

Good and gracious God, physician and healer, we pray that you will lay your healing hands upon those who are sick and restore them back to health through your divine grace, love and compassion. In Jesus we pray. Amen

Idalia Vázquez, Kathy Barletti, Carmine Bartoli, Lucille Strychalsky, Maria Garcia Abreu, Lourdizery Bisono, Bob Tornese, Amanda Fonseca, Elva Abraham, Fr. Frank Scanlon, Gina Rudelli, Dominick Ruocco, Elouise Davis, Vincent Porpora, Janet Decarlo, Joanne Rescigno, Angela lake, Barbara Steele, Marie Maignan, Dorcas Wilson, Daniel Williams, Steven Baez, Yves Terrible, Luis Rosario, Rosa Garcia and Margaret & Edward Helm



O Lord, creator and redeemer of all your faithful people, we pray that those we love who have gone before us in faith may know your mercy, light, and peace; and the blessings of everlasting life. Amen November – Anna Premuto, Vincent Ruddy

December – Rolando Gongora, Louise Castro

January – Luke Gallagher, Frances Caldararo, Natalie Aurrichio February- Steven Ortega

March – Marivel Suarez

April - Kermit Boreland, Jane E. Serio

May – Curt Anthony Virgin

June - Philip Skulsky, Mario Dominguez, Cristina Benitez,

Richard Vason

July - Monica May, Maria Vaquero, Larry Genova, Essamma Thomas

August -Charlie Altatonna, Maria Sanabria Kenny Mary Kelly, Rene Rosario

September- Juanita De Jesus, Lukas Roberts yr. October- Héctor Luis Casellas Jr., Ruth Nordone

Little Portion Secular Franciscan Fraternity

The Little Portion Secular Franciscan Fraternity is made up of men and women who live in the world and are motivated by the dynamic power of the Gospel. They seek to encounter the living and active person of Christ by committing to live a life of prayer, community, simplicity, service, peace and justice as they pattern their lives after Christ in the spirit of Francis and Clare of Assisi. Secular Franciscans strive to live their lives by going from gospel to life and life to gospel. You are invited to join us at our gathering in the Parish Hall on Saturday, November 2 at 9:30 AM and to worship at the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

We are happy to announce that pledges made for Renew & Rebuild have reached \$172,940.00 from 79 parishioners. Thank you for your generosity.

Feast of All Saints, Friday, November 1, 2019 is a Holy Day and Masses will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m. in English and at 7:30 p.m. Bilingual with Spanish Healing Mass.

Feast of The Holy Souls, Saturday, November 2, 2019 is a day of reflection and prayer for all our departed family members and friends. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m. in English and at 12:00 Noon there is a Generational Healing Mass. Followed by the Parish Masses at 5:00 p.m. in English and 7:00 p.m. in Spanish.

Sunday, November 10, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. The 29th Annual Caribbean Mass celebrating "United in Christ as Family" will be held here at St. Mary- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, 23 South High Street, Mt. Vernon, NY 10550. Office of Black Ministry Southern Westchester New York are inviting all to attend. A reception will follow in the Parish Hall.

~ ~ From the Pastor's Desk ~ ~

Next weekend November 2nd & 3rd Daylight Savings Time ends. Set your clock one hour back. Also check the batteries in your smoke and carbon monoxide alarms.

Praying for the dead is part of our belief in the Communion of The Saint, we pray for each other. Those who have died continue to be members of the Communion of Saints. We believe we can assist them through our prayers and they can assist us by theirs. During the month of November, we set aside time to pray for all the Faithful Departed. On November 2, 2019 All Souls Day, we remember and pray for all the deceased, especially our own family members, and friends. There are All Souls Day envelopes in the vestibule of the Church. List the names of those you want to remember, include your donation and return them in the collection basket or at the Rectory. These envelopes will remain on the altar for the month of November.

NOT MEN WHO COOK BUT MEN who cook Spaghetti Dinner Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 410, Funding will go to the benefit of St. Mary-Our Lady of Mount Carmel, 50/50 and prize raffles. Adults \$25.00 and Children under 12 yrs. old \$10.00. your Appetite!! Saturday, November 9, 2019, 6:30 to 9:30 pm at St. Mary-Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish Hall.

