

Announcements cont'd:

- 10th Andrew Bryant by Edson Holland
- 11th James Simmerman by Edson Holland
- 12th Kathleen Simmerman by Edson Holland
- 13th Reparation for Sin by John Filipczak

Lenten Friday Night Schedule

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 follows at 6:15pm, and Mass is at 7:00pm.**

Nationwide Prayer Vigil at Planned Parenthood

On **Saturday, April 13th at 1pm**, there will be a solemn prayer vigil of the rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet at 925 W 14th Avenue, Denver, which is in the downtown area and not the large facility on 38th Avenue in Stapleton.

While this is a satellite facility where abortions are not done, a pro-life prayer vigil on 14th Avenue gets much more exposure to passing motorists and passersby than Planned Parenthood in Stapleton which is tucked away in an industrial area. See the flyer on the bulletin board for more information.

Butter Braids

Butter Braids will be delivered on April 15th and will be distributed to the FNE families. For those who purchased the Butter Braids they should be contacted and delivered before Easter. If you have any questions please contact Danielle Tuttle 720-364-0578.

Sandwiches for the Homeless

What you do for the least of My brethren you do for Me. Sandwiches for the homeless will be made on **April 20th**, Holy Saturday, at 9:00 am in the Parish Hall. Everyone interested please contact Lucy at 303-806-9923.

Registration Now Open

for the 3rd Annual Catholic Women's Conference of Denver. "The Holiness of Women" will be held **April 27, 2019** at CU South Denver Campus, Lone Tree, CO. The speaker line up includes Colleen Carroll Campbell, Everett Fritz, Sister Maris Stella, and Father Nick Larkin. There will be confession, adoration, and shopping. Mass will be celebrated by Auxiliary Bishop Rodriguez.

Visit DenverCatholicConference.com to learn more.

Divine Mercy Sunday

Fr. Jackson will be giving a conference on **April 28th**, and have a holy hour at 3pm.

2019 Denver Marian Conference

On **May 10th & 11th**, the Marian Conference will be held at the Crowne Plaza Convention Center at 15500 E. 40th Ave. Denver, 80239. On Friday, May 10th, the talks are from 5-10pm, with a Mass at 8pm. On Saturday, the conference goes from 8am-8pm, with Mass at 11am.

Speakers include Fr. Chad Ripperger, Fr. Wade Menezes, CPM, Fr. Frank Garcia, and others. For more information, go to denvermarianconference.com or call 303-422-8621.

Camp Carmel

Teen girls aged 13-19 are invited to attend our 4th Annual, Camp Carmel, **August 5th-August 10th**. For more information, please contact Danielle Grandy at: dgrandy0922@gmail.com

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@olmceexplorers.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, April 7, 2019

Passion Sunday

Rev. James W. Jackson, FSSP Pastor

Rev. Daniel Nolan, FSSP Parochial Vicar 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

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

Following the procession to the doors of the church, there was created in the reformed Holy Week a prayer, which was to be prayed facing the people. This curious addition gums up the preceding ceremonies because of its arbitrary nature. The rubrics don't reflect this change, which means that no one knows where the missal is to be placed, or who is to hold it. It is likely safe to say that this *lacuna* comes simply in the great haste the reformers were in to accomplish a very difficult task.

Fr. Braga (one of the principal architects of this) admitted 50 years later, that "The element that is out of place in the new Ordo [of Holy Week] is the concluding oration of the procession, which disrupts the unity of the celebration."

Next, the distinction between the Passion and the Gospel were eliminated, and the last sentence of the Passion was suppressed. This is likely due to a publishing error, and not something intentional – again the result of haste. The Passion had always been marked with a narrative style, divided into three voices and followed by the Gospel, which was marked off by the fact that it was sung by a single deacon on a different tone, and was accompanied by the use of incense, but not candles. The reform of Holy Week confused these, where Passion and Gospel were melded into a single chant. The result was that the Gospel properly so-called, was in effect suppressed.

