

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

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Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 11, 2015

Parish Center Hours

Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Ulysses D'Aquila - 306-9583
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Youth Ministry: Kendra & Jason Rickwald - 918-0815
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*Sell
what you have
and
follow me*

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The word of God is living and effective,
Sharper than two-edged sword.

—Hebrews 4: 12a

Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm. (español, 5pm)
Saturday: 8:15 am. and 5:00 pm. Vigil Mass
Monday to Friday 8:15 am.

Reconciliation/Confession
Saturday 3:30 -4:30 p.m.

Baptisms / Bautismos

Call parish at least two months in advance.
Llame a la parroquia a lo menos dos meses antes.

Weddings / Bodas

Call parish at least six months in advance
Llame a la parroquia a lo menos seis meses antes.

Mission Statement

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish is a Christ-centered community in the Roman Catholic tradition. We try to share the Good News of salvation with others. As a diverse community, we value and respect individual differences. As God's people, we gather in the Spirit to pray, to celebrate the sacraments, to teach, to learn, to console, to rejoice, to minister and to renew our faith with one another.

NOTES FROM THE PASTOR/NOTAS DEL PARROCO

In the wake of Pope Francis' visit, Catholics in this country and throughout the world are experiencing a great feeling about our faith, as if a fresh wind has blown through a stuffy room. In every way faithful to the doctrines of the Church, the Pope nonetheless points us in a new direction, asking us to focus our attention on the concerns of the whole world – the environment, the suffering poor, refugees, issues of economy and so on. And he calls us to look anew at God's purposes, recalling that He came among us, not as a great prince, but as a humble brother, Jesus the son of a carpenter, whose heart was one of love and compassion. This Friday, October 16, we



honor a saint who came to deliver a similar message. Margaret Mary Alacoque was born France in 1647. Though an unpretentious nun, St. Margaret Mary eventually had a tremendous effect on the devotional life of the Church. She entered the Visitation Order as a young woman. Some years later she began to have visions of Jesus Christ who, in his communications with her, requested that she promote a special devotion to his Sacred Heart. Being a humble person, Sister Margaret Mary at first doubted the visions but as they continued over a period of many months, she became convinced they were genuine. Specifically, Jesus revealed to Sr. Margaret Mary the image, now so familiar to us, of Jesus showing his Sacred Heart. The Lord asked Margaret Mary to initiate the First Friday devotions, Holy Hour and the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, which we continue to this day. All of this was to counter or oppose the secularism that had taken hold of France in the late 1600's along with a spiritual movement called Jansenism which stressed our human sinfulness and unworthiness. Influenced by the Jansenist movement, very few lay people in those days received communion. Our Lord wanted to balance this severity by showing forth his loving and forgiving nature. St Margaret Mary wrote that "the Sacred Heart [of Jesus] is an inexhaustible fountain of redemption, pouring itself into our hearts." Margaret Mary described the heart of Jesus as having three streams flowing from it: a stream of mercy for sinners, a stream of charity for those in need, and a stream of love and light for the benefit of all who follow Jesus so that they can be more closely united to him. Eventually, the devotion to the Sacred Heart caught on; it was approved by the Church and remained popular. I believe this is the image of Jesus that our Holy Father, Pope Francis, wishes us to embrace and imitate – a Jesus who touched lepers and other outcasts, a Jesus who was quick to forgive even adulterers and thieves who came to repent of their sins, a Jesus who came to reveal God's unbounded love for us and who sacrificed himself on the Cross so that we might one day live with him forever.

