

# OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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THE DIOCESE OF VICTORIA IN TEXAS

Bishop: The Most Reverend Brendan J. Cahill, S.T.D.

## Parish Staff:

**Parochial Administrator:** Father Bob Knippenberg

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**Secretary:** Imelda García

**Director of Religious Education/Coordinadora de la Doctrina**

Genoveva Torres

## Parish Office Hours/Horario de la Oficina Parroquial

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Sunday Mass Schedule:** Saturday 5:00 p.m. - Spanish

*Misa entre Fín de Semana* Sunday 8:00 a.m. - Spanish

10:00 a.m. - English

12:00 p.m. - English

**Daily Mass Schedule:** Monday 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday 5:30 p.m.

*Misa entre Semana* Wednesday 5:30 p.m.

Thursday 9:00 a.m. Avalon Nursing Home



“Queen and Beauty of Carmel”

Pray for Us

**Adoration:** Every First Thursday of each month at 6:00 p.m. with Mass at 7:00 p.m. in spanish. *Adoración: Cada primer jueves de cada mes a las 6:00 p.m. con misa a las 7:00 p.m. en español.*

**Reconciliation/Confesiones:** Saturdays 4 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. or by appointment. *Los Sábados 4 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. o con cita.*

**Matrimony/Matrimonio:** Contact the priest at least six months in advance of the desired wedding day. *Favor de hablar con el sacerdote al menos, seis meses antes de la fecha que desean para su boda.*

**Baptism/Bautismos:** Class required for parents and godparents. Baptisms in Spanish ~ 3rd Saturday of the month. Baptisms in English ~ 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month. *Se requiere asistir a un curso de preparación para los padres y padrinos. Bautismos en Español : cada tercer Sabado del mes. Bautismos en Inglés cada cuarto Sabado del mes.*

**Anointing of the Sick/Unción de los Enfermos:** available when one is preparing for a medical procedure or is seriously ill. In case of emergency, call the rectory at any time. *Antes de cirugía o cuando uno está grave de salud. Cuando hay emergencia, favor de llamar a la oficina.*

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul: Assistance** – 979-533-9494 – P.O. Box 926, Wharton, TX 77488

**La Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl:** Ayuda con sus necesidades.

*Check us out on Facebook: Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church Wharton*

