Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 8, 2018



Weekday Readings July 9-13, 2018 Mon: Hosea 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22; Mt 9:18-26 Tues: Hosea 8:4-7, 11-13; Mt 9:32-38 Wed: Hosea 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Mt 10:1-7 Thurs: Hosea 11:1-4, 8e-9; Mt 10:7-15 Fri: Hosea 14:2-10; Mt 10:16-23

First Reading: Ezekiel 2:2-5; Psalm 123:1-2, 2, 3-4; Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 12:7-10; Gospel: Mark 6:1-6

"My grace is sufficient for you..."

Martyred Archbishop Oscar Arnulfo Romero of El Salvador, a prophetic voice of the Church, will be canonized by Pope Francis on October 14, 2018. In his writings, Archbishop Romero tells us: "Wherever there is someone who has been baptized, that is where the church is. There is a prophet there. Let us not hide the talent that God gave us on the day of our baptism and let us truly live the beauty and responsibility of being a prophetic people." Our readings this Sunday remind us of our prophetic mission. Prophets are often asked to carry an unpopular message from God to a hardhearted people.

The love of the Father spoke to the Heart of Jesus. He acted with God's compassion and justice, aware that speaking on behalf of the poor would be unacceptable to the powerful. Therefore, he told Paul, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." With Paul, may we respond, "Therefore, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and constraints, for the sake of Christ; for when I am weak, then I am strong."

Bishop Richard Garcia - Update

Bishop Garcia continues to receive care. He is stable and recently has made small strides of improvement. The Bishop and his family are really enjoying all the cards and letters students and others have sent him. They are much appreciated.

At this time, Bishop Garcia is still not accepting visitors. However, our prayers, interceding for him, are encouraged and most welcome. Let us lift him and all those who are in need of healing up to God, our source of mercy and compassion.

Human Trafficking—Day of Action

Thursday, July 12, has been designated by the County D.A.'s Office as a special Day of Action to do what is possible to stop human trafficking.

Parishioners interested in registering and participating in the Day of Action are asked to contact Lonni Trykowski at: lonnit@me.com.

There will be a training for the Day of Action that will take place at 9:30 am at the Salinas/Monterey Courthouse. The action on behalf of victims of human trafficking will follow from 10:30 am to 12:00 Noon. Please feel free to view: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e64DlaZBJ04.

Feast Day of Blessed Mother, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel - Next Sunday!

Join us for our special celebration of the Feast Day of our Parish, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, on **Sunday**, **July 15**, following a special bilingual 11:15 am Mass!



The celebration will include BBQ chicken and a potluck meal at **12:30 pm** in the Parish Hall and terrace. The festivities will include music and games for the children. Please plan ahead and mark your calendars to join us for this very special parish celebration! It will not be a fundraiser, but rather a blessed opportunity to gather as a parish



family to share a delicious meal and the joy of our life in Christ with our Blessed Mother, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel!

Are You New to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel?

Welcome! We are happy that you are with us! You to invited to complete a parish registration form so that we can get to know you better and do all that we can to serve you. Forms are available near the main entrance of the church.

Congratulations to the Recipients of our 2018 Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Scholarship

We are pleased to be able award four \$1,000 scholarships this year to the following youth of our parish:

Diego Cabrera—Diego is a graduate of Carmel High School and will be attending Sonoma State University.

Maria Carolina Martinez-Blanco—Maria is a graduate of Carmel High School and will be attending Monterey Peninsula College.

Allen Perez Palma—Allen is a graduate of Monterey High School and will be attending Monterey Peninsula College.

West Whittaker—West is a graduate of Carmel High School and will be attending U.C. Berkeley.

We congratulate Diego, Maria, Allen and West for their dedication to further their education and promise to remember them and all the students and recent graduates of our parish in our prayers.

Faith Formation Classes and Registration

Registration for our first year classes for the Sacraments of the Eucharist (First Communion) and Reconciliation (Confessions) are taking place. Registration forms are available in the parish office during the week or by speaking with Fr. Dennis following Mass. Children must be at least in the 2nd grade, attend the 9:00 am Sunday Mass, and the class that follows.

Registration is also taking place for the **Sacrament** of **Confirmation** for High School students. There will also be **Classes for adults who are baptized** and would like to prepare for other Sacraments of the Church. Preparation for the **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)**, for those adults who are interested in being baptized as members of our Catholic Church. For more information speak with Fr. Dennis by visiting or calling the office at 659-2224.

This Sunday - 2nd Collection - July 6-7

Peter's Pence—Works of Pope Francis

Offertory Report - July 1, 2018

Offertory \$2,760; Bldg. Fund \$135; Other \$146; Total \$3,041.

Mass Intentions July 7-13, 2018

Sat	4:30 pm	Bishop Richard Garcia - Health
Sun	9:00 am	Children and Youth of the Parish
Sun	11:15 am	Sick and Homebound of the Parish
	5:00 pm	+Josefina Espinola - 1 año
Wed	7:00 am	Sick and Homebound of the Parish
Thu	7:00 am	+Ines Fiorio
Fri	7:00 am	Families of the Parish

ANUNCIOS ESPECIALES

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

Bautismos, Bodas, Presentaciones, Quinceañeras: Favor de hablar con Padre Dennis - 831-659-2224.

Confesiones: Los sábados a las 3:30 pm y por cita.

Coro: Todos los músicos están invitados al ensayo cada domingo antes de la Misa a las 4:15 pm.

Fiesta Parroquial de Nuestra Madre, Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo:



El próximo domingo, 15 de julio, después de la Misa de misa especial bilingüe a las 11:15 am. Habrá Pollo asado y cena de traje para convivir y celebrar nuestro día santo patronal como parroquia. ¡Juegos para los niños!

No habrá Misa de 5:00 pm el domingo próximo por razón de la Misa Bilingüe a las 11:15 am.



Registración de los niños para la Primera

<u>Comunión</u>: Las clases para el primer año será cada domingo después de la Misa de 9:00 am. Favor de hablar con el P. Dennis para inscribirse.

El Obispo García continua recibiendo cuidados médicos. Su condición es estable y recientemente ha logrado pequeños avances de mejorar. En este momento, el Obispo todavía no está aceptando visitantes. Sin embargo, nuestras oraciones, intercediendo por él, son ciertamente alentadas y bienvenidas. Levantémoslo a él y a todas las personas que necesitan ser sanadas por Dios, quien es nuestra fuente de misericordia y compasión.

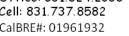
Youth Corner (Mark 6:1-6)

Prophets speak and act for God in the service of God's people—especially the poor and rejected. We are all called by God to do what is right and just to act with nonviolence to help and protect others.

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Saturday: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 9 am, 11:15 am, 5 pm (Spanish)

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

Pastoral Council:

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