

OUR LADY^{of} MT. CARMEL

JANUARY 10TH 2021 · THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 7:15 am
7:00 Morning Prayer, Rosary after Mass,
Tuesday Adoration 3:00pm until 5:30pm; Mass 5:45 pm
Saturday 8:30am (Traditional Latin Mass)
4:00 pm (Mass of Anticipation)
Sunday 7:00am, 10:00am, 12:00pm (Traditional Latin Mass)

Mt. Carmel Church 19th Avenue and 54th Street
...entrance on 19th Avenue

Mt. Carmel Rectory

Rectory Office Hours Mon.-Thurs. 9:00am to 1:30pm
Closed Friday

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Please try to get bulletin announcements to the parish office at least 10 days before the weekend you want it published. We reserve the right to edit all bulletin notices. If you have business in the Parish office, please arrive between 9:30 am and 1:00 pm (unless you have an appointment for a different time). Thank you.

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

This is what John the Baptist proclaimed: "One mightier than I is coming after me. I am not worthy to stoop and loosen the thongs of his sandals. I have baptized you with water; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit." - Mk 1:7-8

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CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:00 pm to 3:45pm, Tuesday 5:00pm to 5:30pm.. When available Fathers Campbell and McDermott will hear confessions before Sunday Masses.

BAPTISM AT MT. CARMEL CHURCH

Parents must be contributing members, regularly attending weekly Mass, for at least 4 months. In preparation for the sacrament, a one-hour class for parents must be completed prior to the baptism. To arrange for the class or to schedule a baptism, please contact the rectory, 652-7660, at least 2 months in advance.

MARRIAGE ARRANGEMENTS

should be made with the pastor at least six months to one year before the proposed wedding date. One member of the couple must be a registered, practicing member and contributor of record at Mt. Carmel for at least six months. Couples sharing the same abode will be asked to live separately prior to their marriage.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Call the parish office for an appointment to register.

WEEKLY READINGS AND OBSERVANCES

Readings for the week of January 10, 2021

Sunday: The Baptism of the Lord

Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/Acts 10:34-38/Mk 1:7-11 or Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [3])/1 Jn 5:1-9/Mk 1:7-11

Monday: Heb 1:1-6/Ps 97:1 and 2b, 6 and 7c, 9 [cf. 7c]/Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9 [cf. 7]/Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Heb 2:14-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9 [8a]/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: Heb 3:7-14/Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11 [8]/Mk 1:40-45

Friday: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Heb 4:1-5, 11/Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8 [cf. 7b]/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday:

Heb 4:12-16/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [cf. Jn 6:63c]/Mk 2:13-17

Next Sunday: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 [8a, 9a]/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42

PRAYER REQUESTS



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Pray for the sick in our parish & visit them!

Jean Wawiorka, Giovannina Apostoli, Maria Savaglio, Gilda Bilotti, Aldo Bosko, Sharon Fair, Dorothy Ramcheck, Rosemarie Werwie, Richard Kaminski, Lena Bilotti, Teresa Belmonte, Carol Szulczewski, Gilbert Sr. & Eva Saldana, Loretta Hofmann, Linda Metallo and Jeanne George.

St. Therese Italian Beef Dinner Fundraiser

On Super Bowl Sunday February 7, 2021. This is the famous beef served at our Parish Festival. Dinner includes 1 lb of beef, 4 bomber buns, salad, dressing, chips and cookies. Cost is \$25. Additional beef can be purchased for \$10/lb. Preorders are necessary and taken at st-therese-kenosha.org or call 262-697-0834. Pick up on February 7th 11:30 am until 2:00 pm. Cash or credit. Enjoy the Big Game with a taste of our summer festival!



PARISH SUPPORT

Weekend of January 3rd 2021

Budgeted weekly need.. \$6,800.00
Weekly Offertory \$7,812.00
OVER \$1,012.00

WSFI 88.5 FM CATHOLIC RADIO

Learn about the glories & privileges of the Blessed Virgin Mary
The Marian Hour
with Fr. Campbell
2nd & 4th Wednesdays @ 2pm
Next program: Wed. Jan 13th @2pm



Thank You. 

Our Lady of Mt Carmel Preschool staff and students would like to Thank Pablo & Kristine Torres for their very generous donation of Hand

Sanitizer and dispensers! **We can not Thank you both enough for keeping us all safe and healthy!**

MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

When: Saturday February 6th, 2021 6pm-8pm

Where: OLMC (North set of double doors in the rear Parking lot)

What: Outside Games, Indoors
Bringing outside fun inside. Corn hole, washers, horseshoes, 3 legged races.

