

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 9-10, 2021

1st Reading: Wis 7:7-11; Psalm 90; 2nd Reading: Heb 4: 12-13; Gospel Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

“What must I do to inherit eternal life?” ”



The passage is divided into three parts: the encounter of Jesus with the rich young man, Jesus’ reflection on wealth, and the promise of benefits to those who intend to follow Christ by renouncing everything. The notation regarding Jesus’ immediate love for the man, proper to Mark, highlights Jesus’ satisfaction at finding someone sincerely religious and desirous of perfection. For the Jews, riches were viewed as a blessing from God permitting them to assist their neighbors through almsgiving. For Jesus who, more realistically, saw in them an impediment to arriving at the kingdom of God, ridding oneself of wealth was to liberate oneself so as to follow in his steps. By their stupor and exclamation, the disciples demonstrate that they have understood, perfectly, Jesus’ thinking. Seeing as how the love of riches

GOSPEL READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Mon. Lk. 11:29-33
- Tues. Lk. 11: 37-41
- Wed. Lk. 11: 42-46
- Thurs. Lk. 11:47-54
- Fri. Lk. 12: 1-7
- Sat. Lk. 12: 8-12

Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy! . Ps.90

can also be nestled, powerfully, within those who do not possess them, it strikes the disciples as impossible for someone to overcome this obstacle which precludes the way to salvation. Jesus’ response regarding the omnipotence of God confirms the impossibility of attaining certain ideals based, merely, on human strength. Consequently, he invites them to confidence in God’s power united to his mercy, working within the willing, to compensate for human fragility. While Jesus promises an eschatological reward elsewhere, this is the sole case where he speaks of an earthly recompense. Indeed, depicted in Acts, this is what the disciples experienced within the primitive Church: family life through common property, the assistance of the needy, reciprocal love and exhortation. © 2003, OCP. All rights reserved

A Prayer to St. Joseph, Defender of Life

Dearest St. Joseph,
at the word of an angel,
you lovingly took Mary into your home.
As God’s humble servant, you guided
the Holy Family on the road to Bethlehem,
welcomed Jesus as your own son
in the shelter of a manger,
and fled far from your homeland
for the safety of both Mother and Child.

We praise God that as their faithful protector,
you never hesitated to sacrifice
for those entrusted to you.
May your example inspire us also
to welcome, cherish, and safeguard
God’s most precious gift of life.

Help us to faithfully commit ourselves
to the service and defense of human life
—especially where it is
vulnerable or threatened.
Obtain for us the grace
to do the will of God in all things.
Amen.



October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month

What’s the difference between normal conflict and domestic violence? Conflict is part of every intimate relationship—that’s why conflict resolution skills are important. Domestic violence, however, has no place in a healthy relationship, whether the couple is dating, cohabiting, engaged, or married.

What is domestic violence? Domestic violence is any kind of behavior that a person uses, or threatens to use, to control an intimate partner. The two key elements are threat and control. Domestic violence can take various forms: Physical, Sexual, Psychological, and Emotional. Both women and men can be victims of domestic abuse. According to the National Domestic Violence Hotline statistics, approximately 1 in 4 women and 1 in 7 men over the age of 18 have been the victim of physical domestic violence, and almost 50% of both sexes have experienced some form of domestic psychological aggression.



Saint of the week: October 15 St.

Teresa of Jesus

(1515-Oct 15th 1582) Cofounder of the Order of Discalced Carmelites, established in 1562, were a reform of the already existing Order of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. St. Teresa introduced a new rule focused on returning to the new way of life practiced by the first hermits of Mount Carmel, followers of the prophet Elijah. This way of life focused on God, humility, and poverty. The abundant fruits of her contemplation survive in writings such as *The Interior Castle* and continue to offer spiritual wisdom to many who desire a deeper union with God and neighbor. She is a Doctor of the Church. The title of "Doctor" is only given to saints who have made an important contribution to the knowledge of God through their writing on theology and spirituality, or through their defense of faith. She was canonized in 1622.



Santa de la semana: Octubre 15

Santa Teresa de Jesús

(1515- Oct 15, 1582) Cofundadora de la Orden de los Carmelitas Descalzos, establecida en 1562, reformadora de la ya existente Orden de Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo. Santa Teresa introdujo una nueva regla centrada en volver a la nueva forma de vida practicada por los primeros ermitaños del Monte Carmelo, seguidores del profeta Elías. Esta forma de vida se centró en Dios, la humildad y la pobreza. Los abundantes frutos de su contemplación sobreviven en escritos como *El castillo Interior* y continúan ofreciendo sabiduría espiritual a muchos que desean una unión más profunda con Dios y el prójimo. Ella es Doctora de la Iglesia. El título de "Doctor (a)" solo se otorga a los santos que han hecho una contribución importante al conocimiento de Dios a través de sus escritos sobre teología y espiritualidad, o mediante su defensa de la fe. Fue canonizada en 1622.

Weekly Offertory Report: October 2-3, 2021

Plate Collection & Electronic Giving	\$ 3,276.55
Maintenance 2nd Collection	\$ 1,861.00
Total	\$ 5,137.55

Thank you for your continued support of parish community.

