

# Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church

*Erected in 1936, the entire structure reflects the architectural style developed by missionaries, combining the building patterns of the Pueblo Indians with Spanish-Colonial design. Even the landscaping, with carefully selected shrubs and trees is typical.*

Msgr. Stephen Downes, Pastor  
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## Masses

Daily 7:45 AM  
Saturday 7:45 AM Vigil Mass: 4:30 PM  
Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12 Noon

Holy Day Mass Vigil 5:30 PM  
Masses on Holy Day:  
7:45 AM, 9:00 AM (*School Mass*) & 5:30 PM

Confessions: Saturdays 3:30-4:15 PM *\*In Side Chapel\**

Baptisms: 1st & 2nd Sundays of the month 969-6868

## Religious Education

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High School Confirmation - '*El Camino*'  
Middle School Youth Group - '*The 'M&M's'*'

## Weddings

The Bride or Groom must be a registered, contributing and active member of Mt. Carmel Parish for at least one year before requesting a marriage date.

Please call the Rectory at least 6 months before the proposed date of marriage or email us at [weddings@olmc-montecito.com](mailto:weddings@olmc-montecito.com)

## Our Lady of Mount Carmel School

530 Hot Springs Road 969-5965  
Santa Barbara, 93108  
Pre-K thru 8th Grade  
Principal — Karen Regan  
[www.mountcarmelschool.net](http://www.mountcarmelschool.net)



Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time  
June 23, 2013

*There is neither Jew nor Greek,  
there is neither slave nor free person,  
there is not male and female;  
for you are all one in Christ Jesus.*

— Galatians 3:28



Our Lady of  
Mount Carmel

## WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL PARISH

If you are visiting or new to our community, we are blessed that you are here to worship with us and we welcome you. Our Pastor, Retired Priests and Parish Family extend the hospitality of Jesus Christ to you.

If you would like more information about our Parish, please call or stop by the Parish Office. The hours are M-F, 8:30am-12 noon and 1:30pm-5 pm.

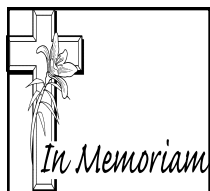
Coffee, Donuts & Cappuccino are served after the Sunday, 10am Mass (in the side courtyard). Please join us!

## WHOLE COMMUNITY FAITH SHARING

Week of June 16th — Luke 7:36 — 8:3

**Reflection:** This story in Luke is not just about forgiveness... but just as importantly, about judgment. This woman, who broke all social protocol, came in the dining area, where only men were allowed... and also let down her hair (another taboo) to wash the feet of Jesus. It is precisely because Jesus is the Son of God, that He immediately recognized who she was and did not judge her, but forgave her. It is our judgment of people that clouds our forgiveness. If we can get past judgment, and allow compassion and forgiveness to supersede our judgment, we will find great joy in being able to forgive!

**Reflection Question: Faith Response:**



Our prayers and sincere sympathy to the family and friends of *Ellen Keeter*, who died this past week. May our Heavenly Father welcome her into His Kingdom and grant her the happiness of heaven. May she rest in peace.

## Please pray for the sick of our Parish

Letitia Brown, Beverly Peters, Jack Jones, Infant Adrian, Infant Dorian Vazquez, Robert Munoz, Eric Lundy, Shawn Cunningham, Nikki DeLeon, Kevin McKernan, Marti Boise, Ava Nebroski, Carolyn Bell, Jo Dushais, Coann Dow, Baby Angelina Repetti, Maria Bregy, Jim Fuller, Dottie and Jack McClellan, Maureen Turner, Bruce Albertson, Olga Aros, Anita Blanchett, Martha Bradley, Rosemary Donohue, Paul Dosa, Carmen Dragon, Jeffrey Luna, Sharon Graham, Laird Murfey, Virginia McDermott, Wayne Dreyer, Andrea Munoz, Rosemary Redmond, Patricia McNamara, Christopher Guadagnini, Sir Daniel Donohue, Mario Lara, Jr., Tyler Hester, Leonard Jarrott, Dylan Swalley, Frances Maher, "Maddie" Press Teri Mosher, Ken Hill, the Borgatello Family, Barbara Merritt and Maria Sandoval Pedrava. If anyone you know is ill and needs to be visited, please call the Rectory at (805) 969-6868. Let us also pray for Bowe Bergdahl, a POW detained by the Taliban.



