

Announcements cont'd:

that he used the traditional Gregorian chant theme in his music. The motet is in 5 parts, meaning there are 5 distinct voices per part and we'll be singing with approximately 5-7 singers per voice. The soprano's split SSATB, rather than the more common SATB, if you don't know what that means I challenge you to do an online search. So, what you'll hear first off are two soprano voices both who begin the famous notes of the Gregorian, it's the first 7 notes that are the most revealing to the "theme" (the melody that predominates throughout the piece). Those soprano's will begin at different intervals so the two melodies will cross each other in the beginning, then the rest of the choir voices will imitate that theme.

The recessional motet is by Tomas Victoria, the Spanish mystic, and uses the text of *Regina Caeli*. It is VERY bright and joyful and carries an astounding energy. When it arrives toward the end of the piece, the Alleluia's are sung on melodies that move quicker and with jubilant energy. This is a perfect piece with which to end the Mass of our patroness. Then the final music will be of trumpet and organ, both played by regular musicians on staff here at OLMC, our organist, John Murgel and our new bass section leader on trumpet, Tim Thaler.

Gabriel House Angels

We have no toys - anything would be greatly appreciated! We are currently in need of the following items for children from birth to 5 years old: (gently used is great).

baby shampoo, powder, lotion, wash, burp cloths, bath towels, toys for infants through 5 years old, stuffed animals, summer clothes - girls size 3T, 4T, 5T; boys 9-12 months, 3T, 4T, 5T. Shoes, socks, bottles, and pacifiers.

Planned Parenthood Prayer Vigil

Please join us for our monthly parish prayer vigil on the **4th Saturday** of each month for about 45 minutes starting at 10:15 AM, at the Planned Parenthood facility located at 7155 E. 38th Ave. in Denver. Our next prayer vigil will be **July 28th**. We will meet directly across the street from the main entrance, and prayer booklets will be provided.

New Live Engage Events with Catholic Charities!

Starting on **July 17th at 7pm**, join us for monthly live, multimedia events as we share the stories behind the life-changing work of Catholic Charities in our community. During these conversations, you'll hear from those who have engaged with Catholic Charities' services—whether they've received help, volunteered or donated. You will hear real stories of women and children who have experienced homelessness, volunteers who have impacted our community for countless years, and other topical stories of how Catholic Charities impacts the community. You will be able watch the live stream on your computer or listen on your phone and hear them share these stories as they unfold, ask questions and interact right along with us. Tune in to hear real stories, real emotion, and real community. Visit ccdenver.org/engage to start engaging today!

Parish Organizations:

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

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

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

Lucy Okoh 303-806-9923

Daughters of Our Lady of Grace - girls 6 and up.

Crystal Hamm - inthanx@gmail.com.

Holy Name Society - Men's group.

Fr. Kick - 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

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.

Teen Girls of Carmel - Danielle Grandy

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Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church



Fraternitas Sacerdotalis Sancti Petri

The Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter

Sunday, July 15, 2018

8th Sunday after Pentecost

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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

When we consider the reformed Holy Week of the Ven. Pius XII, the dates are useful. The *Ordo Hebdomadae Sanctae* (Order of Holy Week) of 1955-1956 begins the huge changes in the liturgy, the “battering ram” as Fr. Braga said, against the traditional liturgy. I’ll just abbreviate it as OHS 1956.

One of the first changes had to do with the color of the vestments. In the *Missale Romanum* 1952 (MR 1952 from here on), violet is used for both the procession and the Mass following. But in the archives of the Commission for the changes, the justification to change the color came from a professor of pastoral theology from a Swiss seminary. He said, “One thing that perhaps might be done...the color red might be restored as was used in the Middle Ages for this solemn procession. The color red recalls the royal purple. In this way the procession is distinguished as something *sui generis*.”

Several things should be noted about this. First, perhaps red does recall the royal purple, but it is very difficult to see how. In the traditional Roman Rite, red always signified either the blood of martyrdom or the fire of the Holy Ghost, though in the Ambrosian Rite it symbolizes the blood of the Passion.

Second, the assertion that this was the practice in the middle ages turns out to be unproven. There is no evidence for this.

Third, the search for things that are *sui generis* in the liturgy and then inserting them willy-nilly into the liturgy is a questionable practice.

The use of violet for both the procession and the Mass shows I think, a better connection between the two events of the triumphal procession into Jerusalem, and the fact that He was entering the city in order to suffer, die and be buried. The use of violet therefore, is the better symbolism.

