

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CHURCH

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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

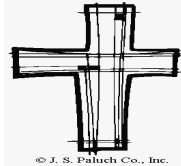
MASS: *WEEKEND*....Saturday Evening: 5PM Vigil
Sunday: 8AM, 10AM & 12 Noon
DAILY.....Monday - Saturday: 9AM
HOLY DAYS.....9AM, Noon and 7PM
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturdays.....3:30 to 4:30 PM or by appointment
BAPTISMS: 2nd Weekend of the Month
Pre-Baptism Program Required (visit our website)
MARRIAGES: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

WEEK OF MARCH 6TH , 2016 ~ FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Character - A simple judge of my character is how I treat a person who can do absolutely nothing for me. - Anonymous

Monday	03/07	<i>OLMC Communal Penance</i>
Tuesday	03/08	<i>Faith Formation / Legion of Mary</i>
Wednes.	03/09	<i>Faith Formation / SVDP / RCIA</i>
Thursday	03/10	<i>Cancer Support / Bible Study</i>
Friday	03/11	<i>Amor Dei / Lenten Soup Supper / Stations of the Cross</i>
Saturday	03/12	<i>FFL / St. Patrick's Dinner Dance</i>
Sunday	03/13	<i>Little Church / Couples for Christ</i>

Mass Intentions



Monday	† Socorro Desear
Tuesday	Margo Vest
Wednesday	† Rolf Inge Danielsson
Thursday	Mary C. Tydingco
Friday	† Hubert Berger / Anna Albericci / Jordan Leonardo Casillas
Saturday: 9AM	† Gregorio T. Limjoco
5PM	† Solomon Tabasa
Sunday: 8AM	† Dodie Lucas
10AM	Hortencia Topacio
12Noon	† Jeremy Raphael Llavore



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

Madison O'Shields	Carol Nunes	Joe Hill
Timothy White	Dolores Sheppard	Vic & Connie Arias
Ron Scharfen	Albert Pratt	John Hess
Dolores Highsmith-Cass	Bessie Zanolini	Kimo Boone
Freddie Highsmith	Elba Elias	Gloria Lee
Dion Newman	Ian Padilla	Anita Brennan
Shannon Valtierra	Cameron Schuster	Steve Henson
Daniella Rogers Harre	Miley McCrary	Mack Cole
Kim Bettencourt	Sally Fields	Stephen Shanahan
Susan Stockwell	De Pham	Rebecca Rivera
Francisco Galvez	John & June Kelley	Don & Julia Rivera
Carl Johnson	David Quilao	Kathy Spain
Joe & Evelyn Nunes	Mary Aquila	Larry Hebert
Sharon Dotson	William McFadden	Phillip Rodriguez
Malou Garado	Johanna Abrera	Kellie Arnold
Irma D. Marrufo	Ferdinand Aquinovo	Josephine Iannarelli
Ezra Creed Haueter	Augusto Limjoco	Bob Olmstead
Nino Casilag	Stephanie Ambat	Jennifer Briones
Generosa Dumlao	Carol Ann Lewis	Sonia Agustin
Karen Mastrandrea	Llavore Family	Sabine Krygier
Andy Andalajao	Angelina Sabaria	Miguel Cortez
Aukusitino Iulio	Valerie Lumibao	Nancy Sexton
Dolores Krystek	Therese & Bob Keck	Su Kuropatokin
Cassandra Lopez	Jean Banks	Romy Lopez
Yolanda Galvan	Charles Raymond	Darrell Sturgeon
Simon Taylor	Sandy Leigh	Ken Sanders
Bobbylyne Rice	Leny Casquejo	Jasmine Liban
Darwin Rasmussen	Sal DiMarco	Jose Cadiz



Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Benefits of Eucharistic Adoration

- ♥ You must propagate veneration of the Most Blessed Sacrament with all your might, for the devotion to the Holy Eucharist is the queen of all devotions. ~ Pope Benedict XV
- ♥ I ask everyone to intensify in coming months love and devotion to the Eucharistic Jesus. ~ Pope Benedict XVI
- ♥ Jesus Himself is calling you to spend one special specific hour with Him each Week. ~ Blessed John Paul II
- ♥ A Holy Hour brings Heavens choicest blessings on those who are faithful to their Hour. - Pope Paul VI

COMMITTED ADORERS are NEEDED !!!

OLMC's St. Therese Chapel is open 24 hours, 7 days a week! *Our goal is to have 2 or more committed adorers every hour.* Please call the Parish Office for more information, (707) 422-7767.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITIONS *One of the first steps to a Catholic wedding takes place in the parish rectory, as the newly engaged come forward to "set a date." We owe this scenario to reforms made by the emperor Charlemagne late in the eighth century. He required that nobles and commoners alike have public weddings, and also required that marrying couples be examined for factors that would block a marriage, such as previous marriages or close kinship. The pope was more conservative, however, and resisted the emperor's creativity. It was enough for the pope that the couples exchange consent. That tradition is passed on to this day, to some couples' surprise. In 866, Pope Nicholas ruled that a marriage was legal and binding even without a liturgy or public celebration. After that, it was the consent of the couple, not the blessing of parents or priest, that made a marriage "count." If consent was lacking, such as through abduction or fear, then the marriage could not "take." Charlemagne got a great deal done, but he was a political flash in the pan, and the empire had virtually collapsed by the year 1000. Europe broke into a checkerboard of principalities and languages, and at last all marriages came under the church, the glue holding the known world together.*



