



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.

Monsignor Stephen Downes, Pastor
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Father Carrol O'Sullivan, Retired
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Rectory

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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 Mass 5:30 PM

Mass Times on Holy Days

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

Religious Education

805/969-4868

Sister Kathleen Patrice, C.S.J. - Director
srkathleen@mountcarmelschool.net

Youth Minister/Confirmation Coordinator

Sarah Mack - Youth Minister 805/574-9941

olmcbsb93108@gmail.com - Young Adult Ministry - MCYA

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 six months before the proposed date of marriage or email us at weddings@olmc-montecito.com for more information.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel School

805/969-5965

530 Hot Springs Road • Santa Barbara, 93108

Pre-K thru 8th Grade • Principal — Karen Regan

www.mountcarmelschool.net

Secular Order of Carmelites - Meets 2nd Sat. of each month

Evelyn Duimovich

805/969-3858



Twenty-Seventh Sunday in
Ordinary Time
OCTOBER 5, 2014

Have no anxiety at all, but in everything,
by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving,
make your requests known to God.

~ *Phillipians 4:6*



Our Lady of Mount Carmel

WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL

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, our Retired Priests and Parish Family extend the hospitality of Jesus Christ to you. If you would like more information about our community, please call or stop by our Parish Office. The office hours are Mon-Fri, 8:30am- 12 noon and from 1:30pm - 5pm. Coffee, Donuts & Cappuccino are served in the Side Courtyard after the 10am Sunday Mass.

PLEASE JOIN US!

WHOLE COMMUNITY FAITH SHARING

Week of Oct. 5th—Isaiah 5:1-7

Faith Reflection: God has given us a gift of life and *free will* to make our choices and decisions. He wants us to take opportunities given to us and be successful. When we are lazy and unproductive, we are wasting these gifts of opportunities. There is a difference between “resting” and laziness. God gives us the freedom and trust to make our decisions in life. We need to be responsive and honor this gift. When we are joyful and create joy for ourselves and others, we honor God...he *wants* us to be happy and enjoy the gift of life.

Faith Question: How much fruit am I producing?

Faith Response: I will be open to God's messengers and be both mindful and present to them...

Please Pray For The Sick Of Our Parish

Bruce Albertson, Jack Jones, Marti Boise, Jo Dushais, Jack McClellan, Rosemary Donohue, Patricia McNamara, Christopher Guadagnini, Sir Daniel Donohue, Tyler Hester, Dylan Swalley, Frances Maher, Maddie Press, the Borgatello Family, Marilyn Schuermann, Mary McCormack, Robert Munoz, Roger Cass, Jim Fuller, Susan Basler, Ritz Brunello, Francisco Ramos, Joe Maguire, Eric Lundy, Laurie Maguire and Domini Tarman.

Do you know of someone who is NO longer in need of being on our list?

Wish to add immediate family? Does someone need to be visited? Please call our Parish Office at 805/969-6868.)

Parishioner Registration Form

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ Zip _____ Phone (____) _____
email _____

Check One: ☐ New Parishioner ☐ New Address
☐ Would like Offertory Envelopes
☐ Moving out of the Parish

Please place the form into the Offertory basket or you can mail in or drop-off at the Parish Office.

Thank you.



Ministry Assignments

SAT.	OCT. 4th
4:30 PM	Frederic Cogburn - Lector R. Sailors, H. Peterson & J. Samuelson Eucharistic Ministers Maxwell Schwartz, Luke & Riley Peterson Altar Servers
SUN.	OCT. 5th
8:00 AM	John Kelly - Lector D. & B. Crooks - Eucharistic Ministers Luke Williams, Anna Braastad & Sam Krautmann - Altar Servers
10:00 AM	OLMC School Second Grade Lector W. Gragg, B. Jones, C. Wathen, R. Willmon A. & R. Bentajado, M. & T. Lorge Eucharistic Ministers Halie Bissell, Anthony & Katie Jensen Altar Servers
12:00 PM	Molly Rosecrance - Lector M. Guadagnini & O. Loretto Eucharistic Ministers Juan Valtierra, Matthew Helkey & Emma Coglizer - Altar Servers



