Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 5, 2018



Weekday Readings
Aug. 6-10, 2018
Mon: Dan 7:9-10, 13-14;
Mc 9:2-10
Tues: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15,
18-22; Mt 14:22-36
Wed: Jer 31:1-7;
Mt 15:21-28
Thurs: Jer 31:31-34;
Mt 16:13-23;

Fri: 2 Cor 9:6-10;

John 12:24-26

First Reading: Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15; Psalm 78:3-4, 23-25, 25, 54; Second Reading: Ephesians 4:17, 20-24; Gospel: John 6:24-35

"I am the bread of life..."

"Whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst," Jesus tells us. We are reminded this Sunday that our Lord is the Bread of Life. He offers us his very life as we gather in faith, hope and love. "My Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." It is the life of Jesus that sustains and strengthens us for our journey of faith.

Paul in his letter to the Ephesians urges us to embrace a new life. We have been created, as he tells us, to live in holiness so to reveal what is right and just in relationship to God and neighbor. Jesus is the food and life-blood of God and is given to us daily in the Word, in the Eucharist—bread and wine that becomes for us his very body and blood,—and in community, in sacrifice and service as faithful disciples. We no longer live as the world lives, but as God lives and acts through us. He gave his first disciples and he gives us "bread from heaven to eat," the life source that engages and empowers us with love.

Faith Formation Classes and Registration

Registration for our first year classes for the Sacraments of the Eucharist (First Communion) and Reconciliation 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 am Sunday Mass, and attend 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 Eucharist, Reconciliation and Confirmation. Preparation for the **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)** is for those adults who are would like to be baptized as members of our Catholic Church. For more information speak with Fr. Dennis by visiting or calling the office at 659-2224.

Catechists Needed

"The Church needs you. Your enthusiasm. Your creativity and the joy that is so characteristic of you."—Pope Francis Our classes follow the 9:00 am and 11:15 am Masses. If you are available to serve, please speak with Fr. Dennis. Thank you!

Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese Named

The Apostolic Nuncio, Archbishop Christophe Pierre has informed us that the **Most Reverend Gerald E. Wilkerson**, Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus of Los Angeles, has been appointed Apostolic Administrator "sede vacante" of the Diocese of Monterey. You will notice Bishop Gerald's name in the Eucharistic Prayer until a new Bishop is named for our Diocese.

Parish Building Project Update

Planning for our new restrooms, ADA requirements, kitchen and parish center to meet the diverse ministry needs of our parish continues to move forward! A floor plan has been accepted by our Site Committee and our architect is now developing the next level of detail.

Our Capital Campaign Committee is working to establish a financial plan to support the project. As a first step in the financial plan, Our Sunday Visitor, a Catholic non-profit organization, will conduct a Feasibility Study beginning in September to evaluate our ability to support this transformative project for our Parish. More details will be forthcoming. Please remember this special process in prayer.

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

We will celebrate two special Holy Day Masses in honor of our Blessed Mother's Assumption into Heaven, **Wednesday, August 15:**

7:00 am—English

6:00 pm—Spanish



"Never be afraid of loving the Blessed Virgin too much. You can never love her more than Jesus did."—Saint Maximilian Kolbe

Book Sale and Signing - Sat. and Sun. Aug. 18-19

Following our Masses, our parishioner, Tom Lukes will be selling and signing his book, *God Incidents—* 31 True Stories of God Working in the Lives of Catholics.

Bishop Garcia wrote the introduction. The story-tellers include: Fr. Mike Miller, Fr. Thomas Hall, Suzanne Stewart, Kathy Hicks and many others. Based on true stories as told to the author, *God Incidents* shows God's love for us. From the intervention of an angel to visions of Jesus, this book will inspire and strengthen your faith.

All proceeds will go to support our parish faith formation program here at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Couples are invited participate in a Marriage Encounter Weekend to nourish your marriage. For information visit online at centralcawwme.org.

Welcome to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel!

If you are new to our Parish we are very happy to have you with us! Please complete a parish registration form so that we can get to know you better and serve you. The forms are available near the main entrance of the church and on the front page of our weekly bulletin. Thank you.

Second Collection - August 18-19

Parish Grounds and Building Maintenance

Weekly Offertory Report - July 29, 2018

Offertory **\$2,146**; 2nd Collection for Hope's Pantry/ Social Outreach Ministry \$860; Bldg. Fund \$35; Other \$263; Total \$3,304.

Mass Intentions August 4-10, 2018

Sat	4:30 pm	+Bishop Richard Garcia		
Sun	9:00 am	+Brian Hughes and Firefighters		
Sun	11:15 am	+Kathryn Murphy		
Sun	5:00 pm	Los Niños y Jóvenes de la Parroquia		
Wed	7:00 am	Sick and Homebound of the Parish		
Thu	7:00 am	Children and youth of the Parish		
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.

Registración de los niños para la Primera Comunión: Las clases para el primer año será cada domingo después de la Misa de 9:00 am.



Registración de los jóvenes de la escuela secundaria para la Confirmación:

Favor de hablar con P. Dennis para inscribirse.

Registración de los adultos para las clases de preparación para los Sacramentos:

Favor de hablar con P. Dennis.



"En la Iglesia, todos tenemos la responsabilidad de santificarnos cuidando de los demás." —Papa Francisco

Día Santo en Honor de la Asunción de la Virgen María

Miércoles, 15 de agosto

Misas Especiales: 7:00 am—Ingles 6:00 pm—Español

¡Acompáñenos!



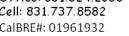
Youth Corner (John 6:24-35)

What are we hungry for? May our hunger go beyond that of food and reflect our spiritual hunger for our Lord. May the Eucharist that we receive at the table of heaven and earth nourish and sustain us for a life of discipleship as we hunger and serve for the fullness of God's Reign of love, justice, and peace. "I am the bread of life," Jesus promises us!

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parishioner

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:30 pm

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

Weekday Masses:

Wednesday through Friday 7 am

Reconciliation Saturday 3:30

Saturday 3:30 pm and by appointment

Office Hours

Wednesday through Friday 9 am – 12 pm; 2 – 4 pm

Pastoral Council:

Jeff Hawkins, *Chair*, Lori Jakubowski, *Secretary*, Tess Arthur, Concepción Jara, Alondra Klemek, Adele Margolis, Dede Woodhead

Faith Formation:

First Communion Year 1:

Christian Haun, Patricia Merrifield

First Communion Year 2:

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Larry Carolan (4:30 pm & 9 am Mass)
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