

# Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church

## The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. Nov. 20-21

1st Reading: Dn 7: 13-14 Psalm 93; 2nd Reading: Rv 1:5-8 Gospel Jn 18:33b-37

*“The Lord is king; he is robed in majesty”*



This final Sunday of the Church's liturgical year reaffirms the centrality of Christ to and for everything and everyone. It does this in a particularly powerful way through the gospel reading of our Lord's trial before Pontius Pilate. The trial scene is complex. Who is really on trial? Christ historically is on trial before the Roman procurator, but theologically Pilate is on trial, and in a sense each one of us is on trial. How? Because ultimately all human rule and power must give an account of itself before Christ. In John's Gospel there is no neutrality before Christ. There are those who are his disciples, following him as the way, the truth and the life. And then there are those of "the world," arraigned in hostility to him, who do not know the way, are full of falsehood, and unraveling toward death. Pilate is one of these latter. He

### GOSPEL READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Lk. 21:1-4  
Tues. Lk. 21: 5-11  
Wed. Lk. 21: 12-19  
Thurs. Lk. 17: 11-19  
Fri. Lk. 21: 29-33  
Sat. Lk. 22: 34-36

himself is a witness to Jesus' innocence --- "I find no guilt in him" (18.38) --- and yet he does not free Jesus, but succumbs to political expediency. Pilate does not know the way, is not truthful, lacks life. Jesus tells Pilate that he is a king, that he has a kingdom, albeit a kingdom "not of this world." In other words, his kingly rule and identity are not to be construed along the lines of the secular exercise of power and domination exemplified in Pilate his judge. If Christians establish their lives on Jesus, Jesus becomes Lord of their lives, king. Pope Pius XI instituted this feast as a Christian counter to fascism and totalitarianism. The shapes of fascism and totalitarianism are still found in political structures and in the exercise of power, for they spring from our own hearts. Only Christ is King, but is he my king, does he reign in my heart? . By Deacon Owen Cummings, 2003 OCP.

## Thanksgiving Day Bilingual Mass



**November 25th**  
**9:30 AM**

### Thanksgiving Prayer

*Lord, we thank you for the goodness of our people and for the spirit of justice that fills this nation. We thank you for the beauty and fullness of the land and the challenge of the cities. We thank you for our work and our rest, for one another, and for our homes. We thank you, Lord: accept our thanksgiving on this day. We pray and give thanks through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

*Amen.*

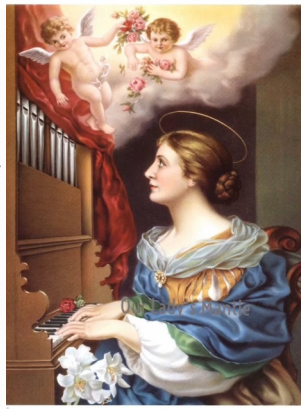


**Human Trafficking  
Awareness Talk**  
**Tue. Dec. 2nd 4pm**  
**Parish Hall**



**Saint of the week: November 22nd**  
**St. Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr**

(Third Century) Cecilia has been honored as a martyr since about 545. According to a written legend, The Passion of St. Cecilia, she was a Roman Christian of the patrician class betrothed to the pagan Valerian. The Cecilia Passion has her singing to God in her heart on her wedding day. Cecilia tells Valerian she has made a vow of virginity and persuades him to convert to Christianity and enter into a celibate marriage. His brother, Tiburtius, also becomes a Christian. The brothers are later martyred. When Cecilia refuses to perform an idolatrous act, she too is martyred. Cecilia is the patron of musicians. "This young Roman martyr invites believers to be watchful on their journey toward the encounter with Christ, gladdening the earthly pilgrimage with the festivity of music and song. May St. Cecilia accompany each of you from Heaven, dear brothers and sisters, and help you to carry out your mission fully in the Church."— St. John Paul II, November 22, 2003 © United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington, DC. All rights reserved



**Santa de la semana: Noviembre 22**  
**Santa Cecilia, Virgen & Martir**

(Siglo III) Cecilia es honrada como mártir desde el año 545. De acuerdo a la reseña escrita La Pasión de Santa Cecilia, ella fue una cristiana romana proveniente de una familia senatorial y fue la prometida de Valeriano, un joven pagano. La Pasión de Cecilia cuenta que en el día de su boda, en su corazón, ella le cantó a Dios. Cecilia le dice a Valeriano que ella había hecho un juramento de virginidad y lo persuade a convertirse al cristianismo e inician un matrimonio célibe. El hermano de Valeriano, Tiburcio, también se convierte al cristianismo. Más adelante, los dos hermanos fueron martirizados. Cuando Cecilia rehúsa realizar un acto de idolatría, ella también es martirizada. Cecilia es la patrona de los músicos Esta joven mártir romana invita a los creyentes a caminar vigilantes al encuentro con Cristo, alegrando la peregrinación terrena con el gozo del canto y de la música. Que santa Cecilia os acompañe desde el cielo a cada uno de vosotros, amadísimos hermanos y hermanas, y os ayude a realizar plenamente vuestra misión en la Iglesia. —San Juan Pablo II, 22 de noviembre de 2003 Copyright © United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington, DC. All rights reserved

