

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church

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Twenty-second Sunday of the Ordinary Time September 01, 2019

Parish Center Hours

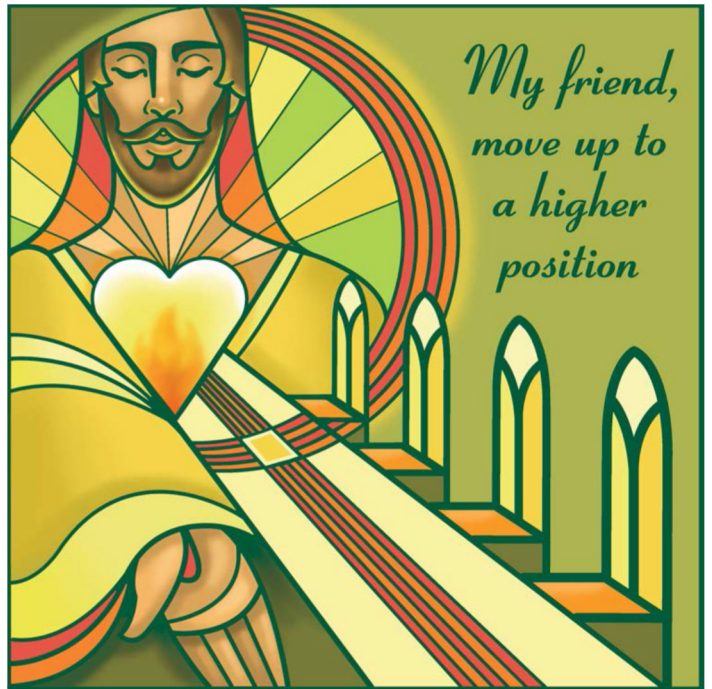
Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

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Pastor's Office: (650) 306-9583
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Parish Staff

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Pre-School Director: Maureen Arnott



**You have approached
Mount Zion and the
city of the living God.**
— *Hebrews 12:22a*

**Ustedes, en cambio, se
han acercado a Sión,
el monte y la ciudad
del Dios viviente.**
— *Hebreos 12:22a*

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.

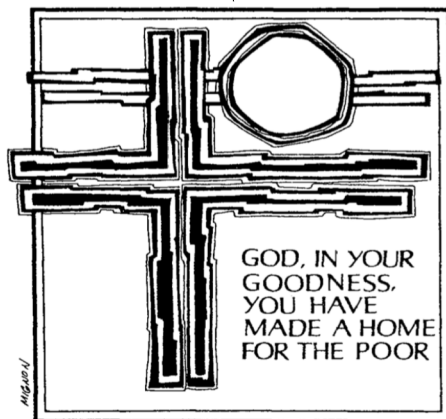
Llame a la parroquia a lo menos seis meses antes.

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.

Notes from the Pastor

Labor Day, which we observe this Monday, is of course a secular, not a religious holiday. Nonetheless, our Roman Missal contains a special Mass that can be celebrated this day, a Mass that honors human labor and that offers prayers for workers. For many centuries, the Church was serving a primarily rural and agricultural population. All of this changed with the Industrial Revolution of the Nineteenth Century. People began to leave their villages in order to seek work in the great urban factories, causing tremendous social upheaval. Obviously, this migration continues today, particularly in China and India and Latin America, as waves of hopeful immigrants look for jobs and for a better standard of living in the large cities of the world. Conscious of the issues and problems that confronted the workers, Pope Leo XIII composed an encyclical that is now regarded as the foundational document of contemporary Catholic social teaching. The title of the encyclical promulgated in 1891 was *Rerum Novarum* and in it the Holy Father sharply condemned the exploitation of workers, unjust wages, and the dehumanizing conditions in many of the factories. The Pope gave his blessing to trade unions and to government intervention in economic affairs if this was required to safeguard the well-being of laborers and to protect them from mistreatment by unscrupulous industrialists. When the encyclical appeared, many were surprised by its tone. The Vatican, usually seen as profoundly conservative and even reactionary, seemed for the first time to be genuinely on the side of the poor and the disenfranchised. And yet Leo XIII was wise enough to steer a careful course between the extremes of economic thought that dominated that period. On the left was the socialist doctrine of Karl Marx which unequivocally condemned the accumulation of capital, which advocated class struggle, and which encouraged the overthrowing of governments in favor of a workers' revolution. On the right was the economic theory of Adam Smith with its notion of laissez-faire capitalism, competition, and a materialist view of the individual as a producer and consumer of commodities. Beginning with *Rerum Novarum* and continuing with the many social documents that followed it, the Church has constantly insisted on the inalienable dignity of the human person, on the importance of strengthening the family as the core social unit, and on the inherent value of work as a means of cultivating our talents, of providing for our physical needs, and of giving praise to God our Creator for His abundant providence. **Fr. Ulysses**



