

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church

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The Third Sunday of Easter ~ April 26, 2020

Parish Center Hours

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Parish Phones

Parish Center Office: (650) 366-3802

Pastor's Office: (650) 306-9583

Religious Education Office: (650) 368-8237

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Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Ulysses D'Aquila

Deacon: Rev. Mr. Thomas J. Boyle

Principal: Dr. Deborah Farrington

Administrative Assistant: Ivette Meléndez

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Youth Confirmation: Judy Draper

Director of Music: Bianca Remlinger

Pre-School Director: Maureen Arnott



Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm (Español), and 5 pm

Saturday: 8:15 am and 5:00 pm Vigil Mass

Monday to Friday 8:15 am

Reconciliation/Confession Saturday 3:30 -4:30 pm

Baptisms / Bautismos

Call parish at least two months in advance.

Llame a la parroquia a lo menos dos meses antes.

Weddings / Bodas

Call parish at least six months in advance.

Llame a la parroquia a lo menos seis meses antes.

IN YOUR
Presence
IS
Fulness
OF
Joy PSALM 16:11

Mission Statement

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish is a Christ-centered community in the Roman Catholic tradition. We try to share the Good News of salvation with others. As a diverse community, we value and respect individual differences. As God's people, we gather in the Spirit to pray, to celebrate the sacraments, to teach, to learn, to console, to rejoice, to minister and to renew our faith with one another.

After Easter our daily and Sunday Gospels began to tell of the many after-death appearances of Jesus to his disciples. My favorite of these Gospel stories is the one usually called 'the road to Emmaus.' In this Gospel, Jesus simply begins to walk beside two of his former followers who are discussing all the recent and terrible events that have just occurred in Jerusalem. For some reason, these disciples are unable to recognize their beloved Teacher even though they are speaking with him. It is only when at last they sit down to share a meal with Jesus that they recognize him as he breaks the bread. I believe this says a great deal about our human relationship with the Lord Jesus. We might believe in Jesus, but so often we don't recognize his presence in the ordinary events of our lives. We don't expect that Jesus is there, for example, when we're on vacation, or working at our jobs, or visiting friends. We particularly don't recognize Jesus' presence when we're struggling economically, or when we're suffering an illness, or when our marriage is going through a rough patch. I'm sure almost everyone knows the story of the footsteps which goes somewhat like this: "A man who had always believed in and followed Jesus was at the end of his life. On his deathbed he had a dream in which he saw his whole past, all the good times as well as the sad and painful times, like footsteps in the sand. And he could see that, just as he had promised, Jesus' footsteps were next to his most of the way. But there were times when there was only one set of footprints, and the man noticed this happened when he was going through bad periods in his life: the time when he lost his job and had no money; the time when his mother died; the time when he was very sick and underwent a serious operation. So he called on Jesus, and Jesus appeared to him. The man said, "Lord you know I have always been faithful to you and I can see that you stayed with me during most of my life. But why did you abandon me when I was out of work and struggling, or when my mom died, or when I was so sick in the hospital?" And Jesus said to the man, "Oh, no, I never left you alone, not in your good times and certainly not in your difficult times. When you see only one set of footprints in the sand, that's when I was carrying you." This truly is the ongoing message of the post-Easter Gospels; Jesus wishes to be a presence in our lives; he wants to be there for us whatever we're going through; he wants to walk beside us, and he *will* walk with us if we stay close to him. But our challenge is to listen carefully for his voice, to call out to him in times of need, to trust in his concern for us and to have faith in him at every moment. When we maintain our faith in Jesus Christ, then everywhere we look, we will see him. He will be there in the face of strangers, he will come to us in our prayers, we will find him when we're struggling and when we feel afraid. And then, in the evening, when we sit down to eat and to thank God for our food, we'll surely recognize Jesus in the breaking of the bread.

