



Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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

Second Sunday after Pentecost

June 22, 2025



Sanctus Ioannes Fisher

From the Press

[Ending Persecution](#) (Michael Haynes, Lifesite)

Cardinal Raymond Burke revealed that he has already spoken to Pope Leo XIV about the future of the traditional Mass, hoping that the Pope will follow the example of Benedict XVI... Burke spoke of his personal

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intervention to the new Pope regarding the future of the traditional Mass: *It is my hope that Leo XIV will put an end to the present persecution to the faithful in the Church who desire to worship God according to the more ancient usage of the Roman Rite, this persecution from within the Church. I have already had occasion to express that to the Holy Father. It is my hope that he will – as soon as it is possible – take up the study of this question and try to restore the situation as it was after Summorum Pontificum and even to develop what Pope Benedict XVI had so wisely and lovingly legislated for the Church.*

The American cardinal regularly celebrates the traditional Mass and also annually offers ordinations in the traditional rite for priestly fraternities dedicated to it... Commenting on Traditionis Custodes shortly after its release, Burke called it a “severe and revolutionary action of the Holy Father.” Such commentary has remained constant by the cardinal when questioned on the topic...: *Because of the confusion about Traditionis Custodes – the document itself is problematic from the point of view of Canon Law and also of the theological reality of the sacred liturgy – and so a number of Bishops believe that they have to restrict greatly the possibilities for the offering of the Holy Mass according to the Usus Antiquior and also the administration of the other sacraments according to the Usus Antiquior. This is a cause of great suffering. It’s not just. We must pray that Our Lord will intervene to put an end to this persecution of devout Catholics who simply are spiritually nourished by the more ancient form of the Roman Rite.*

Devotees of the traditional Mass have expressed the hope that Leo will move to roll back his predecessor’s restrictions. Their hope has been buoyed by the warm welcome given to Leo XIV by Burke and Cardinal Robert Sarah, both of whom are prominent champions of the old rite.

On the Joy of Life (Robert Jones, Lifesite)

In a recent wide-ranging conversation with Bishop Robert Barron, Tucker Carlson offered heartfelt praise for the Catholic Church’s defense of the unborn. “I’m so grateful to the Catholic Church for standing up for life, for opposing killing. Truly grateful,” Carlson said. Carlson’s comments come after a series of viral interviews and podcast appearances in which he described abortion as a demonic “offering to the spirit world” and a form of “human sacrifice.” He has repeatedly referred to “outside forces acting on people... to convince [them] that if they sacrifice their children, they will be happy and safe.” In a 2023 talk, he warned his listeners: “Anyone telling you, ‘Don’t have children’ [and] ‘Kill your children’ is not your friend. They’re your enemy.” “Now they’re saying, ‘Abortion is itself a pathway to joy,’” he added. “Really? So this is not a political debate. This is a spiritual battle. There is no other conclusion.” “The one unalloyed source of joy in your life is your children,” he declared in 2023. “The point of life is to have children, and to watch them have grandchildren. Nothing will bring you joy like that will.”

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, JUNE 22

Second Sunday After Pentecost

6:30 am Timothy Hall Kelley+ by Julie Smith
8:00 am John & Marilyn Staniland/Rupert & Pauline Lewis
9:30 am Kathi Thurlow by Anna and Shane Coffey
11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo
1:00 pm Mark Finken+ by Bob and Stacie Weber
5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

MONDAY, JUNE 23

Vigil of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist

8:30 am Stephen Kata+ by Ellen Auger

TUESDAY, JUNE 24

Nativity of St. John the Baptist

8:30 am (High Mass) Juan and Petra Gallegos
by Valdes Family

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25

St. William, Abbot

8:30 am Lydia and Cyrus Delfin+ by Margarita David

THURSDAY, JUNE 26

Ss. John and Paul, Martyrs

8:30 am Marc Munoz+ by Shane and Anna Coffey
7:00 pm Adoration and Benediction

FRIDAY, JUNE 27

Sacred Heart of Jesus

8:30 am Kathleen Keith+ Susan Hranicka
7:00 pm (High Mass) Piché Family by James Enright

SATURDAY, JUNE 28

Vigil of Ss. Peter and Paul

8:30 am Jorge and Gabriella Valdes 25th Wedd. Anniv.

