

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 21, 2017

First Reading: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Responsorial Psalm 66:1-7, 16, 20

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:15-18; Gospel: John 14:15-21



“I WILL NOT LEAVE YOU ORPHANS.”

These tender words of Jesus during His Last Supper discourse are meant to give us comfort and strength. Jesus promises that the Advocate, the very Spirit of Life and Truth, will be with us. We are told, however, that to receive the Spirit, we must love Christ and be obedient to Him. Otherwise, we will be like those of the world, who cannot accept, see or recognize the truth even if it dwells within their own hearts.

God’s Spirit is revealed in our world at every moment. We are urged to open our hearts to the Spirit of Truth—and accept and respond to the Spirit in our lives and world. The passage from the Acts of the Apostles this Sunday offers us a beautiful example of the Spirit of Truth moving hearts and minds. The Samaritans were enemies of the Jews. Samaria was the place where Jesus encountered the Samaritan woman at the well who became a joyful apostle of good news to her town. Now, in Acts, with the presence of Philip, Samaritans hear of the resurrection of Jesus and quickly respond by being baptized. The Apostles embrace the Samaritans as family! The Spirit of Truth is received and witnessed! He abides with us and enables our hearts to make the right choices about where to go, what path to take, and what decision to make at any moment. *“He remains with you, and will be in you,”* says Jesus. Our God will NEVER leave us orphans!



CONGRATULATIONS!

***“Give thanks to the Lord for He is good,
his love is everlasting.” —Psalm 118***

The following children from our parish will be receiving their First Communion this weekend.

Please remember them in your prayers.

Angela Cardenas

Lisett Garcia

Alan Martinez

Michael Martinez

Richard Robles

Ava Maxon

Matthew Maxon

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL SCHOLARSHIP

Applicants are invited to visit the Parish Office or website for our 2017 Application Form.

Requirements

1. Applicants must be active parishioners of OLMC. Applicants must have been accepted or enrolled in an accredited college or university, junior college, vocational or trade school as a full-time students.
2. A written statement describing your background, educational goals, participation in the parish, and how you will benefit from the scholarship.
3. A copy of your diploma verifying your H.S. graduation or GED equivalency certificate, as well as a copy of your school letter of acceptance, must be included.
4. At least one letter of recommendation.
5. Submission of the completed application form by July 1, 2017.

Lector Training Workshop

Our Lectors, as well as other parishioners who are interested in serving in the Ministry of the Word, are invited to attend a Lector Training Workshop presented by Louis Lebherz on Tuesday, May 30, at 7:00 pm, in the Church.

Our Liturgical Ministries

We continue to be in need of Lectors, Ministers of the Eucharist, Ministers of Hospitality (Ushers), Choir Members, Altar Servers/Acolytes (children, youth, or young adults) to serve in our Masses.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

The gift of a Marriage Encounter Weekend is a very blessed and beautiful way to nourish and strengthen the gift of the Sacrament of Matrimony. For more information call Mary Jo and Rich Castello, at 831-200-3780 or register online at centralcawwme.org.

“He who died in place of us is the one object of my quest. He who rose for our sakes is my one desire.” —St. Ignatius of Loyola

Meeting Mary in Scripture

In honor of Mary during this month of May, the very informative pamphlet *“Meeting Mary in Scripture”* is available near the doors of the church.



Communion for the Sick and Homebound

Please contact the Parish Office if you have a family member who would like to receive regularly the Holy Eucharist.

Second Collection - This Sunday - May 21

There will be a special Second Collection for:

**The Basilica of the National Shrine
of the Immaculate Conception**

Offertory Report 5/14/2017

Plate collection: \$3,017; 2nd collection: \$484; Hope's Pantry: \$55; Building Fund: \$65; other: \$557. Total deposit: \$4,178.