Notas del Párroco

El Día del Trabajo, que observamos este lunes, es por supuesto una fiesta secular, no religiosa. No obstante, nuestro misal romano contiene una misa especial que se puede celebrar este día, una misa que honra el trabajo humano y que ofrece oraciones para los trabajadores. Durante muchos siglos, la Iglesia estaba sirviendo a una población principalmente rural y agrícola. Todo esto cambió con la Revolución Industrial del Siglo XIX. La gente empezó a abandonar sus aldeas para buscar trabajo en las grandes fábricas urbanas, causando tremenda agitación social. Obviamente, esta migración continúa hoy en día, sobre todo en China, la India y América Latina, ya que las olas de inmigrantes esperanzados buscan empleo y un mejor nivel de vida en las grandes ciudades del mundo. Consciente de los problemas y situaciones que afrontaban los trabajadores, el Papa León XIII compuso una encíclica que ahora es considerada como el documento fundacional de la enseñanza social católica contemporánea. El título de la encíclica promulgada en 1891 fue *Rerum Novarum* y en él el Santo Padre condenó la explotación de los trabajadores, los salarios injustos y las condiciones deshumanizantes en muchas de las fábricas. El Papa dio su bendición a los sindicatos y a la intervención del gobierno en los asuntos económicos si esto era necesario para salvaguardar el bienestar de los trabajadores y para protegerlos del maltrato de los industriales sin escrúpulos. Cuando la encíclica apareció, muchos se sorprendieron por su tono. El Vaticano, por lo general visto como profundamente conservador e incluso reaccionario, parecía por primera vez genuinamente del lado de los pobres y de los marginados. Y sin embargo, León XIII era lo suficientemente sabio como para dirigir un curso cuidadoso entre los extremos del pensamiento económico que dominaban ese período. A la izquierda se encontraba la doctrina socialista de Karl Marx, que condenaba inequívocamente la acumulación de capital, que defendía la lucha de clases, y que alentaba el derrocamiento de los gobiernos en favor de una revolución obrera. A la derecha estaba la teoría económica de Adam Smith con su noción del capitalismo, competencia y una visión materialista del individuo como productor y consumidor de mercancías. Comenzando con *Rerum Novarum* y continuando con los muchos documentos sociales que la siguieron, la Iglesia ha insistido constantemente en la dignidad inalienable de la persona humana, en la importancia de fortalecer a la familia como unidad social básica y en el valor inherente del trabajo como un medio de cultivar nuestros talentos, de proveer para nuestras necesidades físicas, y de dar alabanza a Dios nuestro Creador por su abundante providencia. **Padre Ulises**

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal 2019



Our assessment for this year is **\$78,542.98**. This Archdiocesan tax supports all those many offices, ministries and charities that individual parishes alone cannot cover. These include the Marriage Tribunal, support of retired priests and nuns, and financial help to our Catholic Schools. To date we have received about **\$ 59,946**. Please consider what you might do to help us meet our obligation by the end of the year. **Thank you !**

Today's Second Collection is for our Parish Facilities.



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ELECTRONIC DONATIONS

VanCo is the company we use for our on-line donations. If you'd like to donate to Mt. Carmel electronically or by credit card, please access our website, **www.mountcarmel.org** and press **Donate**. Follow the easy instructions. **Thank you!**



Rosary Makers Group

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Rosary Makers Group meets every Friday from 10:00 a.m. to Noon in the Parish Center. We always welcome new members.