Parish Ministries for Next Weekend -November 2, 2019 & November 3, 2019

Time	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
5:00 pm	Donna Premuto	Carmel Healy, Rich Spana
		MaryAnn DiLiberti
8:30 am	Joe Barletti	Mary Barletti, Nancy Ramos
		Debra Strand
11:30 am	Elissa Milan,	Kathy Angrisani, Sr. Georgina
	Stephanie Opper	Hugh McGahran, Gloria Bai,
		Lizette Gongora
Greeters for 11/3/19: Lurine Moody & Dahlia Gonzalez		

Calendar of Upcoming Events - October 27 - November 2, 2019

28 Monday	7:00 pm	Westchester Grupo de Oración – Rectory- Parlor Room
29 Tuesday		
30 Wednesday	8:00 pm	NO CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING
31 Thursday	9:45 am	Morning Prayers in the Church
	4:00 pm	NO PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION
	5:00 pm	Wedding Bilingual Mass
1 Friday	4:00 pm	Food Pantry
	7:30 pm	All Souls Bilingual Mass con Misa de Sanación- Church
2 Saturday	9:30 am	Secular Franciscans Order – Parish Hall
	12:00 Noon	Generational – Healing Mass- Church



~~ Desde El Escritorio Del Pastor ~ ~

Orar por los Muertos es parte de nuestra creencia en la Comunión de Los Santos que oramos los unos por los otros. Los que han muerto siguen siendo miembros de la Comunión de los Santos. Creemos que podemos ayudar a través de nuestras oraciones y ellos pueden ayudarnos con las suyas. Durante el mes de noviembre reservamos tiempo para orar por todos los fieles difuntos. El 2 de noviembre de 2019, Día de los Difuntos, recordamos y oramos por todos los difuntos, especialmente por nuestros familiares y amigos. Hay sobres del Día de los Difuntos en la parte posterior de la Iglesia. Escriba los nombres de las personas que desea recordar, incluya su donación y devuélvalos en la canasta de recolección o en la Rectoría. Estos sobres permanecerán en el altar por el mes de noviembre.

Nos complace anunciar que las promesas hechas para Renovar & Reconstruir han alcanzado \$172,940.00 de 79 feligreses. Gracias por tu generosidad.

HOMBRES QUE COCINAN, SINO HOMBRES que cocinan Spaghetti Dinner patrocinado por Consejo 410 de Caballeros de Colón, la financiación se destinará a beneficio de Santa María-Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo, 50/50 y rifas de premios. Adultos \$ 25.00 y niños menores de 21 años. antiguo \$ 10.00. ¡¡Trae tu apetito!! Sábado, 9 de Noviembre de 2019, 6:30 a 9:30 pm en el Salón Parroquial Santa María-Nuestra Señora de Monte Carmelo.

Domingo 10 de noviembre de 2019 a las 3:00 p.m. La 29th Misa anual del Caribe celebrando "Unidos en Cristo como familia" se llevará a cabo aquí en la Iglesia Santa María - Nuestra Señora de Monte Carmelo, 23 South High Street, Mt. Vernon, NY 10550. Office of Black Ministry Southern Westchester New York están invitando a todos a asistir. Seguirá una recepción en el Salón Parroquial.

El próximo fin de semana del 2 y 3 de noviembre la hora cambiara. Configure su reloj una hora atrás. También cambie las baterías en sus alarmas de humo y monóxido de carbono.

Fiesta de todos los santos, el viernes 1 de noviembre de 2019 es un día santo y las misas se celebrarán en 9:00 a.m. en inglés ya las 7:30 p.m. Bilingüal con Misa de Sanación.

La fiesta de las almas santas, el sábado 2 de noviembre de 2019 es un día de reflexión y oración para todos nuestros familias y amigos difuntos. La misa se celebrará a las 9:00 a.m. en inglés. Seguido por las misas parroquiales a las 5:00 p.m. en inglés y a las 7:00 p.m. en español.

La Asamblea Mensual de español, El próximo domingo, 3 de noviembre de 2019 a las 2:00 p.m. hasta las 6:00 p.m. en el salón parroquial. Todos están invitados a venir.

Hermanos y hermanas de Santa María y Monte Carmelo: Queremos dar las gracias al Padre Frank por su apoyo a nuestro evento que se llevó a cabo el 13 de octubre, para con un granito de arena, seguir ayudando a nuestra parroquia. Con la ayuda de esta hermosa comunidad llegamos a reunir \$3,600. Mil gracias a todos por su colaboración y que Dios bendiga a todos y a cada uno de sus hogares. Santa María y Monte Carmelo hermanos de unidad en Cristo.

