

Announcements cont'd:

Mass at Planned Parenthood

Fr. Hearty will offer the Traditional Latin Mass (Extraordinary Form), across from Planned Parenthood, 7155 E. 38th Ave, Denver, on **Saturday, Feb. 2nd** at 12 noon.

Blue Army

Saturday, Feb. 2nd, following the 7 a.m. Mass, at the Cathedral Basilica in Denver, will be a monthly Blue Army prayer cell. The prayer cell consists of devotions to Our Lady of Fatima and the rosary, to fulfill the requests of prayer and reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Fr. Hearty will lead the prayer cell.

Pro-Life Holy Hour

Sunday, Feb. 3rd, at 3 pm the Cathedral Basilica in Denver will begin a monthly Pro-Life Holy Hour with prayers, Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Fr. Hearty will preside for the Holy Hour.

Center for Natural Law

You're Invited to CNL's special seminar on the "Impact of Government Regulation and the Minimum Wage." Join us on **Saturday, Feb. 9th** from 6pm-9pm for a complimentary dinner and beverages. Cash bar. Free admission, but voluntary contributions are accepted! RSVP is a must. Please call (303) 759-3599 or email greg@centerfornaturallaw.org. The event location is the Sheraton DTC, 7007 S. Clinton St. in Greenwood Village in the Harvard Room.

Professional Test Prep

A proven PSAT/SAT/ACT Test Prep program is now being provided for OLMC families. As we know, these tests are large determiners of scholarships and college acceptance. With student loan debt currently so high that it delays first-home purchases by an average of seven years, a good test score can greatly ease the financial burdens placed on our young Catholic families. This approach has cracked the code for these logic-based tests. It uses critical reading techniques to locate the correct answer and even to verify why all the other choices are wrong.

Parishioner, Susan Follansbee, provides this program at reasonable private and small-group rates.

Her goal is to give students the opportunity to score high and greatly increase their chances for substantial college funding, admission into a good college, and a subsequent career that is enriching to a good Catholic family life. Susan can be reached at: 720-324-1001 or Susan@scholasticpursuits.com

IRA Charitable Rollover is now a Permanent Law

Each IRA owner over age 70½ may make a transfer of up to \$100,000 per year to a qualified charity. IRA charitable rollovers are tax-free and not included in adjusted gross income. An IRA charitable rollover may fulfill part or all of your required minimum distribution (RMD). To learn how you and the Church can benefit, contact Jean Finegan at The Catholic Foundation at 303.867.0613.

Choir & Schola Weekly Practice Times

Regular Wednesday rehearsals:

6:30-7:00 Schola; 7:00-8:30 mixed choir.

Sundays:

9:00-9:25 Schola, 9:25-10:25 mixed choir.

Parish Organizations:

Altar & Rosary Society - d.grandy@yahoo.com

Altar Boy Training Fr. Kick - ckick@olgseminary.org

Carmelite Book Study - 1st & 3rd Saturday at 9:30am

Lucy Okoh 303-806-9923

Holy Name Society - Men's group.

Fr. Kick - ckick@olgseminary.org

Juventutem, Young Adults Group - Chris Pollard

cvmp94@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus Council # 13205

Tim Glass, Grand Knight - GlassTJ@Yahoo.com

Legion of Mary - Henry Alire - 303-426-0446.

OLMC Federation of North American Explorers

Nicholas Trandem - 720-295-9556 or

info@olmcexplorers.org

OLMC Music Department and Choir

Contact: Rick Wheeler

music.director@olmcfssp.org.

Prayer Line: To request prayers, please contact: Jane

Brennan: 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

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church



Fraternitas Sacerdotalis Sancti Petri

The Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter

Sunday, February 3, 2019

4th Sunday after Epiphany

Rev. James W. Jackson, FSSP Pastor

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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

7:00 pm Friday at OLMC

Confessions

Half hour before each Mass

Saturdays: 8:30 - 9:30 am

3:00 - 4:00 pm

Devotions:

Holy Hour: Thursdays 7:00 - 8:00 pm

First Friday Adoration

Catechism on Holy Week

The reformers went on to say about the blessing of palms, “These pious customs [of the blessed palms] although theologically justified, can degenerate (as in fact they have degenerated) into superstition.” Ah yes, that is the great danger to the faith – that the faithful might use blessed palms superstitiously! You can hear the Protestantism in this condemnation, with a good dose of rationalism. The ancient prayers of blessing were then replaced with new compositions, which in the author’s own words, were “a substantially new creation.” The old prayers express very clearly the efficacy of the sacramentals. These have an effective power against the demon *ex opere operantis Ecclesiae* (by the action of the Church acting). That the Church can act through things – blessed things – is naturally accepted by Catholic belief. But it is not accepted in Protestant belief. And that is at the heart of the matter in the reform of the MR 1952. “We must strip from our Catholic prayers and from the Catholic liturgy everything which can be the shadow of a stumbling block for our separated brethren; that is for the Protestants.” (Archbishop Annibale Bugnini, *L'Osservatore Romano*, March 19, 1965)

