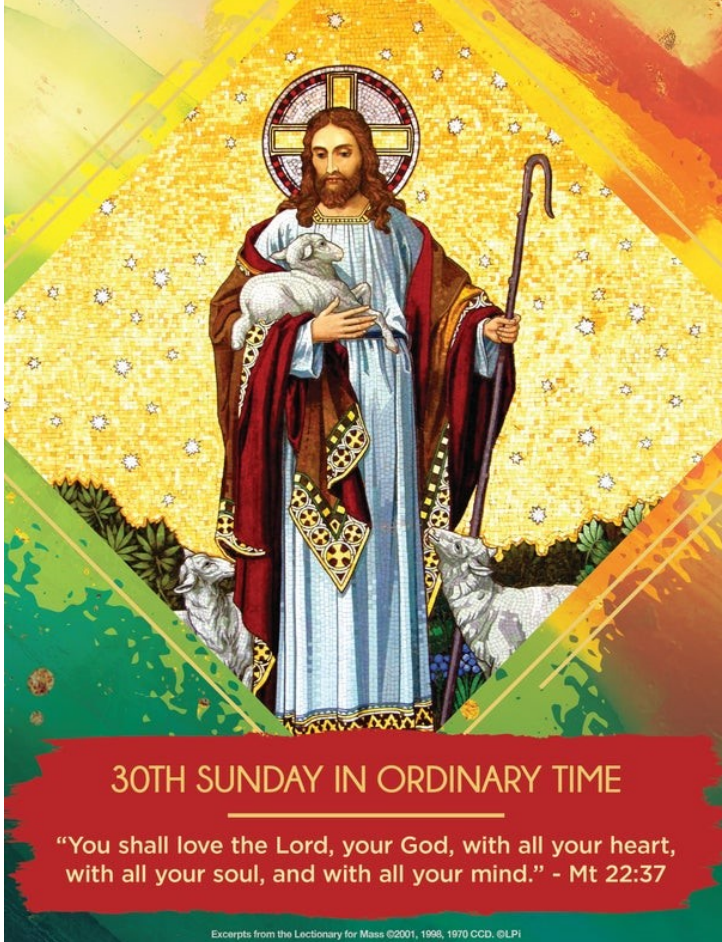


OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL

CATHOLIC CHURCH



30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart,
with all your soul, and with all your mind." - Mt 22:37

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1996, 1979 CCD, GLPI

October 29, 2023

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First Reading

"You shall not wrong any widow or orphan. If ever you wrong them and they cry out to me, I will surely hear their cry. My wrath will flare up, and I will kill you with the sword; then your own wives will be widows, and your children orphans." (Ex 22:21-23)

Psalm

I love you, Lord, my strength. (Ps 18)

Second Reading

For they themselves openly declare about us what sort of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God and to await his Son from heaven.

(1 Thes 1:9-10)

Gospel

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Address: 2700 Dover Avenue

Fairfield, CA 94533

Website: www.olmcfairfield.org

MASS SCHEDULE

MASS: Weekend: Saturday Evening, 5PM Vigil
Sunday: 8AM, 10AM, Noon & 6PM

Daily: Monday - Saturday, 9AM

Holy Days: 9AM, Noon and 7PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays: 3:00 to 4:00 PM

1st Saturdays: Immediately following the 9AM Mass

Baptisms: Please contact the Parish Office.

Marriages: Six months notice required. Please contact the Parish Office.

Anointing of the Sick: // House & Car Blessings:
Please contact the Parish Office.

Staff:

Fr. Patrick Gavin, O. Carm. (Pastor)

Fr. Daniel Gonzalez, O. Carm. (Parochial Vicar)

Retired Priests in Residence: Fr. Jose Cilia, O. Carm. and Fr. Mario Lopez, O. Carm.

Deacon Raymond Elias

MASS INTENTION SCHEDULE

Monday **October 30th**

9:00 AM † Sandra Headlee-Borden
† Ernie and † Fe Castillo

Tuesday **October 31st**

9:00 AM † Michael Lloyd Browning
Sylvia Browning
Connie Chin

Wednes. **November 1st - All Saints**

9:00 AM † All Saints
12:00 PM † Rosalinda Canaya and all deceased family members
† All deceased members of Tugawin, Concepcion and Corpuz families
7:00 PM † Connie McGuire

Thursday **November 2nd**

9:00 AM † All Souls
† All Faithful Departed

Friday **November 3rd**

9:00 AM † All Faithful Departed

Saturday **November 4th**

9:00 AM † All Faithful Departed
5:00 PM Parishioners of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Sunday **November 5th**

