

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel CATHOLIC CHURCH

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A parish of the Diocese of Denver, CO served by the Priestly Fraternity of St Peter (FSSP) dedicated to the Traditional Latin Mass and Sacraments according to the 1962 Missal of Pope St John XXIII.

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SUNDAY LOW MASS 6:30 AM | 8:00 AM | 9:30 AM | 1:00 PM

> SUNDAY HIGH MASS 11:00 AM

DAILY MASS 8:30 AM MON - SAT Also 7:00 PM FRI

CONFESSIONS 30 MINUTES BEFORE EACH MASS SAT: 8 - 9:30 AM SAT: 3 - 4 PM

DAILY MASS 6:30 AM SUN - SAT Carmelite Monastary 6138 S. Gallup St. Littleton, CO 80120

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost July 3, 2022



Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus.

From the Pastor/Press

<u>On Idolatry</u>

The Pachamama incident at the Vatican in October 2019 was the most egregious case of idolatry anyone has witnessed in a long time. In full view of the whole world, men and women bowed to a literal wooden idol, replacing the Uncreated God with the work of men's hands. However, Pachamama was not a singular case. While there's the "hard" idolatry like

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Pachamama making a return after centuries of dormancy in the Western world, there's also the "soft" idolatry prevalent all around us. We idolize everything from movie stars to sports figures to... our smartphones. We are awash in idolatry. What has caused modern man to become so desperate to make anything other than the Almighty God our god? It begins with something you likely wouldn't suspect: widespread gluttony... the ever-pervasive sin we're happy to ignore. How many homilies have you heard against gluttony? How many men's or women's conferences feature talks on gluttony? The only sin less mentioned than artificial birth control... is gluttony. Suggesting that overindulgent eating is a sin can even lead to accusations of "fat shaming"... Yet the Church Fathers considered gluttony a root sin which led to many others.

On McElroy's Nomination for the Red Hat

Why does Pope Francis like Bishop McElroy enough to make him a Cardinal? After all, the man has some serious baggage. And the answer to that question can only be ascertained once we understand how important to this pontificate Amoris Laetitia is. Just as Traditionis Custodes was in many ways a clear repudiation of Summorum Pontificum, so too is Amoris Laetitia a repudiation of large parts of Veritatis Splendor... Pope Francis has systematically dismantled the John Paul II Institute in Rome and replaced numerous professors and leadership... with theologians who are largely proportionalists in moral theology and strong supporters of a more "progressive" agenda... The various red hats... given out... in the U.S. are primarily... about moral theology and the revolution in the post-conciliar theological guild on the topic of human sexuality. People tend to focus on the great controversies surrounding liturgy in the post-conciliar era... But ... the deepest, most important, most contentious, most divisive, and most destructive debates surrounded moral theology, especially after Humanae Vitae and the massive dissent from it [which] followed.

On Transgender Madness

Cycling's governing body... says new rules have been brought in following "new scientific studies"(1) ... after being brought into the spotlight by... Emily Bridges, one of cycling's most high-profile transgender competitors.

Elsewhere we learn of "Emily" Bridges:

She raced in male events while transitioning, including finishing 43rd out of 45 riders in [an] elite men's race... [and] next to last in the Welsh Championship, a 12km lap behind the winner.(2)

 Unknown is whether these "new scientific studies" include a Y chromosome test.
 This occasions the question: why do we only have transgender males competing in female events and not vice versa? No prizes for the correct answer.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, JULY 3 Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

6:30 am The True Family by Harry True 8:00 am FSSP and Preservation of the TLM 9:30 am The True Family by Harry True **11:00 am (High Mass)** Pro Populo 1:00 pm Celebrant's Intention 5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

MONDAY, JULY 4

Feria

8:30 am The True Family by Harry True

TUESDAY, JULY 5

St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria, Confessor 8:30 am Serafin Impon+ Leah Maestas

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6 Feria 8:30 am John Cichos, Sr.+ by John Cichos

THURSDAY, JULY 7

Sts. Cyril and Methodius, Bishops and Confessors 8:30 am Annie Hall+ by David Parrott 7:00 pm Holy Hour

FRIDAY, JULY 8

St. Elizabeth of Portugal, Queen and Widow 8:30 am Sanctification of Tristan Michaels by Robert Setele 7:00 pm Byron Martin+ by Janice Martin

