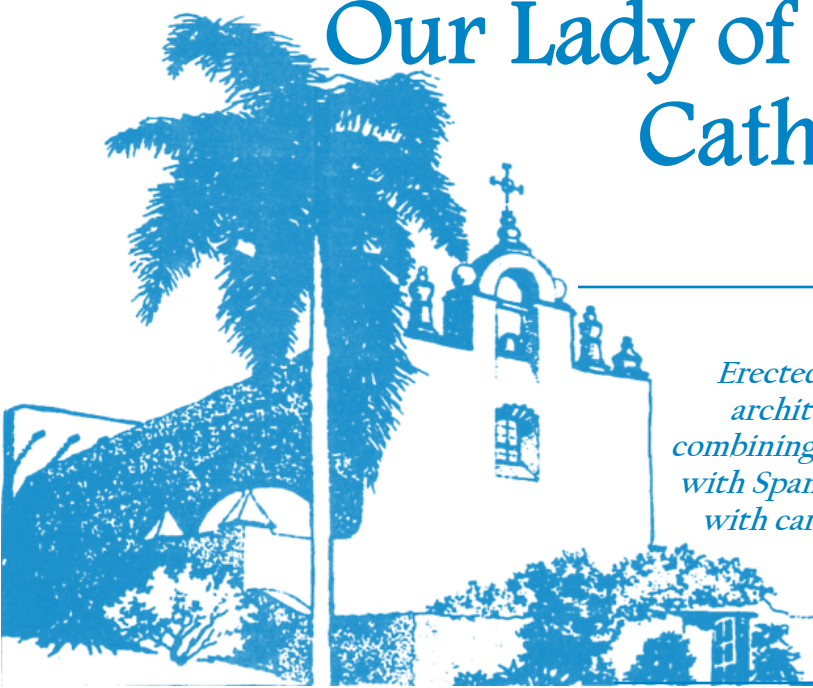


Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church



Erected in 1936, the entire structure reflects the architectural style developed by missionaries, combining the building patterns of the Pueblo Indians with Spanish-Colonial design. Even the landscaping, with carefully selected shrubs and trees is typical.

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Masses
Daily 7:45 AM
Saturday 7:45 AM Vigil Mass: 4:30 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12 Noon

Holy Day Mass Vigil 5:30 PM
Masses on Holy Day:
7:45 AM, 9:00 AM (*School Mass*) & 5:30 PM

Confessions: Saturdays 3:30-4:15 PM **In Side Chapel**

Baptisms: 1st & 2nd Sundays of the month

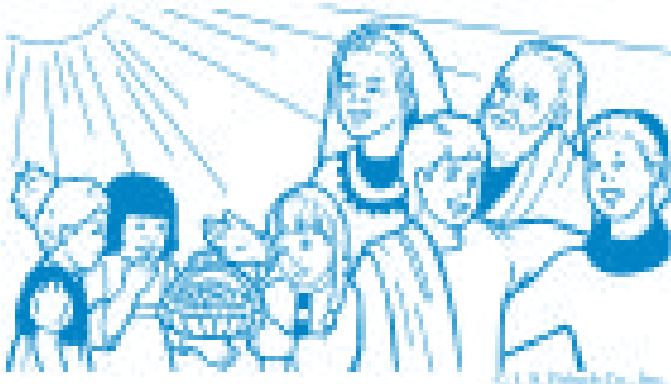
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High School Confirmation - '*El Camino*'
Middle School Youth Group - '*The 'M&M's*'

Weddings
The Bride or Groom must be a registered, contributing and active member of Mt. Carmel Parish for at least one year before requesting a marriage date.
Please call the Rectory at least six months before the proposed date of marriage or email us at weddings@olmc-montecito.com for more information.

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Secular Order of Carmelites - Meets 2nd Sat. of each month
Evelyn Duimovich 805/969-3858



16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 20, 2014

Those who are just must
be kind.

- Wisdom 12:19

WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL



Our Lady of Mount Carmel

If you are visiting or new to our community, we are blessed that you are here to worship with us and we welcome you. Our Pastor, our Retired Priests and Parish Family extend the hospitality of Jesus Christ to you.

