# *Thírd Sunday of Ordínary Tíme* January 26, 2020



#### DAILY GOSPEL READINGS THIS WEEK

Monday: Mark 3:22-30 Tuesday: Mark 3:31-35 Wednesday: Mark 4:1-20 Thursday: Mark 4:21-25 Friday: Mark 4:26-34 First Reading: Isaiah 8:23-9:3; Psalm 27:1, 4, 13-14; Second Reading: 1 Cor. 1:10-13, 17; Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23

# "They left their nets and followed him." — Matthew 4:20

With John the Baptist being arrested, Jesus now begins his public ministry of bringing good news of hope, healing and new life to those who live in darkness and fear. The Son of God proclaims repentance and new life, "for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." As Isaiah tells us, "The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light." And as Psalm 27 proclaims, "The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom should I fear?"

Jesus calls two brothers, Simon and Andrew—fishermen. He urges them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." Nothing holds them back. They leave their nets behind. Soon Jesus sees two more brothers, James and John, and calls them. "Immediately they left their boats and their father and followed him." They leave what is familiar. What is secure. Discipleship calls us to do the same. Fear no longer has power over us. We place our trust in the word of the Lord. He empowers us with his love to build the kingdom of joy, hope and new life! Everything changes!

## Project Update: Maintaining God's House

**1/17/20:** The set of building plans submitted to Monterey County in December are under review by six separate county departments. Our architect is communicating regularly with each department to ensure good communication and a quick response to any questions. We are still hoping to receive approval this spring.

Our Capital Campaign continues to progress with 99 pledges totaling \$632,615 through mid-January, and total donations (pledge and non-pledge) totaling \$685,891. We are grateful for all of you who are participating in the campaign. Please remember that it is not to late to make a pledge or donation. Thank you for your support for our parish.

# World Day for Consecrated Life

Did you know that there are 39 orders of Consecrated Religious throughout the Monterey Diocese? These are sisters, priests and brothers who belong to communities that serve the laity in many capacities. Remember them in your prayers during the weekend of Feb. 1 and 2.

The next Serra Club meeting is Feb. 3 at 6:00 pm in San Carlos Cathedral Hall. All are welcome!

Almighty and All Loving God,

Millions of our brothers and sisters are on the move around the world, not by choice, but by desperation. We encounter their



stories in the news and their faces in members of our own communities. We pray that we may lead the way to bring about your vision of peace and justice to all, and hope and love to those on the move near and far. For those forced to flee violence, we pray they find safety. For those seeking economic opportunity, we pray they find secure livelihoods.

For those trying to support and protect their families, we pray they find communities to embrace them. For those searching for peace and hope, we pray that we may be bearers of the Good News.

We are called to be prophetic advocates in this world. To call out injustice and be heralds of Truth and Love. We pray that all migrants, refugees and displaced persons may find safe and loving communities and the opportunity to thrive.

And we pray that we may have the courage to stand and act in defense of human dignity for all our brothers and sisters in need.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen. Mary, Queen of Peace, *pray for us.* 

https://www.crs.org/get-involved/lead-way#act

#### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Please note on your calendars Feb. 6, First Thursday of February. We will again share in the gift of prayer with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament from 7:30 am to 5:00 pm. If you are able to offer an hour in prayer, please sign up on the clipboard at the entrance of the Church. If not, feel free to stop anytime for quiet and prayerful moments with our Lord in the Most Holy Eucharist.

"Place your mind before the divine mirror of eternity! Place your soul in the brilliance of glory! Place your heart in the figure of the divine! And transform your whole being into the image of God through contemplation!" —St. Clare of Assisi

#### Lectors and Ministers of the Eucharist

The three-month schedule (February-April) is being prepared for our Lectors and Ministers of the Eucharist. We are in need of additional parishioners to serve.



If you are available once or twice a month to serve as a Lector or Minister of the Eucharist for the Mass that you attend, please speak with Fr. Dennis.

## **Altar Servers**

Children and youth of the parish are asked to please consider serving as an Altar Server. Please let Fr. Dennis know if you are interested!

## Parish Registration Form—Welcome!

New parishioners are invited to complete a yellow registration form available at the main doors of the church. We are very happy to have you with us!

## Our Parish Facebook Page - Please "Like Us"

www.facebook.com/ourladycarmelvalley/

We thank Lorraine Yglesias and Trudy Dowd for their work on our Facebook Page. You are welcome to post photos and special events to the page.