*Look us up on our website: [www.olmcwharton.org](http://www.olmcwharton.org)*

March 20, 2016  
Palm Sunday

20 de Marzo 2016  
Domingo de Ramos

**SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM:**

**Holy Thursday/Jueves Santo ~7:00 p.m.**

*Lector: Katy Pennington (Esp.) (English)*

*Eucharistic Minister: Julia Gonzáles*

**Good Friday/Viernes Santo ~ 5:00 p.m.**

*First/Second Reading, Speaker (English) ~ Shirley Castro*

*Narrator ~ Amalia Villarreal*

**La Vigilia Pascual en la Noche Santa**

**Sabado 26 de Marzo ~ 8:00 p.m.**

*Lector: Myrna Gonzales (English)*

*Lector: Leticia Velazquez (Spanish)*

**Extra Ordinary Min.:** Janie Amador

**Head Usher:** William Brewster

**Altar Servers:** Asael González

**Domingo 27 de Marzo ~ 8:00 a.m.**

**Lector:** Noemi Olivo

**Extra Ordinary Min.:** Faye Hernandez

**Altar Servers:** Justin González

**Head Usher:** Paul Olivo

**Sunday, March 27th, 10:00 a.m.**

**Lector:** Victoria Mendieta

**Alt. Extra Ordinary Min.:** Julia Gonzales

**Altar Servers:** Giana Gomez, Marisa Reyna

Jason & Joseph Hernandez

**Head Usher:** Arthur Rodriguez

**Sunday, March 27th, 12:00 p.m.**

**Lector:** BB Krenek

**Extra Ordinary Minister:** Dolores Chacon

**Altar Servers:** Kyle and John Paul Creamer

**Head Usher:** John Martinez

**Easter Mass Schedule**

**Horario de Misas de Pascua**

**All Masses will be Bilingual**

**Todas las Misas serán Bilingües**

**Holy Thursday**

*Jueves Santo – 7:00 p.m*

**Good Friday**

*Viernes Santo – 5:00 p.m.*

**Holy Saturday-Easter Vigil**

*Sabado Santo-La Vigilia Pascual –*

*8:00 p.m.*



*THE SANCTUARY LAMP IS OFFERED FOR  
La Lámpara del Santuario Se ofrece para*

*The Bernal & Castro Families*

*By John & Dora Castro*

**Priest's Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Saturday March 19th**

5:00 p.m.: Brigitte Smith Vaughn

**Sunday March 20th**

8 a.m.: Parroquianos

10 a.m.: Salud Ferrel, Jr. +

12 p.m.: Emma Buentello +

**Monday March 21st**

5:30 p.m.: Michael Garcia +

**Tuesday March 22nd**

5:30 p.m.: Joe Cerrillo +

**Wednesday March 23rd**

5:30 p.m.: Dario Montelongo +

**Holy Thursday March 24th**

**Avalon Nursing Home**

**9:00 a.m.:** Louisa Gonzalez +

**7:00 p.m.:** *Evening Mass of Our Lord's Supper*

*Misa Vespertina de la Cena del Señor*

*Adoration follows/Adoración después*

**Good Friday March 25<sup>th</sup>**

**5:00 p.m.:** *Celebration of the Lord's Passion*

*Celebración de la Pasión del Señor*

**Easter Vigil/ La Vigilia de Pascua**

**Saturday March 26th**

**8:00 p.m.:** Parishioners/Parroquianos

**Sunday March 27th**

8 a.m.: MaxYves Verzele +

10 a.m.: Pedro Solorzano +

12 p.m.: The Intentions of Pope Francis

**Our Weekly Parish Support**

**March 13, 2016**

704 Families ~ 2,141 Members

91 Envelopes.....	\$ 1,202.05
Loose Collection.....	\$ 1,113.00
<b>Total First Collection.....</b>	<b>..\$ 2,315.05</b>
DSA.....	\$ 406.00
Operation Rice Bowl.....	\$ 310.10
<b>Total Second Collection.....</b>	<b>\$ 716.10</b>
Insurance Refund Diocese of Victoria.....	\$ 1,121.51
Religious Goods.....	\$ 57.00
Electronic Candles.....	\$ 173.73
<b>Total Other Revenue.....</b>	<b>\$ 1,352.24</b>
<b>Total Deposit (3/15/16).....</b>	<b>\$ 4,383.39</b>

**Second Sunday of Easter**

**Segundo Domingo de Pascua**

**Readings ~ April 3, 2016**

**Lecturas ~ 3 de Abril 2016**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Acts 5:12-16**

**Responsorial Psalm:**

**Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24**

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19**

**Gospel- John 20:19-31**

## Mount Carmel Sick List

Mike Aguilar, Stacy Aguilar, David Amador, Betty Aragoz, Rosie Badillo, Christina Ballejo, Tom Carlson, Eusebio Castro, Margaret Castro, Dolores Chacon, Jesus Cerrillo, Nieves Cerrillo, Philip Cerrillo, Raymond Cortez, Lori Cubría, José Luis Cubria, Zara Cubria, Elaine Davis, Ofelia De Los Santos, Kathy Estrada, Olifidio Esquivel, Lasaro Flores, Tina Flores, Steven Gaines, Britney Gallegos, Christina Garcia, Delia H. Garcia, Jeffery Garcia, Martina Garcia, Robert Jacinto Garcia, Minnie Gonzales, Theresa Gonzales, Diana Gonzalez, Maria C. Gonzalez, Myrna Gonzalez, Juanita Guerrero, Carol Guzman, Martin Guzman, Haven Heffner, Kord Hernandez, Bessie Hlavinka, Mason Hooper, Dolores Horta, Lopez, Alice Jimenez, Royce Johansen, Jerry Kemp, Rosie Orta Machuca, Deborah Marling, Gilbert Mata, Rosie Mata, Catarino Mata Sr., Yolanda Montelongo, Alex Matthew Moreno, Janie Muñoz, Mary Muñoz, Jennifer Nickolyn, Eva Pérez, Jennifer Pérez, Victor Guerrero Pérez, Lola Rios, Caterino Rivera, Derek Rivers, Hank Rivers, Marlene Rivers, Jesse Rodriguez, Freddy Ruiz, Martha Salinas, Margret Sanchez, Tina SanMiguel, Angela Sepeda, Jonathan Sepeda, Eddie Silvas, Johnny Soliz, Helen Stewart, Santos Suaste, Dr. Raymond Torp, Margie Torres, Betty Urbanovsky, Mason Ray Villarreal, Jacob Wiesner, Jase Winkenwerder, Eric Zamora.

