

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time October 30-31, 2021

1st Reading: Dt 6:2-6; Psalm 18; 2nd Reading: Heb 7: 23-28; Gospel Mk 12:28b-34

"Which is the first of all the commandments?"



"Love of God and love of neighbor" captures the essence of Jesus' message. Today's First Reading contains a passage known as the Shema Israel ("Hear, O Israel) Deuteronomy 6:4) the central statement of belief of the Jewish people. A high point in the synagogue service still today is the recitation of these words. There is only one God, and God alone is Israel's God. This belief calls forth a total dedication to God with your heart, your soul, and your strength. God must be loved with our entire being.

A scribe (someone well trained in interpreting the Jewish Law) comes to Jesus in today's Gospel with a question: "Which is the first of all the commandments?"

GOSPEL READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Mt. 5:1-12

Tues. Jn. 6: 37-40

Wed. Lk. 14: 25-33

Thurs. Lk. 15:1-10

Fri. Lk. 16: 1-8

Sat. Lk. 16: 9-15

I love you, Lord my strength!

Ps.18


Jesus quotes the words of the Shema Israel, but goes even farther by adding a second part: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself" (Leviticus 19,19). By bringing together these two commandments, Jesus makes an important point. While he upholds the Old Testament, he also offers a clear way of interpreting the numerous laws -through the lens of love: love God and love your neighbor as yourself. Jesus offers us a path to follow in life: love God and love your neighbor should direct every action. When faced with decisions in life, our first questions must always be: How does the law of love God and neighbor influence this situation? © 2021 Sourcebook. All rights reserved

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic adoration is the practice of devout prayer before the body of Christ in the Eucharist, displayed outside of Mass. Once very widespread, it became less popular after the Second Vatican Council, which placed a greater emphasis on the active participation of the faithful in the liturgy itself. Although some liturgical theologians find Eucharistic adoration at odds with the purpose and practice of the Eucharist at Mass—that is to say, Communion—in recent years Eucharistic adoration has become more popular, particularly among younger Catholics. The origins of Eucharistic adoration are not well-known. One of the first references to reserving the Blessed Sacrament for adoration is in the life of St. Basil the Great in the late fourth century. St. Basil supposedly divided the consecrated Eucharistic bread into three parts during the liturgy at his monastery. One part he consumed himself; the second was given to the monks; and the third portion was placed in a Golden Dove suspended above the altar. It seems likely that this reserved portion was kept for those who were unable to attend the liturgy because of illness or travel. The practice of Eucharistic adoration among laypeople is thought to have begun in Avignon, France, on September 11, 1226. King Louis VII, having just won a victory over the Albigensians, asked that the Blessed Sacrament be placed on display at the Chapel of the Holy Cross. This exposition was so popular that the local bishop asked to have it continue indefinitely. Pope Honorius III gave his consent and the practice continued, nearly uninterrupted, until the French Revolution in 1792. Copyright © 2019, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington DC. All rights reserved.

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FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

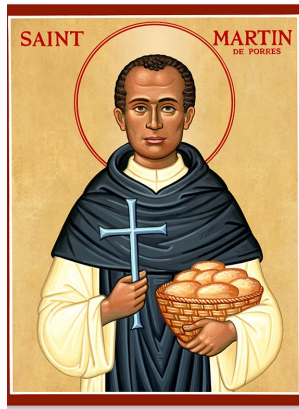


Mass at 12 noon.
Eucharistic Adoration
from 12:30-6:00 pm

6:00 pm Rosario
6:20 pm Blessing with the Blessed
Sacrament
6:30 pm Misa en Español

**Saint of the week: November 3rd
St. Martin de Porres**

(1579–1639) This illegitimate son of a freed Panamanian slave and a Spanish knight became a hero to the people of Lima, Peru, his birthplace, for his compassionate care of the sick and poor. Apprenticed at age 12 to a barber-surgeon, Martin also learned herbal medicine from his mother. After working for several years at a Dominican monastery as a Third Order member, he made his profession as a lay brother in 1603. He founded an orphanage and founding hospital, ministered to African slaves, practiced great penances, and experienced mystical gifts. Martin was carried to his grave by prelates and noblemen, and all Peruvians acclaimed him their beloved saint. He is the patron of hairdressers and interracial justice. © 2021, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington, DC. All rights reserved



**Santo de la semana: Noviembre 3
San Martín de Porres**

(1579–1639) Hijo ilegítimo de una esclava panameña liberada y de un caballero español, Martín se convirtió en héroe para la gente de Lima, Perú, lugar donde nació, debido al cuidado compasivo que les daba a los enfermos y a los pobres. A los doce años, Martín fue aprendiz de un barbero-cirujano y, de parte de su madre, recibió lecciones de medicina a base de hierbas. Luego de trabajar varios años en el monasterio de los dominicos como miembro de la Tercera Orden, profesó como hermano laico en 1603. Martín fundó un orfelinato y un hospital para niños abandonados, realizó su ministerio sirviendo a esclavos africanos, realizó grandes penitencias y experimentó dones místicos. Martín fue trasladado a su tumba por prelados y nobles y todos los peruanos lo aclamaron como su santo amado. Él es patrón de los peluqueros y de la justicia interracial. Copyright © 2021, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington, DC. All rights reserved

