



Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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A parish of the Archdiocese 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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SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES
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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 Monastery
6138 S. Gallup St. Littleton, CO 80120

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

August 20, 2023



*Samaritanus autem quidam iter faciens, venit secus eum:
et videns eum, misericordia motus est.*

From Fr. Krager

On August 22nd, we celebrate the feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Love Mary! Devotion to her is not some nice add-on, but essential to the Christian life. Unless you understand and love her, you cannot understand and love Jesus Christ. Listen to how emphatically and tenderly the Church Fathers speak of the Blessed Virgin, and contrast that with the garbage spewed by lukewarm Catholics and heretics who do not love her.

For whereas Eve, yet a virgin and undefiled, through conceiving the word that came from the serpent, brought forth disobedience and death; the Virgin Mary, taking faith and joy, when the Angel told her the good tidings that the Spirit of the Lord should come upon her, and the power of the Most High overshadow her, and therefore the Holy One to be born of her should be the Son of God, answered,

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From Fr. Krager

Be it done to me according to thy word. And so by means of her was He born. -St Justin Martyr, 2nd century

As Eve was seduced by the speech of an angel, so as to flee God in transgressing His word, so also Mary received the good tidings by means of the angel's speech, so as to be God within her, being obedient to this word. And though the one had disobeyed God, yet the other was drawn to obey Him; that of the virgin Eve, the virgin Mary might become the advocate and as by a virgin the human race had been bound to death, by a virgin it is saved, the balance being preserved- a virgin's disobedience by a virgin' obedience. -St Irenaeus, 2nd century

None is Mary's son but Jesus alone; and when therefore Jesus says to His mother, "Behold thy son," [in the Gospel of John], it is as if He said "Behold this man is Jesus Himself, to whom thou gavest birth." For everyone who has received the fullness that is Baptism, lives now no more himself, but Christ lives in him. And since Christ lives in him, the word to Mary applies to him: "Behold thy son – the anointed Christ." -Origen, 3rd century

Eve was called the mother of the living ...after the fall this title was given to her. True it is...the whole race of man upon earth was born from Eve; but in reality it is from Mary the Life was truly born to the world. So that by giving birth to the Living One, Mary became the mother of all living. -St Epiphanius, 4th century

God was born of man, so that man could be born again of God. He needed a mother on earth, a Father He had in Heaven. He, through whom all things were made, was born of God from all eternity: but He was born of a woman, that He might make all things new. -St Augustine, 4th century

God has made His Church like to His mother, He has given her to us as a mother, He has kept for Himself as a virgin. The Church, like Mary, is a virgin ever spotless and a mother ever fruitful. What He bestowed on Mary in the flesh, He has bestowed on the Church in the spirit: Mary gave birth to the One, and the Church gives birth to the many, who through the One become one. -St Augustine, 4th century

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

6:30 am Rita Sullivan by Zach and Sara Pisarski
8:00 am Russ Newheardt+ by Andy and Amy Valenzuela
9:30 am Henry Blum+ by Jim Blum
11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo
1:00 pm Andy and Barbara Cavage+
by Andy and Amy Valenzuela
5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

MONDAY, AUGUST 21

St. Jane Frances de Chantal

8:30 am Sr. Martina, OSB

TUESDAY, AUGUST 22

Immaculate Heart of The Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 am (High Mass) Wayne & Nora Rose by Karen Carver

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23

St. Philip Benizi, Confessor

8:30 am Cecilia Dougherty by Michaela Dougherty

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24

St. Bartholomew, Apostle

8:30 am Gabriel Quispe by Michaela Dougherty

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25

St. Louis IX, King and Confessor

8:30 am Aileen Dougherty by Michaela Dougherty
7:00 pm Chris Weinstein by Elvira Weinstein

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

Saturday of Our Lady

8:30 am (High Mass) Mary Weinstein by Elvira Weinstein

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

6:30 am Raymond Lucchi+ by Claudia Williams
8:00 am Reinhold C. Greve+ by Reinhold R. Greve
9:30 am Charles and Helen Onofrio+ by Theresa Rodriguez
11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo
1:00 pm Bob Baker+ by Lisa Seybert
5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

Fr. Nolan's Private Intentions

21 Mary Scott+ by The Anderson Family
22 Scott Fairburn+ by Andy and Amy Valenzuela
24 Spencer Beaulieu by The Beaulieu Family
26 Arnold Weinstein by Elvira Weinstein

To request a Mass, please fill out a Mass intention offering envelope and put it in the drop box outside of the parish office or mail in a request.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Sun - 2nd Collection for Retired and Infirm Priests.