SATURDAY, JULY 9 Saturday of Our Lady

8:30 am Byron Martin+ by Janice Martin

SUNDAY, JULY 10 Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

6:30 am Our Lady of Sorrows Prayer Group by Mary Carter
8:00 am FSSP and Preservation of the TLM
9:30 am OLMC Priests by Mary Carter
11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo
1:00 pm Celebrant's Intention
5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

Fr. Kluge's Private Intentions

- 4 Betty Warmoths+ by John Filipczak
- 5 Serafin Impon+ Leah Maestas
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- 7 Juanita Hamblin+ by David Parrott
- 9 Byron Martin+ by Janice Martin

To request a Mass please fill out a Mass intention offering envelope or mail in a request.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please Welcome Joseph Falciano, a seminarian from Our Lady of Guadalupe Seminary who will be with us for the month of July.

Tomorrow - July 4: the Parish Office will be closed, opening again on Tuesday July 5th at 9:15am.

Next Sunday, July 10 - The OLMC FNE Group will make a presentation after the 9:30 and 11:00 am Masses in the upstairs conference room. Come see what FNE is about. Information included will cover what the program consists of, where the FNE came from, why we have it at OLMC! Please consider coming even if you have your kids in the group already, or if you want to know more.

July 23 - Respect Life 5K hosted by the K of C at Light of the World Parish in Littleton in support of the nationwide K of C Ultrasound Initiative, which helps fund the purchase of ultrasound machines at local pregnancy resource centers. There will be an OLMC team participating and all are welcome to join. Sign up at www.respectlife5k.com to run/walk using team code "Our Lady of Mt Carmel - Littleton". Along with a 5k T-shirt, there will be door prizes and a free pancake breakfast for all.

Aug 26-27 - Return to Tradition Women's Conference registration is now open! Hurry! Don't miss out, seats are filling up fast! Go to restoretradition.com for more information.

Oct. 17-20 - Parish Photo Directory: All parishioners are encouraged to come and have their family photos taken (for free!) so please save the date in your calendars. Every family photographed will receive a copy of the directory and an 8x10 portrait at no cost! More information will be provided in August.

Oct 20-22 - Annual 3 Hearts Pilgrimage in Hulbert, OK in association with Clear Creek Abbey, led by Fr. Nolan. Join pilgrims from across the U.S for a two-day 35-mile penitential walk offering our physical and spiritual sacrifices for the defense of the family and the sanctity of life. To register, visit

www.threeheartspilgrimage.org. Questions may be directed to Michael Reilly: mamreilly@hotmail.com 720-745-0951 or Edmund Wong, wongeth@gmail.com.

Parish Volunteers: Many thanks to all those who have freely given of their precious spare time to attend to any number of projects/events/groups within the parish. May God reward you for your zeal. A monthly Mass is offered for the intentions of parish volunteers.

Prayer Requests

Contact Jane Brennan: jmbrennan555@gmail.com

Please Pray for the Sick

Gabriel Garcia, Peter Doran, Scholastica Salazar, Matthew Comstock, Mike Busek, Maria Williamson, David Williamson, Brent Nicholls, Lucy McCord

Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of

Helen DeLort, Mary Pardenilla, Rudolph Brychel, Earnest Capaldo, Joe Wilson, Nick Wilson, Stephanie Wilson, Fr. Brian Escabo, Charlotte Foutain

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers from the feast of the Most Precious Blood of Our Lord were for the parents of Gwyn Duke, donated by Gwyn Duke.

The altar flowers for this Sunday are for the intention of being in thanksgiving, donated by Kevin and Liz Mallory.

Homebound

Any parishioner confined to home who would like to receive the sacraments or the bulletin, please contact the parish office.

Weekly Collection - June 26th:

General Offertory: \$ 9,420.55 Capital: \$ 145 Poor Box: \$ 288

Monthly Online Faith Direct Collection - June:

General Offertory: \$ 40,001.09 Capital: \$ 900.28

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If you are interested in growing your business or in connecting with other Catholic professionals, please consider attending the weekly OLMC business club meetings on Thursdays at 7:30am in the parish conference room. All Catholic professionals are welcome to attend! Please contact Conrad Cichos at construction238@gmail.com with any questions.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY SIGN UP

To add your business to our free online parish business directory, scan the QR code and you will be directed to the sign-up page.