8:00 AM † All Faithful Departed
10:00 AM † All Faithful Departed
12:00 PM † All Faithful Departed
6:00 PM † All Faithful Departed



If you would like the faith community of OLMC to join you in prayers for special needs, contact the Parish Office at 422-7767. We do

occasionally take some

names off of the list in the bulletin. If we have taken a name from the printed list of a person still in need of prayers, please give us a call and we will happily put him or her back on. Please take some time this week to remember the following in your prayers:

- For all in our parish family who are suffering serious or terminal illness:

Madison O'Shields
Jo & Evelyn Nunes
Mary Highsmith
Howell Wood III
Yollie Wood
Diane Ball
Dolores Sheppard
Ian Padilla
David Quilao
Virgil Jaramillo
Vivian Blas
Roberto, Inday &
Robbie Visda
Renita Manalo
Ann Garant
Remy Calica
John & Celina Hess
Sharon Dotson
Anita Brennan
Romy & Cuca Lopez
Manny Labaria Etta
Doherty
Robert Gebing
Sammy & Luz Quilao
Ryan Bautista
Luis Mora
John Linehan
Joe Santos
Pat Brausch
Diane Topacio
Annie Hutchinson
Martha Pickens
Alvin Barba
Mike Loedding
Alapati Suisala
Julio Suisala
Sanele Tuimavave
AnaMarie Tuimavave
Tom & Aida Quinn
Roy Shaver
Raymond Elias Jr.
Ramil Maglalang
Tony Hernandez Jr.
Miguel Vilaro
Garcia Family
Berti Berger & Family
Jossie & Igal Koiman
Linda Sharp
Mark Carkin
John Nyquist

Siobhan Franey
Ted Simbulan
Jim Meyer
Sutton Family
Melba Luna
Rudolph Garcia
John Kraszewski
Bunny Dominguez
Carlito Z. Acuña
Socorro Eshabaar
Cyril Eshabarr
Anita & Frank Lizardo
Eliañ Jojola
Don McKenna
Johnathan & Jessica
Crocker
Mason Ferrulli
Albert & Dottie Pratt
Analyn Balontong
Joleen Savoy
Jessica Crocker
Austin Yang
Unson Family
Robert Olmstead
Danilda Castor
Jarosch Family
Vincent Bayquen
Margaret Sanders
Nina Larson
Janelle Tsutiuchi
Anicia Angeles
Carlito M. Mendoza Jr.
Dave LaVoie
Carmen Cruz
Kathy Stoddart
Gerardo Ordanza
Luis A. Maneru
Tony Luchangco
Mike MacCallum
Sally Colbert
Margrite Jacinto
Jennifer Jacinto
Jennifer Espera
Rolando Tan
Carol Phillips
Gene Richards
Frank Nunes & Family
Noemi Carinio
Julianne Allison
Andy & Pat Anderson

Phil Correia
Ed Junker
Joanne Skidmore
Bob Howisey
Bill Jacks
Kennedy Washington
Emma Baarde
Romeo Dizon
Carolyn Ross
Mary Jane Pasqual
James Omoso
Josie I. Taeliifi
Netallia Moore
David Moore
Vivian Donohoe
Ma Lourdes Jovez
Yoshiko Dragos
Daxtyn Valdez
Doloros De Loza
Enoc Robles
Sally Ronquillo
Brad Lewis
Amanda Safapour
Erick MacCallum
Brian Thornton
Judy Davis
Robert Anthony
Oswaldo & Aurelia
Joven
Richard Marsch
Sue Alunan
Andy Wood
Ajamu Abubakar
Ezra Abubakar
Cybelle Abubakar
Marvin Edwardes
Mia Erickson
Brody Erickson
Stephanie Crocker
Remedios Cordova
Gribi Family
Carmelite Fathers:
Fr. David Fontaine
Fr. Patrick Gavin
Fr. Jose Cilia
Fr. Mike Greenwell
Fr. Mike Kwiecien
Fr. Mario Lopez
Fr. Jim Mueller
Fr. Daniel Gonzalez

All Saints Day Masses Wednesday, Nov. 1, 2023 at:

9AM

12PM (noon)

7PM



Trust the direction that God leads you



CARMEL YOUTH

Come join our youth group for
7th-12th graders!

Friday Fun Night: November 3, Friday, 6-8PM in
Brandsmaroom (upstairs of Dome)

Friday Fun Night: November 10, Friday, 6-8PM in
Brandsma room (upstairs of Dome)

Mission Saturday: November 11, Saturday, 9AM-1PM
(families welcome!)