**Solemnidad de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo, Rey del Universo**

**1era. Lectura:** Dn 7, 13-14; **Salmo:** 92; **2da. Lectura:** Apoc 1,5-8;

**Evangelio:** Jn 18, 33-37

*Señor, tú eres nuestro Rey*

romano, pero teológicamente Pilato está siendo juzgado y, en cierto sentido, cada uno de nosotros está enjuiciado. ¿Cómo? Porque en última instancia, todo gobierno y poder humanos deben dar cuenta de sí mismos ante Cristo. En el Evangelio de San Juan no hay neutralidad ante Cristo. San Juan nos presenta a sus discípulos, siguiéndole como camino, la verdad y la vida. Y luego están los del "mundo", acusados con hostilidad hacia él, que no conocen el camino, son llenos de falsedad y van hacia la muerte. Pilato es uno de estos últimos. Él mismo es un testigo de la inocencia de Jesús "No encuentro culpa en él" (18.38) y sin embargo no hace nada no libera a Jesús, sino que sucumbe a la conveniencia política. Pilato no conoce el camino, no es veraz, carece de vida. Jesús le dice a Pilato que él es un rey, que tiene un reino, aunque un reino "no de este mundo". En otras palabras, su rey la regla y la identidad no deben interpretarse en el sentido del ejercicio secular del poder y la dominación ejemplifica en Pilato a su juez. Si los cristianos establecen sus vidas en Jesús, Jesús se convierte en el Señor de sus vidas, en el rey. Papa Pío XI instituyó esta fiesta como una contraposición cristiana al fascismo y totalitarismo. Las formas del fascismo y el totalitarismo todavía se encuentran en las estructuras políticas y en el ejercicio de poder, porque brotan de nuestros propios corazones. Solo Cristo es Rey, pero ¿es mi rey, reina en mi corazón? By Deacon Owen Cummings, 2003 OCP.

En último domingo del año litúrgico la Iglesia reafirma la centralidad de Cristo para todo y para con todos. Lo hace de una manera particular: El Evangelio lo centra en el juicio de Nuestro Señor ante Poncio Pilato. La escena del juicio es compleja. ¿Quién está realmente en juicio? Cristo históricamente está siendo juzgado ante el procurador

**Mass Intentions – Nov. 20th – 26th**

Sat. Nov. 20th: 4:30 + **Bella Bayless**

Sun. Nov. 21st: 9:00 am -**People of the Parish**

11:15 am + **Warren Kaufman**

1pm + **Guillermina Cabrera**

Wed. Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>: 12:00pm + **Margaret McCarthy**

**Thurs. Nov. 25th 9:30am Bilingual Thanksgiving Mass**

Fri. Nov. 26 th 12:00pm + **Steve Braebeck**

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

**Weekly Offertory Report: November 13-14,**

Plate Collection & Electronic Giving: **\$2,091.55**

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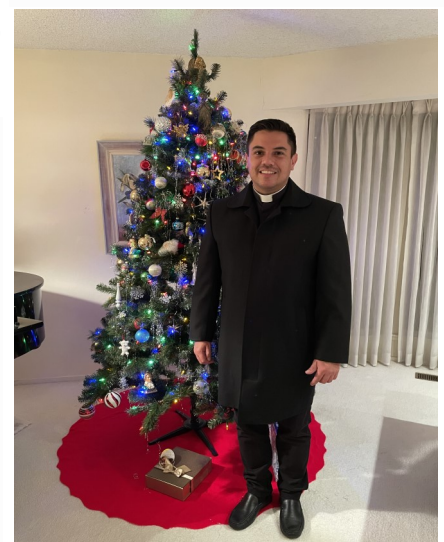
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*Christmas Open House.*



*Fr. Jhonnatan's  
 Rectory House  
 Fri. Dec. 17th 2021  
 3:00–6:00 pm,*

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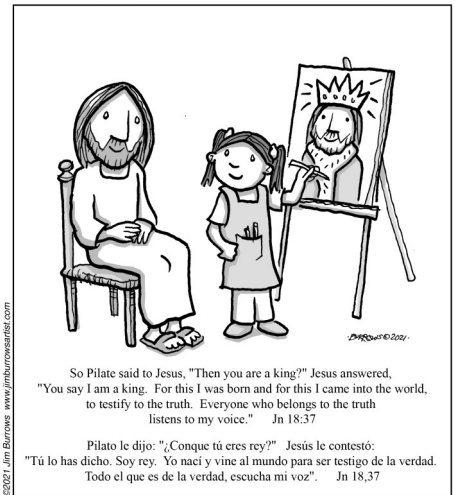
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*Our Lady of Mount Carmel is a warm and welcoming Catholic Community that serves the Gospel with deep faith, hope and love as a living and Spiritfilled witness to the Heart of Jesus present and alive in Carmel Valley.*

*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



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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

10 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

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### Music Ministry:

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

**Lectors:** Dede Woodhead

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**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



Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church



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

Fri. Dec. 17th @ 3-7pm

Thu. Dec. 23rd @ 6:30pm

Fri. Dec. 24th @ 4:30pm

Sat. Dec. 25th @ 9 & 11:15

Natale Christmas Dinner **CANCELED**

Christmas Open House Fr. Jhonnatan's Rectory House

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Christmas Eve Bilingual Mass.

Christmas Day Masses

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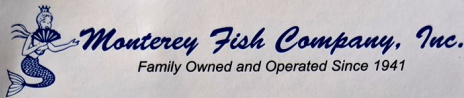
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