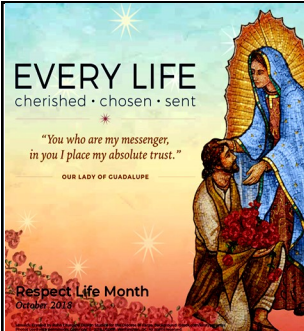


Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 7, 2018



DAILY GOSPEL READINGS

October 8-12, 2018

Mon: Luke 10:25-37

Tues: Luke 10:38-42

Wed: Luke 11:1-4

Thurs: Luke 11:5-13

Fri: Luke 11:27-28

First Reading: Genesis 2:18-24; Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6;

Second Reading: Hebrews 2:8-11; Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

“Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent” — Timothy Cardinal Dolan

The month of October is annually observed by the Catholic Church as Respect Life Month. We are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning of life to its end, and at every point in between.

Yet this year, as we remember Respect Life Sunday, our hearts are heavy with revelations of how those who should be most trustworthy have not only failed in this regard but have inflicted immense evil. As USCCB President Cardinal Daniel DiNardo expressed, “the Body of Christ is lacerated.”

At such a time as this, we become more aware of the need for messengers of God’s love and instruments of His healing. We recognize again, with renewed urgency, our personal call to help others encounter God’s transforming, life-giving love and to defend the sanctity of every person’s life, at every stage and in every circumstance.

This year’s Respect Life theme is “Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent,” highlights our call to build a culture of life as missionary disciples. I humbly invite you to read and reflect on it this month (www.usccb.org/respect-life-reflection). We are called and sent to be messengers of God’s love, treating one another as cherished and chosen by Him. In doing so, we help build a culture that respects all human life. The Body of Christ needs you. The world needs you.

Feasibility Study—Survey Sunday Next Week

Dear Parishioners,

Next Sunday will be Survey Sunday for our Feasibility Study. I hope that those of you who are registered parishioners have now received a brochure and survey in the mail. Copies will also be available next weekend in our Masses.

Your participation in the important study will provide us with necessary information to make a wise decision on our ability to proceed with a Capital Campaign and at what level.

As you are aware, this has been an extremely long process of prayer, study and discernment over the past years. Please take a few moments following Mass this weekend to look over the floorplan and rendering of the proposed project. Parishioners on our committee for this process will be available to answer questions that you might have.

Thank you for your commitment to Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

Sincerely yours in Christ, Fr. Dennis

Estudio de Factibilidad—Domingo de la Encuesta

Queridos Feligreses,

El domingo próximo será el Domingo de la Encuesta. Espero que todos Uds. que son parroquianos registrados han recibido un folleto y encuesta en el correo. Copias serán disponibles también en las misas el domingo que viene.

Su participación es sumamente importante y nos ofrecerá información para hacer una sabia decisión sobre nuestra capacidad de seguir adelante con la campaña y en que nivel.

Como saben, este proceso ha sido muy largo con oración, estudio y discernimiento sobre varios años. Por favor, tomen algunos momentos después de la Misa este domingo para revisar los planes y diseño del proyecto. Parroquianos coordinando el proceso estarán disponibles para responder a sus preguntas.

Gracias por su compromiso a nuestra Parroquia de Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo.

Atentamente en Cristo,
P. Dennis

10th Annual Central Coast Walk for Life

The special event in honor of Bishop Richard Garcia who began the Walk for Life 10 years ago, will take place on **Saturday, October 20**, at the Mission Plaza in San Luis Obispo. The event will begin with a special rally at 10:30 am followed by the Walk for Life at 11:30 am. For more information: www.walk4lifecc.org.

West Coast Regional Social Justice Symposium

Preferential Option for the Poor: Moving Beyond Charity and Towards Social Justice in the Local and Global Church: **Thursday, Nov. 29, 9 am - 5 pm.**

Goals: Engage parishioners around building greater awareness to both local and global social justice issues; Provide practical and effective tools to apply Catholic Social Teachings to our ministry; and Identify the ways parishes can move from charity to social justice ministry in their local communities.

Register at www.scffc.org or 408-983-0124.

Celebrate the Canonization of Archbishop Oscar Romero on Sunday, October 14

The special event will take place from **4 to 6:30 pm** at Holy Cross Church in Santa Cruz. The Saint Oscar Romero Award for Justice will be awarded to the late Bishop Richard Garcia. The event will include speakers, music, award presentations, videos and slideshows, food and drink, and a kids fun zone. www.romeroinstitute.org/honoring-romero

The Word Among Us

Free copies of *The Word Among Us* are available at the main entrance of the church. The booklets include the daily readings for the month of October as well as articles and reflections for the month. Please feel free to take home a copy.

This Weekend - Second Collection - October 6-7

Annual Support for the
Diocesan Right to Life Ministry

Weekly Offertory Report Sept. 30, 2018

Offertory \$1,884; Building Fund \$385; Hope's Pantry/Social Outreach \$5; Other \$377. Total: \$2,651.

Mass Intentions Oct 6 - 12, 2018

Sat	4:30 pm	+Darlene Sterling
Sun	9:00 am	Children and Youth of the Parish
	11:15 am	Victims of the Tsunami in Indonesia
	5:00 pm	Enfermos de la Parroquia
Wed	7:00 am	Gina Marchi - Health
Thu	7:00 am	Sick and homebound of the Parish
Fri	7:00 am	+Pilar Paredes y +Ramon Selis

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 de 5:00 pm, a las 4:15 pm. ¡Los esperamos!

Clases de Primera Comunión: 1 año—los domingos a las 9:00 am; 2 año—los domingos a las 4:00 pm.

La Palabra Entre Nosotros — Devocionario

Católico de Hoy: Está disponible gratis para el mes de octubre, a la entrada de la iglesia.



“Cada vida: atesorada, escogida, enviada”

Mes Respetemos la Vida—Octubre de 2018

Somos llamados a atesorar, defender y proteger a las personas mas indefensas, desde el principio de la vida hasta el final, y en todas las etapas entre medio. www.usccb.org/respect-life-reflection

Youth Corner (Mark 10:2-16)

The sacredness of the Sacrament of Matrimony is a special sign of God's faithful love. Children and youth, too, are signs and reminders of God's gentle and tender heart. Our readings this week beautifully call us to live our lives in sacred and holy relationship with others. We do so by respecting and embracing all life and each and every person!

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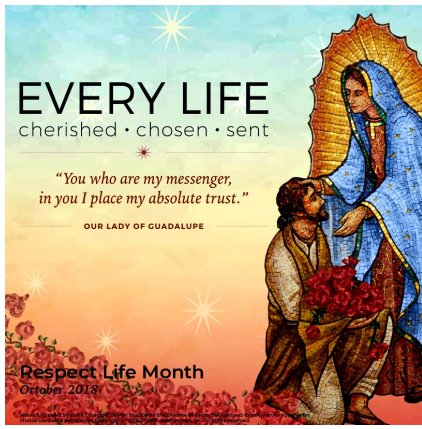
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Sunday: 9 am, 11:15 am, 5 pm (Spanish)

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

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