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

Natli Molloy, Sarah Totman, Donald John Dowling Jr., Marisa Shanstrom, Debra DiCino, Angela Wimmer, Bishop Eugene J. Gerber, William B. Sawtell, Charles Ray Johnson, Bishop Robert Morlino, Sr. Bernadette of the Immaculate Conception, O.C.D., James Egle, Tom Coogan, Joan Ludwig, Michael Storociak, Evelyn Arrington, Rose Canzano, Maria Stupine, Robert Heldt, Margaret Dougherty, Bill Perry

Please pray for the sick:

David Williamson Sr & Jr, Robert DiCino, Nathaniel Venters, Andy McKinley, James Hamm, Bonnie Joyce -Irish, Elizabeth Nicolini, Ana Maria Romero, Sha Fisher, Carol Balizet, Nick Cleary, Fernando Ruiz, Steven Chris Valerio, Gabriel Tyler, Virginia Carr, Sharolyn Albi, Connie McKenna, Madaline Havener, Allen & Jane Egle, Lucy McCord, Susan Blaufuss, Doris Danko, Margaret Ortiz, Mary Robles, Carmen Munoz

Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

Sunday, February 3

4th Sunday after Epiphany

6:30 am +Joan York & +Steve Zipperle by Jean York

8:30 am +Robert & +Patricia Heldt by Laura Anselmi

10:30 am OLMC Registered Parishioners

12:30 pm Special Intention Edson Holland

Monday, February 4

St. Andrew Corsini, Bishop & Confessor

6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Mellissa Crew by Mary Ann Dooley

8:30 am Leo Anselmi by Laura Anselmi

10:30 am Requiem for Bill Perry

Tuesday, February 5

St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr

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

8:30 am Karissa Jaloway by Barb Jaloway

Wednesday, February 6

St. Titus, Bishop & Confessor

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

8:30 am Brandon Jaloway by Barb Jaloway

Thursday, February 7

St. Romuald, Abbot or Jesus Christ the High Priest

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

8:30 am Danny & Barb Jaloway by Barb Jaloway

Friday, February 8

St. John of Matha, Confessor

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

8:30 am **No Mass**

7:00 pm +Msgr John F. Slattery by Katy Barland

Saturday, February 9

St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop, Confessor & Doctor

6:30 am Special Intention by David Wilson

8:30 am Lisa Martin & Family by Katy Barland

Sunday, February 10

5th Sunday after Epiphany

6:30 am Intention of Fr. Nolan

8:30 am Annalisa Hamm by Bernadette Truta

10:30 am OLMC Registered Parishioners

12:30 pm Gemma & Agatha Anselmi by Laura Anselmi

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

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

From the Pastor:

- The intention for this week’s holy hour is for the defeat of House Bill 1032.

- I found an article which was written on behalf of the L’s in the LBGT, etc. It condemned very strongly transgender activism as being contrary to “L.” And many of the arguments given by “L” activists against this activism could have been made by Jordan Peterson. What madness. What sheer lunacy is in this mess. I was going to say something about strange bedfellows but decided not to...

- Charles V of Spain once said: “I speak Spanish to God, Italian to women, French to men, and German to my horse.” What language would he have used for a transgender activist?

- Bill Perry died this week, and his requiem will be **tomorrow** at 1030 AM. What a generous, pleasant, devout Catholic gentleman he was. It was an honor to have known him. He had not been able to come to Mass for some time, but was very well taken care of by his children, who saw to it that he had his sacraments. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

- As the Littleton Fire Department is transitioning (proper use of that word here) to being administered by South Metro, the requirements for inspection are different. We had to change a couple of things in the ceiling to suit the new inspector, and then wait for three weeks before he could come out to inspect the work. Work has continued for the sanctuary, but there isn’t much you can see right now, given that we could not do any dry walling until the inspections were finished. Please God you will now see some real progress in the project.

Announcements:

Adult Catechism

Fr. Jackson will be having his adult education class this **Tuesday, February 5th**, in the parish hall from 7-8pm. Ages 16 and up are welcome.

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Classical School

Now enrolling 1st, 2nd & 3rd grades at our

- I will be giving a retreat to a lay group in St. Louis (Our Sorrowful Mother’s Ministry) next weekend. Fr. Ripperger has given their retreats in the past, but he can’t make it this year. I’ll leave on the 7th and be back on the 11th. Please God!

- My intentions for Mass this week are 2.4: Elizabeth Robertson by D.J. Robertson, 2.5: Scott Giles by Dipper Giles, 2.6: +Margaret Dougherty by Fr. Jackson, 2.7 to 9: Elizabeth Robertson by D. J. Robertson.

- I cancelled the last high school religion class because of weather conditions, but will make it up this month. The next two classes are at 7 PM on the **11th and 18th**.

- Again, my thanks to those who sign up for Eucharistic adoration. There are so many who do not know the Lord. We must intercede for them. “We represent those in the world who do not know Jesus during our Holy Hour of Adoration.” (Pope St. John Paul II)

- As much as I like film, still, it is a form of art that is fraught with danger. I found this quote which sums up one aspect of the danger: “Film can offer the spectator a world in which no sign is given of God or of men who believe in and worship Him, a world in which people live as though God did not exist; no sign of confidence in Him, nor appeal for divine help.” That describes most films being made these days. The role of film, then, as a tool for the spread of atheism should not be discounted.

- My sermons will now be in written form on the parish website.

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