If you would like more information about our Parish, please call or stop by our Parish Office. The office hours are Mon-Fri, 8:30am- 12 noon and from 1:30pm - 5pm. Coffee, Donuts & Cappuccino are served in the side courtyard after the 10am Sunday Mass.

PLEASE JOIN US!

WHOLE COMMUNITY FAITH SHARING

Week of July 20th — Matthew 13:24-43

Faith Reflection: Last week's parable and this week's parables are about seeds. Last week seeds fell on different soils, this week Jesus tells us of the power of the tiniest mustard seed and what happens to the weeds that attempt to choke out the plants produced by the good seed. God allows both to grow together until the final harvest. At that time the weeds will be tossed into a fiery furnace and the angels will gather the good plants into the kingdom. "Whoever has ears ought to hear".

Faith Question: Where do I see weeds?

Faith Response: I will make a list of the weeds I see in the world, my country, my family and in my heart. Then, I will contemplate how I plant to treat these weeds.



Food Pantry

Catholic Charities Food Pantry remains committed to helping low-income families and persons who continue to struggle with the effects of the economic downturn. Your donations can be dropped off in the Vestibule of the Church or at the Rectory Office. Thank you for your generosity!

"Whatever you do for one of my brothers, you do for me."
Matthew 25:39

Please Pray For The Sick Of Our Parish

Bruce Albertson, Jack Jones, Marti Boise, Jo Dushais, Jack McClellan, Rosemary Donohue, Rosemary Redmond, Patricia McNamara, Christopher Guadagnini, Sir Daniel Donohue, Tyler Hester, Dylan Swalley, Frances Maher, Maddie Press, the Borgatello Family, Marilyn Schuermann, Mary McCormack, Robert Munoz, Roger Cass, Jim Fuller, Susan Basler, Ritz Brunello, Angela Martel, Francisco Ramos, Cormack O'Toole, Joe Maguire and Eric Lundy.

Do you know of someone who is NO longer in need of being on our list? Wish to add immediate family? Does someone need to be visited?

Please call our Parish Office at 805/969-6868.



Ministry Assignments

SAT. 4:30 PM	JULY 19th Elosie Srednicki - Lector H. Peterson, S. de Ponce & J. Casey Eucharistic Ministers Luke & Riley Peterson Altar Servers
SUN. 8:00 AM	JULY 20th Alicia McFarlane - Lector G. & M. Mueller - Eucharistic Ministers Sam Krautmann, Caitlin Hubbs & Hallie Bissell - Altar Servers
10:00 AM	Tina Da Ros - Lector M. Press, J. Klink, F. Cogburn, C. Groth-Marnat C. Wathen, E. Guadagnini, M. & T. Lorge Eucharistic Ministers Anabel, Kaed & Charlotte Caesar Altar Servers
12:00 PM	Stephanie Kwock - Lector MB Tynan & O. Loretto Eucharistic Ministers Nicole Figueroa & Julianna Forry Altar Servers



Mass Intentions

SAT. 7:45 AM	JULY 19th Int. of Walter Conn
4:30 PM	Tan Boon Bee +
SUN. 8:00 AM	JULY 20th Loretta Mahony +
10:00 AM	Tomoe Mary Moyle +
12:00 PM	Bill Hauck +
MON. 7:45 AM	JULY 21st Mary Owen +
TUES. 7:45 AM	JULY 22nd Cindy Johnson +
WED. 7:45 AM	JULY 23rd John Rosecrance +
THU. 7:45 AM	JULY 24th Kathleen Hill +
FRI. 7:45 AM	JULY 25th Jim Burkemper +
SAT. 7:45 AM	JULY 26th Richard S. Foote +
4:30 PM	Denny Lord +
SUN. 8:00 AM	JULY 27th Lisa Tucker +
10:00 AM	Jeanne Regis +
12:00 PM	Gen. Mike Rogers +



SACRAMENTS - Baptism, Reconciliation, Holy Eucharist

Sacraments
Baptisms: Special Baptism classes for children ages 7 and older will begin on September 7th – Families of children needing the Sacrament of Baptism are encouraged to attend our first gathering on August 24th. (More information in upcoming bulletins about the first gathering.)