Please pray for the sick:

David Williamson Sr & Jr, Robert DiCino, Nathaniel Venters, Andy McKinley, 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, Jane Egle, Lucy McCord, Susan Blaufuss, Doris Danko, Margaret Ortiz, Mary Robles, Carolyn Mulligan, Susan R. Martin, Ted Bauer, Trudy Benefiel, Celeste Munoz

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

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, Allen Egle, Ron Thaler, Nicolette Tiburcio, Sue Scofield, Perla Bechtold, Carmen Munoz

Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

Sunday, April 7

Passion Sunday

- 6:30 am +Alice Eusebia Dapra by Margaret Provincher
- 8:30 am +Sam Keating by Jason Fitzgerald
- 10:30 am** OLMC Registered Parishioners
- 12:30 pm Gary & Michelle Soleski family by Bridget Jacobson

Monday, April 8

Monday of Passion Week

- 6:30 am **(at Carmel)**
- 8:30 am +Robert Martinez by Jason Fitzgerald
- 10:30 am Requiem for Carmen Munoz

Tuesday, April 9

Tuesday of Passion Week

- 6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters' Intention
- 8:30 am Beau Xavier Spann by the Truta Family

Wednesday, April 10

Wednesday of Passion Week

- 6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters' Intention
- 8:30 am +John Hope by Charlotte Hope

Thursday, April 11

Thursday of Passion Week

- 6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters' Intention
- 8:30 am +Robyn Spotts by the Eggemeyer Family

Friday, April 12

Friday of Passion Week

- 6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters' Intention
- 8:30 am **No Mass**
- 6:15 pm Stations of the Cross
- 7:00 pm Dan Bergman by Anon.

Saturday, April 13

Saturday of Passion Week

- 6:30 am +Daria Urrutia Mendez by Ana Romero Urrutia
- 8:30 am +Mary Avelleyra by Joe & Shari Albi

Sunday, April 14

Palm Sunday

- 6:30 am Thanksgiving for Divine Mercy by John Filipczak
- 8:00 am** OLMC Registered Parishioners
- 11:00 am +Sean Keating by Jason Fitzgerald
- 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 this week's holy hour is for all the priests and people of our parish to celebrate Pas-siontide and Holy Week with great devotion.

- Please pray for the repose of the soul of Carmen Munoz, a long-time parishioner who died last Tuesday. She received last rites, faithful to the end, never giving up on her Catholic Faith. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Her requiem is on Monday, April 8, at 1030 AM.

- There will be no Sunday catechism class on Palm Sunday or Easter Sunday.

- Normally Faith Direct (an online giving service we use) has the intention of sending out a letter to recruit new members. I'm not going to send a letter this time, but will make a plug for it, even though I use a check for my tithing to the parish. It does have advantages. For example, if you're the sort of parishioner who likes immediate confirmation of a donation, and who gets irritated if we make a mistake in the year's end statements, then Faith Direct is for you (we normally get about four complaints per year on the statements that are sent out). It's a pretty cost-effective way to receive donations too.

- Not having read any history of the American war in Afghanistan (I know, not a declared war), I read a book called Outlaw Platoon by Sean Parnell. He was a 1st Lt. with the 10th Mountain Division – a very good unit. I wound up caring for the soldiers, their families and some of our allies, saying prayers

Announcements:

Dedication Flowers

Would you like to honor a loved one with Flowers on the Altar and an announcement in the bulletin? Please see the Altar & Rosary Society's table in the parish hall **through Lent**, after all Masses.

Mass Schedules for Palm & Easter Sundays

Please note the Mass times for Palm Sunday on the previous page of this bulletin. The Easter Sunday Mass schedule will be the same as our regular

for them as I read the history. It was a good read and I'm glad I read it. And not only did I care for them, I admired them. They were excellent infantry in an extremely difficult situation.

But the book prompts me to think that we will lose many of our future conflicts. I say this because in the Lieutenant's platoon, there were Satanists, pagans, non-believers, etc., and almost no one believing in God – or if they did – it was concealed – with one exception. This contrasted greatly with the Taliban, who would charge into battle screaming "God is great!" Our guys would respond with obscenities and blasphemy. The Taliban read the Koran on their off hours; our guys consumed pornography and video games.

Now this doesn't mean the Taliban are good. Far from it. They are evil, and deserve to be defeated and should not expect mercy. They certainly don't give any mercy to anyone, even to other Mahometan Afghans. But in the long run, they will win no matter how long we stay there, and we will lose, because they fight for a very concrete, religious ideal, and we for and an abstract 20c concept of "freedom."

I could certainly be wrong in this, but if I were a betting man, I'd lay money down on the Taliban in the long run, even though we can outfight them in every engagement. I write this because we must prepare for the worst – not just regarding Holy Mother Church, but also our country.

Sunday schedule.

Pro-Life Holy Hour

TODAY, at 3:00 pm at the Cathedral Basilica in Denver. There will be prayers for the unborn and for an end to abortion, and Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Fr. Nolan's Mass Intentions

8th	Edward & Charlotte Soleski family by Bridget Jacobson
9th	Jose Mendez by Liz Mendez