SUNDAY, JUNE 29

Ss. Peter and Paul, Apostles

6:30 am Jul Diaz+ by Julie Smith
8:00 am Pope Leo XIV
9:30 am Roberto, Mario, & Jose Saucedo+
by Rosario Cichos
11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo
1:00 pm Archbishop Aquila
5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

Fr. Loftus’ Private Intentions

23 Roberto, Mario, & Jose Saucedo+ by Rosario Cichos
24 Robert E. Dalton+
25 Kevin Smith by Julie Smith
26 Robert E. Weber by Bob and Stacie Weber

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Appropriate Dress: Please show respect for Our Divine Lord and fellow parishioners at Mass. Men should be in collared shirts (no T-shirts with graphics etc.) and long pants. Ladies should be in opaque clothing coming up to the neckline front and back, covering the torso and shoulders/upper arms, skirts coming down to at least the knees.

Parish Hall Kitchen Renovation will continue for a couple more weeks. The kitchen is completely inaccessible during this time.

Today is Fr. Krager’s Last Sunday at OLMC. He will be in the hall after the 1pm Mass to say goodbye to the parishioners.

Today - The 11am High Mass will be the External Solemnity of Corpus Christi.

Today - Burrito Breakfast after all morning Masses hosted by the Knights of Columbus. Cold beverages will also be available. Funds will go towards the OLMC Morning Star Girls’ Camp.

This Tue, Jun 24 - High Mass at 8:30am for the feast of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist

This Fri, Jun 27 - Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus: High Mass at the Carmelite Monastery at 6:30am and at OLMC at 7pm.

Sacred Heart Enthronement: The Legion of Mary invites you and your family to enthrone your home to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The Enthronement brings countless graces and blessings. Stop by the Legion of Mary table after Sunday Masses for more details & a free kit.

This Sat, Jun 28 - Wedding Invitation: Jon Gossman and Mary Woodward would like to invite the parishioners of OLMC to their wedding at 1pm. They would be delighted to share the celebration of this sacrament with their parish family!

Next Sun, Jun 29 - Tabling for Return to Tradition Conference after all Masses for in-person registration. Sign up soon to reserve you spot as space is limited. Visit restoretradition.com for more info and to register online.

Fri, Jul 4 - First Friday Adoration will conclude at 2:30pm with benediction. There will not be a 7pm Mass.

Sat, Jul 5 - Confraternity of Christian Mothers invites all women of the parish to a lecture and discussion of the social teaching encyclicals of Leo XIII and Pius XII with Fr. McCarthy at 9:30am in the St. Albert room. The book being referenced is *Reclaiming Catholic Social Teaching* by Anthony Esolen. Bring your questions and something to share for brunch! Childcare provided.

Mon-Fri, Aug 11-15 - Children’s Chant Camp: Registration is now open for children ages 7-14. Camp will be 8:30am-3:00pm each day and include Mass, the Divine Office, classes, and games outdoors. The camp will culminate in the choristers singing for a High Mass on the feast of the Assumption of Our Lady. Cost is \$120/child and \$60/child for the third child and after, and includes all materials, breakfast each day, and t-shirt. Register by filling out the paperwork found on Flocknote and emailing it to David Hughes at music.director@olmcfssp.org. Registration packets are also available at the parish office. Sign-up deadline is Mon, Jul 28.

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Morning Star Girls’ Camp

Mon-Thu, July 28-31 - for OLMC parishioners ages 7-18, run by the Slaves of the Immaculate Heart, Still River, MA. Camp begins each day with Mass. Activities include catechism, arts & crafts, music & outdoor games. Space is limited. Register at the parish office or Flocknote. There will be a table in the parish hall today for in-person registration.

Mon-Wed, Jul 14-16 - Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel: The Carmelite monastery cordially invites you to their annual Triduum in honor of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, starting each night at 7pm at the monastery chapel. The liturgy each night will include the praying of the Holy Rosary, a sermon, and the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary. There will be an opportunity each evening to be enrolled in the Brown Scapular.

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, Jamie Jimenez, Jacob Jaxson, Indigo Williamson, Jeff McBride, Shannon Coffey, Miriam Halazon, John Filipczak, Cristina Vigil, Maria McKinley, Rebecca Noël Moser, Joanne Leary, Ronald Rider, Susan Martin, Nicholas Trandem.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of
Mary Robles, William Luetticke, Elvie Proto, Kim Poletto, Fr. Salgado FSSP, Michael Anderson, Fr. James B. Doran, John & Eugenia Casbergue, Ronald & Dorothy Seybert.

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

Sanctuary Flower Intentions		
Feast		Intention
II Sunday after Pentecost	Main Altar	Wolf and Cyr Families by Brenda Wolf
	Our Lady of Guadalupe	Deceased Members of the Wojniak Family by Wojniak Family
Nativity of St. John the Baptist	Main Altar	Henry Felipe by Michael & Michelle Felipe
Sacred Heart	Main Altar	Linda Krager by Fr. Eric Krager

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