

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 27, 2019



DAILY GOSPEL READINGS

Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 2019

Mon: Luke 6:12-16

Tues: Luke 13:18-21

Wed: Luke 13:22-30

Thurs: Luke 13:31-35

Fri: Matthew 5:1-12a

First Reading: Sirach 35:15-17, 20-22; Psalm 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23
Second Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18, 20-22; **Gospel:** Luke 18:9-14

“The prayer of the lowly pierces the clouds.”— Sirach 35:21

Luke’s gospel offers us the very meaningful parable of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector. We experience the prayer of a very proud and righteous Pharisee—a religious leader who arrogantly sees the sins of others while denying his own need for God’s mercy. On the other hand we are gifted with the surprising example of a Tax Collector, a despised member of society. The man timidly approaches God with a humble heart. He clearly recognizes his sinfulness and sincere need for God’s mercy and forgiveness. It has been said, “while pride is the root of much sin, humility is the soil in which a life of virtue can grow.”

Let’s ask ourselves: Who am I before God? Do I fail to see my own need for God’s mercy, while at the same time acknowledge the sins of others? Do I close myself off from God’s saving mercy and grace? Let’s never forget Jesus’ words, “For whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted.”

Maintaining God’s House Update

We’re happy that our building project is moving forward and is now in the Design Review Process. Access issues for restrooms, as well as ramps, kitchen and other aspects of the project are being looked at carefully. We will keep you up to date.

Our Campaign has now received pledges from 96 generous parishioners totaling \$673,231. We hope to have as many of our parishioners as possible participate. Every donation counts. Please remember to identify any Capital Campaign pledge checks or envelopes. Thank you for your loving commitment to OLMC and our renovation project.

Respect Life Month

From the time we are knit together in our mother’s wombs until we take our final breaths, each moment of our lives is a gift from God. Today the gift of life is threatened in countless ways. Those who are most vulnerable, rather than receiving the protection they deserve, are all too often seen as a burden and as expendable. Visit: respectlifeprogram.org/reflection. Learn more about upholding the sanctity of every human life respectlifeprogram.org/respect-life-month.

Our Special Holy Days — November 1 and 2



All Saints Day

Friday, Nov. 1

Masses at 7:00 am and 12 Noon

Please join us for one of our special Masses in honor of the Saints in Heaven! Those who have gone before us guide us through their example of holiness as faithful followers of the Lord of Life. We remember the witness of the blessed loves on this Holy Day. As Psalm 24 tells us: **“Lord, this is the people that longs to see your face!”**

All Souls Day

Saturday, Nov. 2

Friday Vigil in Spanish at 6:30 pm

Saturday Morning Mass at 9:00 am



All Souls Day is a special day to remember our loved ones who have died. We entrust their souls to our gracious, loving God of Life Eternal. As Paul tells us, we live with confidence in the “hope of sharing the glory of God” Romans 5:2.



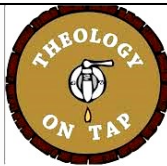
Please bring your photos, names, prayers for loved ones who have died. Flowers or any other offering of remembrance to our Altar of the Deceased are also welcome.

Civilize It: Dignity Beyond the Debate

Next Sunday, November 3, the United States Catholic Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) will launch a year-long campaign inviting Catholics to model civility and love for neighbor throughout this election year. **Civilize It: Dignity Beyond the Debate** will ask Catholics to pledge civility, clarity, and compassion in their families, communities, and parishes, and call on others to do so as well. Built on the recognition that every person—even those with whom we disagree—is a beloved child of God who possesses inherent dignity, the campaign will offer materials and ideas to help Catholics and others of good will to engage in and model respect and compassion. It is being offered in concert with a wider ecumenical effort, Golden Rule 2020, which invites all Christians to model our shared values of dignity and civility and pursue dialogue instead of division. More information is available at CivilizeIt.org.

Diocesan Theology on Tap

“Respect for Life: A Seamless Garment” is the theme this month in honor of Respect Life Month. The presentation will be given by Deacon Patrick Conway. God calls us to a reverential respect for all human life, which is to say, a respect for the lives of all human beings. You are invited to explore the breath and depth of this call. All are welcome on **Wed., Oct. 30, 6:30 pm**, London Bridge Pub, 256 Figueroa Street (at the foot of Wharf 2), Monterey.



