Matthew 25:1-13

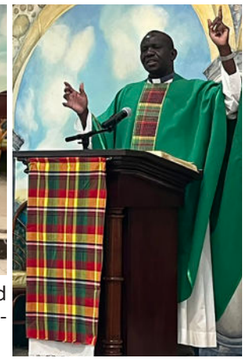
Stewardship of Treasure

Oct. 24	6 p.m.	$195.00
Oct. 25	7:30 a.m.	$552.00
	9:30 a.m.	$1,116.00
	12:30 p.m.	$51.00
	5:30 p.m.	$90.00

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

Creole Day Celebration





OLMC celebrated Jounen Kweyol "Creole Day" for St. Lucia and Dominica on Sunday, Oct. 25, 2026, with an offertory procession.



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.

- **CONDOLENCES:** OLMC extends condolences to Desmona Prisca Laurencin & the entire Laurencin family on the passing of Peter A. Laurencin.
- **ALL-DAY PRAYER:** All-day prayer for priests and deacons will be held on Monday, November 2 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- **PRAYER MEETING:** Prayer Meeting will be held on Thursday, Nov. 5, 2026, at 6 p.m. The guest speaker will be Fr. Anthony Abraham and the topic will be "Endurance: The Courage to Keep Going."
- **MEN'S FELLOWSHIP:** Men's Fellowship will be held on Friday, Nov. 6, at 6 p.m.
- **ALL-NIGHT VIGIL:** All-night vigil will be held on Friday, Nov. 6 starting at 7 p.m.
- **BBQ NIGHT:** OLMC will hold a barbecue night on Friday, Nov. 13 starting at 6 p.m. Tickets are available from Fundraising Committee members and the church office.
- **FOOD DRIVE:** Catholic Charities will be holding a food drive on the weekend of Nov. 28 & 29. Items needed include rice, barbecue sauce, frozen vegetables, cream of wheat, and biodegradable plates (6x6 and 9x6x3). Thank you for your generosity.
- **CHURCH ANNIVERSARY:** Holy Family Church will celebrate its 50th Golden Jubilee with a gala on Dec. 19, 2026, at the Columban Hall. Attire is formal. Tickets are $100 each and can be obtained from OLMC office.
- **YOUTH GROUP:** Youth Group meets on Mondays at 4:30 p.m. Youth ages 11-18 are welcome.
- **LEGION OF MARY:** Legion of Mary is held on Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m.
- **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:** Religious Education classes are held on Saturdays at 10 a.m.
- **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.
- **STEEL PAN:** Steel pan practice for youth is held on Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m. and Saturdays at 8:30 a.m. Adult classes are held on Mondays at 5:30 p.m.
- **OCIA:** We are accepting registration for the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults classes. These classes are for adults who would like to become a Catholic; adult Catholics who may not have made their First Communion or Confirmation; or Catholics who may want to know more about their faith. To register, call the church office at 340-776-6339. Applications are at the back of the church.



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,

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* PayPal: Our Lady of Mount Carmel (olmc@hotmail.com)
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Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word

Revelation 7:2–4, 9–14	**Dressed in white, bearing palm branches, the saints rejoice in the heavenly liturgy.**
Psalm 24	**"Lord, this is the people that longs to see your face."**
1 John 3:1–3	**We shall be like God.**
Matthew 5:1–12a	**Jesus unfolds the blueprint of the kingdom.**

On the Solemnity of All Saints, our readings look ahead to the day when we hope to join God and all the saints in the heavenly kingdom. What will that day look like? Will we be part of a great multitude standing before the throne of the Lamb? What or whom will we see in the face of God? Will we each be like God? Jesus, who knew well the blessings of heaven, promised his disciples that those who here on earth are poor in spirit, or mournful, or clean of heart, or are persecuted, will one day see that reward. Let us treasure this sweet hope as we listen to God's word.



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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.









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OLMC Member Birthdays
October 31-November 6

• Irvin Mason	Oct. 31
• Helena Watt	Nov. 2
• Merlissa Jean Baptiste	Nov. 3
• Thomas Brewster	Nov. 4
• Casiyah Ashly	Nov. 6

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

~ Wish List ~

- 1 case 8 1/2 x 11 paper
- 1 case 11 x 17 paper
- 1 4-inch binder
- 1 3-inch binder
- 3 office chairs ($130.00-$300.00)
- 75-inch TV for upstairs in church
- RV (to house homeless women)
- Rolling gate operator with battery backup: $16,596.00

~ Sick List ~



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Away

Martha Alphones
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Feliciene Burin
Thomas Burke
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Benjamin Cavanaugh
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Andrew Ferrol
Anne Griffith
Merlissa Jean Baptiste
Charles & Ann Jules
Benedicta Leon
Laura Lewis
Luis Parrilla
Phillip Pickering
Willis Phillips
Mary Victorin
Helena Watt
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Acolytes: Hayden Smith & Audy Castillo
Youth Group President: Jacori Laurencin
Young Adults President: Shanekua Lee-Tyrell



Week in Preview

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

Legion of Mary:
Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m.

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

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

Masses

Saturdays: 7 a.m. **(except after all-night vigil)**
6 p.m. **(VIGIL)**
Sundays: 7:30 a.m.
9:30 a.m.
12:30 p.m.**(CORAL BAY)**
5:30 p.m. **(SPANISH)**
Mondays: 7 a.m.
Tuesdays: 6 p.m. **(CORAL BAY)**
Wednesdays: 6 p.m.
Thursdays & Fridays: 7 a.m.

Devotions

Eucharistic Adoration
Available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week **(except during Mass)**
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 ~ Cruz Bay
Mondays to Fridays:
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