Women's Club Invitation

Welcome back to our new season!
A great evening of fellowship with
our Mt. Carmel women.

**Wednesday,
Sept. 4th**

6:30 pm. Dinner served at 7:00 pm



Women's Fellowship

Dinner, Drinks,
Dessert, Prizes,
Raffle

Women over 21
invited **\$20**

All proceeds to
benefit our Parish.

Men's Club Monthly Dinner

All men of the parish 21 years old or older are cordially invited to the first Men's Club dinner of this season. It's a great way to meet other men of the parish and school community. A delicious meal is promised, plus an open bar. In addition our Men's Club does great service for our parish community in a number of ways.

Thursday September 12, 2019

Beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the Small Hall.

The second collection next week will be for our Religious Education Programs.

R.C.I.A.

R.C.I.A. is a 9-month faith formation program for adults who are considering becoming Catholics. This program also is for people who were baptized as Catholics but who never received their other sacraments (First Communion & Confirmation), or for inactive Catholics who would like to return to the practice of their faith. Please call **John Spotorno** at **(650) 364-3704** for further information.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, August 31, 2019

5:00 PM Cecilia and Josiah Harris †

Sunday, September 01, 2019

8:00 AM Gabriel Gerard Fiel †

10:00 AM Maria Salome Manuel †

12:00 PM Herminia and Luis Gonzalez (Int.)

5:00 PM Pro—Populo

Monday, September 02, 2019

8:15 AM Irene Carlson †

Tuesday, September 03, 2019

8:15 AM Olga Rocco †

Wednesday, September 04, 2019

8:15 AM Pasquale Matteucci †

Thursday, September 05, 2019

8:15 AM Hilario Tan †

Friday, September 06, 2019

8:15 AM Marie Diev and Antoine Chan †

Saturday, September 07, 2019

8:15 AM Gertrude Sullivan †

THIS WEEK AT MT. CARMEL

Monday, September 02, 2019

Grupo Carismático (Mesa Directiva) 7:00 PM Old Chapel

Tuesday, September 03, 2019

Grupo Guadalupano 7:00 PM Parish Center

Men's Basketball 8:30 PM Large Hall

Wednesday, September 04, 2019

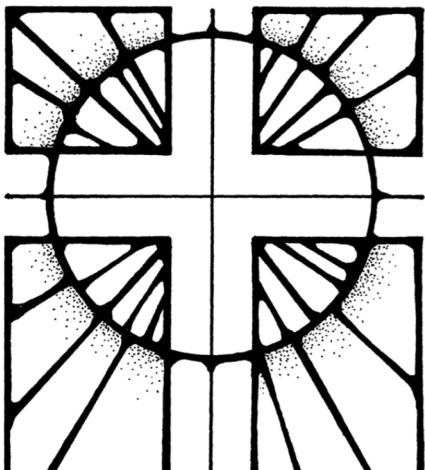
Women's Club 6:30 PM Small Hall

Grupo Carismático 7:00 PM Large Hall

Thursday, September 05, 2019

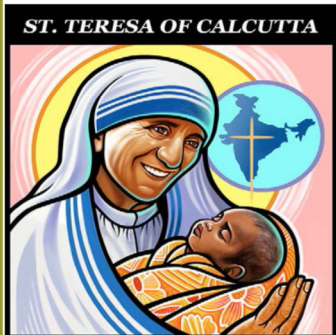
Good Grief 6:00 PM Old Chapel

Padre Parents' Association 7:00 to 9:00 PM Small Hall



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time;
World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation
Monday: Labor Day
Tuesday: St. Gregory the Great
Wednesday: of the Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time
Thursday: Saint Teresa of Calcutta
Friday: First Friday
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday



GOOD GRIEF MINISTRY

The loss of every loved one creates many changes, challenges and much pain. "Good Grief", an ongoing support group, meets every Thursday at the Parish Center, from 6:00-7:30 p.m.
We care, We share. Do come.

Welcome Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish

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: _____

Would you like a parishioner number in order to register your donations? _____

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