#### **2nd Collection**

**This Sunday, January 26:** To assist the Church in Latin America

## Weekly Offertory Report

**1/19/2020 - Offertory \$1,950**; Building Fund \$60; Other \$155; Total \$2,165.

#### Mass Intentions January 25-31, 2020

Sat	4:30	pm	+Isabel Sue Werber
			+Mariano and Mayita Davila
Sun	9:00	am	Intention of the Allard Family
	11:15	am	+Nicholas Souza 🛛 🚽 📻
	5:00	pm	+Juan Guillen
			+Isabel Reséndiz 🛛 🚿 🌌
			+Lucas Martinez
Wed	7:00	am	+Jill Taylor
Thur	7:00	am	+Aileen Kelly
Fri	7:00	am	+Dennis Kelly

#### **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



Isaías 8:23-9:3; Salmo 26; 1 Cor. 1:10-13, 17; Evangelio de San Mateo 4:12-23

El Evangelio nos recuerda esta semana del llamado de los primeros discípulos de Jesús. Aceptaron su vocación y dejaron atrás todo lo necesario para seguir al Señor. ¿Y nosotros?

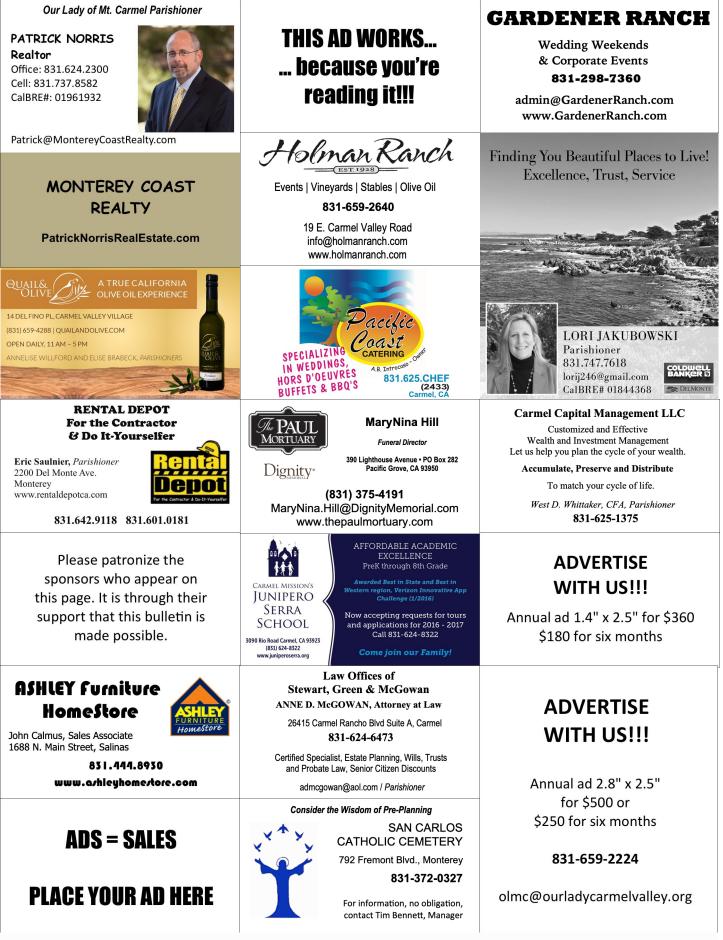
**El Ministerio Especial de la Limpieza de la Iglesia** Si está disponible para servir de vez en cuando el viernes en la tarde o el sábado por la mañana, favor de ayudar a la parroquia con la limpieza de la Iglesia. Si tiene preguntas, por favor, hable con Lupe Osornio, Gaby Cabrera, Lourdes Martínez o Alma Martínez.

Presentación del Señor—Presentación de los Niños Dios: El domingo próximo en la Misa de 5:00 pm.

Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento: El primer jueves del febrero, el 6 de feb., 7:30 am a 5:00 pm.

## Youth Corner (Matthew 4:12-23)

Following Jesus can ask more of us than we think is possible. It requires faith, trust and strength! The first disciples show us the way. The words and love of Jesus gave them courage. All doubts were left behind!



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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 Spiritfilled 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 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

Why Catholic? Ministry: Tess Arthur, Alondra Klemek

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

Coffee Hospitality Ministry: Rosemary Ellis

**Finance Council:** John Finn, *Chair*, A.B. Introcaso, *Secretary*, Steve Zalan, Catherine Norris, Carol Duncan **Accounting:** Rebecca Bayless

**Capital Campaign Committee:** Alex Gray, *Chair*, Jack McAleer, *Vice Chair*, Mark Boitano, and Steve Zalan

**Site Committee:** Tom deRegt, *Chair,* Pat Dowd, Brian Kelly, Adele Margolis

Kitchen & Hall: A.B. Introcaso

Website: Adalice Powers, John Finn • netadmin@ ourladycarmelvalley.org

Facebook: Lorraine Yglesias and Trudy Dowd Music Ministry:

Richard Carr (4:30 pm Saturday Mass) George Peterson, *Piano* (9:00 am and 11:15 am Masses)

Lectors: Dede Woodhead Ministers of the Eucharist: Lorraine Ring Liturgical Environment: Gail Quinnan



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