Reconciliation and Holy Eucharist: (Two year program) Families having children who have not received either of these Sacraments are encouraged to attend our first gathering on August 24th.

Registration: Visit Our Lady of Mount Carmel's Website - mtcarmelsb.com to download the registration forms. You may also call or email the Religious Education Office. Refer to information on the cover of Parish Bulletin.

**Safeguard Our Children
 Get Involved In
 Parish Safety Programs**

Parents and guardians play a key role in the success of parish programs for young people. Parents and guardians who are involved in parish programs and events will be in the best position to protect their own children as well as all the children in the parish community. Involvement and communication are important factors in helping to ensure safe environments for all of our children.

Contact Sr. Kathleen Patrice at our Religious Education Office, 805/969-4868 for more information on how you can become actively involved in the safe environment training programs in our parish.



El Campo Del Sol

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish is sponsoring **El Campo Del Sol Family Day & Backpack Outreach — Program** on August 3rd, benefitting the children living at Dahlia & Chapel Courts in Carpinteria. **Please help us provide for the 150 children & teens** of People's Self Help Housing by —

- ◇ Sponsoring a backpack filled with school supplies — \$45 per backpack.
- ◇ Collecting gently used children's & teen clothing
- ◇ Donating raffle items: boogie boards, beach toys/games, soccer balls, and scooter/helmet.

If you can help, please contact Sister Kathleen Patrice at 805.969.4868 or bring your donations to the Parish Office.



Here at OLMC Parish, we strive to offer our youth a place to “Belong, Believe, Become”.

“El Camino”

High School Confirmation Group

Join us as we explore our faith & journey to The Rite of Confirmation through topical discussion, music, debate, multimedia & art. Meets two Sundays a month, from 11am to 12:30pm in our Parish Hall.



Sessions & Gatherings

Sessions start September 2014

Online Registrations starts July 1st

Open Registration - Sunday, Aug. 24th & 31st (after the 10am Mass in the courtyard)

“Sanctus” High School Leadership Group

July 25th — 27th Stubenville, San Diego Conference

“M + M's”

Middle School Youth Group

Open to all 6th - 8th graders from ANY school. Meets 6:30pm - 8pm in Parish Hall



Summer Events

July 20th Endless Summer Harbor

Kayaking Trip

August 11th Universal Studios

SOLD OUT!!

(All events require a reservation!!)

For more information or to be added to our email list, please contact our Youth Minister, Sarah Mack at 805-574-9941 or at sarahm@mouncarmelschool.net.

**The Santa Barbara Region of
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‘SOUL FOOD’

Potluck Picnic & Outdoor Mass

Saturday, July 19th

3pm to 5pm — Mission Rose Garden

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For more information, please Call

Sarah from (OLMC) 805.969.6868 or

Alex from (St. Barbara's) 805.683.4151

(Enjoy playing bocce ball, frisbee, soccer, food & libations with young adults from all over the central coast.)

OUR PARISH FINANCES

Many thanks to all for your generous contributions to our Church in the Offertory Collection each Sunday. Here is the report for the Offertory Collection on Sunday, June 28th/29th:

Envelopes and Plate Collection	\$6034
<u>Restricted Donations</u>	<u>\$5050</u>
Total	\$11,084

Your generosity in summer months is very important to us as our Sunday collections go down with many people out of town. We also invite larger donations from parishioners and friends who can do so.

Your generous contributions fund all the parish worship, religious, educational and service programs of the parish. Many thanks and God's blessings on you and your family.

Theology Studies at the Franciscan School of Theology Informational Meeting

Thursday, July 31st ◊ 7pm to 8pm

If you are a teacher, parishioner, ministry leader, catechist or friend, please come & spend an evening learning about the Franciscan School of Theology and the programs in graduate theology.