Father Ulysses

Después de la visita del Papa Francisco, los católicos de este país y de todo el mundo están experimentando una nueva emoción de nuestra fe, como si un viento fresco se ha fundido a través de una habitación mal ventilada. Por supuesto fiel a las doctrinas de la Iglesia, el Papa a la misma vez nos señala una nueva dirección. Nos pide que centremos nuestra atención en las preocupaciones de todo el mundo - el medio ambiente, los pobres que sufren, los refugiados, los problemas de la economía, etcétera. Y nos llama a mirar de nuevo los propósitos de Dios, recordando que Él vino a nosotros, no como un gran príncipe, sino como un humilde hermano, Jesús, el hijo de un carpintero, cuyo corazón era uno de amor y compasión. Este viernes, el 16 de octubre, honramos una santa que llegó a entregar un mensaje similar. Margarita María Alacoque nació en Francia en 1647. A pesar de ser una monja sin pretensiones, Santa Margarita María finalmente tuvo un efecto tremendo en la vida devocional de la Iglesia. Entró muy joven en la Orden de la Visitación. Algunos años más tarde comenzó a experimentar visiones de Jesucristo, que, en sus comunicaciones con ella, le pidió que promueva una especial devoción a su Sagrado Corazón. Una persona humilde, la hermana Margarita María al principio dudaba de las visiones, pero a medida que continuaron a lo largo de muchos meses, ella se convenció de que eran auténticas. Específicamente, Jesús reveló a Sor Margarita María la imagen, ahora tan familiar para nosotros, de Jesús mostrando su Sagrado Corazón. El Señor animó a Margarita María que iniciara las devociones del Primer Viernes, la Hora Santa y la Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento. Todo esto era para contrarrestar la falta de fe que se había apoderado en Francia en la década de 1600, junto con un movimiento espiritual llamado jansenismo, que hizo hincapié en nuestra pecaminosidad e indignidad humana. Influenciado por el movimiento jansenista, eran muy pocos los laicos que en esos días recibieran la comunión. Nuestro Señor quiso equilibrar esta severidad, mostrando sucesivamente su naturaleza de amor y perdón. Santa Margarita María escribió que "el Sagrado Corazón [de Jesús] es una fuente inagotable de la redención, derramándose en nuestros corazones." Margarita María describió el corazón de Jesús con tres corrientes fluyendo de él: una corriente de misericordia para los pecadores; una corriente de caridad para los necesitados, y una corriente de amor y luz para el beneficio de todos los que siguen a Jesús, para que puedan estar más estrechamente unidos a él. Con el tiempo, la devoción al Sagrado Corazón se hizo popular. Fue aprobado por la Iglesia y sigue siendo popular. Creo que ésta es la imagen de Jesús que nuestro Santo Padre, Francisco, desea que abracemos e imitemos – a un Jesús que tocó a los leprosos y los marginados, un Jesús que rápido perdonó incluso a los adúlteros y ladrones que llegaron a arrepentirse de sus pecados, un Jesús que vino a revelar el amor sin límites de Dios por nosotros, y que se sacrificó en la cruz para que nosotros pudiéramos vivir un día con él para siempre.



**LA SOCIEDAD
GUADALUPANA LOS
INVITA
A LA NOCHE DE
DISFRACES
CENA BAILE**

Sábado 24 de Octubre 2015

7:00 pm—12:00 pm

En el Salón Grande de la
Iglesia Monte Carmelo

Adultos \$30

Menores de 12 años \$15

Llame a Carmen (610) 274 -5595

Margarita (610) 366 -7424

Maria (650) 367- 0424

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Religious Education Classes are on Sundays at 8:45am – 9:45am. For more information on First Communion Registration, please call the Religious Education Office, 650- 368-8237. Las clases de Catecismo son los Domingos a las 8:45am. en Ingles, Miércoles y Jueves en Español a las 6:30pm. Para más información por favor llame a la oficina del Catecismo: 650-368-8237.

Para Información de las Confirmaciones por favor llame al 650:366-6194



Please join us for the 18th Annual Benefit Auction for Our Lady of Mount Carmel School on **Saturday, November 7**. This year's theme is "On the Boardwalk". Enjoy dinner, entertainment and dancing, as well as our live and silent auction. Tickets will go on sale Wednesday, October 7, for \$75.00 each. For more information, please contact the school office at 650.366.6127.

EL PRIMER ECONOMISTA: Se dice que Cristóbal Colón fue el primer economista. Cuando partió a descubrir América no sabía adónde iba, cuando llegó allí no sabía dónde estaba. Y cuando regresó no sabía adónde había ido. Y además todo era pagado por el gobierno.

—Autor desconocido

FRESH VEGETABLES

Nano-Farms A co-operative of people who are growing vegetables on land at St. Patrick's Seminary will be here to sell some of their produce. Please have a look and consider buying some fresh, healthy vegetables all grown with love. Come to the front of the Church after the 10am Mass on the **2nd Sundays of the month** and pick up some fresh vegetables grown organically and locally! Expect to see throughout the summer lettuce, cilantro, kale, broccoli, strawberries, carrots, tomatoes, peas, onions, and more. . .