*If you know of anyone who needs to be added or taken off the sick list please contact the parish office and let us know. Si sabe de alguien que debería ser añadido o quitado de la lista de enfermos por favor llame la oficina y avisenos*

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Joe Losoya Gonzáles + and Yarenci Paola Diaz +**  
May their souls rest in peace and their families be consoled

**Baptismal Preparation Class ~ Sat. Apr.9, 10:00a.m., in the Parish Hall. Call the parish office to register.**

**Clase de preparación del Sacramento del Bautizmo: Sabdo, 9 de Abril al las 10:00 a.m. en el salón parroquial. Llame a la oficina parroquial para inscribirse.**

**Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers:** If you are scheduled any of the Easter services, and **you know** that **you will not** be able to fulfill your duty for that day, **Call** and let us know so that someone can be scheduled in your place. At this time of year it is important that we have your cooperation because we may need to schedule more than one Lector and Eucharistic minister for certain masses.

**Lectores y Ministros Eucarísticos:** Si están programados para cualquiera de los servicios de semana Santa, y **usted sabe que usted no va a poder cumplir con su deber** para ese día, **llame y deja nos saber** para que alguien pueda ser programado en su lugar. En esta época del año es importante que tenemos cooperación de ustedes porque en ciertas misas necesitamos programar más de un Lector y Ministro Eucarístico.



**Holy Thursday Collection for the Education of Our Diocesan Seminarians:** On March 24<sup>th</sup>, at the celebration of the *Evening Mass of The Lord's Supper* on Holy Thursday, a collection will be offered for the education of our future priests. The Diocese of Victoria currently has 10 men in formation at various seminaries in the United States. At an average annual cost of \$35,000 per seminarian, this year the diocese will need approximately \$350,000 to fund this important endeavor. With your continuous generosity, coupled with a bequest received several years ago, the diocese should be able to fund the cost of educating our seminarians without adding an additional amount to our *Diocesan Services Appeal* campaign. Please assist your parish and diocese in helping to educate our future priests. These men, we pray, will one day be ordained and will be serving us in our parishes. Let us all do our part in assisting in their education and formation. Thank you for supporting our *Holy Thursday Collection for the Education of Our Diocesan Seminarians*.

### IMPORTANT CCE ANNOUNCEMENTS NOTICIAS IMPORTANTES DE LA DOCTRINA

**Mandatory meeting for the Parents of Confirmation students, Tuesday, April 5, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall, Reunion obligatoria para los Padres de estudiantes haciendo su Confirmación, Martes 5 de Abril a las 7:00 p.m. en el salón parroquial.**

#### FOR PARENTS OF FIRST COMMUNION STUDENTS:

- **The dates** that the students **will be tested on the prayers** that they should know in order to make their First Communion will be **23 March and 6 April**. Please pray with them at home every night.
- **Mandatory meeting** will be on **Monday, 21 or Tuesday, 22 at 7:00 p.m.** in the parish hall. **Parents MUST attend one of these meetings.**
- **First communion students are scheduled** to make their **sacrament of First Confession on Saturday, 30 April from 10:00 to noon**. You will receive a note as to the exact time slot at a later date.