Where: Friar's Lounge, Santa Barbara Mission
2300 Garden St., Santa Barbara, 93105

Please RSVP to Jeanette Gonzalez at jgonzalez@fst.edu or at 760/547-1800, ext.204.

MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE PLAN SPECIAL COLLECTION

Next Sunday, we will be blessed to have Bishop Arulappan Amalraj, of the Diocese of Ootacamun, speaking to ask for prayers and financial support as part of the Missionary Cooperative Plan.

Bishop Amalraj says, "The mission of his diocese is focused on building the Kingdom of God in spiritual and social dimensions. The diocese is plagued by high rates of illiteracy, poverty and unemployment. The mission appeal will help the needs of the poorest of the poor."

Fr. Steve says, "We are a missionary Church, given a worldwide mission by our Savior, Jesus Christ. Your prayers and generous financial support will be very much appreciated."

Please use the special envelopes in the pew for the one collection next weekend at Offertory Time.



Thank You! Thank You!
For Helping Our Community
Did you know???? Your one, two, three dollar donations to our Coffee & Donut Basket have directly benefited the Catholic Charities Food Pantry. In 2013, we collected and donated a TOTAL of \$510. This year we have been able to donate \$442, and we still have six months to go. We are their biggest contributors!! This great organization so appreciates your continued donations. You are a blessing to our city!!!

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

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We hear more parables of Jesus in today's Gospel (Matthew 13:24-43). Parables are short stories to teach us about God's way of seeing people and life. Today's parables are parables of growth, telling us that the Kingdom of God begins small and grows in amazing ways, just as a small mustard seed grows into the largest of plants. As part of God's Kingdom we are part of its becoming in the world, growing in goodness and love and peace and the life of God. We must also recognize that good and evil are mixed together in our personal life and in the life of the Church. God gives us many second chances. We must be patient with ourselves, gentle and merciful towards self and others, remembering that God "judges with clemency...with much lenience governs us...permits repentance for our sins" (as we hear in the First Reading today from Wisdom 12:13, 16-19). In the Second Reading (from Romans 8:26-27) St. Paul tells us that the "Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness, for we do not know how to pray as we ought". The Holy Spirit will help us to change and grow beyond our weaknesses through God's love and presence in our life.

- Each summer, a visiting missionary priest makes an appeal in our parish as part of the Missionary Cooperative Program of the Archdiocese. **Next Sunday**, Bishop Arulappan Amalraj, Bishop of the Diocese of Ootacamund, India, will speak and ask for our prayers and donations to help support the ministry of the Church in his diocese. Envelopes will be available in the pews for your donation to this worthy cause in the one collection at Offertory time next Sunday.

- We are blessed to have Father Liam O'Connell, S.J., with us to minister in the parish until his return to Ireland on July 28th. Father Liam is the cousin of Father Maurice O'Mahony, our Pastor Emeritus.

- Work has begun on some major renovation projects this summer:

1. The painting of the outside of the buildings of Our Lady of Mount Carmel School. Cost: \$35,500 in labor, plus cost of materials.

2. Renovating the School Offices, administration and faculty area of the School. Cost estimate: \$20,000

3. Repairing and renovating the Men's Rest Room in the Parish Hall because of a methane gas leak there. The door in the Women's Rest Room in the Parish Hall will also be replaced. This means that both Rest Rooms will be accessible to people in wheel chairs. Cost estimate: \$25,000.

4. Some heating and air conditioning repairs in the Rectory for the Pastor's Office and Fr. O'Sullivan's room. Cost: \$6,905

5. Repairing /replacing the awnings at the Parish Hall and at the house and parking area of the home of the Pastor Emeritus. Cost: \$10,380.

We invite donations from generous parishioners and friends for any of these repairs/renovations. Any gifts or donations would be helpful in meeting the many needs for maintaining and renovation our Church and School buildings.



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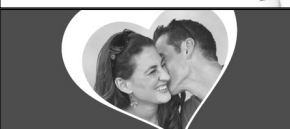


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