

# OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CHURCH

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## **Served by the Carmelites**

## **Mass Schedule / Sacraments**

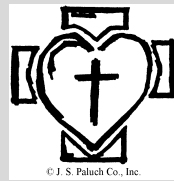
PARISH OFFICE.....(707) 422-7767  
Gemma Gonzalo, Parish Administrator  
*Office email address: olmc.gem@gmail.com*  
*Office hours: 8 AM - 4 PM, Monday - Friday*  
FAITH FORMATION.....(707) 422-2814  
ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY.....(707) 422-5209  
*Emergency material assistance*  
EMERGENCY SICK CALLS.....(707) 422-7767  
CONFIRMATION & RCIA.....(707) 422-7767  
TAG / HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY  
Rhyan Ramirez.....(707) 853-2905

MASS: *WEEKEND*....Saturday Evening: 5PM Vigil  
Sunday: 8AM, 10AM & 12 Noon  
*DAILY*.....Monday - Saturday: 9AM  
HOLY DAYS.....9AM, Noon and 7PM  
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION  
Saturdays.....3:30 to 4:30 PM or by appointment  
BAPTISMS: 2nd Weekend of the Month  
*Pre-Baptism Program Required (visit our website)*  
MARRIAGES: *Six months notice required*  
*Contact the Parish Office for all Baptisms & Marriages*

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL COMMUNITY



Monday 6/29 *Floor cleaning - NO Dome use*  
 Tuesday 6/30 *June 29th thru July 2nd*  
 Wednesday 7/01  
 Thursday 7/02 *SVDP / Cancer Support / TAG Youth Ministry*  
 Friday 7/03 *Amor Dei*  
 Saturday 7/04  
 Sunday 7/05

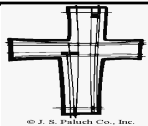


**Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration**

"OLMC's St. Therese Chapel is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week! Our goal is to have 2 or more committed adorers every hour. Please contact the Parish Office for more Information.

"I encourage Christians regularly to visit Christ present in the Blessed Sacrament, for we are all called to abide in the presence of God." Pope John Paul II

**COMMITTED ADORERS are NEEDED**  
**during the hours of:**  
**Monday 1AM - 2AM**



**Mass Intentions**

**Monday** † Jesus Banuilos  
**Tuesday** † Donald Poncelet  
**Wednesday** Bob & Carol Howisey  
**Thursday** Willie Jabonero  
**Friday** † Charlie Elser  
**Saturday: 9AM** † Raymond & † Mary Demko  
**5PM** † Rin Barker  
**Sunday: 8AM** † Helen Haug  
**10AM** † Otilia Quinn  
**12 Noon** Fr. Pete Manilag

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

The premier poet of the English language, Geoffrey Chaucer, introduced one of his most beloved characters, the "Wife of Bath," by this telling remark: "Husbands at church door she had five." Four times widowed, she was setting off on a pilgrimage, notably without number five. The church door is a curious detail, pointing to the fourteenth-century wedding custom of marrying on the porch of the parish church. The goal was to give maximum publicity to the consent of the groom and bride, and so consent was moved from the bride's home to a public venue. The priest would stand in the doorway and begin by sprinkling the couple with holy water. He needed to make sure they weren't too closely related and give them some instruction. He would direct the groom to pay the bride's family a dowry, and then announce the monetary amounts to the interested passersby. Only then would the guests enter the church for the wedding Mass, during which the bride and groom would hold lighted candles. The gradual move from home to church and the shift from the bride's father to the priest's authority helped to protect the freedom of brides who weren't quite as confident as the Wife of Bath.



**Prayer Requests** If you would like the faith community of OLMC to join you in prayers for special needs, contact the Parish Office at 422-7767. We do occasionally take some names off of the list in the bulletin. If we have taken a name from the printed list of a person still in need of prayers, please give us a call and we will happily put him or her back on. Please take some time this week to remember the following in your prayers:

- For all in our parish family who are suffering serious or terminal illness
- For Armed Forces Men and Women on Active Duty, and for