Please rsvp: religiouseducation@olmckenosha.org



St. Nicholas, Bishop of Myra, visited the CCD students



Proclamation on 850th Anniversary of the Martyrdom of Saint Thomas Becket

Today is the 850th anniversary of the martyrdom of Saint Thomas Becket on December 29, 1170. Thomas Becket was a statesman, a scholar, a chancellor, a priest, an archbishop, and a lion of religious liberty. Before the Magna Carta was drafted, before the right to free exercise of religion was enshrined as America's first freedom in our glorious Constitution, Thomas gave his life so that, as he said, "the Church will attain liberty and peace."

The son of a London sheriff and once described as "a low-born clerk" by the King who had him killed, Thomas Becket rose to become the leader of the church in England. When the crown attempted to encroach upon the affairs of the house of God through the Constitutions of Clarendon, Thomas refused to sign the offending document. When the furious King Henry II threatened to hold him in contempt of royal authority and questioned why this "poor and humble" priest would dare defy him, Archbishop Becket responded "God is the supreme ruler, above Kings" and "we ought to obey God rather than men."

Because Thomas would not assent to rendering the church subservient to the state, he was forced to forfeit all his property and flee his own country. Years later, after the intervention of the Pope, Becket was allowed to return — and continued to resist the King's oppressive interferences into the life of the church. Finally, the King had enough of Thomas Becket's stalwart defense of religious faith and reportedly exclaimed in consternation: "Will no one rid me of this meddlesome priest?"

The King's knights responded and rode to Canterbury Cathedral to deliver Thomas Becket an ultimatum: give in to the King's demands or die. Thomas's reply echoes around the world and across the ages. His last words on this earth were these: "For the name of Jesus and the protection of the Church, I am ready to embrace death." Dressed in holy robes, Thomas was cut down where he stood inside the walls of his own church.

Thomas Becket's martyrdom changed the course of history. It eventually brought about numerous constitutional limitations on the power of the state over the Church across the West. In England, Becket's murder led to the Magna Carta's declaration 45 years later that: "[T]he English church shall be free, and shall have its rights undiminished and its liberties unimpaired."

When the Archbishop refused to allow the King to interfere in the affairs of the Church, Thomas Becket stood at the intersection of church and state. That stand, after centuries of state-sponsored religious oppression and religious wars throughout Europe, eventually led to the establishment of religious liberty in the New World. It is because of great men like Thomas Becket that the first American President George Washington could proclaim more than 600 years later that, in the United States, "All possess alike liberty of conscience and immunities of citizenship" and that "it is now no more that toleration is spoken of, as if it was by the indulgence of one class of people, that another enjoyed the exercise of their inherent natural rights."

Thomas Becket's death serves as a powerful and timeless reminder to every American that our freedom from religious persecution is not a mere luxury or accident of history, but rather an essential element of our liberty. It is our priceless treasure and inheritance. And it was bought with the blood of martyrs.

As Americans, we were first united by our belief that "rebellion to tyrants is obedience to God" and that defending liberty is more important than life itself. If we are to continue to be the land of the free, no government official, no governor, no bureaucrat, no judge, and no legislator must be allowed to decree what is orthodox in matters of religion or to require religious believers to violate their consciences. No right is more fundamental to a peaceful, prosperous, and virtuous society than the right to follow one's religious convictions. As I declared in Krasiński Square in Warsaw, Poland on July 6, 2017, the people of America and the people of the world still cry out: "We want God."

On this day, we celebrate and revere Thomas Becket's courageous stand for religious liberty and we reaffirm our call to end religious persecution worldwide. In my historic address to the United Nations last year, I made clear that America stands with believers in every country who ask only for the freedom to live according to the faith that is within their own hearts. I also stated that global bureaucrats have absolutely no business attacking the sovereignty of nations that wish to protect innocent life, reflecting the belief held by the United States and many other countries that every child — born and unborn — is a sacred gift from God. Earlier this year, I signed an Executive Order to prioritize religious freedom as a core dimension of United States foreign policy. We have directed every Ambassador — and the over 13,000 United States Foreign Service officers and specialists — in more than 195 countries to promote, defend, and support religious freedom as a central pillar of American diplomacy.

We pray for religious believers everywhere who suffer persecution for their faith. We especially pray for their brave and inspiring shepherds — like Cardinal Joseph Zen of Hong Kong and Pastor Wang Yi of Chengdu — who are tireless witnesses to hope.

To honor Thomas Becket's memory, the crimes against people of faith must stop, prisoners of conscience must be released, laws restricting freedom of religion and belief must be repealed, and the vulnerable, the defenseless, and the oppressed must be protected. The tyranny and murder that shocked the conscience of the Middle Ages must never be allowed to happen again. As long as America stands, we will always defend religious liberty.

