OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL Mass Thursday, July 16, 9:30am



The Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel is a feast day which is celebrated on July 16th. It is an optional memorial feast in the Roman Catholic Church and is used to celebrate the appearance of the Blessed Virgin Mary to Carmelite Saint Simon Stock on July 16th, 1251.

Mount Carmel is a mountain range in Israel, close to the port city of Haifa, which is near where Christ lived as a child. Which has led many people to consider it a holy mountain. Even before it became home to the Carmelite monks who would eventually call it home during the 12th century. (Later in the 13th century, the Carmelite's relocated to England) These monks were particularly devoted to the Blessed Virgin Mary and regarded her as their patroness.

Show us, O Lord, your mercy – And grant us your salvation. O Lord, hear my prayer – And let my cry come to you. The Lord be with you – and with your spirit.

The Carmelites' main defense of the faith is: "Faith only in one God" (Like the prophet Elijah)

Good afternoon,

In an effort to reach people discerning a vocation to the priesthood or religious life online, and to highlight the lives of those who have answered God's call, the Vocations Office is pleased to debut a new online episodic series named "Called to Serve". Each episode will profile someone who has given their life in service to the church - priests, sisters, religious, and lay men and women. Our first episode of "Called to Serve" debuts with our first guest - our outgoing Bishop Marcel Damphousse.

These videos will be available on the Diocesan Vocations website (www.beapriest.ca/calledtoserve) and on the Vocations Office YouTube Channel, with a new episode being released every two weeks. Since this is a Diocesan initiative, we ask your cooperation in sharing this new series to your parish websites and social media platforms. You are free to embed this video on your website if you wish as well.

The link for the first episode of "Called to Serve" is available here: https://youtu.be/
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WEEKEND MASSES Sat. - 8:30am - Bilingual - 4:00pm - English

Sun. - 9:30am - English - 11:00am - Polish

WEEKDAY MASSES: See Announced Masses

SACRAMENTS:

Reconciliation: 1/2 hour before & after mass on Thursday Friday & Saturday Baptism: See Fr. Boguslaw before Mass. Instructions required.

Marriage: Contact Office at least eight months before desired date. Instruction required.

Children's Sacraments: Contact office or Fr. Boguslaw.

Communion to Hospital or home for Sick & Shut-ins Contact Parish Office.

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME JULY 12th, 2020 YEAR A

* REFLECTION *

People like rain falling to earth from heaven. Their labour and dedication will provide bread for the children and a sowing of seeds. He returned after having fulfilled his mission successfully, like the Word of God. After completing what the Lord intended and returning with the fruits of his mission. Where the Lord passes, everything blossoms and crops grow. The meadows are covered with flocks, the valleys are dressed in corn and the people are singing and shouting iovfully amazed by the glory of God and breathlessly awaiting acceptance as sons of God and the redemption of our body. Just as we are through Christ, through union with Him we become partakers of the divine life that our seed gives us in the Eucharist so that all of creation are to share in the eternal life of God. The common suffering of mankind and creatures is the dawn of a new creature. Jesus as Isaiah reminds us that people do not want to hear the truth of God. They do not want to because they do not want to obey God. The teaching of Jesus about God and His wishes and promises can only be understood by those who believe in Jesus as God and human but also the Saviour of the World. He reveals to us a God who is struggling so that at one point in time we can enjoy the sight of Him when we see Him face to face as He is. Jesus instructs us in parables because he wants us to persuade us to seek the truth of Himself.

"The sparrow finds a home,/ and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God./ Blessed are they who dwell in your house, / forever singing Your praise."

" You do not know how much I long for you, O Lord" You are great, O Lord, greatly to be praised: I cannot wait to see You and be satisfied at the sight of You, when I will see you face to face.

It means trusting God in every circumstance, even in adversity. A prayer of St. Teresa of Jesus wonderfully expresses this trust:

Let nothing trouble you
Let nothing frighten you
Everything passes
God never changes
Patience Obtains all
Whoever has God
Wants for nothing
God alone is enough.

Z ŻYCIA PARAFII I KOŚCIOŁA

1. Podziwiając piękno świata ufamy, że ujrzymy oblicze naszego Boga i nasycimy się Jego widokiem. Światło Bożej prawdy wskazuje nam drogę a my zabiega o to, co jest zgodne z Jego wolą. Słowo Boże spełnia pomyślnie swoje posłannictwo, jest skuteczne. Na żyznej ziemi ziarno wyda plony. Oczekujemy...że staniemy się uczestnikami Boskiego życia; będziemy żyć na wieki. Jezus w przypowieściach nakłania nas do wysiłku szukania Prawdy, którą jest On sam.