Please pray for the sick:

David Williamson Sr & Jr, Robert & Debra DiCino, Nathaniel Venters, Andy McKinley, James Hamm, Bonnie Joyce-Irish, Elizabeth Nicolini, Ana Maria Romero, Sha Fisher, Carol Balizet, Nick Cleary, Sarah Totman, Fernando Ruiz, Steven Chris Valerio, Gabriel Tyler, Virginia Carr, Diane Fisher, Sharolyn Albi, Connie McKenna, Madaline Havener, Evelyn Arrington, Marisa Shanstrom

Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

Sunday, July 15

8th Sunday after Pentecost

- 6:30 am +Roberta Hartman by Mary Anderson
- 8:30 am Poor Souls in Purgatory by OLMC Parishioners
- 10:30 am** OLMC Registered Parishioners
- 12:30 pm Julianna, Collette, Elise Valenzuela by the Valenzuela family

Monday, July 16

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

- 6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Intention of Fr. Nolan
- 8:30 am Robyn Spotts by the Eggemeyer Family
- 7:00 pm** Sr. Maria Carmen by Katie

Tuesday, July 17

Feria or St. Alexis, Confessor

- 6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters’ Intention
- 8:30 am +John Filipczak by John Filipczak

Wednesday, July 18

St. Camillus de Lellis, Confessor

- 6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters’ Intention
- 8:30 am +Mary Filipczak by John Filipczak

Thursday, July 19

St. Vincent de Paul, Confessor

- 6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters’ Intention
- 8:30 am +Connie Adrolevich by John Filipczak

Friday, July 20

St. Jerome Emiliani, Confessor

- 6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Sisters’ Intention
- 8:30 am **No Mass**
- 7:00 pm Medina-Fonseca Family by Fr. Terry Kissell

Saturday, July 21

St. Laurence of Brindisi, Confessor & Doctor

- 6:30 am Poor Souls by OLMC Parishioners
- 8:30 am The Medina-Fonseca Family by Fr. Terry Kissell

Sunday, July 22

9th Sunday after Pentecost

- 6:30 am Fr. Andrezej Komoroski, FSSP by Fr. Jackson
- 8:30 am Poor Souls by OLMC Parishioners
- 10:30 am** OLMC Registered Parishioners
- 12:30 pm Medina-Fonseca Family by Fr. Terry Kissell

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

From the Pastor:

- The intention of this week's Holy Hour is for the new Superior General of the FSSP.

- Last Monday, Fr. Andrzej Komoroski, FSSP was elected our new Superior General. His term is for six years, and the Pontifical Commission, *Ecclesia Dei*, was informed immediately after the election, and responded with congratulations. Father is a Polish priest who studied at our seminary in Wigrzbad, Germany, after studying economics at the University of Poznan. He is the fourth Superior General of our society. Please pray for him!

- I have to say that I'm pleased as punch at this news. Some of you might remember Father as he did our canonical visitation some three years ago. I have great respect for him.

-I'm going to be leaving after the 830 AM Mass next Sunday, to climb Mt. Humboldt with a group of guys from the parish, and will be back the evening of the 24th.

- My big sister came across this story when reading about the history of Edinburg. "Cardinal Gray had a

dog called Rusty. And when the Cardinal celebrated Mass in the chapel, the congregation was regularly three religious sisters and his dog, who used to sleep quietly in his basket near the altar and never uttered a whimper. And the extraordinary thing was this: when Cardinal Gray returned from the Second Vatican Council with instructions that Mass should be said in English rather than in Latin, Rusty started howling in anger at the change in language! He left the chapel and never came back in--to the consternation of the nuns." The story could be apocryphal, but I sure enjoyed it.

- From the Catholic Biblical School: "Have you tried to read the Bible from cover to cover but stopped at Leviticus? Was the last time you studied the Catholic faith at your confirmation? It's time to enroll in the Biblical or Catechetical School this fall! Pick up a brochure at one of the parish entrances for a list of locations and information sessions. You can also call 303.715.3195, or visit sjvdenver.edu/laydivision for more details. Classes begin in two weeks!"

Selin on the 16th.

High Masses

The Feast of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel is next Monday, **July 16th**, and there will be a 7pm high Mass in her honor. There will also be an 8:30am high Mass on Thursday, **July 26th**, for St. Anne, the Mother of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Info on the Feast of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel:

With the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel less than a week away, the Choir and Schola have been working feverishly on music for that Mass. I've written about the pieces of music that are a little unusual for this feast, but now I wish to mention two other pieces we'll be singing. The Communion motet and our recessional motet, which this year will be choral pieces of stunning beauty.

The Communion motet is by the great polyphonic master, Palestrina. It is the ONLY time

Announcements:

Altar Flowers

This week's altar flowers are in memory of +Dan Valerio.

Triduum of OLMC

The annual Triduum in honor of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel will be celebrated **July 14th, 15th, and 16th** at the Carmelite monastery at 7pm. The chapel is located at 6138 S. Gallup St. in Littleton, about 1 mile from OLMC.

The services include a homily, the holy rosary, litany, as well as exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Concluding each night, Father will enroll those who have not yet become members of the Confraternity of the Brown Scapular: then he will bless and distribute the scapulars to everyone. The celebrants this year will be Fr. Daniel Nolan, FSSP on the 14th, Fr. Joseph Hearty on the 15th, and Fr. Gary