

# Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 27, 2020



## GOSPEL READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Mon:** Luke 9:46-50

**Tues:** John 1:47-51

**Wed:** Luke 9:57-62

**Thurs:** Luke 10:1-12

**Friday:** Matt 18:1-5, 10

First Reading: Ezekiel 18:25-28; Psalm 25; Second Reading: Philippians 2:1-11; Gospel of Matthew 21:28-32

**“He emptied himself, taking the form of a slave.”—Phil. 2:7**

“He humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.” Paul’s description of Jesus, the Son of God, is a powerful reminder of the life that we are called to live as sons and daughters of God. Paul tells us, “Do nothing out of vainglory; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves, each looking out not for his interests, but also for those of others. Have in you the same attitude that is also in Christ Jesus.” We are to live with Him as humble servants.

Our gospel parable of the two sons asked by their father to work in the vineyard, reminds us of our call to do the will of our Father. Obedience to the Father often requires a change in our priorities and commitments. The chief priests and elders would say, “yes,” but they failed to live faithfully before God and God’s people. While the tax collectors and the prostitutes changed their ways to follow Christ. With humility may we turn away from our selfishness, like the first son in the gospel, to live and serve the will of our Father as workers in the vineyard of our Lord.

## Maintaining God’s House 12th Week of Construction

It has been a busy week. All four new hall walls are framed, secured to the existing structures, and their plywood shear walls installed. The concrete floor for the bathroom area and new conference room is complete, and the roof trusses have been delivered. Making the new construction weather tight before the rains start is the goal.

Information on our Capital Campaign Phase 2 is attached again this week, including an order form for memorial bricks. The bricks are a great way to honor family members, favorite pastoral themes, or just lend support to the campaign. Please consider donating one or more memorial bricks.

Thank you for your support of our building project to Maintain God’s House.

## Hope’s Pantry - Wednesdays at 10:00 am

Our Hope’s Pantry assists individuals and families in need of food.



*“Those who pray as well as work at the tasks they have to do, and combine their prayer with suitable activity, will be praying always.” —Origen*

## Webinar on Voting Your Catholic Conscience

Deacon Warren Hoy, Director of Family Life and Social Justice Ministries of the Diocese of Monterey will be hosting a webinar on what it means to “vote Catholic” and what we as Catholics should be looking for in this election as we decide how to cast our votes. This will be a discussion of Church teachings; it will NOT tell anyone who to vote for. The intent is to help people make faith-informed decisions about the candidates, parties and issues, including state ballot propositions. **The webinar will take place this Monday, Sept. 28 at 7:00 pm. Please register at: [HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/BLESSEDNATION](https://tinyurl.com/blessednation)**

## 2nd Collection for Emergency Disaster Fund

This Sunday, prompted by the California Fires and Hurricane Laura, as well as future disasters, the U.S. Bishops are asking parishes throughout the U.S. to assist the Emergency Disaster Fund which supports efforts of Catholic Charities and other national organizations serving victims of the disasters. Our parish 2nd collection will take place during our masses **this Sunday, Sept. 27**. Red baskets will be placed next to our regular Sunday parish offertory baskets. Thank you for your support.

## World Day for Migrants and Refugees

Message from Pope Francis on the 106th World Day for Migrants and Refugees, 27 of September 2020, *Like Jesus Christ, forced to flee. Welcoming, protecting, promoting and integrating internally displaced persons.*



To read this year's message, please go to:

<https://justiceformigrants.org/world-day-for-migrants-and-refugees/>



### Wildfire Relief Services

Families with special needs at this time because of the fires are asked to use the following Catholic Charities direct line: (831) 920-4764.

## The Spirituality of Nonviolence and Peacemaking

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## Congratulations to Our First Communicants

We are very happy that six children from our parish celebrate their First Communion this Saturday:

*Geraldine Guadalupe Solano-Jimenez, Jorge Mendez Resendiz, Nicole Martinez-Cabrera, Anthony Martinez-Cabrera, Evelyn Espinola, and Stephany Barrera-Hernandez.*

We remember, too, the faith and commitment of their parents and catechists, Patricia Merrifield and Kim Hlasny.

*"Your ways, O Lord, make known to me; teach me your paths, guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my savior."—Psalm 25*

## Weekly Offertory Report 9/20/20

Offertory \$1,824; Other \$20; Total \$1,844.

## Mass Intentions - Sept. 27-Oct. 2, 2020

Sun	10:00 am	Deceased victims of COVID-19
	12:00 pm	Children and youth of the parish
Wed	12:00 pm	Families of the Parish
Thur	12:00 pm	Deceased of the Parish
Fri	12:00 pm	Sick and Homebound of the Parish



## 26 Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

**Ezequiel 18:25-28; Sal 24; Filipenses 2:1-11; Evangelio de San Mateo 21:28-32**

*La parábola de este domingo nos habla de dos hijos que recibieron de su padre el orden de trabajar en la viña. Uno de los hijos le contestó, "Ya voy, señor, pero no fue." El otro le respondió, "No quiero ir," pero "se arrepintió y fue." Nos podemos preguntar, "¿Cuál de los dos hizo la voluntad del padre?" ¿Y nosotros?*

### Anuncios Especiales:

**Los siguientes niños de nuestra parroquia celebran su Primera Comunión, el sábado, 26 de septiembre:**

Stephany Barrera-Hernández, Evelyn Espínola, Anthony Martínez-Cabrera, Nicole Martínez-Cabrera, Jorge Méndez Reséndiz y Geraldine Guadalupe Solano-Jiménez. *¡Felicidades a los niños y a sus familias!*



### **Ayuda para las Familias Afectadas por los Incendios**

La línea directa de Caridades Católicas: 831-920-4764.

### **Dispensa de Hope's Pantry**

Individuos y familias con necesidad de comida están invitados a la dispensa parroquial cada miércoles a las 10:00 am.



### **Confesiones**

Estamos usando el jardín de San Francisco de Asís para celebrar el Sacramento de Reconciliación. Favor de llamar al P. Dennis en la oficina para una cita.

Las paginas del web del vaticano tienen noticias y otros recursos: [vaticannews.va/es](http://vaticannews.va/es) [vatican.va](http://vatican.va)

Revisen, por favor, la pagina de web de la parroquia para anuncios especiales: [ourladycarmelvalley.org](http://ourladycarmelvalley.org)

Las lecturas diarias para nuestra oración personal o para leer en familia están disponibles en la página de web de los obispos de los E.U. Hay muchos otros recursos en español para fortalecer la vida espiritual y caminar con nuestro Señor: [usccb.org](http://usccb.org)

*"Descúbrenos, Señor, tus caminos." —Salmo 24*



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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**

## Special Mass Schedule

Sunday: 10 am and 12 Noon

Weekday Masses: Wednesday - Friday, 12 Noon

## Special Reconciliation Schedule

By appointment in the Parish Office

## Office Hours

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

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## 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

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**Kitchen & Hall:** A.B. Introcaso

**Website:** Adalice Powers

**Facebook:** Lorraine Yglesias and Trudy Dowd

**Music Ministry:**

Richard Carr (10:00 am, 12 Noon)

**Lectors:** Dede Woodhead

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