First Sacraments: Information and New Schedule

- **First Confession Classes** will be this Fall rather than in the Spring for children in the 2nd grade and above.
- **First Communion/Confirmation** classes will be in the Spring of 2024 for children in the 3rd grade and above.
- To receive Confirmation/First Communion in 2024, a child must have passed the Confession exam at OLMC.
- Parent Meeting for Confession classes will be Sun, Sep 17 at 2:15pm.
- Even if your child will not be attending Confession classes in-person, please still register!
- **To Register** for Confession classes, visit olmcfssp.org >Sacraments> Confession. **Deadline is Sun, Sep 17.**

St. John Bosco Youth Group: For teens ages 13-18, now with a new format. The 1st and 3rd Thu of the month will include talks, studies and discussions and there will be a monthly Sat fun night, all led by Fr. Krager. We hope to see you there!

September Schedule

- **Thu, Sep 7 and Sep 21** - 6-8pm. Bible Study led by Fr. Krager followed by Adoration.
- **Sat, Sep 16** - 6-8pm. Trivia Night, pizza provided.

This Sat, Aug 26 - Prayer Vigil: Please join us to pray at Planned Parenthood starting at 10:15 am. The facility is located at 7155 E 38th Ave. in Denver.

Sat, Aug 26 - Traditional Catholic Scouting: The FNE will have its first meeting of the year after the 8:30 Mass at DeKoevend Park. Parents can observe a meeting, and children can attend up to two meetings before registering.



Sun, Aug 27 - Three Hearts Pilgrimage Info Meeting: If you are interested in joining our chapter on this 35-mile walk to Clear Creek Abbey, come to this meeting at 12:30pm or visit www.olmcthreehearts.com.

Sat, Sep 2 - CCM Potluck & Talk by Fr. Nix: All women of the parish are invited to a talk on mental prayer in the family at 6pm. Please bring a friend and dish to share!

Sun, Sep 10 - Volunteer/OLMC Group Fair: Please stop by the parish hall after Mass to see how to get more involved at OLMC by volunteering, joining a prayer group, an education group, and so much more

Tue, Sep 19 - Human Trafficking Event: 6-8pm, beginning with a Rosary in the church. Operation Underground Railroad's (OUR) Colorado ambassador will speak about the organization's work and how you can help. Pizza and drinks provided. Merchandise available for purchase.

Sun, Sep 24 - Annual Parish Picnic at DeKoevend Park, Shelter C in Centennial after the 1pm Mass. The Knights of Columbus will be making hotdogs and hamburgers. OLMC will be providing drinks. Please bring a side to share and yard games to play!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Joseph Business Club Meeting

Tue, Aug 22: Come join us for a talk at 11am in the parish hall by Thomas Whisenant on The Case for Local Business. Please RSVP via the Flocknote.

Sun, Aug 27 - Holy Family Media will be selling their Catholic books and DVDs after all Masses.

Jumble Sale Donations: Get ready to donate your clean, unbroken, useful, and beautiful treasures! Drop off times will be on Sat, Sep 16 and 23 from 9:30am-12:30pm at the rectory and Thu, Sep 28 all day in the parish hall.

Thu-Sat, Sep 28-30 - Jumble Sale begins on Thu from 5-7pm (parishioners only) and Fri/Sat from 9:30-4:30pm.

OLMC Online Parish Calendar is available via the website or the code to the right. Please check there for upcoming events.



DAILY PRAYER LINE REQUESTS

Contact Jane Brennan: jmbrennan555@gmail.com

Please Pray for the Sick

David Williamson, Lane Reagan, Joanne Leary, Jamie Jimenez, Kim Poletto, Jacob, Jaxson, Bob Anselmi, Joan Anselmi

Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of

Marge Heithoff, Mary Vickers, Addis McCarthy, Henry Martin, Bill Coffey, Mary Ann Dooley, Peter Nalty, Tom Weigel, Susan Blaufuss, Robert Dalton

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers for the Feast of the Assumption of the BVM were for Frances Stubblefield+, donated by Eric Stubblefield.

The altar flowers this Sunday are for January Wilson, donated by David Wilson.

HOMEBOUND

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

Congratulations to all of the families whose children have recently been Baptized.

Electronic Giving via Faith Direct





The Immaculate Heart of Mary