

Our Lady of the Mountains
Puer Cantores (Young Singers)

OLM Schola Cantorum (School of Singing) is excited to announce the return of our youth programs for the training of liturgical singers. The school will offer two unique classes beginning September 16th.

Puer Cantores I is for novice singers, ages 7 to 12. This is our fundamentals of music and singing course and is offered on Thursdays from 4:00 to 4:45.

Puer Cantores II is for singers ages 13 to 17 who may have some singing experience or are ready for more intense study. This course is offered on Thursdays from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Both Puer Cantores I and Puer Cantores II will learn to sing the Mass and will have opportunities to do so as they progress in their training. A schedule of rehearsals and Masses will be provided at the **parent information meeting on September 2, 2021, at 6 p.m. in the parish hall.**

These courses are free to registered and contributing parishioners of Our Lady of the Mountains, but a parent information meeting and commitment letter is required. Each singer will be expected to pass a short suitability assessment which includes an interview with the director and some vocal exercises. Those who are not parishioners of OLM may register for classes, but a fee is required. Please contact Bridget Scott at olmchoirs@gmail.com or call 470-337-6919 with questions or to register.

Our Lady of the Mountains takes seriously the responsibility of protecting the Church's patrimony of Sacred Music. Training up young singers in this rich tradition helps ensure continuity with our ancestors while simultaneously enriching our liturgical lives and helping to secure the future of the Church.