XXXI Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

1era. Lectura: Dt 6, 2-6; **Salmo:** 17; **2da. Lectura:** Heb 7, 23-28;
Evangelio: Mc 12, 28-34

“¿Cuál es el primero de todos los mandamientos?”

con todo nuestro ser. Un escriba (alguien bien entrenado en la interpretación de la ley judía) se acerca a Jesús en el Evangelio de hoy con una pregunta: "¿Cuál es el primero de todos los mandamientos?"

Jesús cita las palabras del Shemá Israel, pero va más allá añadiendo una segunda parte: "Amarás a tu prójimo como a ti mismo" (Levítico 19,19). Al reunir estos dos mandamientos, Jesús destaca un punto importante. Si bien defiende el Antiguo Testamento, también ofrece una manera clara de interpretar las numerosas leyes, a través del lente del amor: ama a Dios y ama a tu prójimo como a ti mismo. Jesús nos ofrece un camino a seguir en la vida: amar a Dios y amar al prójimo debe orientar cada acción. Ante las decisiones de la vida, nuestras primeras preguntas siempre deben ser: ¿Cómo influye la ley del amor a Dios y al prójimo en esta situación? © 2021 Sourcebook. All rights reserved

"Amor a Dios y amor al prójimo" captura la esencia del mensaje de Jesús. La primera lectura de hoy contiene un pasaje conocido como el Shemá Israel "Escucha, Israel' (Deuteronomio 6: 4) la declaración central de fe del pueblo judío. Un punto culminante en el servicio de la sinagoga todavía hoy es la recitación de estas palabras: Un solo Dios, y solo Dios es el Dios de Israel. Esta creencia provoca una dedicación total a Dios con tu corazón, tu alma y tus fuerzas. Dios debe ser amado

Mass Intentions – Oct. 30th – Nov. 5th

- Sat. Oct. 30th: 4:30pm + **Janie White**
- Sun. Oct. 31st: 9:00am + **Dave Stainbrook**
11:15am - **People of the Parish**
5:00pm + **Josefina & Luis Espinola**
- Mon. Nov. 1st 12pm In Thanksgiving to **All the Saints**
- Tues. Nov. 2nd 12pm + **All Faithful Departed**
7:00pm + **Todos los Fieles Difuntos**
- Wed. Nov. 3rd 12pm + **Caroline Buena**
- Thurs. Nov. 4th 12pm + **Pauline Bell**
- Fri. Nov. 5th 12:00pm + **Daniel Garcia Jr.**

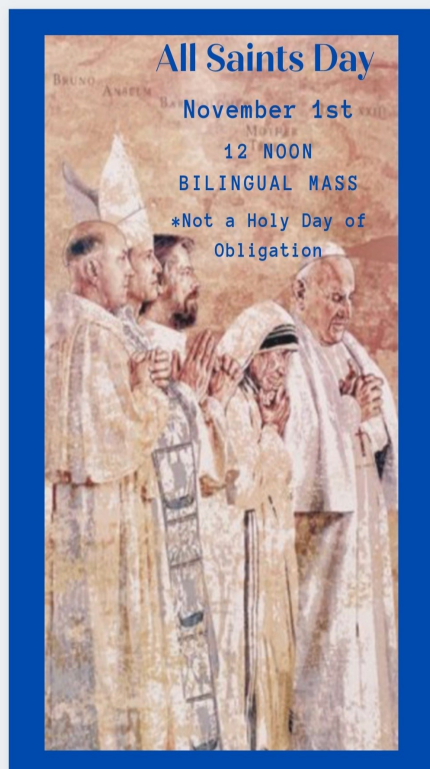
May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace.

Weekly Offertory Report: October 23-24, 2021

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Fr: Jhonnatan Flórez Carmona, Parochial Administrator. E-mail: frjcarmona@ourladycarmelvalley.org

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
10 am – 12 pm; 2 – 4 pm

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Pastoral Council: Adele Margolis, *Chair*,
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Marilyn Margadinho. Supply Teacher: Pat Gray

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

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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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Fri. Nov. 12th @ 6pm.

Fri. Dec. 3rd @ 5:30pm.

Sat. Dec. 18th @ 6:00pm

Thu. Dec. 23rd @ 6:30pm

Talk: Introduction to Luke's Gospel. By. Fr. Jhonnatan

Natale Christmas Dinner **CANCELED**

Christmas Open House Fr. Jhonnatan's Rectory House

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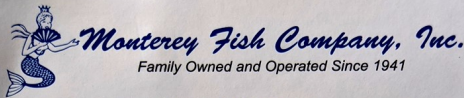
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