



# Our Lady of the Mount

Roman Catholic Church

LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN, GEORGIA

## Pastor

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## Mass Times

Sunday 9:00 a.m.  
Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m.  
Saturday 8:30 a.m.  
Saturday 5:30 p.m.

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

## Confessions

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

## Office Hours

Monday - Thursday  
9:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

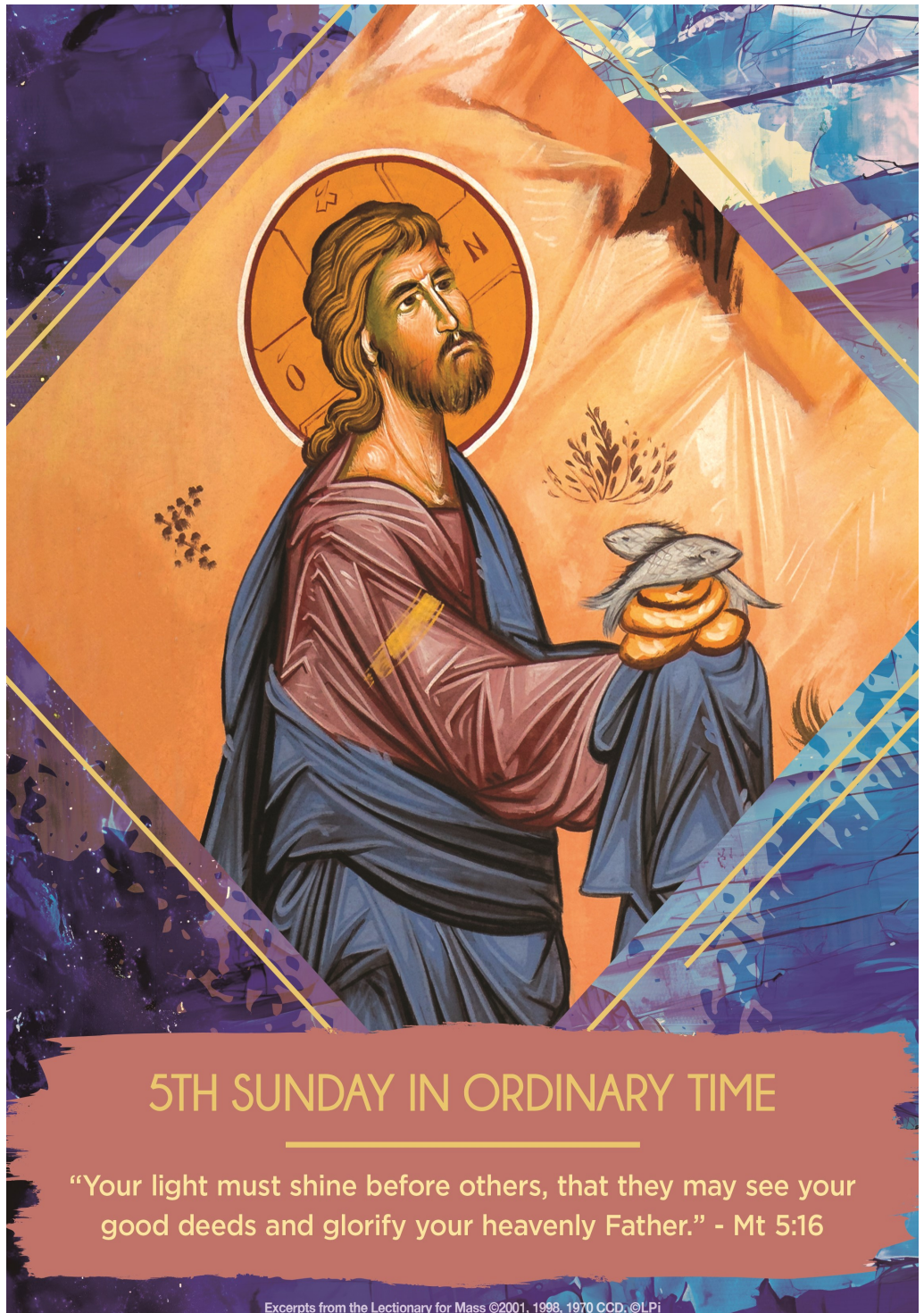
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**February 5, 2023**



## 5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father.” - Mt 5:16

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### In the Hospital

If you or someone you know will be going in the hospital please call the office, or have a family member or hospital chaplain call for you. Federal privacy laws prevent hospitals from notifying us.

### In Case of Emergency

Please call Fr. Mark's cell phone directly at 770-365-5200 in emergency situations.

### Nursery

Sheron Williams is available to provide care for children whose parents wish to drop them off at the nursery before Mass. The nursery is open 8:45 - 10:15 A.M. Please remember that the nursery is open year-year round and is available this summer.