Mass Intentions: October 9th—15th 2021

- Sat. Oct. 9th: 4:30 pm -Intentions of Fr. Dennis Gallo
- Sun. Oct. 10th: 9:00 am + Greg Franks
11:15 am +Josepina Vanino
- 5:00 pm -Intenciones de los Parroquianos
- Wed. Oct. 13th: 12:00pm + Arcadio Aguirre
- Thurs. Oct. 14th: 12:00pm + Marcelino Gonzales
- Fri. Oct. 15th: 12:00pm -Healing of Mike Micheletti

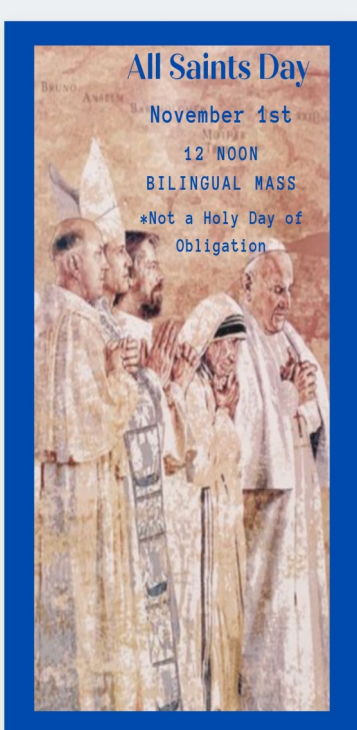
XXVIII Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

1era. Lectura: Sab 7, 7-11; **Salmo:** 89;

2da. Lectura: Heb 4, 12-13; **Evangelio:** Mc 10, 17-30

“ ¿Qué debo hacer para alcanzar la vida eterna?” ”

El pasaje del Evangelio de hoy se divide en tres partes: el encuentro de Jesús con el joven rico, la reflexión de Jesús sobre la riqueza y la promesa de beneficios para los que siguen a Cristo renunciando a todo. La nota sobre el amor inmediato de Jesús por el joven, propia de Marcos, destaca la satisfacción de Jesús al encontrar a alguien sinceramente religioso y deseoso de la perfección. Para los judíos, las riquezas se consideraban una bendición de Dios que les permitía ayudar a sus vecinos mediante la limosna. Para Jesús que, más realísticamente, veía en las riquezas un impedimento para llegar al reino de Dios, deshacerse de las riquezas era liberarse para seguir sus pasos. Con su estupor y exclamación, los discípulos demuestran que han entendido perfectamente el pensamiento de Jesús. Viendo cómo el amor a las riquezas también se puede anidar, poderosamente, en aquellos que no las poseen, a los discípulos les parece imposible que alguien supere este obstáculo que excluye el camino de la salvación. La respuesta de Jesús sobre la omnipotencia de Dios confirma la imposibilidad de alcanzar ciertos ideales basados, meramente, en la fuerza humana. En consecuencia, Jesús invita a confiar en el poder de Dios unido a su misericordia, trabajando dentro de la voluntad, para compensar la fragilidad humana. Si bien Jesús promete una recompensa escatológica en otros lugares, este es el único caso en el que habla de una recompensa terrenal. En efecto, esto es lo que experimentan los discípulos en la Iglesia primitiva, descrito en Hechos: la vida familiar a través de la propiedad común, la asistencia de los necesitados, el amor recíproco y la exhortación.



Join us for **Coffee & Donuts** Ministry following the 9:00 & 11:15 am Masses. We will be meeting in the Parish Hall.



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.

The Little Ones

Jim Burrows



Fr: Jhonnatan Flórez Carmona, Parochial Administrator.

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Mass Schedule

Week Days:

Wed-Fri: 12 noon.

Weekend

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:15 am
5:00 pm Spanish

Reconciliation Schedule

Saturday: 3:30 pm and by Appointment

Office Hours

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

Parish Ministries

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

Faith Formation:

First Communion:

Marilyn Margadinho. Supply Teacher: Pat Gray

Confirmation:

Alondra Klemek (2nd year)— Brisa Cabrera (1st year)
Supply teacher: Tess Arthur.

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

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Richard Carr (Sat. 4:30pm Sun. 9:00 & 11:15am).

Lectors: Dede Woodhead

Ministers of the Eucharist: Lorraine Ring

Liturgical Environment: Gail Quinnan

Coffee Hospitality Ministry: Rosemary Ellis

PERSONAL PRAYER

The church is open Wednesday-Sunday 10am-400 pm.
At the heart of silence is prayer. At the heart of prayer is faith. At the heart of faith is life. At the heart of life is service. St. Teresa of Avila



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Sun. Oct. 24th 11:15am Fr. Scott McCarthy Welcoming Mass, reception to follow
Fri. Nov. 12th @ 6pm. Talk: Introduction to Luke's Gospel. By. Fr. Jhonnatan
Fri. Dec. 3rd @ 5:30pm. Natale Christmas Dinner (its back!!!)
Sat. Dec. 18th @6:00pm Christmas Open House Fr. Jhonnatan's Rectory House

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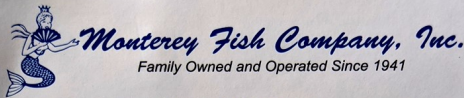
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