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| Madison O'Shields          | Daniel Artates      | Joe Hill           |
| Joan Hutchinson            | Carol Nunes         | Connie Arias       |
| Timothy White              | Dolores Sheppard    | John Hess          |
| Deacon Larry Sheldon       | Albert Pratt        | Robert Keck        |
| Ron Scharfen               | Bessie Zanolini     | Kimo Boone         |
| Dolores Highsmith-Cass     | Annie Haley         | Gloria Lee         |
| Freddie Highsmith          | Johanna Klibanoff   | Bill Parker        |
| Dion Newman                | Elba Elias          | Anita Brennan      |
| Shannon Valtierra          | Ian Padilla         | Steve Henson       |
| Daniella Rogers Harre      | Laura Labrado       | MaryJane Marvel    |
| Kim Bettencourt            | Cuca Lopez & Family | Mack Cole          |
| Susan Stockwell            | Cameron Schuster    | Stephen Shanahan   |
| Francisco Galvez           | Johanna Abrera      | Rebecca Rivera     |
| Jim & Christa Christian    | Miley McCrary       | Don & Julia Rivera |
| Carl Johnson               | Jean Banks          | Abe Bernardo       |
| Vanessa Demerin            | Sally Fields        | Alexis Magat       |
| Carmen Quintana Farfan     | De Pham             | Adolfo Anasco      |
| Joe & Evelyn Nunes         | John Kelley         | Carol Howisey      |
| Margaret Mitchell & family | David Quilao        | Joe Aganor         |
| Guinto Family              | Mary Aquila         | Dennis Martin      |
| Ann Lynch                  | Susan Cox           | Kathy Spain        |
|                            | Miguel Cortez       | Larry Hebert       |
|                            | Omoso Family        |                    |

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-5; Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19  
Day: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

**Tuesday:** Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-12; Mt 8:23-27

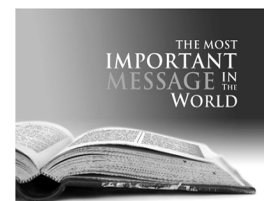
**Wednesday:** Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-13; Mt 8:28-34

**Thursday:** Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8

**Friday:** Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29

**Saturday:** Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-6; Mt 9:14-17; or, for Independence Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Country or a City," nos. 882-886, or "For Peace and Justice," nos. 887-891

**Sunday:** Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a



**Parish Council**



Alex Bernardo 688-1474  
 Jim Brown 688-5181  
 Julie Darling / Pres. 425-3934  
 Ray Fortaleza / VP 720-5166  
 Mike MacCallum 631-0522  
 Patricia May 252-3856  
 Sandro Rojas 481-3176  
 Laurie Runyan 426-4941  
 Vince Tydingco/Sec. 631-5269  
 Regina Williams 330-6915



*Do you know someone who has been away from the Church, the Sacraments, but does not know how to return to the Faith? Perhaps, our Parish's Returning Home program can help you to COME HOME! Come by Monday June 29th, at 7PM in the Dome. For additional information please call Kelly Newman, 422-4582 or Dom Orlando, 429-0149.*

Day retreat on strengthening the family: "Sustain Our Families by Grace & Creativity," Friday, July 17, 2015, 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. at Christ the King Retreat Center, Citrus Heights. Speakers will be Peter & JoAnn Mendenhall and Hai Tran, DMin. Cost is \$50/person. Contact Dr. Tran at the St. Francis Development Institute at [sfdinstitute@gmail.com](mailto:sfdinstitute@gmail.com) or (916) 505-6288.

**Parish Collection**

*Our weekly goal: \$12,500*

Offertory for week ending: June 21, 2015 \$12,967



**Life & Dignity Sunday - TODAY!**

Today is Life & Dignity Sunday in the Diocese of Sacramento. It is a day that Bishop Soto has designated for us to focus on the Catholic responsibility to be good and engages citizens. You have been invited and had the opportunity to register for a state-wide Catholic Legislative Network, which is to be a strong, clear, moral voice for life and justice in our state. We thank you for registering, if you did; and for your patience and forbearance if you did not. If you did register, we hope that you will be faithful in responding to the Action Alerts that will come asking for your assistance on important issues. If you missed signing up today, you can still register on line at [www.catholic.org](http://www.catholic.org). If you are already a member - thank you. You do not have to re-register today.



**FAITH FORMATION NEEDS:** The Diocese of Sacramento has informed us that in order to hold classes for our Faith Formation Program, we will need two adult persons in each classroom; one teacher and one adult to sit in the room with the teacher. Our classes are held on Tuesdays and Wednesdays between the hours of 4 - 5 p.m. and 6 - 7 p.m. If you feel you can help us by just sitting for one hour, please call and leave a message on our office phone, 422-2814, I will be happy to talk with you.

*God bless,  
 Elaine Bruno, Coordinator of Faith Formation*

**9-Day Novena to Our Lady of Mount Carmel**



The novena begins Tuesday, July 7th, continuing to Wednesday, July 15th.  
 Weekdays - 7PM.  
 Weekends - 3PM.  
 July 16th is Our Lady of Mount Carmel Feast Day. Holy Mass celebrated at 7pm, with Mortgage Reduction Collection. Pot-luck reception in the Dome following the Mass.