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13b; Jn 4:43-54
Tuesday:	Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16
Wednesday:	Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30
Thursday:	Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-23; Jn 5:31-47
Friday:	Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
Saturday:	Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-12; Jn 7:40-53
Sunday:	Is 43:16-21; Ps 126:1-6; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11; Alternate readings (Year A): Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]





Rainer Urbach 246-4686
 Regina Williams 330-6915
 John Quitugua 428-7255
 Matt Maffei 592-0375
*(Immaculate Heart Radio
 Ambassador)*
 Angie Bernardo 344-0166
 Hayde Talley 421-1306
 Jim Brown 688-5181
 Ray Fortaleza 720-5166
 Patricia May 252-3856
 Laura Rojas (415) 613-3671
 Vince Tydingco/Sec. 631-5269
 Julie Darling / Pres. 425-3934

Holy Year of Mercy Prayer *Lord Jesus Christ,*

Send your spirit and consecrate every one of us
 With its anointing, so the Jubilee of Mercy may be
 a Year of grace from the Lord and your church.

With renewed enthusiasm bring good news to
 the poor, proclaim liberty to captives and the
 oppressed and restore sight to the blind.

We ask this through the intercession of Mary,
 Mother of Mercy, you who live and reign with the
 Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. Amen.



*“Let Us
 Remember
 The Golden
 Rule: Do
 Unto
 Others, As
 You Would
 Have Them Do Unto You.”
 Pope Francis 2015 USA Visit*

This is Jesus to me! ~ Mother Teresa of Calcutta

- The Word made flesh.
- The Bread of life.
- The Victim offered for our sins on the Cross.
- The Sacrifice offered at the Holy Mass for the sins of the world and mine.
- The Word . . . To be spoken.
- The Truth . . . To be walked.
- The Way . . . To be lit.
- The Life . . . To be lived.
- The Love . . . To be loved.
- The Joy . . . To be shared.
- The Sacrifice . . . To be offered.
- The Peace . . . To be given.
- The Bread of Life . . . To be eaten.
- The Hungry . . . To be fed.
- The Thirsty . . . To be satiated.
- The Naked . . . To be clothed.
- The Homeless . . . To be taken in.
- The Sick . . . To be healed.
- The Lonely . . . To be loved.
- The Unwanted . . . To be wanted.
- The Leper . . . To wash his wounds.
- The Beggar . . . To give him a smile.
- The Blind . . . To lead him.
- The Dumb . . . To speak for him.
- The Crippled to walk with him.
- The Drug Addict . . . To befriend him.
- The Prostitute . . . To remove her from danger.
- The Prisoner . . . To be visited, and befriend.
- The Old . . . To be served.



*To me Jesus is my God.
 Jesus is my Spouse.
 Jesus is my Life.
 Jesus is my only Love.
 Jesus is my All in all.
 Jesus is my Everything.*

OLMC Communal Penance - March 7th at 7PM!



Formation Program:

Would you like to learn how
 being a Lay Carmelite can
 bring you closer to Christ
 through Prayer, Community
 and Ministry? Our local Lay
 Carmelite is starting a Phase I
 Formation Program this spring.
 If you would like to know more
 about how to become a Third
 Order Carmelite, please call
 our Formation Director, Melody
 McCloskey, 415-377-1339 by
 March 19th

Knights of Columbus



When: March 12, 2016
 Where: Dome at OLMC
 Time: 6 to 10 PM
 Cost: Adults / \$25
 Ages 6-12 / \$12

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Parish Collection

*Our weekly goal
 \$12,500.00*



Offertory for week ending
 Feb. 28, 2016: \$11,450



*The 40-Days for Life Spring Campaign is going on
 now in hundreds of cities around the world, including
 Fairfield! You can help save lives by praying and fasting
 at Planned Parenthood, 1325 Travis Blvd., Fairfield,
 across from the Solano Mall. Come out for an hour to
 pray during this Lenten season between 6AM to 7PM or
 join our Respect Life Ministry who will be praying there
 Saturdays from 10AM - 11AM. For more information,
 call Cathy (707) 688-6551 or Maria (707) 718-1356.*

- ◆ **Fridays - Through March 18th:**
Lenten Soup Supper & Stations of the Cross.



- ◆ **Mar. 6th** - Lecture Training, 2-3PM (Church)
- ◆ **Mar. 7th** - OLMC Communal Penance, 7PM
(Holy Spirit Communal Penance, March 14th)
- ◆ **April 8th** - Solano Choral Society Spring Concert
- ◆ **May 14th** - OLMC Annual Golf Tournament
- ◆ **June 11th** - OLMC Pilgrimage to St. Dominic's

OLMC LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS 2016

Our Lenten journey CONTINUES....with Lenten Soup Supper. Each ministry is asked to bring meatless soup and bread ready to serve at 5:30 PM. Supper is at 6 PM and Stations of the Cross at 7PM. Desserts welcome only March 18th

- March 11th** *Ministry of the Eucharist*
RCIA
Scrip - OLMC Gift Card
YLI (Young Ladies Institute)
- March 18th** *Altar Servers*
Parish Pastoral Council
Ushers / Hospitality

All Ministries are encouraged to bring desserts on the last day, 3/18.

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 CLINICS OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	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 & Ireneo Tabasa / 631-9577	MUSIC MINISTRY - Mark Middleton olmcmusic@guitarandpiano.com	Barbara McFadden - 580-6514,
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 PERPETUAL Eucharistic Adoration	Consists of 10 members (See Bulletin) Lynda Sutton - 330-4858
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 LIGHHOUSE 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 LADIES AUXILIARY	Dominic Orlando - 429-0149 Dottie Pratt 429-1023	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