Please reach out to Casey Collins,
Youth Ministry Coordinator, via the Remind app
(<https://www.remind.com/join/carmelyth>) or via
email (carmelyouthff@gmail.com) to RSVP

STEWARDSHIP

Parish Collections



2023 Envelope Collections:

<u>October 15, 2023</u>	
Weekly Offertory Fund &	\$12,067.20
Capital Improvement	\$0.00
<u>October 22, 2023</u>	
Weekly Offertory Fund &	\$10,083.44
Capital Improvement	\$3,385.00

**Mail Offertory Envelopes or
donate via OLMC's Online-Giving!**

2023 Online Donations:

<u>Oct. 15-21, 2023</u>	
Weekly Offertory Fund	\$3,892.80
Capital Improvement	\$240.00



Sign up for Online Giving

Please, prayerfully consider making your
offering online to our parish. Your
contribution will support the operation of
the church and community.

ParishSOFT is a convenient and secure
electronic giving (eGiving) program, and it
provides OLMC with reliable donations
during these unstable times.

To enroll:

- Visit our website
www.olmcfairfield.org
- Click-on the link. "GIVE Online"
- How to create an account
 - click on "sign-in"
 - click on "[Register for an Account](#)"
- Navigate to choose the Fund and Give!

You may give a one-time contribution or
you may specify a reoccurring giving to
any of the funds available throughout the
year!



Gospel - 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time

In our secularized culture, we all struggle with belief in God, at least to some degree. An atheist man named Robert Bridges once wrote to his friend, the Jesuit poet Gerard Manley Hopkins, asking how he could possibly learn to believe in God. Hopkins pithily responded: "Give alms." Would that help someone tempted by atheism today, like you and me?

I think so, and here's why. This week Jesus speaks of love for God and neighbor. These dual commands were nothing new when Jesus used them to sum up the Jewish law. What is new is the way he links them together in mutual dependency. In Jesus, God and man have become one. Human-love and God-love are now inseparably married forever.

The newness of the God-man means that there is now a permanently counter-intuitive way into the knowledge and love of God: love of our neighbor. To experience charity is to know God. That's what Hopkins was getting at for his friend. How we treat our fellow human beings is inseparable from faith in God. Do you want to have a stronger sense of God's loving presence and goodness? Commit to serving someone today and this week. Love him or her. Don't wait for love for God to appear in your heart before loving others. Jesus has united divine and human love. If you want to believe more in God, give alms.

Respect Life Corner

St. John Paul II first defined "radical solidarity" in this way:

"In firmly rejecting 'pro-choice' it is necessary to become courageously 'pro woman,' promoting a choice that is truly in favor of women. ... The only honest stance, in these cases, is that of radical solidarity with the woman.

It is not right to leave her alone." Being in radical solidarity with women who are pregnant or raising children in difficult circumstances means putting our love for them into action and putting their needs before our own. Pope Francis reminds us that solidarity "refers to something more than a few sporadic acts of generosity. It presumes the creation of a new mindset," a transformation within our own hearts.

<https://www.usccb.org/resources/rlp-23-chairman-statement.pdf>



Dates:

Saturday, Nov. 4: 10am - 7pm
Sunday, Nov. 5: 9am - 3pm

Enjoy visiting a variety of craft vendors, see Santa, take part in raffles, and enjoy our community!

A Great Marriage...

The Journey begins in:
Turlock, CA - September 23-24
Fairfield, CA - November 11-12
Reno, NV - December 2-3 (Carson City)

This is just two days, just for the two of you, that you'll never forget.

Apply at wwme.org or contact:

Terry and Janet Doane
916-489-3464
applications@sacramentowwme.org



Live your best life in love

Restore

Restore the communication in your relationship.

Rekindle

Find the romance again.

Renew

Find a new commitment to your spouse and your relationship.

A Marriage Encounter Weekend is a wonderful opportunity to focus on each other without distraction and learn more about your relationship!



Thank you for your continued financial support. Your generous donations to our poor boxes at the rear of the church, and checks you mail directly to us at Mt. Carmel truly make a difference for the disadvantaged in our community.

Families assisted during the months of August & Sept:

Category	August	September
Food	25	29
Clothing	2	2
Utility bills to avoid service interruptions	34	28
Emergency shelter	18	10
Rent to prevent homelessness	4	4
Calls received	320	236

Families we could not assist were referred to other local agencies when possible.

"Come now, let us engage ourselves with renewed love to serve the poor, and let us even seek out the poorest and most abandoned of all." St. Vincent de Paul

NOTICE
Please do not leave stuff here.
Thank You!

Please help us keep the church's narthex tidy. Please do not leave mail, flyers, or other items for non-OLMC ministries or non-Carmelite orders around the narthex.

