



Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church

Divine Mercy Sunday April 19, 2020

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.

Priest

Fr. Lawrence Seyer, **Pastor**

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Monsignor Stephen Downes, **Pastor Emeritus**

Father Maurice O'Mahony, **Pastor Emeritus**

Parish Office

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Hours: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM and 1:30 PM to 5:00 PM

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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 - 12:00 Noon

Holy Day Mass

Vigil Mass - 5:30 PM

7:45 AM – 9:00 AM (*School Mass*) – 5:30 PM

Devotionals

Daily 8:15 AM – Recitation of the Rosary

Wednesdays Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
3:30 to 7:00 PM with Benediction at
6:45 PM

Confessions: Saturdays 3:30 - 4:15 PM (*In the Side Chapel*)

Baptisms: Sundays at 1:00 PM

Religious Education

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Sister Rosalie Callen, C.S.J.

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High School Confirmation - '*El Camino*'

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Young Adult Ministry - '*MCYA*'

Weddings

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Please contact the Parish Office at least **six** months
before the proposed wedding date.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel School

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Principal - Tracie Simolon

Pre-K thru 8th Grade

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“Blessed are those
who have not seen and
have believed.”

— John 20:29b

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 Father Lawrence, our retired priests, Fr. Steve and Fr. O' Mahony and Parish Family extend the hospitality of Jesus Christ to you.

Due to the current public health emergency, our parish office is closed. We are here still here to assist you by phone, 805/969-6868 or email at info@mtcarmelsb.com.

Let us pray that the measures of caution being asked of all of us keep us from harm and that our prayers help those affected by this devastating virus.



Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, pray for us!

Online Giving

Sign up today at

www.mtcarmelsb.com

How great is God's love for us!

Your generous giving shows your love for God and God's Church.

Parishioner Registration Form

Name _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Zip _____ Phone (____) _____

email _____

email _____

Check One:

New Parishioner New Address

Would like Offertory Envelopes

Moving out of Parish

Please place the form into the Offertory basket or bring it by the Parish Office.

Thank You!

Whole Community Faith Sharing

John 20:19-31 Divine Mercy

Reflection: This Sunday's gospel features Jesus appearing to the disciples after his Resurrection. Thomas is not there and refuses to believe until he sees Him. We all should be able to relate to 'doubting Thomas'. Think of all the times we have heard of a great miracle in our lifetime and dismissed it as coincidence or a 'nice story'. We find it hard to trust in Jesus and believe that He is present for us at all times. We need to be open to all the promises Jesus made to us and act accordingly. Keep in mind that Jesus blesses us for believing without seeing!



Question: *Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.* How is my faith a blessing to me and my family? How can I help those who are skeptical?

Faith Response: I will help strengthen the faith of someone who is faltering, sad, or discouraged this week.

Safeguard Our Children Did You Know?



The Office of Safeguard the Children of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles annually publishes the *Working Together to Prevent Child Sexual Abuse* brochure, which provides an up-to-date listing of policies, programs, resources, contact numbers and other important information

about how the Archdiocese of Los Angeles is working to prevent child sexual abuse. Copies of the 2020 – 2021 brochures are available online if you visit: <https://lacatholics.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/2020-Working-Together-English-Final.pdf>

No One Dies Alone

Every day people around the world are dying from coronavirus, but they are dying alone without their loved ones beside them due to the infectious nature of the disease. Hearing this, an Irish priest was inspired to encourage people to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 pm every day, in order to place ourselves spiritually at the side of those dying alone from the virus. St Faustina was spiritually transported by Jesus to pray the chaplet at the bedside of a dying man. We would like to answer that call in this community, which is why **once the Divine Mercy Novena ends, we will continue to pray the chaplet at 3:00 pm.**



How to Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet

The Chaplet of The Divine Mercy is said on ordinary rosary beads. It is prayed in the following order.

Optional Opening Prayers

(said while holding the first bead on the rosary)

You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.

(repeat three times)

O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fount of mercy for us, I trust in You!

On the next three beads

1. The Our Father,
2. Hail Mary,
3. Apostle's Creed.

On the large bead before each decade

Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

Once on each of the ten small beads

For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Concluding doxology

(after five decades repeat three times)

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and the whole world.

Optional Closing Prayer

Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion — inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself.

Mass Intentions

SAT.	APRIL 18
Daily	Alex Saucedo & Vicki Bruce†
	John Cohn†
SUN.	APRIL 19—DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
10:00 AM	Lavonne, John & Laurie Begeman, and Christopher Guadagnini†
MON.	APRIL 20
Daily	Arthur Callier†
TUE.	APRIL 21
Daily	Marty Boise†
WED.	APRIL 22
Daily	Jim Curtin†
THU.	APRIL 23
Daily	John Rosecrance†
FRI.	APRIL 24
Daily	Jane Zmuda†
SAT.	APRIL 25
Daily	Kathleen DaRos and Lisa Coffin†
SUN.	APRIL 26
10:00 AM	Robert Doran†, Angie Eck† and for All Parishioners

**Please Pray For The Sick
Of Our Parish**

Tyler Hester, Roger Cass,
Jane Burkemper, Steve Goldstein,
Mike Kelly, Michael Steinman,
Rita Holden, Evelyn Duimovich,
Michael Garcia, and Marcella Evans.



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