Carmel Valley Manor Mass

Our monthly Mass for CVM residents will be this Thursday, Oct. 31, in the Hillcrest Library.

Welcome to Our Lady of Mount Carmel!

If you are a new parishioner or have never registered, please do so by completing the yellow form available at the main entrance of the church.

Second Collection - This Sunday, October 27

World Mission Sunday

Weekly Offertory Report

10/20/2019 - Offertory \$1,441; Grounds & Bldg. Maintenance \$425; Other \$343; Total \$2,209.

Mass Intentions Oct. 26-Nov. 2, 2019

Sat	4:30 pm	+Rose Marie Bayless Steve & Susan Crowell - 50th Anniv.
Sun	9:00 am	+Francisco Rivera +Emma Lara +Lucila Martinez
	11:15 am	+Edith Davis
Wed	7:00 am	+Teresa Schruben
Thu	7:00 am	Sick and Homebound of the Parish
Fri	7:00 am	All Saints - Deceased of the Parish
	12:00 pm	All Saints - Deceased of the Parish
	6:30 pm	Todos los Fieles Difuntos - Fallecidos
Sat	9:00 am	All Souls Day - Deceased of the Parish



ANUNCIOS ESPECIALES DE LA SEMANA

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

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

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

Coro: Todos están invitados a participar. El ensayo es cada domingo antes de la Misa de 5 pm a las 4:15 pm

Mes de Respetemos la Vida

30 Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Sirácide 35:15-17, 20-22; Sal. 33; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18
Evangelio de San Lucas 18:9-14

Misas Especiales de Todos los Santos

Viernes, 1 de noviembre a las 7 am y 12 Mediodía

Misa de Todos los Fieles Difuntos en Español

Viernes, 1 de noviembre a las 6:30 pm

Recordamos con amor y fe nuestros queridos difuntos con la Misa especial. Tendremos nuestro altar para incluir los fotos, nombres, flores y otros recuerdos de su vida. Esperamos que todos participen

Encuentro Matrimonial - El próximo fin de semana del Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial se llevará a cabo los días del 15, 16 y 17 de nov. Por favor, llamen al 402-9003 / 917-8342.



Youth Corner (Luke 18:9-14)

We often prefer to be independent. The reality though is that we need others, and especially God. We are called to live humbly and trust in God's mercy to accompany and guide us each and every day.

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Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Catholic Church

Our Lady of Mount Carmel is a warm and welcoming Catholic Community that serves the Gospel with deep faith, hope and love as a living and Spirit-filled witness to the Heart of Jesus present and alive in Carmel Valley.

Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo es una cálida y acogedora comunidad Católica que sirve el Evangelio con profunda fe, esperanza y amor como testigo vivo y lleno del Espíritu del Corazón de Jesús presente y vivo en el Valle del Carmel.

Pastor: Father Dennis Gallo

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:30 pm

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

Weekday Masses: Wednesday through Friday, 7 am;
First Friday of each month, 12 noon

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 pm and by appointment

Office Hours

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

Parish Ministries

Pastoral Council: Adele Margolis, *Chair*,
Dede Woodhead, *Vice Chair*, Jeff Hawkins, *Secretary*,
Tess Arthur, Lori Jakubowski, Concepción Jara,
Alondra Klemek, Patricia Merrifield, Tom Rowland

Faith Formation:

First Communion:

Patricia Merrifield, Kim Hlasny

First Communion:

Clara Rivera

Confirmation: Sam Klemek, David Warner

RCIA / Adult Faith Formation: John Condon, Brian Kelly

Hope's Pantry: Lydia Newton • Wed 10 am–12 pm

Hope's Boutique: Janice Hawkins • Wed 10 am–12 pm

Manna Ministry: Joni Zabala

Homeless Hot Meal: Lori Jakubowski

Stop Human Trafficking/Social Justice: Lonni Trykowski

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Bereavement Ministry: Trudy Dowd • (831) 915-4619

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Music Ministry:

Kayleen Turner (4:30 pm Sat., 5:00 pm Sunday Mass)

Robin McKee Williams, *Director*, George Peterson,
Piano (9:00 am and 11:15 am Masses)

Lectors: Dede Woodhead

Ministers of the Eucharist: Lorraine Ring

Liturgical Environment: Gail Quinnan

