

The Transfiguration of the Lord

August 6, 2017



First Reading: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14; Responsorial Psalm 97:1-2, 5-6, 9

Second Reading: 2 Peter 1:16-19; Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

“This is my beloved Son...listen to him.”

On that mountain the disciples received much more than they expected. They had a glimpse into how special Jesus was. They heard the strong, yet loving voice of the Father guiding them: “This is my beloved Son...listen to him.” Let’s remember that just prior to today’s passage, Jesus predicted the suffering and death that awaited him in Jerusalem. The apostles were told that if they wished to be his disciples they must take up their cross and follow him. We might take a moment to ask, “What cross am I asked to take up, or continue to carry, in the name of Jesus?” He reaches out to us—as he did Peter, James, and John—and touches us, saying, “Rise, and do not be afraid.” Following the Lord, we, too, are transfigured!

Why Catholic?

This fall, our parish will be implementing a new ministry called Why Catholic. Why Catholic is a series of six week sessions, in the fall and spring, designed to bring faith sharing communities together to deepen our beliefs and understanding of our Catholic faith. Our first session will be on prayer and deepening our relationship with God, and each other, through prayer.

Each faith community will have a group facilitator and will consist of 8 to 10 members who will meet weekly for six weeks, starting in early October and ending in mid November. We are looking for members of our parish, and faith community, to sign up as either participants and/or facilitators. The number of sign ups will determine how many facilitators we will need. Sign-ups will be after church, both this weekend and two weekends from now, if you are interested. On another note, if you are not comfortable being a facilitator, but would be ok hosting the group as a participant, that is an option as well. If you have any questions, please contact Tess Arthur at

tessors@hotmail.com/831-596-5170 or Alondra Klemek at lalavk@hotmail.com/831-277-1294.



Parish Site Committee Update

Our Parish Site Committee is making every effort to respond to the recommendations from the January 2017 survey. We are very grateful for the heartfelt suggestions that you offered.

Most recently we have been working with our architect, Allen Robinson, The Sienna Company, Inc., with the goal of addressing the overwhelming preference to maintain the current worship space of our beloved church, while focusing our plans on sufficient ministry and multi-purpose space, larger kitchen facilities, new bathrooms, a vestibule at the entrance of the church, and parish office and storage space.

We are pleased with the progress and look forward to presenting a more complete update and design for your input in September. Thank you for your prayerful support and participation in this important process for our parish.

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Please mark your calendars and plan ahead to join us to celebrate the very special Holy Day of the Assumption of Mary into Heaven.

Tuesday, August 15, 2017

7:00 am (Morning Mass in English)

6:00 pm (Special Bilingual Mass)

Annual Mission Cooperative Appeal Next Saturday and Sunday, August 12 and 13

This year Fr. Bill Boteler, Maryknoll Missionary, has been assigned to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel for the annual Mission Cooperative Appeal. Maryknoll's mission is to witness God's Word among the peoples and cultures of foreign lands. Maryknollers share the Gospel not in words alone but in practical and concrete actions: by feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, giving shelter to the homeless...(Mt. 25).

Bereavement Ministry

An outreach to our parishioners who have lost a loved one.

Interested in helping?

Call or email Trudy Dowd

(831) 915-4619 or trudydowd@comcast.net.

"Blessed are those who mourn for they shall be comforted." Matthew 5:4



Parish Faith Formation—Catechists Needed



We are now planning for our 2017-2018 Faith Formation Classes for children, youth, and adults of our Parish. We are in the need of additional Catechists. Please consider sharing your faith by serving our Lord and OLMC as a Catechist. Training will be offered. Please contact Fr. Dennis.

Retrouvaille Weekend

The next Retrouvaille weekend for couples experiencing difficulty in their marriage will take place Sept. 22-24. For more information about, or to register for the weekend call 831-479-1260 or email: Monterey@RetroCA.com or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

2nd Collection—Next Sat. & Sun., Aug. 12 & 13

Annual Mission Cooperative Appeal

Offertory Report 7/30/2017

Plate collection: \$1,990; 2nd Collection for the Grounds & Maintenance: \$602; Donations: \$365; Bulletin Ads: \$500; Other: \$123. Total Deposit: \$3,580.

Mass Intentions Aug. 5-11, 2017



Sat., 4:30 pm	+Don and Lori Swiess Tom and Kitsie Larkin-50th Anniv.
Sun., 9:00 am	Families of the Parish
Sun., 11:15 am	+Bernard Corpuz
Sun., 5:00 pm	+Adelfo Resendiz +Refugio Vazquez Cardenas
Wed., 7:00 am	+Roman Sois and +Pilar Paredes
Thurs., 7:00 am	Sick of the Parish
Fri., 7:00 am	Children and Youth of the Parish

NOTICIAS ESPECIALES

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

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

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

Músicos - Si toca guitarra u otro instrumento, favor de participar en nuestro coro. Los ensayos son a las 4:15 pm antes de la Misa Dominical.

Catequistas - ¡Favor de servir como Catequista!
¡Hay necesidad especial en Español!

Registro Parroquial- ¡Favor de llenar la forma!

¿POR QUE SER CATOLICO?

Empezando en octubre, nuestra parroquia participará en el proceso especial para profundizar y vivir la alegría de nuestra fe Católica que se llama ¿Por Qué Ser Católico? ¡Las 6 semanas dos veces por año nos ofrecerán la oportunidad de crecer individualmente, juntos como pequeñas comunidades y como comunidad parroquial!



Ministerio de Duelo - Para extendernos a nuestros parroquianos que han perdido un ser querido. ¿Tiene interés en ayudar? Favor de llamar o enviar un correo electrónico a Trudy Dowd (831) 915-4619 o trudydowd@comcast.net

Youth Corner

Transfiguration means change! Just as Jesus was changed before the disciples' eyes, we too are meant to be changed—transfigured by God's love! Jesus tells us: "Rise, and do not be afraid." May His love change us forever!

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parishioner

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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

9 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
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Parish Registration Form / Update Status

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

Is this a new address? Yes No

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