

Announcements Continued

Jane Brennan Talk

Mrs. Jane Brennan, a post-abortive woman herself, will share her story of healing after abortion. A former militant, anti-Catholic feminist, member of NOW and Planned Parenthood volunteer, Brennan has devoted her life now to speaking about the hurt and shame of abortion. Her powerful testimony is witness to the love and mercy of God. Mrs. Brennan will give her testimony at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish on Sunday February 7th - 12:30 p.m. In addition to Jane's story, Mrs. Laura Rohling, will also give a brief talk about her own abortion experience. Jane's story should further encourage us to see and understand the power of the grace of God and that it is never too late for anyone to change.

Single Woman Discerning a Vocation

For single women 16-35 who are discerning their vocation or interested in learning about the consecrated religious life. Sat. Feb. 6th from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Mass celebrant & luncheon speaker: Fr. Matt Hartley. Event includes Eucharistic adoration and opportunity for Reconciliation. Little Sisters of the Poor, 3629 W. 29th Ave., Denver. There is no registration fee. RSVP by Feb. 4th to vcdenver@littlesistersofthepoor.org or (303) 594-7420.

Music Conference

The next basic music conference for personal vocal knowledge given by Ars Nova singer, voice instructor and Choir Director, Rick Wheeler is scheduled for Saturday February 6th in the parish hall. The conference will begin around 9:15, immediately following the morning mass (8:30) and will go until 4:30/5:00 PM. There will be a lunch break at 1:00PM. If you attend please make sure that you make your own arrangements for lunch. The conference is free to all OLMC

parishioners and choir members. Anyone from outside the parish is most welcome, however we ask non-parishioner guests to give a donation of \$10.00.

Feast of the Purification

Tuesday February 2nd is the feast of the Purification. On this day candles are blessed that will be used in the church throughout the year. If you would like candles blessed on this day for use in your home please leave them in the sacristy or in the parish office in a bag or box clearly marked with your name on it. We will bless them at the Masses and you may take them afterwards.

Altar Boy Meeting

We will have a morning meeting with the altar boys scheduled for Saturday February 13th. We hope to have a regular monthly meeting for the altar boys so as to practice Mass serving and responses, some social time for the boys and some prayer time together. The morning will begin with Mass @ 8:30 a.m. and will conclude with lunch @ 12 noon. Any boys interested in learning to serve and for any who are making their First Communion this year are invited to join us. Any questions please ask Fr. Hearty.

Feast of St. Blase

Wednesday February 3rd is the feast day of St. Blase, Bishop & Martyr. It is tradition to have the blessing of throats on this day. So after the morning Masses we will have the blessing of throats. Anyone unable to attend Mass on that day we will have the blessing after the Sunday Masses February 7th.

First Friday Adoration

There are sign up sheets, by the Church door, for first Friday adoration which is February 5-6.

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CATHOLIC CHURCH



Fraternitas Sacerdotalis Sancti Petri
The Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter

Sunday January 24th, 2010

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

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Mass Schedule

Sundays
7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Mondays-Saturdays
7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m.

Holy Days
7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 6:00 p.m.

Confessions

Half hour before each Mass
Saturdays: 10:00-11:00 a.m.
3:00-4:00 p.m.

Devotions:

Holy Hour: Thursdays from 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Welcome

Welcome to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church. We ask all visitors and parishioners to please abide by our dress codes. For women, dresses or skirts must be below the knee. Please no shorts, pants or sleeveless, low-cut, tight, or revealing clothing. Head coverings are highly recommended. For men, no shorts, t-shirts, tank-tops, or jeans.

The red missalettes are provided for your use while in the church. Please do not remove them when you leave.

Please make checks for the collection basket payable to OLMC Catholic Church. Mass stipend checks may be made out to the individual priest.

In Your Charity Pray:

For the sick:

J. Reilly	Barbara Blaufuss
Bob Johnson	Helen Ferencz
Buzz Schofield	Clita Reddy
Hank Windmoeller	Bill Jarman
Lucille Ely	Walter Mertz
Cy Cox	Rose Romanski
Dwayne Spreier	Gene Romanski

For the repose of the souls of:

Jimmy McGain	Margaret Blaufuss
Martin Alberding	Rose Hirman
Ellen Hardenberger	Carol Feltes
Karen Knowles	Lucille Ely

Any parishioner confined at home who would like to receive the sacraments should call the rectory. To have a name added to the list, please contact the parish office or e-mail secretary@olmcfssp.org.

Parish Organizations

Knights of Columbus

Contact: Tom Lacy- 303-717-4420 or e-mail tomlacy@netzero.com

Altar & Rosary Society

Contact: Mary Gae Quicker-303-741-6092

OLMC Homeschoolers

Contact: Monica Mayhak- 303-422-5178

Legion of Mary

Every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m., info. at the back of the church. Contact: Barbara Kuehl, President- 720-898-9594

Daughters of Our Lady of Grace

Contact: Crystal Hamm- inthanx@gmail.com

St. Anne's Quilters

Contact:Natli Molloy — 303-771-3803

PRAYER LINE: For prayers or to offer to pray for others, contact: Sue Scofield at sue.sco@comcast.net or 720 482 9594.

Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 24

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

7:30 am Protection of the Unborn in the USA by Fr. Jackson

9:00 am Moylan Family

11:00 am Pro Populo

Monday, January 25

Conversion of St. Paul

7:00 am +Kevin Sinott

8:30 am David & Susan Blaufuss by Fr. Hearty

Tuesday, January 26

St. Polycarp

7:00 am +Marian Ossendorf by Jane Brennan

8:30 am +Della M. Henrich by Tom & Joan Jackson

Wednesday, January 27

St. John Chrysostom

7:00 am +Leopoldo Romero by Romero Family

8:30 am +Rome V. Henrich by Rom & Joan Jackson

Thursday, January 28

St. Peter Nolasco

7:00 am Richard Karsky by Karsky Children

8:30 am Rose Mary Angle by John Brooks

Friday, January 29

St. Francis de Sales

7:00 am Arlene Reiling by Roma Casburn

8:30 am +Alicia Maciel by Armand & Marie De Pizzol

Saturday, January 30

St. Martina

7:00 am Michael Benefiel by Jane Egle

8:30 am +Elroy Hirman by Crystal Hamm

Sunday, January 31

Septuagesima Sunday

7:30 am Repose of the Souls of Deceased Victims in Haiti by Fr. Jackson

9:00 am The Living in Haiti by Fr. Jackson

11:00 am Pro Populo

If you wish to have a Mass said for a particular intention, please ask one of the priests, and he will give you an envelope to fill out, if he can take the intention.

From the Pastor

• The media is covering the death of Miep Gies rather well; she was a protector of Anne Frank and a devout Catholic. She deserves the coverage and may she rest in peace. The press is rather silent about Countess Freya von Moltke, part of the core German resistance to Hitler. She died January 1st at her home in Norwich, CT. The resistance circle of which she was a part began rather early in the war; it was in full swing by 1942. Sometimes people wonder why the Germans didn't bump off Hitler earlier; the Kriesau circle (as it was called) certainly thought about it, but worried that killing Hitler would make him into a martyr, and make things even worse than they were. But eventually they sided with those who wanted Hitler dead, and supported the 1944 bomb attempt of Count von Stauffenberg. Countess von Moltke's husband was hanged by the Gestapo shortly after. I hope that the bravery of the Catholic resistance to the Nazi's comes out more and more with the declaration of Pius XII and John Paul II (he too was accused of not doing enough for the Jews) as venerable.

• There will be sign-up sheets for the sacrament of Confirmation in the connecting hall on February 1st. The date of Confirmation will be October 9th, at 1130 AM, conferred by Bp. Conley. Please consult the booklet on the parish policy regarding Confirmation, which may be found in the pamphlet rack in the connecting hall.

• There was a startling article in the Wall Street Journal about the problem of long-term aid to poor countries; that such aid does a considerable amount of harm.

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K of C PANCAKE BREAKFAST

AFTER ALL MASSES NEXT SUNDAY

Serving hours: 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Adults and older children \$7.00

Ages 3-10 \$4.00

Family Rate \$35.00

MENU

*PANCAKES *SCRAMBLED EGGS *SAUSAGE

*BACON *HASH BROWNS *SHREDDED 3 CHEESE

BLEND *SALSA

ORANGE JUICE *LEMONADE *ICE WATER

*TEA *COFFEE

I'll have to think about what the author said...but in the meantime short-term aid is vital. A parishioner sent in information about a group that is on-site and which does not accept government funds; furthermore they are competent. Some might prefer donating through them. Their address is:

The Missionaries of the Poor

P.O. Box 2983

Atlanta, Georgia 30359

Fr. Richard Lo Hung was their founder, starting the order in 1981 in Kingston, Jamaica.

• Rev. Edward Cowhig died January 6th. He was the Boston College QB, but left college to enter seminary in 1939. BC lost the Cotton Bowl to Clemson the next year, and all agree it would have been different had Fr. Cowhig still been at the helm. Father went into the Army Chaplain Corps, and made 245 jumps with the 82nd Airborne. He always jumped with a lit cigar. They just don't make them like they used to. May he rest in peace.

• If I didn't say this before, the reliquaries on our altar go with an entire set that is at the seminary. The candlesticks, Holy Lamp, crucifix, etc. all match the altar perfectly. Fr. Bisig, the rector of the seminary, has asked if the seminary could give us four of their best reliquaries in exchange for ours. I don't know the story on how these reliquaries wound up here in Littleton, but I am sure that we should make the exchange. I don't want to ship the reliquaries, so I'll drive them to Denton around the time of the dedication, since Father hopes to have them in time for that.

Diaper Shower

On Sunday February 7th we will be collecting diapers for Ray and Ann Young's baby that is due in February. Size one and up are preferred, there will be a box in the Parish Hall for you to put diapers in. If you have any questions or would like to recommend an expecting mom please contact Laura Anselmi at 720-283-1392 or laura@dr.anselmi.us.

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