ORIGINAL SIN

1. In addition to the natural gifts (body and soul) the first parents received from God supernatural gifts and privileges.

The Supernatural gifts were: sanctifying grace that made them saints, children of God, and heirs of heaven, as well as the virtues of faith, hope and love that enabled them to have close and cordial relationship with God. Supernatural gifts (privileges), combined with sanctifying grace, and were as follows:

- intelligent and clear reasoning,
- tendency to be good (strong will),
- patience (happy life in paradise and without suffering)
- immortal body.

Adam and Eve had supernatural gifts and privileges and they could share these gifts with their offspring.

- 2. The sin of Adam and Eve in Paradise was a grave sin, a sin of pride, disobedience and ingratitude (they knew the commandment of God, they knew that the future of humanity is connected with their behavior. They knew what they owed to God, and yet they raised their pride against God's will.) Because of this sin, the first people lost sanctifying grace and all privileges. They became mortal.
- **3**. Original sin and its effects (*lack of grace, darkened reason, weakness of will, suffering and death*) passed onto to all people. As the head of mankind, Adam received extraordinary gifts for everyone, which is why he lost them for everyone.
 - We all come from Adam and Eve, who have lost grace, therefore we are born without grace, that is, in sin.
 - Scripture teaches about the universality of original sin. St. Paul writes that in Adam "everyone sinned". (Rome 5:12). We are not guilty of being born in original sin, because we have not sinned personally. However, we inherit the state of guilt of Adam and Eve and its effects on the body and soul, just like a child inherits from parents the tendency to disease.
- **4**. Only the Holy Mother had no original sin because of the future merits of God's Son. She was Immaculate or free from original sin from the first moment of her conception in the womb of her mother, Saint Anne. Dogma of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary was announced by Bl. Pius IX on December 8, 1854.

Announced Weekly Masses

Mon Jul 13 St. Henry & Św. Pustelników: Andrzeja Świerada i Benedykta.

NO MASS

Tues Jul 14 St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest = Sw. Kamila

9:30am † Blessing for Camile

Wed Jul 15 St. Bonaventure, Bishop, Doctor

9:30am † Mario Maoro by Guiseppe & Anita Spina

7:00pm † Władysławę Andraka w 30 dzień od śmierci.

Thurs Jul 16 OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

9:30am † Allen Sapia

Fri Jul 17

Day of atonement for our sins and for the sins of the whole world.

3:00pm † Ernesto D'Addario at 30 days from departure.

Sat Jul 18

8:30am † Teresa Sowka

4:00pm ~ For all Parishioners

Sun Jul 19 SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:30am † Czesława i Stanisławę

11:00am † Jadeusz Chmielimski *by family*

Bring your own face mask to attend Mass.

Teresa Sowka Passed on July 7, 2020.

Husband Edward Sowka.

In your Mercy Lord, we entrust Teresa to your care.



Daily Readings ~ Year A II

Jul 13 1st Reading: Isaiah 1.10-17 Gospel: Matthew 10.34-11.1

Jul 14 1st Reading: Isaiah 7.1-9 Gospel: Matthew 11.20-24

Jul 15 1st Reading: Isaiah 10.5-7, 13-16 Gospel: Matthew 11.25-27

Jul 16 1st Rdg: Isaiah 26.7-9, 12,16-19 Gospel: Matthew 11.28-30

Jul 17 1st Reading: Isaiah 38.1-6, 21-22, 7-8 Gospel: Matthew 12.1-8

Jul 18 1st Reading: Micah 2.1-5 Gospel: Matthew 12.14-21

Jul 19 1st Reading: Wisdom 12.13, 16-19 2nd Reading: Romans 8.26-27 Gospel: Matthew 13.24-43

English Ministers July 18th & 19th

Lectors:

4:00pm N. Sicoli 9:30am L. Pozzebon

Polish Ministers July 19th

11:00am **Lektorzy:** D. Opryszczko

Pray for the sick in our parish:

Patti Anne, Marilyn, Elda, Mercedes, Richard, Janina, Darlene, Julia, Joan, Deacon Larry, Patti, Judy, Norma, Stella, Giselle, Angus, Dan, Phyllis, Jerry, Lillian, Lyle, Mary, Tammy, Robert, Lillian, Cara, Mary & Darlene.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Sun., July 12, 2020 The seed is the Word of God, Christ is the sower; all who come to Him will live forever. *Alleluia!*



Music Corner

Music is the outburst of the soul.