### Help Those in Need

The church office is now accepting donations of the following items to assist those living in tent communities served by our Hot Meals Ministry: blankets, coats, tarps, and tents.

Donations to the food pantry are always accepted at the church office or in the narthex before or after daily or weekend Mass.

### Hot Meals Ministry

Hot Meals Ministry is always in need of more volunteers. Please consider signing up on SignUpGenius via [olmcc.com](http://olmcc.com) for a slot anytime from 1:00 P.M. - 3:30 P.M. on Mondays, or you can show up at Shuler Hall to see what it's all about and assist as needed. Thanks to your generous support both physically and financially.



### Pope Francis' February Prayer Intention



**For parishes.** We pray that parishes, placing communion at the center, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.

### Mass Intentions

February 4 - People of the Parish

February 5 - John Tugman, Sr. (d)

### Readings for Next Sunday, February 12<sup>th</sup>

First Reading Sirach 15:15-20

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 2:6-10

Gospel Matthew 5:17-37

In Jesus is revealed a new wisdom, a new law, a new way of living. Happy are they who choose to keep his commandments and follow his ways.



February 12 - Kate Studer

### Men's Bible Study

There will be no Men's Bible Study Tuesdays, February 7, February 14, and February 21. Men's Bible Study will resume Tuesday, February 28 at 6:30 A.M. in Shuler Hall.

### Men's Group Dinner

Men's Group Dinner will be February 7 from 5:30-7:00 P.M. in Shuler Hall. All men of the parish are invited!

### Mass Schedule Change

There will be no morning Mass at OLMCC on February 13 through February 18, or February 20 and February 21. There will be no Mass or Confessions at SKD on Wednesday, February 15.



### Suspicious Emails

If you receive a suspicious email purporting to be from Fr. Mark and you are not sure it seems authentic; it may not be. If you are not sure, simply contact the office to verify. You may also contact Fr. Mark directly at 770-365-5200.

### Liturgical Minister Schedules

#### Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup>

Lector: Judy Anderson

Altar Server: Sophia Huelskamp

#### Sunday, February 12<sup>th</sup>

Lector: Bill Brown

Altar Server: Niko Wilkinson

### To Gather & Grow Update

The Archdiocese of Atlanta has waived our assessment on Capital Campaign contributions through June 30, 2023. Here is the current status:

Authorized amount incl HVAC: \$ 3,190,826

Collected to date: \$ 2,919,400

**NEEDED by 06/30/2023: \$ 271,426**

### Collection Last Week

Offertory, January 28 & 29: \$ 3,857

### Prayer List

Mark Anderson	Jack McDermott
Wendell Burns	Jeff Messinger
Bob Coleman	Samra Mims
Marti Corley	Eddie Parks
Wynn Eady	Joseph Shramko
Haley Frierson	Sheron Williams
Franklin Haney	

Please contact [aperry@olmcc.com](mailto:aperry@olmcc.com), to request names be added or removed from the Prayer List. Thanks for your cooperation.

### Ash Wednesday

Please join us for Mass and distribution of ashes, Wednesday, February 22.

8:30 A.M. Our Lady of the Mount

5:00 P.M. St. Katharine Drexel

7:00 P.M. Our Lady of the Mount

### Attention Online Giving Users

As we begin a new calendar year, please remember to update your Online Giving by choosing this year's new fund, Offertory 2023. For more information updating your gifts and/or help setting up a new gift please contact Amy at [aperry@olmcc.com](mailto:aperry@olmcc.com).

### Save the Date - February 25 & 26

In cooperation with the nationwide *Eucharistic Renewal the Eucharistic Miracles Exhibit* devised and planned by Blessed Carlo Acutis will be visiting OLMCC on February 25 & 26.

Watch this space for more information about Blessed Carlo Acutis and this exhibit. Please plan to spend some time in wonder & awe as we learn more about the True Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist on February 25-26.

### Fr. Mark on Retreat

Dear parish family of Our Lady of the Mount,

I will be on retreat February 13-20 at the Cenacle of Our Lady of Divine Providence in Clearwater, Florida. My brother priests from around the country and I will experience 7 days of almost total silence (other than when we celebrate daily Mass together). This will be a time of recharging and reigniting the priestly vocation to which I am blessed to have been called. It will be a time of prayer, spiritual reading, Eucharistic adoration and reflection that allows me to come back to you refreshed and ready to move forward in the mission we all share as baptized Christians, the mission to live the Good News and share it with others. While I am away, please welcome Fr. Alan Bower, a priest with Cross Catholic Outreach, the weekend of February 18-19.

Fr. Mark

Let the light of Christ  
that we carry within us  
drive away the darkness  
of fear and sadness.