Father Ulysses



Después de la Pascua las lecturas de la Misa comienzan a contar de las muchas apariciones de Jesús a sus discípulos después de su resurrección. Mi favorita de estas historias del Evangelio es el que normalmente se llama 'el camino de Emaús'. En este Evangelio, Jesús está caminando al lado de dos de sus seguidores quienes están discutiendo todos los eventos que acaban de ocurrir en Jerusalén. Ellos no reconocen a su amado Maestro a pesar de que están hablando con él. Es sólo cuando se sientan a compartir una comida con Jesús, que lo reconocen cuando parte el pan. Creo que esto dice mucho acerca de nuestra relación humana con el Señor Jesús. Podríamos creer en Jesús, pero tan a menudo no reconocemos su presencia en los acontecimientos ordinarios de nuestras vidas. No esperamos que Jesús está allí, por ejemplo, cuando estamos de vacaciones, o trabajando, o visitando amigos. Especialmente no reconocemos la presencia de Jesús cuando estamos luchando económicamente, o cuando estamos sufriendo una enfermedad, o cuando nuestro matrimonio está pasando por dificultades. Estoy seguro de que casi todo el mundo conoce esta cuenta de las huellas: "Un hombre que siempre había creído y seguido a Jesús estaba al final de su vida. Tuvo un sueño en el que vio toda su pasado, todos los buenos momentos y los momentos tristes y dolorosos, como huellas en la arena. Y pudo ver que las huellas de Jesús también estaban a lado de sus huellas. Pero había momentos en los que sólo había un par de huellas, y el hombre se dio cuenta de esto ocurrió cuando él estaba pasando por malos períodos de su vida: el momento en que perdió su trabajo y no tenía dinero; el momento en que su madre murió; el momento en que estaba muy enfermo y se sometió a una operación seria. Así que llamó a Jesús, y Jesús se le apareció. El hombre dijo: "Señor, tu sabes que siempre he sido fiel a ti y puedo ver que quedaste conmigo durante la mayor parte de mi vida. Pero, ¿por qué me abandonaste cuando estaba sin trabajo y luchando, o cuando mi madre murió, o cuando estaba tan enfermo en el hospital? Jesús le contestó," Oh, no, nunca te deje solo, no en sus buenos tiempos y ciertamente no en sus momentos difíciles. Cuando ves sólo un par de huellas en la arena, es cuando te estaba llevando." Es decir que Jesús quiere ser una presencia en nuestras vidas; él quiere estar ahí para nosotros; y él quiere caminar junto a nosotros. Nuestro reto es escuchar con atención a su voz, llamar a él, y confiar en su preocupación por nosotros. Cuando mantenemos nuestra fe en Jesucristo, dondequiera que miremos, vamos a verlo. Él estará allí en la cara de los extraños; él vendrá a nosotros en nuestras oraciones y cuando estamos luchando con problemas. Y luego, por la tarde, cuando nos sentamos a comer y damos gracias a Dios por nuestra comida, sin duda vamos a reconocer a Jesús al partir el pan. **Padre Ulyses**

TODAY'S SECOND COLLECTION

is for Home Missions.

This collection is to support the many mission churches and dioceses of the United States and its territories, from Alaska to the South Pacific. These remote areas are often very poor and require support for their missionary efforts, bringing priests to administer the sacraments, building chapels and training lay catechists so that the Catholic Faith can flourish. As part of the Universal Church, let's do our part to help.



Next Week's Second Collection will be for our Parish Facilities.

THE 2020 ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL.



Our assessment for this year is **\$78,484**, or 20% of our last year's income.

To date, we have received **\$23,520**.

Please consider what you might do to help us meet our obligation by the end of the year. *Thank you very much!*

ELECTRONIC DONATIONS

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Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Registration Form

The following confidential information will be entered in our parish data system. It is only for the purpose of knowing and serving you better.

Name (s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **zip:** _____

Telephone: _____

e-mail: _____

Others in your household: _____

Number of adults over 18 years of age: _____

Number of children under 18 years of age: _____



If someone in your family is homebound, lives nearby, and is unable to attend Mass, but would like to receive the Eucharist, please contact **Julie O'Leary** at **(650) 361-8681**.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 25, 2020

8:00 PM Henry Navarro †

Sunday, April 26, 2020

8:00 AM Paul Territo †

10:00 AM Peggy Baccelli †

12:00 PM Eliseo Alvarez †

5:00 PM Alba Canelo †

Monday, April 27, 2020

8:15 AM Hank Norman †

Tuesday, April 28, 2020

8:15 AM Eleanor Vreeberg †

Wednesday, April 29, 2020

8:15 AM Althea Sullivan †

Thursday, April 30, 2020

8:15 AM Ronald Ingram (Int.)

Friday, May 01, 2020

8:15 AM Kim Shah (Int.)

Saturday, May 02, 2020

8:15 AM Marta Lidia Chinchilla †



Join us for our live-streamed Mass

Monday thru Saturday at 12:00 p.m.

Sunday Mass at 10:00 in English

Misa Dominical a las 12:00 p.m.

Download Zoom app and use this link:

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Saints and Special Observances

Sunday: Third Sunday of Easter

Monday : Easter Weekday

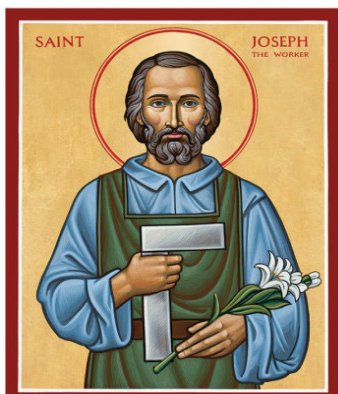
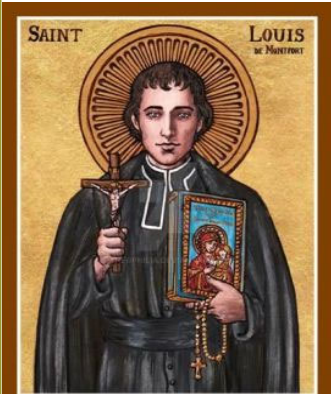
Tuesday: Saint Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr
Saint Louis de Montfort, Priest

Wednesday: Saint Catherine of Siena

Thursday: Saint Pius V, Pope

Friday: Saint Joseph the Worker

Saturday: Saint Athanasius, Bishop



SAINT JOSEPH

was a just man,

A TIRELESS WORKER,

the upright guardian

OF THOSE ENTRUSTED TO HIS CARE.

MAY HE ALWAYS

guard, PROTECT, and ENLIGHTEN

FAMILIES.

- ST. JP II

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