## Ministry Assignments

### SAT. JUNE 22nd

4:30 PM Jane Burkemper - Lector  
S. de Ponce, J. Stratford & K. Flynn  
Eucharistic Ministers  
Madison Nicolson, Clarissa Davis &  
Anna Bentajado - Altar Servers

### SUN. JUNE 23rd

8:00 AM Chris Toomey - Lector  
G. & M. Mueller - Eucharistic Ministers  
Alec Rubio, Sam Krautmann & Emily Wazny  
Altar Servers  
10:00 AM Mary Kay Whitney - Lector  
F. Cogburn, W. Gragg, R. & M. Willmon  
C. Webb, M. Press, B. Nunez & B. Jones  
Eucharistic Ministers  
Angela, Justin & Adam Coffin  
Altar Servers  
12:00 PM John Kelly - Lector  
R. & J. Victoria  
Eucharistic Ministers  
Anabel Caesar, Pilar Renteria & Alyssa Pakes  
Altar Servers



## Mass Intentions

### SAT. JUNE 22nd

7:45 AM Int. of Jack & Eleanor Slanga - 50th Anniv.  
4:30 PM Scottie Hester +

### SUN. JUNE 23rd

8:00 AM John Rosecrance +  
10:00 AM Jeanne Regis +  
12:00 PM Living & Deceased Members of the Ziliotto Fam.

### MON. JUNE 24th

7:45 AM Lupe Aguirre +

### TUES. JUNE 25th

7:45 AM Paul Kong +

### WED. JUNE 26th

7:45 AM Paul Hindelang +

### THU. JUNE 27th

7:45 AM Angela Kong +

### FRI. JUNE 28th

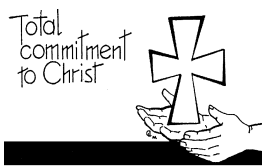
7:45 AM Raul Madrigal +

### SAT. JUNE 29th

7:45 AM Deena Marinucci +  
4:30 PM Mary Jane Marchetti +

### SUN. JUNE 30th

8:00 AM Int. of George Halling Family  
10:00 AM Int. of Karen & Paul Sullivan - 50th Anniv.  
12:00 PM For All Our Parishioners



## GROUP LECTIO DIVINA

**When : Every Friday**  
**Time: 7 pm to 8 pm**  
**Where: Spiritual Library**



Here at OLMC Parish, we strive to offer our youth a place to "Belong, Believe, Become"

### "El Camino"

#### High School Confirmation Group

Meets twice a month for Scripture Study, Faith Sharing, Retreats, Trips, Art, Food and FUN!!!



- ♦ Priority Registration *has begun*  
(Please email Sarah to get your packet)
- ♦ Orientation Gathering - August 25th  
11am to 12 pm in the Church

### "M & M's"

#### Middle School Youth Group

Meets twice a month for Friendship, Discussion, Food, Games, Raffles and Fun, Fun Trips too!! BRING A FRIEND!!!



#### Upcoming Summer Events

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| June   | Camp BIG Deal                            |
| July   | Waterworld — Westmont Pool & S.A.W. Camp |
| August | Ocean Kayaking & Fall Orientation        |
| Sept.  | Youth Group Fall Sessions Start!         |

If you would like more information about OLMC Youth Ministry or want to be added to our mailing list, please contact our Youth Minister Sarah Mack at 805-574-9941 or email her at [sarahm@mountcarmelschool.net](mailto:sarahm@mountcarmelschool.net).



#### **Our Lady of Mount Carmel Summer Book Club**

#### June Reading Selection

*Mere Christianity* by C.S. Lewis

Next Discussion Gathering - Weds. July 3rd  
7pm to 8pm - Spiritual Center  
Refreshments Served.

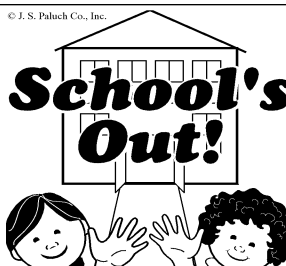
Please join us!!!

#### **CATHOLIC CHARITIES OFFERS COUNSELING SERVICES**

Catholic Charities offers individual, senior, family and teen counseling from licensed therapists, regarding all issues. Fee is based on a sliding scale. Insurance accepted. Call 965-7045, ext. 102 for an appointment.

## **School News**

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Friday, June 21st was the *last day of school*. Please keep our students and their families in your prayers as they enjoy their summer break and family vacation time. Be safe and see you in the fall.

## **THANK YOU**



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A special thank you to our Parish School Principal Karen Regan and all the teachers and staff at OLMC School. The time, dedication and love you share with your students every day is amazing. Enjoy your summer away and see you in the fall too!

#### **Safeguard our Children: Did you know?.....**

##### **Always Keep an Up-to-Date Photo of Your Child**

Picture this: A good photo could save a child's life. One of the most important tools for law enforcement in the case of a missing child is an up-to-date (take a new one every six months), good-quality photograph. The photograph should be a recent head-and-shoulders color photograph of the child in which the face is clearly seen. It should be of school-portrait quality, and the background should be plain or solid so it does not distract from the subject. When possible, the photograph should be in a digitized form and available on a compact disk (CD), as opposed to just a hard copy. This minimizes the time necessary to scan, resize, and make color corrections before disseminating it to law enforcement. The photograph should have space for accurate, narrative description useful to identify the child, such as name, nickname, height, weight, sex, age, eye color, identifying marks, glasses, and braces. For more information, please visit: [www.missingkids.com](http://www.missingkids.com). For particular help, you may call Assistance Ministry at 213 637 7650.

