

# St. Mary-Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

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## MASSES

### Saturday Evening

5:00pm, 7:00pm (Spanish)

### Sunday

8:00, 9:30am (Spanish), 11:30am

### Daily (Mon-Sat)

9:00am – English

### Monday & Wednesday

7:00pm – Spanish

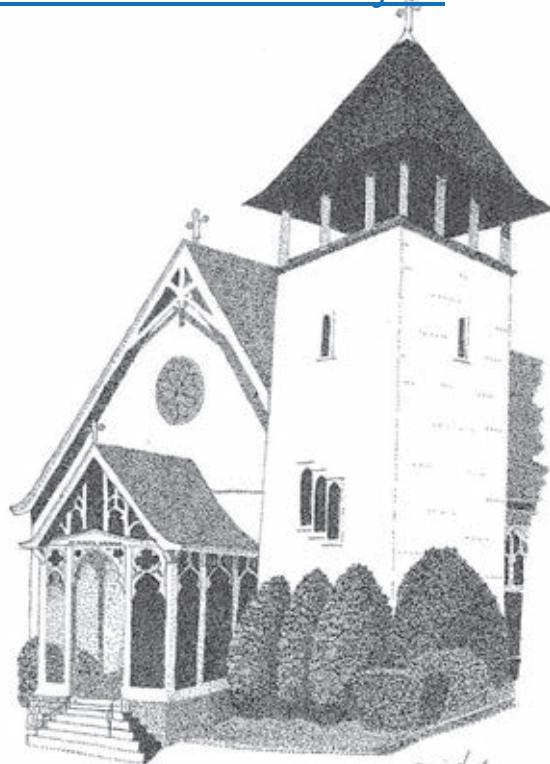
### Holy Days

9:00am and 7:30pm

## SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

**Sunday & Monday:** Closed

**Tuesday through Saturday:** 9:30 – 2:00



**Rev. Francis P. Scanlon**

*Pastor*

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*Minister of Education*

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## BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS

Please call the Rectory for an appointment with the Pastor

(914) 664-5855

## CONFESIONS

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45 pm or call for an appointment

## CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING

Wednesdays at 8:00pm in Parish Hall.

Teachings, Witnessing, Scripture Sharing, and more, to give honor and praise to God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. All ages are welcome!

## SPANISH PRAYER MEETING

Every Friday at 7:00 pm in Parish Hall.

First Friday: Healing Mass 7:30 pm

All are invited!

*In all facilities (office, Church, hall), all must wear a mask. Social distancing must be maintained (you know, 6 feet...). We have sanitizing stations: everyone must sanitize their hands upon entering and leaving. No physical contact (including the sign of peace).*

- *If you are not feeling well in any way, please stay home.*
- *If you are vulnerable (due to illness, age, etc.), please stay home.*

**An Easter Prayer**

Dear Lord,

I so often feel like the Apostle Paul. I do the things I do not want to do and I do not do the things I want to do. I allow sin to reign in me and I allow death to reign my heart. Why do I live in this reality, when it is not the reality of my relationship with you? Why do I continue to live as if the blackness of Good Friday is all that there is? You have risen Lord Jesus and you are no longer in the grave and you bring resurrection to my heart and my life every day. Help me to walk from the tomb of doing what I do not desire and to reflect your risen life in all that I am and all that I do. I ask that the new resurrected life that you are creating in me would be extended out beyond me and it would flow into the world. Create life, hope, and grace in me again and again each and every day and help me to allow you to create the same in my community and in this world. You are alive! I pray that you would live in and through me. Amen!

**Divine Mercy Sunday**

Forty-eight times in St. Faustina's Diary, Jesus tells her not to be afraid. Fear is one of the enemy's greatest tools. More than anything else, Jesus needs us to turn from fear and to trust Him. That's why every Divine Mercy Image is inscribed with the message "Jesus, I trust in You". I know it can be difficult to do. But there's no task more important than offering Christ our worries and trusting that despite how things may seem, He has everything under control. One sure way to fall into fear? Fight against God's will for us. We need to surrender to God, to whatever Divine Providence has allowed in our lives, and trust

that He is going to use our circumstances, even the most difficult, for our good. Join us for The Chaplet of Divine Mercy on Sunday, April 11, 2021 at 12:30 pm in the Church. The Chaplet will be sung in English, Spanish, as well The Rosary, followed by Benediction of The Blessed Sacrament. This will be taped and will be available on YouTube.

**Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal**

God loves us so much that he gave his only begotten son, so that we might gain eternal life. What are we to do with this gift of unbound mercy and love? Love is repaid with love and we do this by showing acts of kindness and mercy towards our family, our friends, our neighbors, our co-workers, and even strangers. While our works to support the least of our brothers and sisters is a lifetime vocation, the pandemic has brought suffering and sickness right to our doorstep. Our way of responding to the crisis situation is by participation in the Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal. For those that have already responded to this call to action, I extend my sincere gratitude. For those praying over your decision, I ask you to fill out a pledge card and bring it to Mass or mail it to the rectory. Thanks for your support, we have received pledges of \$13,425.00 from 28 parishioners.

**Mass Intentions - April 11 - April 17**

Sunday, 4/11	8:00 am – For Love and Peace 9:30 am – Acción de Gracias Ala Divina Misericordia
Monday, 4/12	11:30 am – Gianni Piccolino & Dana Costellano (Special Intention) 9:00 am – Wilfredo Sylas Bonilla III (Happy Birthday)
Tuesday, 4/13	7:00 pm – No Intenciones en Español
Wednesday 4/14	9:00 am – Adam Mazzola (16 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary In Heaven) 9:00 am – No Mass Intention Requested
Thursday 4/15	7:00 pm – No Intenciones en Español
Friday 4/16	9:00 am – No Mass Intention Requested
Saturday, 4/17	9:00 am – Louis S. Barcelo (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary in Heaven) 9:00 am – No Mass Intention Requested 5:00 pm – Devoy Family (Special intention) 7:00 pm – Israel Gonzalez (1 <sup>st</sup> Aniversario en Cielo)



**Parish Office Hours:** Tues – Sat 9:30 – 2:00; Closed Sundays & Mondays

### Una oración pascual

Querido Señor,

A menudo me siento como el apóstol Pablo. Hago las cosas que no quiero hacer y no hago las cosas que quiero hacer. Permiso que el pecado reine en mí y permito que la muerte reine mi corazón. ¿Por qué vivo en esta realidad, cuando no es la realidad de mi relación contigo? ¿Por qué sigo viviendo como si la negrura del Viernes Santo fuera todo lo que hay? Has resucitado al Señor Jesús y ya no estás en la tumba y traes resurrección a mi corazón y a mi vida todos los días. Ayúdame a caminar desde la tumba de hacer lo que no deseo y a reflejar tu vida resucitado en todo lo que soy y todo lo que hago. Pido que la nueva vida resucitada que estás creando en mí se extienda más allá de mí y fluya al mundo. Crea vida, esperanza y gracia en mí una y otra vez todos los días y ayúdame a permitirte crear lo mismo en mi comunidad y en este mundo. ¡Estás vivo! Rezo para que vivas dentro y a través de mí. ¡Amén!

### Domingo de la Divina Misericordia

Cuarenta y ocho veces en el Diario de Santa Faustina, Jesús le dice que no tenga miedo. El miedo es una de las mayores herramientas del enemigo. Más que cualquier otra cosa, Jesús necesita que nos alejemos del miedo y confiemos en Él. Es por eso que cada Imagen de la Divina Misericordia está inscrita con el mensaje "Jesús, en Ti confío". Sé que puede ser difícil de hacer. Pero no hay tarea más importante que ofrecer a Cristo nuestras preocupaciones y confiar en que a pesar de lo que puedan parecer las cosas, Él lo tiene todo bajo control. ¿Una forma segura de caer en el miedo? Lucha contra la voluntad de Dios para nosotros. Necesitamos entregarnos a Dios, a todo lo que la Divina Providencia ha permitido en nuestras vidas, y confiar en que Él usará nuestras circunstancias, incluso las más difíciles, para nuestro bien. Únase a nosotros para la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia el domingo 11 de abril de 21 a las 12:30 pm en la Iglesia. La Coronilla se cantará en inglés, español, así como El Rosario, seguido de la Beneficencia del

Beato Sacrament. Este será encabezado y estará disponible en youtube.

### Apelación anual de Campana del Cardenal

Dios nos ama tanto que dio a su único hijo engendrado, para que pudiéramos ganar la vida eterna. ¿Qué debemos hacer con este don de misericordia y amor sin límites? El amor se reembolsa con amor y lo hacemos mostrando actos de bondad y misericordia hacia nuestra familia, nuestros amigos, nuestros vecinos, nuestros compañeros de trabajo e incluso extraños. Si bien nuestra obra de apoyo al menor de nuestros hermanos y hermanas es una vocación de por vida, la pandemia ha llevado el sufrimiento y la enfermedad a nuestra puerta. Nuestra forma de responder a la situación de crisis es participando en la Apelación Anual de Campana del Cardenal. Para aquellos que ya han respondido a este llamado a la acción, extiendo mi sincera gratitud. Por aquellos que rezan por su decisión, les pido que llenen una tarjeta de compromiso y la lleven a misa o la envíen por correo a la rectoría. Gracias por su apoyo, hemos recibido promesas de \$13,425.00 de 28 feligreses.

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