

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish
Coronavirus
Weekly Update as of April 8, 2020 at 2:00 pm

Dear Parishioners,

This is Holy Week, the last week of Lent and our “final lap” as we prepare to celebrate Easter knowing the graces that flow from the resurrection of Christ. Let us truly prepare ourselves for this great celebration in these remaining days by truly trying to enter into the mysteries of this Holy Week. Now that we have been home for multiple days, let us take the time to really try to connect to our Lord by spending time with the Lord. As we read on Palm Sunday, Jesus will say to his disciples in the garden of Gethsemane “Couldn’t you men keep watch with me for one hour?” To help us spend “quality” time with Jesus, we will livestream Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after the Holy Thursday Mass, around 8:30 pm. We have also added to the website many spiritual resources for adults and families with children. I invite you to please look at them and I look forward to sharing all the live stream activities.

I want to salute those who have made their weekly donations online. We really appreciate your continued support of the parish. I also thank those who have dropped of their regular weekly donation and their Easter donation at the Parish office or mailed it in. You are lifesavers.

God bless, Fr. Lawrence Seyer

Livestreaming Schedule for Holy Week

We have made many improvements: fixed the priest’s microphone, now using camera with zoom abilities and streaming directly from our website, so you do not need to go to Facebook.

Stations of the Cross - This Friday at 6:00 pm
Palm Sunday Mass at 10:00 am
Holy Thursday, Mass of the Lord’s Supper at 7:30 pm
Good Friday, Celebration of the Lord’s Passion at 3:00 pm
Good Friday, Stations of the Cross at 6:00 pm
Holy Saturday, Easter Vigil at 7:30
Easter Sunday Mass at 10:00

Please go to go to our Parish website -- www.mtcarmelsb.com or Facebook page @mountcarmelsb

Regular Masses: Still suspended until at least April 19th

Parish Activities: All are canceled until further notice.

Parish Office: Closed, but we are still taking phone calls, answering emails and accepting regular mail.

Flocknotes: To get up-to-date information from the Parish, please register for our communication program managed by Flocknotes. Go to the website for instructions to sign up

Weekly Giving: In this special time of crisis for our country, it is important that the parish continue to bring God’s word of love and hope to our community. Please help us by continuing your weekly sacrificial giving. Please mail you weekly check to the office, drop it off by sliding it under the front door, or sign up for our electronic giving by going to the DONATE tab on our website.