**PARA LOS PADRES DE ESTUDIANTES HACIENDO SUS PRIMERA COMUNION:**

- **Las fechas** en las que los estudiantes **serán probados en las oraciones que debe saber para hacer su primera comunión serán el 23 de marzo y 6 de abril.** Por favor de ore con ellos en casa todas las noche
- **La reunión obligatoria** será el **lunes 21 o el martes 22 a las 7:00 p.m. en el salón parroquial. Los padres deben asistir a una de estas reuniones.**
- **Los alumnos preparándose** para recibir su Primera Comunión **están programados para recibir el sacramento de la Primera Confesión el Sábado, 30 de abril, de 10:00 a las 12.00 horas.** Los padres recibirán una nota con la hora exacta en una fecha posterior.

**Please return the Rice Bowls the next time your child has class or at the latest by 23rd March. Favor de regresar las cajitas de cuaresma (Rice Bowls) la próxima vez que sus hijos tengan clase o a lo más tardado para el 23 de marzo.**

**ANNUAL BAZAAR**

**NEXT BAZAAR PLANNING MEETING:**

**April 14, 2016 in the Parish Hall at 6:30 p.m.**

**EL SIGUIENTE REUNIÓN DE PLANIFICACIÓN DEL BAZAR:**

**14 Abril 2016 en el Salón Parroquial 6:30 p.m.**

**Bazaar Donation Envelopes/Sobres de Donación del Bazar**

*If you did not get a Bazaar Donations Envelope last Sunday and would like one, they are located at the back of the church and in the parish office. Put your donation in the envelope and either bring it by the parish office or drop it in the collection basket during Mass. Si usted no recibió un sobre para donaciones del Bazar el domingo pasado y quisiera uno, se encuentran en la parte posterior de la iglesia y en la oficina parroquial. Ponga su donación en el sobre y tráigalo por la oficina de la parroquia o póngalo en la canasta de la colección durante la Misa.*

**Benefit Breakfast/ Desayuno de Beneficio**

**Today~Palm Sunday/ Hoy ~ Domingo de Ramos**

**In the Parish Hall/ en el Salón Parroquial~ 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

**A menu of/Menú de: Menudo and Tacos: Barbacoa, Potato & Egg, Sausage & Egg, Bacon & Egg and Plates of: Tamales, Chicken or Beef Fajitas, Pork Chops**

*Menudo y Tacos: Barbacoa, Papa con Huevo, Salchicha con Huevo, Tocino con Huevo y Platos de: Tamales, Fajitas de Pollo o Carne de Res, Chuletas de Cerdo*

**Bazaar Fundraiser**

**Roasted Potato (with brisket and condiments) & Roasted Corn** will be held at the American Legion Hall Post 87, 227 Croom Dr. Wharton, TX on April 3, 2016 from 11am-2pm Tickets are \$8.00 per plate. Tickets will be sold after all the masses March 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> or contact **Pablo (Mousie) Mireles 979-533-9137, Johnny Gonzales at Gonzales Automotive 979-282-9610, or Lupe Torres 281-610-4564**

*Papa asada (con carne y condimentos) y maíz tostado se llevará a cabo en el American Legion Hall Post 87, 227 Croom Dr. Wharton, TX en 03 de abril de 2016 de 11:00 am -2:00 pm \$8.00 por plato. Los boletos se venderán después de todas las misas el 12 – 13 de marzo o póngase en contacto con **Pablo (Mousie) Mireles 979-533-9137, Johnny Gonzales (Gonzales Automotive ) 979-282-9610 o Lupe Torres 281-610-4564***

**Service Hours opportunities for Confirmation & Pre Confirmation Students:**

**Saturday April 2<sup>nd</sup>- American Legion Hall @ 4p.m. Preparing Potatoes for Baked Potato Benefit**

**Sunday April 3<sup>rd</sup>- American Legion Hall @ 10:00 a.m. Working Drive Thru @ Baked Potato / Roasted Corn Fundraiser.**