

## Announcements cont'd:

strategy at the OLMC Youth Chess Club. The club will meet the **third Sunday** (September 16th) of each **month** at high noon in the parish hall. No experience necessary. Feel free to bring your own chess sets.

### **Humani Generis Study Group**

Our next meeting will be on **9/16/18** at 12:30-2:00pm, in the basement. We are answering Pope Pius XII's call to discuss the reasons "favorable and those unfavorable to evolution." Topics will be: 1. Early Greek Fathers on creation. 2. The fossil record. Call Rick Mudd 505-501-3072 with any questions.

### **Feeding of the 5,000**

Our Food Bank receives food from the FERN (Food Exchange Resource Network) warehouse. There will be a once a year event on the weekend of **September 28th and 29th**, and we need your help.

You can sign up for a 3 hour block at a local grocery store to hand out flyers to shoppers entering the store, and taking donated bags from them as they leave. In past years on average, FERN has received 50,000 pounds of non-perishable food, plus donations, and the food is shared by 14 local hunger relief agencies. To sign up, go to **feedingofthe5000.us** Go to "Volunteer", then "collect food donations at stores". Please also notify the parish office that you have, or will, signed up.

### **Parish Picnic**

The OLMC Parish Picnic will be held Sunday, **September 30th**, from 1:00 to 6:00 PM at Pavilion C of deKoevend Park, 6301 S University Blvd, Centennial. This is the same location we've had the past few years. We are planning to have the photo booth again, and **the seminarians will be joining us!**

Please bring food to share -- enough for your family plus six (6) more people: Last names beginning A - G = salads, H - O = side dishes, and P - Z = desserts. (Yes, homemade is preferred!) Please bring your own drinks and cups. OLMC's Knights of Columbus will serve hamburgers, hot dogs, and fun and games. Contact Kurt Schueler (KurtSchueler1@gmail.com /308-883-2562) for more information.

### **Women's Latin Mass Retreat**

The women of OLMC are invited to a Latin Mass Retreat **October 26-28**, at the Sacred Heart Retreat Center in Sedalia. Retreat master Fr. Shannon Collins, MSJB (Missionaries of St. John the Baptist) will speak on "Being Faithful to your State in Life." The cost is \$200, with scholarships available. This includes a private room and all meals. Information and registration forms are available in the parish office or at the back of the church. You may contact Denise at rockiesretreat.olmc@gmail.com with any questions.

### **Sacred Heart Pictures**

The parish has been donated 40 unframed pictures of the Sacred Heart to give away on a first come, first serve, basis. They have already been blessed, and are in the parish office.

### **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

**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** - 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 - j baker7@yahoo.com.

**Teen Girls of Carmel** - Danielle Grandy  
d.grandy@yahoo.com

# Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church



*Fraternitas Sacerdotalis Sancti Petri*

The Priestly Fraternity of Saint Peter

**Sunday, September 9, 2018**

*16th Sunday after Pentecost*

**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

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, Fernando Ruiz, Steven Chris Valerio, Gabriel Tyler, Virginia Carr, Diane Fisher, Sharolyn Albi, Connie McKenna, Madaline Havener, Evelyn Arrington, Marisa Shanstrom, Bob Heldt, Allen Egle

## Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

### Sunday, September 9

*16th Sunday after Pentecost*

6:30 am Joe Anselmi by Danielle Tuttle

8:30 am +Abelard Lara by Luis Moreno

**10:30 am** OLMC Registered Parishioners

12:30 pm +Bill Guay by John Filipczak

### Monday, September 10

*St. Nicholas of Tolentino, Confessor*

6:30 am **(at Carmel)** Mary Kulikowski

by Kurt & Kristin Schueler

8:30 am +John Hope by Charlotte Hope

### Tuesday, September 11

*Feria or Sts. Protus & Hyacinth, Martyrs*

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

8:30 am Reynaldo Palma by Maria Armendariz

### Wednesday, September 12

*Most Holy Name of Mary*

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

8:30 am +Abelard Lara by Luis Moreno

### Thursday, September 13

*Feria*

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

8:30 am +Abbot Paul Cyr, O.S.B.