A society without religion cannot prosper. A nation without faith cannot endure — because justice, goodness, and peace cannot prevail without the grace of God.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DONALD J. TRUMP, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of the United States, do hereby proclaim December 29, 2020, as the 850th anniversary of the martyrdom of Saint Thomas Becket. I invite the people of the United States to observe the day in schools and churches and customary places of meeting with appropriate ceremonies in commemoration of the life and legacy of Thomas Becket.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this twenty-eighth day of December, in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-fifth.

DONALD J. TRUMP

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mount Carmel: Tuesdays 3pm-5:30pm. Please come and adore Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament! Benediction 5:30pm., Mass at 5:45pm.

St. Therese: Fridays 8:30am-5pm
(1st Fridays adoration continues through Sat. 6am)



Course on Critique of Evolution: “Foundations Restored: A Catholic Perspective on Origins”: Next class Tuesday Jan. 12, 7pm, St. Therese Church. “Foundations Restored” is an excellent series of presentations on DVD which provides a thorough defense of the traditional Catholic doctrine of creation of the universe and of human life from the perspective of theology, philosophy, and natural science, as well as a refutation of Darwin’s theory of evolution which has provided a pseudo-scientific foundation for the world-wide culture of death.

*No class Jan. 5.

Morality Concerning Use of Covid-19 Vaccines

The United States Bishops have approved the use of the Moderna and Pfizer Covid-19 Vaccines for Catholics as an “act of charity” in light of the public health risks of the pandemic. The USCCB Committee on Pro-Life and Doctrine stated: “People may in good conscience use the vaccines produced by Pfizer and Moderna, which made only limited use of those unethical cell lines (for lab testing of the vaccine).” Moral theologians refer to this as “remote material cooperation.” The Vatican has agreed with this. At this time the Church allows the use of the Pfizer and Moderna vaccines to combat Covid-19 if you choose to be vaccinated.

However, given that these companies did make use of cell lines from aborted babies in their research for production of the vaccines, one is free to refuse to be vaccinated, as long as one does his best to avoid transmitting the virus to others.

For the complete statement of the US Bishops on the “Moral Considerations Regarding the New COVID-19 Vaccines” go the USCCB website at <https://www.usccb.org/moral-considerations-covid-vaccines>.

Fr. Campbell’s Wed. 6 am Men’s Bible Study:
will not meet Jan. 6; next class Jan. 13 via ZOOM.

Sign up for FLOCKNOTE!

To sign up: Text the word **LOOP** (typed in all caps as a text message) to this address: **84576**.

Then you will be in our parish “loop” & will receive texts and emails from Fr. Campbell on important news/events in the parish. Please pass on this info to others!

Sign up for FORMED -

a program which gives our parishioners free access to many Catholic programs and movies. **To create a new FORMED account:** 1. Visit [FORMED.org](https://www.formed.org) 2. Click Sign Up 3. Select - “I Belong to a Parish or organization.” 4. Find your parish by name or zip 5. Enter your email, you’re in!

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday January 9

4:00 pm **Danielle Ricchio**
(Nona, Aunts, Uncles & Cousins)

Sunday January 10

7:00 am **Pro Populo ~ OLMC Parishioners**
10:00 am **Aurora Farago**
(Antonio Casalena & Family)
Amalia Guido (Marie Metzke)
Don Hoaglund (Family)
12:00 Noon **Robert Schmeling** (Katie Webber)
Victor Carl Cascio (Tom Duncan)

Monday January 11

7:15 am **Virginia Jean Cummings**

Tuesday January 12

5:45pm **Yolanda Savaglio Hennig**
(Dr. Anthony & Rita Bisiglia)

Wednesday January 13

7:15 am **Joseph Kozenski** (The Murphy's)

Thursday January 14

7:15am **Wayne & Arlene Stabenau**
(The Murphy's)

Friday January 15

7:15 am **Stan & Magdalen Slobodnik**
(Stan Slobodnik)

Saturday January 16

8:30 am **Pro Populo ~ OLMC Parishioners**
4:00 pm **Francesco Chianello**
(Loving Family)

Sunday January 17

7:00 am **Pro Populo ~ OLMC Parishioners**
10:00 am **Armando Bilotto** (Family)
Aldo Presta (Wife Gloria)
Frank Williams (Family)
12:00 Noon **Armando Bilotto**
(Marianne & Cousins)
Victor Carl Cascio (Tom Duncan)

Lectors

Saturday January 16th- 4:00 pm **Dave Willems**

Sunday January 17th -7:00 am **Lisa Haskell**

Sunday January 17th -10:00 am **Bob Ellison**

Altar Servers

4: pm **Christopher Doan**
10:00 am **Carter Allen, Dominic & Pascal Blome,**
Vinnie & Dominic Gentile,
12:00 am **Robert & Peter George**
Thomas Gleeson, Samir Khoury,
Christian Roushia
Tony, Richard, Stephen & Paul Hazinski