

**Announcements cont'd:**

**Lenten Dinners**

All parishioners are invited to our Lenten Potluck Dinners at OLMC. Every Friday during lent, we'll gather at 5pm, or as soon as you can arrive! Please bring a large meatless dish or soup to share. Stations of the Cross immediately following at 6:15pm, and Mass at 7pm.

**Spaghetti Dinner & Talk**

On Tuesday, **February 13th**, there will be a parish hall fundraiser, spaghetti dinner from 5-7pm in the parish hall. A 1/2 hour talk starts at 7pm given by Joe Webb on **Why Catholics Should be More Involved in the Political Process in 2018**.

**Rachel's Vineyard**

We know there are many women and men in the pews who are suffering from the spiritual, emotional, and psychological pains of having an abortion, and now God is calling them home to Him. There is a flyer on the bulletin board in the parish hall with more information on healing through Rachel's Vineyard.

**FSSP Travel**

Orbis Catholicus Travel is very blessed to be able to offer 3 pilgrimages in 2018 with priests from the FSSP as chaplains. They are:

**Chartres, France May 22 - 30** with Fr. G. Huang, FSSP, Montreal, P.Q.

**Poland and Czech Republic Aug 13 - 27** with Fr. K. Sanetra, FSSP, Calgary, AB

**Holy Land and Jordan Nov 25 - Dec 10** with Fr. M. Passo, FSSP, Phoenix, AZ

Please go to our website [www.oc-travel.com](http://www.oc-travel.com) for all of the details regarding these wonderful, prayerful pilgrimages, which include daily Mass in the Extraordinary Rite.

**Catholic Trivia**

Like Trivia? How about Catholic trivia? Come for jeopardy & family feud style trivia games in the library on Saturday, **February 24th**, from 7:00-9:00pm for challenging questions & a good time. Contact Steve Cunningham for questions. [scunninghamjr@hotmail.com](mailto:scunninghamjr@hotmail.com)

**Sensus Fidelium**

There's a new website that offers Traditional Catholic teachings, applying sermons, lectures, books, meditations, etc from the popular YouTube channel, *Sensus Fidelium*. The webpage is: [www.sensusfidelium.us](http://www.sensusfidelium.us)

**Fr. Ripperger to Speak**

On Sunday, **March 11th**, Fr. Chad Ripperger will be speaking at Immaculate Heart of Mary parish in Northglenn, from 6-9pm for the Center for Natural Law. His topic will be: Natural Law and its Moral Significance. Please RSVP to 303-759-3599 or [canterfornaturallaw.org](http://canterfornaturallaw.org) There is no charge, and hors d'ourves will be served. Fr. Ripperger's website is [dolorans.org](http://dolorans.org)

**Parish Organizations:**  
**Altar & Rosary Society** [d.grandy@yahoo.com](mailto:d.grandy@yahoo.com)  
**Altar Boy Training** Fr. Kick - [ckick@olgseminary.org](mailto:ckick@olgseminary.org)  
**Carmelite Book Study**  
 Lucy Okoh 303-806-9923, 3rd Saturday at 9:30  
**Catholic Urban Farmers of Denver**  
 Malcolm Fritz - [catholicfarmers.wordpress.com](http://catholicfarmers.wordpress.com)  
**Daughters of Our Lady of Grace** - girls 6 and up.  
 Crystal Hamm - [inthanx@gmail.com](mailto:inthanx@gmail.com).  
**Holy Name Society** Men's group.  
 Fr. Kick - [ckick@olgseminary.org](mailto:ckick@olgseminary.org)  
**Juventutem, Young Adults Group** (608) 334-7651  
 veronica.write2life@gmail.com  
**Knights of Columbus Council # 13205**  
 kurtschueler1@gmail.com or 308-883-2562  
**Legion of Mary** Henry Alire - 303-426-0446.  
**OLMC Federation of North-American Explorers**  
 Nicholas Trandem - 720-295-9556 or  
[info@olmceexplorers.org](mailto:info@olmceexplorers.org)  
**OLMC Music Department and Choir**  
 Contact: Rick Wheeler  
[music.director@olmcfssp.org](mailto:music.director@olmcfssp.org).  
**Prayer Line:** To request prayers, please contact: Jane Brennan: [jmbrennan555@gmail.com](mailto:jmbrennan555@gmail.com) or 303-618-4182.  
**Shepherds of Christ** pray for priests every Tues., 5pm  
**St. Anne's Quilters** Carolyn Mulligan 303-254-9889.  
**St. Thomas Aquinas Study Group** meets monthly after the 10:30am Mass - [jbaker7@yahoo.com](mailto:jbaker7@yahoo.com).  
**Teen Girls of Carmel** Danielle Grandy  
[d.grandy@yahoo.com](mailto:d.grandy@yahoo.com)  
**Traveling Vocations Crucifix - Rotates Weekly**  
 Michael Six (720) 417-0503 [thesixfamily@gmail.com](mailto:thesixfamily@gmail.com)

# Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church



*Fraternitas Sacerdotalis Sancti Petri*  
The Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter

**Sunday, February 11, 2018**  
*Quinquagesima Sunday*

**Rev. James W. Jackson, FSSP Pastor**  
**Rev. Daniel Nolan, FSSP Parochial Vicar** [asst.pastor1@olmcfssp.org](mailto:asst.pastor1@olmcfssp.org)  
**Rev. Caleb Kick, FSSP Parochial Vicar**

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**Mass Schedule**

**Sundays**  
6:30 am, 8:30 am, 10:30 am (High), 12:30 p.m.

**Mondays-Saturdays**  
6:30 am M-F at Carmelite Monastery,  
Saturday at OLMC  
8:30 am M-Th and Sat. at OLMC

**Confessions**

Half hour before each Mass  
Saturdays: 9:30 - 10:30 am  
3:00 - 4:00 pm

**Devotions:**

Holy Hour: Thursdays 7:00 - 8:00 pm  
First Friday Adoration

## An Appointment to Court

There is a kind of abandonment which is necessary to be a good member of the court of our King. Put simply by Bl. Claude de la Columbiere, “It is confining our whole attention to fulfilling as perfectly as possible the holy will of God to its full extent, abandoning everything else to him, such as the care of all our temporal and also our spiritual interests, as, our advancement in virtue.” This may sound odd, but he is so right in this. Entering the sacred temple is not a time to be concerned even with how we are doing in the interior life. Instead, it is time to worship. But if we feel a desire, or fear, or have ideas and begin to form projects regarding our own interests or those of our loved ones, then we could say a little prayer about these, again from Bl. Claude: “Lord, I sacrifice all this; I give up all my miserable interests to You. And all that You please, all that You wish, happen. However, as there may be occasions when it is reasonably necessary to think and to act, I beg You to give me the thought at the right time, and thus I shall do nothing but follow what You deign to inspire, and I accept in advance either good or adverse results.”

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### *Please pray for the sick:*

David Williamson Sr & Jr, Robert & Debra DiCino, Lucia & Jorian Spann, Nathaniel Venters, Andy McKinley, James Hamm, Bonnie Joyce-Irish, Brian Wells, Elizabeth Nicolini, Ana Maria Romero, Sha Fisher, Carol Balizet, Nick Cleary, Mary Robles, Sarah Totman, Fernando Ruiz, William Morkes, Joe Webb Sr., Steven Chris Valerio, Gabriel Tyler, Lucy Okoh, Shirley Oxforth, Johanna Doran

### *Please pray for the repose of the souls of:*

Emilio de la Rosa, Carmine Angel Castro, Nancy Reilly, Earl Leone, Mary Dexter, George Beck, Jr., Jose Gallegos, Susan Milwee, Ed Cook, Julie Wells, Carol Mally, Peter Murphy, Bill Reilly, Daniel Lovell, Shannon Okoh, Roberta Hartman, Eugene Hermes

Please make checks for the collection basket payable to OLMC Catholic Church. To have a Mass said, please see the individual priest.

Any parishioner confined at home who would like to receive the sacraments, please contact the parish office at 303-703-8538.

## Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

### Sunday, February 11

*Quinquagesima Sunday*

6:30 am Intention of Fr. Nolan

8:30 am Poor Souls in Purgatory  
by OLMC Parishioners

**10:30 am** OLMC Registered Parishioners

12:30 pm Intention of Fr. Nolan

### Monday, February 12

*Seven Holy Servite Founders, Confessors*

6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Poor Souls in Purgatory  
by OLMC Parishioners

8:30 am Intention of Fr. Nolan

### Tuesday, February 13

*Feria*

6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters' Intention

8:30 am +Peter Murphy by Mary-Alison Murphy

### Wednesday, February 14

*Ash Wednesday*

6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters' Intention

8:30 am +Jane Farson by The Farson Family

**7:00 pm** Intention of Fr. Nolan

### Thursday, February 15

*Thursday after Ash Wednesday*

6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters' Intention

8:30 am Benefactors by Johanna Conder

### Friday, February 16

*Friday after Ash Wednesday*

6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters' Intention

8:30 am **No Mass**

7:00 pm +Rev. Daniel Joseph Flaherty by Fr. Kick

### Saturday, February 17

*Saturday after Ash Wednesday*

6:30 am Poor Souls in Purgatory  
by OLMC Parishioners

8:30 am +Shannon Kempf by Ben & Michelle Lyng

### Sunday, February 18

*First Sunday of Lent*

6:30 am Intention of Fr. Nolan

8:30 am Laurie Conder by Kathy Miller

**10:30 am** OLMC Registered Parishioners

12:30 pm Intention of Fr. Nolan

**The Carmelite Monastery is located at 6138 S. Gallup St. in Littleton, about 1 mile from OLMC.**

## From the Pastor:

- The intention for the Holy Hour this week is for each of us to make a good Sexagesima, in preparation for Great Lent.

- “You can come to me (in Eucharistic Adoration) at any moment, at any time; I want to speak to you and I desire to grant you grace!” (Our Lord to St. Faustina)

- In last week's bulletin I stated what the current law is, but we priests in the FSSP recommend the following of the older discipline as a devotion, not as a law. The older disciple (1962) is:

### Days of Abstinence:

- Begins on one's 7th birthday.
- Complete abstinence: All Fridays of the year, Ash Wednesday, Holy Saturday, and the Vigil of Christmas.
- Partial abstinence: (meat and soup or gravy made from meat permitted once a day at the principal meal): all the days of Lent, the Ember Days of Wednesday and Saturday, and the Vigils of Pentecost and the Assumption.
- Abstinence from meat is dispensed on Holy Days of Obligation.

### Laws of Fast:

- Applies to those aged 21-59 inclusive, Ember Days, and Vigils of Christmas, Pentecost, and the Assumption.
- One full meal permitted and two other meals may be taken which, when combined, are less than a full meal.

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### Announcements:

#### Altar Flowers

*This week's* altar flowers are in memory of John Lacroix by Jodi Lacroix.

#### Latin Classes

Have you ever wanted to learn more about the Latin language? **Every Thursday from 6:15-6:55pm**, there will be *gratis* beginning Latin lessons in the library, taught by Jonathan Arrington, using an oral method. Adoration starts at 7pm. All are welcome, ages 12 months to 120 years!

## The Law of the Eucharistic Fast:

The complete fast from all food and drink (except water and medicine) for three hours before the reception of Holy Communion. Those who are able to maintain the midnight fast, which was the previous discipline, are still encouraged to do so.

- Perhaps it goes without saying, but if one is sick, pregnant, etc., the discipline of fasting and abstinence is excused, and no dispensation is necessary.

- I must recommend to you a video which may be seen on YouTube. I try to avoid such, given that YouTube is a black hole for many, which sucks down time like the Charybdis sucked down unwary ships. But in this case I must make an exception. A parishioner alerted me to a video, and I watched it twice. It is an interview of a clinical psychologist name Jordan Peterson by a feminist journalist named Cathy Newman. She badgers, interrupts, twists the meanings around, doesn't listen and in general, really mistreats her guest. But Dr. Peterson was calm, assertive, charitable, patient, and very honest. It was a remarkable experience listening to the interview. Peterson gives clinical psychology a very good name in my opinion. He doesn't just give the truth; he does so with great charity. He turns the other cheek – not returning evil for evil – but does not back down either. God bless him. And I hope the best for Miss Newman.

### 1st Communion & Confirmation Class

1st Communion & Confirmation classes will be combined this year. Class is in the library, and is on **Sundays from 9:30-10:30am.**

### Religious Articles from the Holy Land

From Bethlehem in the Holy Land, The Bannoura family of Bethlehem Handicrafts imports products from the Christian community of Bethlehem. They are pleased to share their family story and trade to all those who will be present after all Masses **TODAY.**