OLMC Calendar AROUND THE PARISH

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
-Oct. 29-	-30-	-31-	-Nov. 1-	-2-	-3-	-4-
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Donut Sunday 8AM, 10AM and 12PM • 10AM Little Church • 1PM Talent Show Auditions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 530PM Legion of Mary • 630PM Pastoral Council 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Faith Formation classes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Saints Mass at 9AM, 12PM, 7PM • No Confirmation Class • 7PM RCIA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10AM Bible Study • 7PM KOC Bus. Mtg. • 7PM Bible Study 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10AM EADM • 6PM Carmel Youth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AM Confession • 10AM LCC • 10AM Choir Rehearsal • 3PM Confession • Craft Faire
- 5 -	-6-	-7-	-8-	-9-	-10-	-11-
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Little Church • Craft Faire 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 530PM Legion of Mary 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10AM RLM • 430PM Faith Formation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 630PM Confirmation class • 7PM RCIA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10AM Bible Study • 7PM Bible Study 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Office closed • 10AM EADM • 6PM Carmel Youth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9AM Carmel Youth Mission Saturday • 10AM Baptism class • 3PM Confession • Marriage Encounter
- 12 -	- 13 -	-14-	-15-	-16-	-17-	-18-
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Little Church • Marriage Encounter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 530PM Legion of Mary 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10AM RLM • 430PM Faith Formation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 630PM Confirmation class • 7PM RCIA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10AM Bible Study • 7PM Bible Study 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10AM EADM 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10AM LCC • 11AM Baptism • 1230PM LCC • 3PM Confession • KOC ID Drive after 5PM Mass

HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS

- Nov. 12, Little Church at 10AM Mass (only date in November due to Craft Faire and holidays)
- Nov. 4-5, OLMC Craft Faire (see pg. 4)
- Nov 18-19, Knights of Columbus donation drive following all Masses
- Nov. 19 - Jazz at OLMC, 2-5pm
- Dec. 1 - Parish Talent Show, 6pm
- Dec. 10 - Advent concert



Please remember the following recently deceased parishioners and their families

in your prayers:

Conrado Galindez, Pueblito Guzman, Antonia Eaton, Alberto Anub Sr., Emmanuel Cruz, Anita Andrade, Marie Ford, Suzanne T. Romero, Edmund Balibat, Brooklyn Faith Arceo, Steve Retherford, Lawrence Franco, Robert Rillo, Maria Galang

FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS

ADORATION HOURS AT OLMC

Monday to Friday from 10AM to 4PM, inside the Church. Adoration times may be altered due to other Church events (i.e. Funerals, etc.).

Please check calendar on sign in table. **EVERYONE** please sign in whenever you visit with the Lord.

Any questions ask Lynda Sutton:

707-330-4858 or

Lynda039@aol.com

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PARISH INFORMATION &

OLMC MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS



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NEW PARISHIONER? UPDATING INFO?

New to the Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish?

New Parishioner: _____ or Existing with updates: _____

Circle: Mr. & Mrs. / Mr. / Mrs. / Miss / Ms.

Last Name: _____

First Name(s): _____

Spouse Name: _____

Other Member(s): _____ Relation? _____

Other Member(s): _____ Relation? _____

Other Member(s): _____ Relation? _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Home #: _____ Cell: # _____

Email: _____

Would you like to receive **Offertory Envelopes** OR do you prefer to give offerings online through our Website - **Give Online**

It's easy . . . Give ONLINE: www.olmcfairfield.org

Please return completed Registration form in the Offertory Basket (at Mass), mail, or bring to the Parish Office!

OLMC MINISTRIES|ORGANIZATIONS

ADULT EDUCATION | Call Parish Office, 707-422-7767

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CATHOLICS Come Home | Call Parish Office, 707-422-7767

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RESPECT LIFE & CATHOLIC Media KIOSK |

Cathy Omoso 707-688-6551 / Helene DeRose 707-429-9364 // The Gabriel Project: Pregnant, need help? 800-910-0191 or contact OLMC Parish Coordinators: Lynda 707-330-4858 (Alpha Clinics, 707-449-8991)

RETRouvaille (Lifeline for troubled marriages)

Call the Parish Office.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL | 707-422-5209

USHERS / HOSPITALITY | Elaine Bruno / 707-326-1412

VISITS TO THE SICK and SACRAMENT MINISTRY

Call the Parish Office

YLI (A Catholic Women's Organization)

Margaret Sanders - 707-344-2838 (leave message) or Kathy Marley - 707-631-1701 / Meets 2nd Thursday in Fr. Lanigan Center at Holy Spirit at 6pm. www.YLIonline.org