Mass Intentions

SAT.	OCT. 4th
7:45 AM	Maria Bregy +
4:30 PM	Dennis Flynn +
SUN.	OCT. 5th
8:00 AM	John Martin Morehart +
10:00 AM	For All Our Parishioners
12:00 PM	Richard Vanis +
MON.	OCT. 6th
7:45 AM	Int. Paul Griffin
TUES.	OCT. 7th
7:45 AM	Thomas Young Thornton +
WED.	OCT. 8th
7:45 AM	Dr. Sven Lokrantz +
THU.	OCT. 9th
7:45 AM	Vernon Morsemen +
FRI.	OCT. 10th
7:45 AM	Int. of Sara Macias
SAT.	OCT. 11th
7:45 AM	Int. Paul Griffin
4:30 PM	Gino & Rosetta Guadagnini +
SUN.	OCT. 12th
8:00 AM	Dr. Sven Lokrantz +
10:00 AM	James King +
12:00 PM	Int. of Carolyn Bell



Take A Stand For Life - From **now thru Nov. 2nd**, the Santa Barbara community will take part in a groundbreaking, coordinated international mobilization. Join in on praying outside Planned Parenthood (518 Garden St.). For more information, please contact Molly Rosecrance at 805/455-5040.



Religious Education

OLMC CHURCH FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM

Instructing children in an enriching, loving and learning environment.

Our Faith Formation classes for grades K-8th will be held this Sunday, beginning at 8:40am and concluding at 9:50am. If you wish to enroll your child, please call the Faith Formation Office at 805/969-4868 or email srkathleen@mountcarmelschool.net. You may also download the registration forms from the Parish website mtcarmelsb.com

If you have a child 7 years or older who hasn't been Baptized, please call or email Sister Kathleen Patrice.

Safeguard Our Children **Learn Your Children School's** **Emergency Procedures**

"Back-to-school does not have to mean back-to-worrying. Though safety inside school is ultimately the responsibility of the principal and school staff, parents can take a few basic steps to ensure a safe school experience."

Learn the school's emergency procedures. Emergency plans and phone numbers are usually included in school handbooks and posted in classrooms. Taking a few extra minutes to familiarize yourself and your child with emergency information can give him the confidence he needs to act quickly in emergency situations.

For more information, please visit <http://www.scholastic.com/parents/resources/article/parent-teacher-partnerships/6-rules-school-safety>



October

The Month of the Holy Rosary
The Rosary will be recited every day
after the 7:45am Mass.

PLEASE JOIN US!!



DONATIONS FOR SHRINE CANDLES

Beginning on Saturday, October 4th, we ask for a donation of \$4 for each shrine candle. Our candle supplier, General Wax and Candle Company of Los Angeles, has raised the price of candles as of September 1st.

We also have a continuing problem of people lighting shrine candles and making no donation. **Lighting a candle is a way of prayer - may it also express your honesty and goodness** in making a donation of \$4 for each shrine candle.



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

"El Camino"

High School Confirmation Group

Join us as we explore our faith & journey to The Rite of Confirmation through topical discussion, music, debate, multimedia & art.

Meets two Sundays a month, from 11am to 12:30pm in our Parish Hall.



Sessions & Gatherings

- ◇ Oct. 12th ~ Rite of Welcoming ~ 10 am Mass
Year I Candidates; First Session follows in the Parish Hall
- ◇ Oct. 26th ~ Regular Session
- ◇ Nov. 8th ~ LifeTeen Night at Magic Mtn.

"Sanctus" High School Leadership Group

- Oct. 8th Respect Life Week Talk
Bishop Diego HS (Junior/Seniors)
- Oct. 17/18 'Imagine' San Diego
Stubenville Youth Day

"M & M's"

Middle School Youth Group

Open to all 6th - 8th graders from ANY school.
Meets on Weds., 6:30pm - 8pm in Parish Hall



Upcoming Events

- Oct. 1st **Study Break** "Jesus is _____."
Games, Snacks! And so much fun!!
- Oct. 10th **"Night at the Movies"** at Fiesta Five
'Alexander and the Horrible Day'

'YAM' \$B Region of Young Adult Ministry

Saturday, Oct. 18th ◇ 6:30pm - 9pm ◇ OLMC Church
"Darkness & Light"

Dinner & Discussion on the Occult (Parish Hall)
followed by Adoration In Our Church

FREE — Call for car pool reservations.