*Sponsored by:  
 The Lay Carmelite Community #578*

**News from ALPHA PREGNANCY CLINICS:**

*The faithful support of Our Lady of Mount Carmel is greatly appreciated. Your annual participation in our Baby Bottle Boomerang accomplishes; renewed awareness of Alpha's ministry, potential to reach new clients, as well as the offerings raised. Thank you for continuing the tradition started years ago. The Baby Bottle totals returned by your church so far this year is \$8,157 + from the bottles that were collected, thank you!*

*In His Service for LIFE,  
 Michele McDaniel, Executive Assistant*

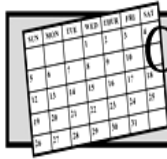


**Welcome!** We invite you to join us! Whether you are new to our parish or have been here for years, we **wholeheartedly** invite you to register as a member of our faith community. Please fill out the form and place in the collection basket or bring the completed form to our Parish Office! You can also register through our website: [www.ourladyofmtcarmelfairfieldca.org](http://www.ourladyofmtcarmelfairfieldca.org)

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY:**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- I would like to receive offertory envelopes.
- Update my current registration.
- I am moving! Please remove me from the list.



## Calendar of Events

- ◆ June 27/ 28 - Life & Dignity Sunday
- ◆ August 23rd - OLMC Parish Picnic
- ◆ Sept. 19th - Women's Afternoon Tea  
(Holy Spirit & OLMC)



## OLMC MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS



ADULT EDUCATION - RCIA / Catholics Come Home	Vivian Donahoe - 422-0872 / Kelly Newman - 422-4582 / Dom Orlando - 429-0149	MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER	Tom and Elaine Bruno - 426-9564
ALPHA PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER	428-3300	MEMBERS IN MOTION	MaryEllen McCormick - 434-9850
ALTAR & SANCTUARY	Teo Balmeo	MINISTRY OF THE EUCHARIST	Julie Darling - 425-3934 Pearla Cuerdo - 429-8226
ALTAR SERVERS	Deacon Raymond Elias / 416-4618	MINISTRY OF THE WORD	Greig Parker - 688-1795
AMOR DEI CHARISMATIC COMMUNITY	Delia & Irene Tabasa / 631-9577	MUSIC MINISTRY	Barbara McFadden - 580-6514, Mark Middleton olmcmusic@guitarandpiano.com
BAPTISM PREP Class held every other month	Deacon Raymond Elias / 416-4618 deaconraymondelias@sbcglobal.net	OLMC GIFT CARDS	Peggy Sherrod / 429-3183
CANCER SUPPORT	Annie Hutchinson - 422-0851	PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL	Consists of 10 members (listed in the bulletin)
CFC-FOUNDATION FOR FAMILY & LIFE	John & Malou Bayquen - 208-4005	PRAYER LINE	Catharine Scharfen - 427-2320 Jewel Perez - 426-3697 Pearla Cuerdo -429-8226
COUNSELING (private practice)	Henry A. Ormond, O.Carm, PhD 422-7767 ext 16	QUEEN OF PEACE CENACLE	Mindy Zindel - 421-0776
COUPLES FOR CHRIST	Cesar & Norma Dulay (925) 528-3528 Pidz & Joy Banasan - 425-3077	RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	Elaine Bruno or Anna Albericci 422-2814
CURSILLO	Gem Geluz - 386-9142	RESPECT LIFE and LIGHTHOUSE KIOSK	Cathy Omoso 688-6551 / Phyllis Kaminska 419-4237
FIAT	Norma Dulay - (925) 528-3528	RETROUVAILLE (Lifeline for troubled marriages)	Fred & Barbara Valles - 422-1215
FINANCE COUNCIL	John Donahoe - 422-0872	ST. VINCENT de PAUL	422-5209
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS	Dominic Orlando - 429-0149	USHERS / HOSPITALITY	Bunny Dominguez / 386-2709
LAY CARMELITES	Teresa Smith - 421-1491	VISITS TO THE SICK and SACRAMENT MINISTRY	Parish Office
LEGION OF MARY	Elena McBound - 481-7850	YLI (A Catholic Women's Organization)	Kathy Marley - 422-3588 or Margaret Sanders - 428-1970
LORD'S LEAVEN MISSION SOCIETY	Marlon & Yvette Taasan - 428-6375	YOUTH MINISTRY	Rhyan & Danielle Ramirez - 853-2905 Regina Berdak - 398-1092