#### **Be a Pilgrim of Charity.....**

Next week, our diocese will take up the *Peter's Pence Collection*, which provides the Holy Father with the funds he needs to carry out his most important charitable works. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression and disasters. Your most generous gift makes you a *pilgrim of charity* around the world. Please use the special envelopes in the pews for the one collection at Offertory Time.

### 2013 TOGETHER IN MISSION

This week we come to the end of the Annual Appeal, Together in Mission, which helps 35 parishes and 52 parish schools remain open to serve the people in the poorest areas of the Archdiocese. So far our parish has received \$36,804 in donations or four month pledges towards our parish goal of \$38,648. We are almost there. We ask for more generous parishioners to help us meet our parish goal or otherwise we will have to use our parish operating funds for this purpose. All funds donated to the Annual Appeal go to the 35 parishes and 52 parish schools. Please make all donations or pledges through our Parish Office as this Appeal is being conducted through our Parish Office. Many thanks to all who have donated to this important cause in our own Archdiocese of Los Angeles.

### PARISH FINANCES

Here is the report for the Offertory Collection on Sunday, June 8th & 9th:

Envelopes and Plate Collection	\$6432
Donations	\$800
<u>Donations for Maintenance</u>	<u>\$750</u>
Total	\$7982

The average Sunday collection would need to reach \$8,500 each week to avoid another parish operating deficit for the fiscal year which ends June 30th. We continue to do everything possible to reduce our expenses. Your generous donations fund all the parish worship, religious, educational and service programs of the parish. Many thanks and God's blessings on you and your family.



On Friday, June 14th, our Parish School held their Commencement Ceremony. We are proud to state that the following young people will continue their journey of learning and discovery.

Ann Bentajado	Erik Hugo
Michael Bow-Thompson	Morgan Lamberti
Lindsay Campbell	Renan Martins
Andrea Castellanos	Eduardo Miranda
Bryan DeMesa	Claire Nielsen
Emily Durtche	Sarah Peterson
Emma Gay	Lucas Ricci
Sasha Gordon	Margaux Sullivan
Lauren Graf	Pia Valtierra
Michelle Henderson	

Our Parish Family congratulates these young people, their parents and teachers and wish them God's blessings as they begin their high school years.

# FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

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## "Fr. Steve"

"Who do you say that I am?" is the second and most basic question that Jesus asks his disciples in today's Gospel. It is a question for each one of us. In the time of Jesus and again today, many people have different answers to the question. We are Christians because our answer is the same as Peter in today's Gospel: Jesus is "the Christ of God." He is the Messiah, the Savior, the Son of God who tells us in today's Gospel that he must suffer greatly, die on the Cross and on the third day be raised. He is a very different Messiah to the one that Peter and the Apostles and Jews of the day expected. Jesus also tells us that we too must face the Cross in our lives if we are his faithful followers. The Cross may come in many different forms as we follow Jesus and walk in his love and his way. St. Paul tells us in the Second Reading that through Baptism all are one in Christ Jesus and we are heirs to the promise of eternal life with God. Each day may we come to "know Jesus more clearly, love him more dearly and follow him more nearly" in God's love for all.

\* Altar servers are a great blessing for our parish. We show our appreciation to our altar servers at the 12 noon Mass this Sunday, June 23rd, followed by a lunch in the Parish Hall. Any child who has received their First Holy Communion and is entering 4th grade or higher grades is welcome to serve as an altar server. Training is provided by Peter and Tina Da Ros. For further information, contact Fr. Steve, Pastor, at the Rectory or Peter and Tina Da Ros.

\* On Monday, June 24th, the sewer line which serves the Church, the School and the Rectory will be replaced. Starting at about 10:00 AM this Monday all rest rooms and bathrooms for the Church, in the School and the Rectory will be closed for about four hours so the pipe connections can be made. We are sorry for any inconvenience. The cost for replacing the sewer line is \$8,000. If the line has to be extended out into the street, it will cost an additional \$4,000. Your understanding and cooperation are appreciated. We welcome to our parish later this week Fr. Liam O'Connell, S.J., the cousin of Father Maurice O'Mahony, our Pastor Emeritus. Father Liam has come to serve at Mount Carmel each summer for the last fifteen years. He will be with us until July 29th.

\* On Sunday morning, June 30th, Father Steve will leave on his annual vacation. He will return to Our Lady of Mount Carmel on July 30th.

