

# OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## SOLEMNITY OF THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST—*JUNE 11TH, 2023*

I AM THE LIVING BREAD THAT CAME DOWN FROM HEAVEN, SAYS THE LORD;  
WHOEVER EATS THIS BREAD WILL LIVE FOREVER.

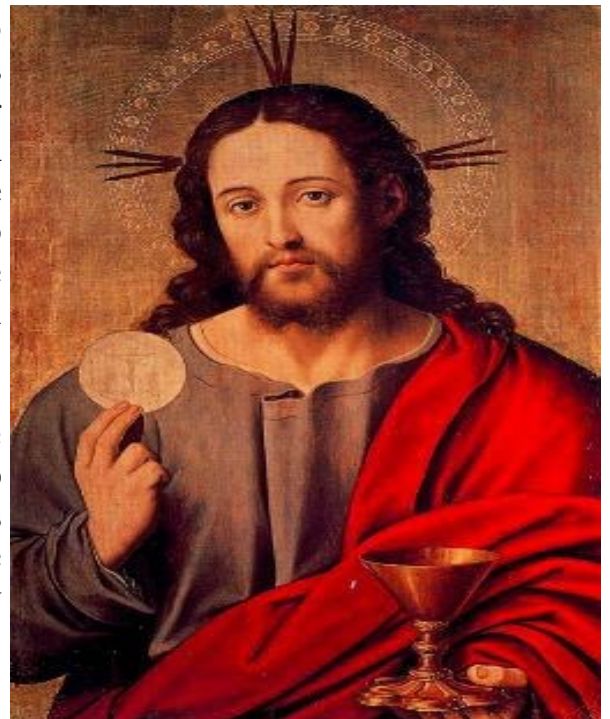
Today's Gospel is taken from the Gospel according to John. The reading is part of a discourse between Jesus and a crowd of Jews. The discourse comes shortly after the miracle of Jesus' multiplication of the loaves and fishes. In John's Gospel, miracles such as this are identified as "signs" through which people come to believe that Jesus is the Son of God. These signs are followed by dialogue, or discourse that interprets and explains the miracle.

Having seen Jesus multiply the loaves and fishes, the crowd pursues him, perhaps seeking more food but also looking for another sign. Jesus tells the crowd that he is the bread of life. He explains that just as God gave the Israelites manna to sustain them in the desert, so now God has sent new manna that will give eternal life.

Jesus' words are not well understood by the crowd; they argue that Jesus is not from heaven but born of Mary and Joseph. The crowd also has trouble understanding how Jesus could give them his flesh to eat. Jesus tells them that when they eat his flesh and drink his blood, they will remain forever connected to him. These are difficult words, but they are important because they seek to show us our intimate connection with Jesus.

This is the mystery that is at the heart of our Eucharistic theology. In the elements of bread and wine, Jesus' Body and Blood are truly present. When we share in the Body and Blood of Christ, Jesus himself comes to dwell within us. This communion with the Lord makes us one body, brings us eternal life, and sends us forth to be Christ's Body in the world.

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## EVENT CALENDAR

### SAVE THE DATE

### OUR PATRONESS OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL FEAST DAY

Sat. July 15th.

4:30 pm Vigil Mass.

5:30 pm Talk: Meaning of the Brown Scapular, blessing and bestowing of the Scapular Mass & Talk by Fr. Matthias (Discalced Carmelite)

Sun. July 16th.

10am Bilingual Solemn Mass.

11am Bbq and Fellowship.

(No 5pm Mass Spanish Mass)

# SOLEMNIDAD DEL CUERPO Y LA SANGRE DE CRISTO – JUNIO 11, 2023

YO SOY EL PAN VIVO QUE HA BAJADO DEL CIELO, DICE EL SEÑOR;  
EL QUE COMA DE ESTE PAN VIVIRÁ PARA SIEMPRE.

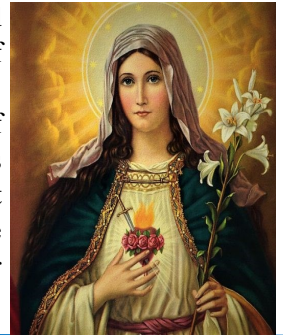
El Evangelio de hoy está tomado del Evangelio según Juan. La lectura es parte de un discurso entre Jesús y una multitud de judíos. El discurso llega poco después del milagro de la multiplicación de los panes y los peces por parte de Jesús. En el Evangelio de Juan, milagros como este se identifican como “signos” a través de las cuales las personas llegan a creer que Jesús es el Hijo de Dios. Estos signos van seguidos de un diálogo, o discurso que interpreta y explica el milagro.

Habiendo visto a Jesús multiplicar los panes y los peces, la multitud lo persigue, tal vez buscando más comida pero también buscando otra signo. Jesús le dice a la multitud que él es el pan de vida. Explica que así como Dios les dio maná a los israelitas para sustentarlos en el desierto, ahora Dios ha enviado un nuevo maná que les dará vida eterna.