by Paul & Anastasia Cyr

### Friday, September 14

*Exaltation of the Holy Cross*

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

8:30 am **No Mass**

7:00 pm +Timothy P. Tynan by Sean & Anne Tynan

### Saturday, September 15

*Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

6:30 am Anne Crowley by Jim & Jennifer Crowley

8:30 am Health for Kathleen Morkes by Morkes Family

### Sunday, September 16

*17th Sunday after Pentecost*

6:30 am +Michael Bryan by Kuenz Family

8:30 am +Timothy P. Tynan by Sean & Anne Tynan

**10:30 am** OLMC Registered Parishioners

12:30 pm Special 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 in reparation for the sins of the hierarchy and laity.

- Please remember that starting tomorrow the daily Mass will be in the back portion of the parish hall until the work on the sanctuary is finished. The 6:30 am Mass, Monday - Friday, will still be at the Carmel.

- I heard of an interesting fact regarding education recently, which concerns Maria Montessori and her way of education. About 15 years after her first school started, Benito Mussolini came to power with the National Fascist Party (the Italian word *fascisti* just means “bundle” or “political group;” in our times it is used by some as a name for anyone who is a member of the Republican Party). At first, Mussolini welcomed Montessori, and tried to use her as a kind of ambassador under the fascist government. But she refused. She once wrote, “To aid life, leaving it free, however, to unfold itself; that is the basic task of the educator...” This is diametrically opposed to any system of fascism. And as dictators immediately go after the education of children so that the state can make the decisions about children which parents normally do, so it was not surprising that in 1933 Mussolini’s pal Adolf Hitler closed every Montessori school in Germany. They were all shut in one day. A year later Mussolini followed suit and closed all of them in Italy. Maria Montessori herself was exiled by Mussolini, and moved to Spain where she died in 1952.

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### Announcements:

#### Altar Flowers

*This week’s* altar flowers are for Matt & Carol Faykosh celebrating their 53rd Anniversary.

#### Parlez-vous Francais?

Learn French FAST with consistent bite-sized lessons. Whether you’re a beginner or looking to master what you already know, join us for 30mins at the OLMC Library every Sunday after the 10:30 high Mass, **starting TODAY**, 2018. Learn as a family so you can have fun practicing as a family. Send an email

- Some auctions lately have had some very interesting items up for sale: the flintlock musket of Sitting Bull used at the Battle of the Little Bighorn is one. Another was the bicorne hat worn by Napoleon Bonaparte at the Battle of Waterloo. It was put up for sale at \$45,000 but fetched \$325,000. Raffle!

- On another military note, the famous Rainbow Division (42nd Infantry) used 43 different languages in WWI. It was filled with immigrants from western and eastern Europe who wanted to become American. These were not big men; by our standards today they would be considered little. Yet the average soldier at the time carried 70 pounds of gear with him into the trenches.

"When did you last go down on your knees and worship God, your own way or any other way? And as for your own way, what makes you think your way is worthy of the God you worship? I think you're showing a lot of tall conceit. Maybe God has ways in which He would like to be worshipped. Maybe, when through His Divine Son He instituted the Mass, He preferred the Mass to your way of worshipping Him. Quite aside from its divine character, I rather admire His taste if He did. Maybe, when He said, 'Unless you do penance, you shall all likewise perish,' He knew the importance of penance for young people, who have more than their share of temptation, and wanted to be worshipped by people who had learned self-control as well as emotional ecstasy." Fr. Daniel Lord, S.J, in a letter to a young woman wanting to leave the Faith.

to Diane at [diane.koehnke@yahoo.com](mailto:diane.koehnke@yahoo.com) to sign up for the class, or with questions.

#### Forty Hours Devotion in Reparation

Starting on Thursday, **September 13th**, there will be 40 hours of adoration at All Souls parish, just a few miles north of OLMC. It starts after the 7pm Mass of Reparation: For the Forgiveness of Sins.

Our choir will sing at their 8:15am Mass on Friday morning, and then adoration will resume.

#### OLMC Youth Chess Club

Come and engage in a battle of wits and