October 27, 2019 - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Reflection by Rev. Leonard N. Peterson

I was once asked to teach a college semester course on prayer. That sounds simple enough a request to make of a priest. After all, we're supposed to be the "pros", experts in all things Catholic, veritable "answer machines" when it comes to most questions the average Catholic might ask. Well, to be honest, that request to teach prayer was akin to asking me to teach higher math. I was never much good in any math past addition and subtraction. Nonetheless, as anything but an expert, I delved into the subject, with books galore and saints aplenty. Ultimately, I chose the one perfect prayer my students and I could analyze: The Lord's Prayer. Would you believe, we never quite finished that analysis when the semester ended? This weekend features a gospel passage in which Jesus tells another one of His matchless parables that includes a key element in all real prayer: humility. The story includes an indictment of those who were "self-righteous." That word describes a person who is "smugly moralistic and intolerant of the opinions and behavior of others." I dislike that definition, not because of any inaccuracy, but because it accurately describes me at times. Not something to brag about at all. I have this pet description of myself and most people as having in our minds an imaginary courtroom where we are both prosecutor and judge. We diagnose the failure of someone we know, for example, to be Christlike. Then we "pounce and pronounce" on them with a clear and harsh verdict of "guilty", all the while hinting quite broadly that we never act that way ourselves. This applies to celebrities, well-known politicians and their political parties, our fellow family members, the hierarchy of the Church, our pastors, and nearly anybody we care to name. And then along comes Our Lord with a devastating parable featuring a man much like ourselves who is obviously so wrong, so full of pride as to be disgusting. To top it off, he is contrasted with his opposite, a virtuous and humble man who mouths a heartfelt request of his God. Obviously, we know which man Our Lord the Storyteller favors. Listen again to that tax collector in the back of the room that could well teach a college course in prayer. He says "O God, be merciful to me, a sinner." Just eight words. But worth more than eighteen or eighty in describing a perfect attitude when addressing our all-holy God. We know of the greedy practice of many a Jewish tax collector in those days, ostensibly working for the Romans but secretly working for themselves by overcharging taxpayers. The man in the parable is a wonderful exception. We admire him. We want to be like him. He would know the truth of today's Responsorial Psalm: "The Lord hears the cry of the poor." In the meantime, we trust in God to help us improve each day to be more like the person He had in mind when He created us. Of course, we have to live with people who are the opposite of that taxpayer, who seem to be everywhere. Sometimes we delight when they get their comeuppance. Like the man in this story published in "The Los Angeles Times." A flight cancellation had resulted in a long line of travelers trying to get booked on another flight. One man in the line grew increasingly impatient with the slow-moving line. Suddenly, he pushed his way to the front and angrily demanded a first-class ticket on the next available flight. "I'm sorry," said the ticket agent, "but I'll have to first take care of the people who were ahead of you in the line." The irate man then pounded his fist on the ticket counter, saying, "Do you have any idea who I am?" Whereupon the ticket agent picked up the public address microphone and said, "Attention please! There is a gentleman at the ticket counter who does not know who he is. If there is anyone in the airport who can identify him, please come to the counter." Hearing this, the man retreated, and the people waiting in line burst into applause.

Mass Intentions Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time

October 27, 2019 Saturday, 10/26/19 9:00 am For All the Parishioners of St. Mary-OLMC (Health & Blessings) 5:00 pm Michael McCauley (Deceased) 7:00 pm Maritza Rodriguez (Living) (Special Intentions & Blessings) Acción de Gracias Por 55th Aniversario de Boda de Jose y Elsa Brito Sunday, 10/27/19 Lucille Strychalsky (Health) 8:30 am Edilia Marmolejos (Viva) (85th Feliz Cumpleaños) 9:45 am 11:30 am Geradina Ricchiet (Deceased) (First Anniversary in Heaven) Monday, 10/28/19 9:00 am Michael Phillips (Deceased) (Birthday in Heaven) Tuesday 10/29/19 9:00 am Mrs. Norma Lerner (Special Intentions) Wednesday, 10/30/19 9:00 am Joseph Koster (Deceased) (Anniversary in Heaven) Thursday, 10/31/19 Margaret Calamari (Deceased) (Birthday in Heaven) 9:00 am Friday,11/1/19 9:00 am Craig Wells (Health & Healing) 7:30 pm Bilingual Mass with Spanish Healing Service Saturday, 11/2/19 Jose Manuel Hernandez (Birthday in Heaven) 9:00 am 5:00 pm Msgr. Edward Barry (Special Intentions) 7:00 pm Ives F. Vazquez (Difunto) (1 Mes de Fallecido) Sunday, 11/3/19 No Mass Intentions Requested 8:30 am 9:45 am No Intenciones para Misa Español

Catarine Cusato (Deceased)

11:30 am