"Walk a Mile in My Shoes"

For the third consecutive year, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul of San Mateo County is holding a walk on Oct. 24 for the poor -- a national St. Vincent de Paul event – called "Walk a Mile in My Shoes" to raise awareness and funds for the underserved and forgotten in our community. The approximately 2.3 mile walk will begin at 11:30 a.m. and will be along the Bay Trail, starting and ending near the Hilton San Francisco Airport Bayfront hotel, 600 Airport Blvd., in Burlingame. The registration fee for the walk is \$10. To register visit: www.svdpsm.org. Bring your friends and family to this fun & important walk around our gorgeous Bay!

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Rooted from the very beginning of Church tradition, the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.) is the path for welcoming new inquirers into our community of believers. If you, or someone close to you, are considering becoming a member of the Catholic community here at Our Lady of Mount Carmel then please accept our invitation to join with us weekly on Sunday, following the 8:00 AM Mass in the Small Chapel on the James Street side of the Church. For further information, contact John Spotorno, RCIA coordinator, johnspotorno@gmail.com or call, cell (650) 303-6292 or at home (650) 364-3704.

Holy Hour Happy Hour

Young adults in their 20s and 30s are encouraged join us for a Holy Hour at Nativity parish (210 Oak Grove, Menlo Park) on Tuesdays from 8pm-9pm, followed by drinks at a local pub. If you have any questions, please email holyhourhappyhour@gmail.com or visit our website, holyhourhappyhour.wordpress.com.



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Columbus Day

Christopher Columbus was the world's most remarkable salesman. He started out not knowing where he was going. When he arrived, he didn't know where he was. And when he returned, he didn't know where he had been. And he did it all on a big cash advance and he received a repeat order.

—Anonymous



Mass Intentions for the Week

Intenciones de Misas de la semana

Saturday, October 10, 5:00 PM

Mary Ann Appleby (Int.)

Sunday, October 11:

8:00 AM Charles & Theresa Elacqua †

10:00 AM Rochelle Piparo †

12:00 PM (Español) Max Barriga †

5:00 PM Liliane Sha †

Monday, October 12, 8:15 AM

Dave † & Maryann Gonzales (Int)

Tuesday, October 13, 8:15 AM

Marguerite Corman †

Wednesday, October 14, 8:15 AM

Emelda Coleman †

Thursday, October 15, 8:15 AM

Terry Lyon (Int.)

Friday, October 16, 8:15AM

Hank Norman †

Saturday, October 17, 8:15 AM

Guillermina Hernandez (Int.)

This week at Mt. Carmel

Sunday, October 11:

Children's Liturgy 10:00 am Chapel

CCD Class 8:45 am Sch.

Confirmation Class 5:30 pm L. Hall

Monday, October 12:

Carismáticos (Directiva) 7:00 pm Old Chapel

School Sports 3—9pm L. Hall

Tuesday, October 13:

Men's Basketball 8:30 - 10:30pm. L. Hall

Wednesday, October 14:

CCD Parents' Mtg. 6:30 pm School

Carismáticos 7:00 pm L. Hall

I.C.F. 7:00 pm S. Hall/K

SVDP Detention Min. 7:00 pm P. Center

Thursday, October 15 :

Good Grief 6:00 pm. Old Chapel

SVDP 7:00 pm P. Ceter

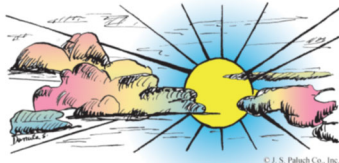
CCD Parents' Mtg. 6:30 pm School

Friday, October 16:

Spanish Choir Rehearsal 7:00 pm. P. Center

SAINTS AN SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
National Children's Day
Monday: Columbus Day
Wednesday: St. Callistus I
Thursday: St. Teresa of Jesus
Friday: St. Hedwig; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque;
National Boss Day
Saturday: St. Ignatius of Antioch; Sweetest Day



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Welcome Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish

Registration Form

The following confidential information will be entered in our parish data system. It is only for the purpose of knowing and serving you better.

Name (s): _____

Address: _____

city

zip

Telephone: _____

e-mail: _____

Others in your household: _____

Number of adults over 18 years of age: _____

Number of children under 18 years of age: _____



ARCHBISHOP ANNUAL APPEAL 2015

Thank all of you who have contributed to the Archbishop Annual Appeal. Our assessment for 2015 is \$64,500. To date we have received \$43,800. Our balance \$20,700. Please consider how you can help us meet our goal.