Las palabras de Jesús no son bien entendidas por la multitud; argumentan que Jesús no es del cielo sino nacido de María y José. La multitud también tiene problemas para entender cómo Jesús podría darles su carne para comer. Jesús les dice que cuando coman su carne y beban su sangre, permanecerán unidos a él para siempre. Estas son palabras difíciles, pero son importantes porque buscan mostrarnos nuestra conexión íntima con Jesús.

## IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY, SAT. JUNE 10TH 2023

It is celebrated on the Saturday after the Corpus Christi octave, or the Saturday after the second Sunday after Pentecost. The attention of Christians was early attracted by the love and virtues of the Heart of Mary. The Gospel itself invited this attention with exquisite discretion and delicacy. What was first excited was compassion for the Virgin Mother. It was, so to speak, at the foot of the Cross that the Christian heart first made the acquaintance of the Heart of Mary. Simeon's prophecy paved the way and furnished the devotion with one of its favorite formulae and most popular representations: the heart pierced with a sword. But Mary was not merely passive at the foot of the Cross; "she cooperated through charity", as Saint Augustine says, "in the work of our redemption.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be no 5pm Spanish Masses this weekend June 11<sup>th</sup> and next weekend June 18<sup>th</sup>. We will resume the Spanish Masses on Saturday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month in Cachagua.

The rectory was painted this past week and is one of the many tasks for which we take our monthly maintenance collection.

**Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Feast Day Celebration will be on Sunday, July 16<sup>th</sup>. Joe and Bernie Aliotti have graciously volunteered to head the organizational team. There will be a single 10:00 am Bilingual Sunday Mass followed by a BBQ and pot luck. See the flyer for more information.**

## POPE FRANCIS IN 'GOOD GENERAL CONDITION' ONE DAY AFTER ABDOMINAL SURGERY

Rome Newsroom, Jun 8, 2023 / 05:25 am - CNA

One day after Pope Francis' abdominal surgery for an incisional hernia, medical staff report that the pope is "in good general condition, alert and breathing naturally," according to the Vatican.

Vatican spokesman Matteo Bruni told journalists on June 8 that the pope's routine follow-up examinations were good and that he will continue to rest in Rome's Gemelli Hospital.

"The medical staff following the pontiff's post-operative course informs us that Pope Francis had a peaceful night, managing to rest extensively," Bruni said.

"The pope is informed of the messages of closeness and affection that have come in the last few hours and expresses his gratitude while asking for continued prayers," he added.

# SCHEDULE

## Weekday Mass

Wednesday — Friday, 12 noon

## Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil at 4:30 PM

Sunday at 9:00 and 11:15 AM in English, 5:00 PM in Spanish

## Reconciliation

Saturday at 3:30 PM and by appointment

## Office Hours

Wednesday — Friday:

10 AM - 12 PM; 2 - 4 PM

The church is open Wednesday — Sunday from 10 AM to 4 PM for personal prayer.

*“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

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Mass Intentions June 11th - 16th, 2023

Saturday Vigil June 10<sup>th</sup> 4:30: + **Barbara Burdick**

Sunday June 11<sup>th</sup> 9:00 : + **Phillip Pare**

11:15: + **Catherine & + Harold Walter**

**No 5PM SPANISH MASS**

Wed. June 14<sup>th</sup> 12:00: + **Anna Conroy**

Thurs. June 15<sup>th</sup> 12:00: + **Teresa Schruben**

Fri. June 16<sup>th</sup> 12:00: + **Sebastian Reny**

**MAY THE SOULS OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED, THROUGH THE MERCY OF GOD, REST IN PEACE. AMEN.**

# WEEKLY COLLECTION

## June 3-4, 2023

General Fund and EFT: **\$3,322.29**

*Thank you for your generosity to our Parish Community*

# PARISH STAFF

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# PARISH VOLUNTEER MINISTRIES

## Pastoral Council

- Dede Woodhead (chair), Alondra Klemek (vice chair), Jeff Hawkins (secretary), Tess Arthur, J Concepción Jara, Tom Rowland, Trini Resendiz

## Finance Council

- Alex Gray (chair), Jim Rice (secretary), A.B. Introcaso, Jack McAleer, Ed Quinnan

## Faith Formation

- **First Communion:** Jennifer Bodner (1st year), Marilyn Morgadinho (2nd year)
- **Confirmation:** Tess Arthur (1st year), Alondra Klemek and Brisa Cabrera (2nd year)
- **RCIA / Adult Faith Formation:** John Condon

## Bereavement Ministry:

Trudy Dowd

## Manna Ministry:

Janice Hawkins

## Human Trafficking

Brendan Cook

## Parish Hall & Kitchen Rental:

A.B. Introcaso

## Social Media:

Lorraine Yglesias

## Website:

John Finn

## Lectors:

Dede Woodhead

## Ministers of the Eucharist:

Lorraine Ring

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The Diocese has set our minimum contribution to them  
this year at \$10,900.

Every dollar above this amount is returned to Our Lady of  
Mt. Carmel.

Our target for AMA 2023 is \$41,000, and we hope to ex-  
ceed this amount.

As of the end of this past week, we have donations to  
AMA 2023 from **71 parish families totaling \$52,888** or  
129% of our financial goal.

*Thank you for your generosity to our  
Parish Community*

**2023 Annual Ministry Appeal**  
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