Mass Intentions May 20-26, 2017



Sat., 4:30 pm	+Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore Margaret Palmini
Sun., 9:00 am	+Mills McBride +Elvira von Soosten
Sun., 11:15 am	+Lorena Merino O'Neil and Ortman Families
Sun., 5:00 pm	+Jose Maria Fernandez Valdez Rosa and Graciela Ramirez
Wed., 7:00 am	+Peter O'Reilly
Thurs., 7:00 am	Jack Kelly Hertlein
Fri., 7:00 am	+Agustín Garcia Valdez

ANUNCIOS ESPECIALES

Misa en Español - Cada domingo a las 5:00 pm.

Bautismos, Bodas, Quinceañeras - Favor de hablar con P. Dennis.

Confesiones - Cada sábado a las 3:30 pm y por cita.

Músicos - Si toca guitarra u otro instrumento, favor de participar y servir en nuestro coro. Los ensayos son cada viernes a las 7:30 pm.

Intenciones especiales de la Misa de 5:00 pm - Favor de visitar la oficina entre semana.

Las Primeras Comuniones - Cinco niños de nuestra comunidad recibieron su Primera Comunión el sábado, 20 de mayo. Vamos a recordarles en nuestras oraciones: **Ángela Cárdenas, Lisett García, Alan Martínez, Michael Martínez, y Richard Robles**. Hoy **Ava Maxon y Matthew Maxon** recibieron el Sacramento. ¡Felicidades a los niños y a sus padres y padrinos!

Youth Corner

Jesus tells us today: “If you love me, you will keep my commandments.” Jesus loves us so much that He promises to live in us. He strengthens us to live in His love and tells us that He will ALWAYS be with us. We don't do anything by ourselves. Jesus will always dwell within us. He will never abandon or forget us. His love is so great. We show our love for Him by trusting and believing in His presence and by loving and caring for others. It's that easy!

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parishioner

PATRICK NORRIS
Realtor

Office: 831.624.2300
Cell: 831.737.8582
CalBRE#: 01961932



Patrick@MontereyCoastRealty.com

MONTEREY COAST REALTY
PatrickNorrisRealEstate.com



MID COAST INVESTMENTS
Real Estate Sales and Leasing

Darryl Kenyon

BRE# 01476469

831-320-3118

darrylkenyon5@gmail.com
www.darrylkenyon.com

GARDENER RANCH

Wedding Weekends
& Corporate Events
831.298.7360

Admin@GardenerRanch.com
www.GardenerRanch.com

Holman Ranch

Events | Vineyards | Stables | Olive Oil

831-659-2640

19 E. Carmel Valley Road
info@holmanranch.com
www.holmanranch.com

Finding You Beautiful Places to Live!
Excellence, Trust, Service



LORI JAKUBOWSKI

Parishioner
831.747.7618

lorij246@gmail.com
CalBRE# 01844368



A California Olive Oil & Vinegar Tasting Room

3 Pilot Rd, Carmel Valley
Steve & Elise Brabeck, *Parishioners*
Thurs-Mon 11AM-5PM
831-659-4288

www.quailandolive.com



Pacific Coast CATERING
A.B. Introcaso - Owner
SPECIALIZING IN WEDDINGS, HORS D'OEUVRES, BUFFETS & BBQ'S
831.625.CHEF (2433)
Carmel, CA

RENTAL DEPOT
For the Contractor & Do-It-Yourselfer

Eric Sauhnier, Parishioner
2200 Del Monte Ave.
Monterey
www.rentaldepotca.com

831.642.9118 831.601.0181



MaryNina Hill

Assistant Manager

390 Lighthouse Ave. • PO Box 282
Pacific Grove, CA 93950



(831) 375-4191

hill@DignityMemorial.com

www.thepaulmortuary.com

Carmel Capital Management LLC

Customized and Effective
Wealth and Investment Management
Let us help you plan the cycle of your wealth.
Accumulate, Preserve and Distribute
To match your cycle of life.
West D. Whittaker CFA, Parishioner
831.625.1375

ROBERTS DOUGLAS HOMES & GARDENS

Specializing in property preservation, native landscaping, lighting & water management
Diane Douglas, Parishioner
831-595-4881
rdhg@att.net

JUNIPERO'S SERRA SCHOOL
3090 Rio Road Carmel, CA 93923
(831) 624-8322
www.juniperoserra.org

AFFORDABLE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE
PreK through 8th Grade
Awarded Best in State and Best in Western region, Verizon Innovative App Challenge (1/2016)
Now accepting requests for tours and applications for 2016 - 2017
Call 831-624-8322
Come join our Family!