For more info, call Sarah at 805.969.6868 or 805.574.9941

Open to ALL Young Adults 21 — 39

Upcoming Event — Nov. 1st ◇ One Day Retreat

St. Mary's Seminary, Santa Barbara

Good Food - Wonderful Speakers - Young Adult Mass
\$20 per person. More info to follow.

For more info, contact Sarah Mack, our Parish Youth Minister at 805-574-9941 or at olmc93108@gmail.com.

OUR PARISH FINANCES

Many thanks to all for your generous contributions to our Church in the Offertory Collection each Sunday. Here is the report for the Offertory Collection on Sunday, September 13th/14th:

Envelopes and Plate Collection: \$7,140.00

Many thanks and God's blessings on all our donors. Your faithful and generous giving at Offertory at Sunday Eucharist expresses your love for God and funds all the Parish Worship, Religious, Educational and Service programs of the Parish. Many thanks and God's blessings on you and your family.



Update on Major Renovation Projects this summer:

1. Work continues on renovating the men's rest room in the Parish Hall because of a methane gas leak there. In removing the sewer line it was found in poor condition so we decided to remove the sewer line in the women's rest room (which was also buried under concrete). This means that both rest rooms in the Parish Hall are closed until the renovation work is completed and then both rest rooms will be wheelchair accessible. In the meanwhile the Church rest rooms will be available for use whenever there are activities in the Parish Hall. Cost estimate: \$25,000.

2. We are waiting for the new awning installation at the Parish Hall and then the replacement of the awnings at the house and parking area of the home of the Pastor Emeritus. Cost estimate: \$12,670.

3. Work is completed on the renovation of the School offices, administrative and faculty area of the School; the painting of the outside of the school buildings; some heating and air conditioning work in the Rectory; and the treatment of a rust problem on the bell structure on the roof of the Church.

We are very grateful to four parish families who have made generous donations to fund these projects. So far we have received \$19,711 from four parish families. We are also very grateful to a parish family who have donated new beautiful tables and chairs for the renovated School faculty room.

I have chosen you from the world.



Becoming Catholic

Have you ever thought of becoming a Catholic?

Do you know someone who is interested in learning about our Catholic Faith?

Are you a Catholic who has not received First Holy Communion or Confirmation?

You are invited to join Father Steve and the Parish RCIA Team on Tuesday nights, (in the Spiritual Library) in the School from, 7:00pm to 8:30pm. Any questions? Call Father Steve at the Rectory.

Fr. Steve

Today is Respect Life Sunday, a day when the U.S. Bishops invite us to focus on God's gift of life from conception to natural death. Our First Reading and Gospel today speak of God's care and concern for his people, his "vineyard". God nurtures his precious vineyard, his people, giving us life and love and caring, and doing everything possible to make us flourish. How do we respond? Do we produce "wild grapes", useless fruit (as the vineyard in the First Reading from Isaiah 5:1-7)? Do we reject God's messengers of life (as the tenants in the Gospel story, Matthew 21:33-43)? They beat, kill and stone the servants of the landowner. "They will respect my son", the landowner says. Instead they seize and kill him. Certainly no respect for life here! Today we are called to open our eyes to God's gift of life to us each day and God's nurturing and caring for all people. The Gospel of life calls us to a commitment to respect life at all times and to work for peace and an end to war and violence.

- The theme for this year's Respect Life Sunday is: "Each of us is a masterpiece of God's Creation." This is Pope Francis' Day of Life Greeting: "Even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the old, the unborn and the poor, are masterpieces of God's creation, made in his own image, destined to live forever, and deserving of the utmost reverence and respect."

- Children from Our Lady of Mount Carmel School will help us celebrate a School Family Mass at 10:00 AM this Sunday.

- Our Religious Education Program on Sunday morning is blessed with wonderful catechists (teachers) and helpers but few students in grades K-5. We would like to remind parents how important it is to bring your children to the Sunday morning Religious Education (or Faith Formation) Program if your children are in public or private school. If you wish to enroll your child, please call Sister Kathleen Patrice at the Religious Education Office (969-4868) or e-mail srkathleen@mountcarmelschool.net. Classes meet from 8:40 to 9:50 AM each Sunday. More information will be found elsewhere in today's bulletin.

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- Check out our parish website: www.mtcarmelsb.com

The kingdom of God will be given to those
who will produce its fruit. Matthew 21:33-43