ADVERTISE WITH US!!!
Annual ad 1.4" x 2.5"
for \$360 or
\$180 for 6 months

ASHLEY Furniture HomeStore

Peter Powell, Sales Associate
1688 N. Main Street, Salinas
831.444.8930
www.ashleyhomestore.com



Law Offices Stewart, Green & McGowan

ANNE D. MCGOWAN, Attorney at Law
26415 Carmel Rancho Blvd. Suite A, Carmel
831.624.6473

Certified Specialist, Estate Planning, Wills, Trusts and Probate Law, Senior Citizen Discounts
admcmgowan@aol.com / *Parishioner*

ADVERTISE WITH US!!!

Annual ad 2.8" x 2.5"
for \$500 or
\$250 for 6 months
831-659-2224

olmc@ourladycarmelvalley.org

ADS = SALE

PLACE YOUR AD HERE



Consider the Wisdom of Pre-Planning
SAN CARLOS CATHOLIC CEMETERY
792 Fremont Blvd., Monterey
831.372.0327

For information, no obligation, contact Tim Bennett, Manager



Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Catholic Church

9 El Caminito Road, Carmel Valley, CA 93924 • Phone (831) 659-2224
www.ourladycarmelvalley.org • Email: olmc@ourladycarmelvalley.org

Pastor: Father Dennis Gallo

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 9 am & 11:15 am
Spanish Mass: Sunday at 5 pm
Weekday Masses:
Wednesday through Friday 7 am

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 pm and by appointment

Office Hours

Wednesday through Friday
10 am – 12 pm; 2 – 4 pm

Ministries / Contacts

Pastoral Council:	Jeff Hawkins, Chair, Patrick Dowd, Vice Chair, Lori Jakubowski, Secretary, Tess Arthur, Alondra Klemek, Adele Margolis, María Ortiz, José Resendiz, DeDe Woodhead,
Finance Council:	Joe Hertlein, Chair, Rafael Maldonado, Vice Chair, John Finn, Secretary, Diane Douglas, Pat Ryan, Steve Zalan
Faith Formation:	First Communion Year 1 and 2: Margaret Lopez Confirmation Year 1: Patricia Gray Confirmation Year 2: Teresa Brunson, Christina Haupt, Lori Jakubowski RCIA / Becoming Catholic: John Condon, John O'Keefe
Hope's Pantry:	Lydia Newton • Wednesday 10 am–12 noon
Hope's Boutique:	Deborah Kimes • Wednesday 10 am–12 noon
Manna Ministry:	Joni Zabala • joni@thegrid.net
Music Ministry:	Larry Carolan (4:30 pm & 9 am Mass) Louis Lebherz, Director, Barney Hulse, Piano (11:15 am Mass)
Lectors:	DeDe Woodhead
Ministers of the Eucharist:	Lorraine Ring
Liturgical Environment:	Gail Quinnan • gquinnan@gmail.com
Coffee & Donuts:	Rosemary Ellis • jeroellis@aol.com
Accounting:	Rebecca Bayless
Kitchen & Hall:	A.B. Introcaso
Facilities & Webmaster:	John Finn • netadmin@ourladycarmelvalley.org

Parish Registration Form / Update Status

Thank you for joining this loving and joy-filled community of faith!

Is this a new address? Yes No

Name _____

Address _____

Email _____ Phone _____

New parishioner Need Donation Number Moving/Please remove

You may also register through our website: www.ourladycarmelvalley.org.