

# OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CATHOLIC CHURCH DIOCESE OF VICTORIA IN TEXAS

**NOVEMBER 17, 2019**

**The Thirty-Third Sunday  
In Ordinary Time**

*El Trigésimo Tercer Domingo del  
Tiempo Ordinario*



“See that you are not be deceived, for many will come in my name, saying I am he, and The time has come.” Luke 21: 5-19

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## **Sunday Mass Schedule / Misa de Domingo**

5:00 p.m. Spanish (Saturday Vigil)

8:00 a.m. Spanish

10:00 a.m. English

12:00 p.m. English

## **Daily Mass Schedule/Misa Diaria**

*Monday ~ No Mass*

*Tuesday & Friday, 8:00 a.m. ~ English*

*Wednesday, 6:00 p.m. ~ Spanish*

*9:00 a.m. Thursday ~ Nursing Home*

### **Adoration/Adoración**

*6:00 p.m. ~ First Thursday of the Month*

*Primer Jueves del Mes*

### **Reconciliation/Confesiones:**

*Saturdays / Sabados 4 p.m. – 4:50 p.m.*

*or by appointment / o con cita*

**Baptism, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick,  
Bautismo, Matrimonio, Unción de los Enfermos**  
*Call the Parish Office to make an appointment or for  
information.*

*Llamen a la Oficina Parroquial para hacer una cita o para  
información.*

## **Parish Staff**

**Parochial Administrator:** Fr. Antonio Pérez

*Administrador parroquial*

**Secretary:** Imelda García

*Secretaria*

**Parish Catechetical Leader:** Diana Compian

*Líder de Catequesis*

**Safe Environment Coordinator:** Gloria Diaz

*Coordinadora de Ambiente Seguro*

**Custodian:** Raquel García

*la conserje*

## **Office Hours:**

*Horario de la Oficina*

**Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday**

*(Lunes, Miércoles, Jueves, y Viernes)*

**8a.m. – 5p.m. Closed/Cerrado 12noon – 1p.m.**

**Tuesday Open/Abierto 1:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.**

*(Martes)*

## ***Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time***

In the context of Luke, today's Gospel appears near the end of Jesus' teaching in Jerusalem, just prior to the events that will lead to his crucifixion. His warnings and predictions are ominous but can be read in many ways.

To those who first heard Luke's Gospel, those may have been words of encouragement. The destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem by the Romans was history (70 A.D.); Luke's Gospel, Catholic scholars propose, was written between 80 and 90 A.D. His audience was probably Gentile Christians. Luke here tries to interpret the fall of Jerusalem for them and to locate it in God's plans for humankind (salvation history). At the same time, Luke is suggesting to his audience that there will be a considerable elapse of time before Jesus' final coming. Luke's listeners have likely seen much upheaval and are anxious to know if these are the signs of Jesus' coming. Luke is urging greater patience.

In the second part of today's Gospel, Jesus warns that his followers will face persecution for their beliefs. Luke presents persecution as an opportunity for the followers of Jesus for "It will lead to your giving testimony" (Luke 21:13). In persecution God's wisdom and power will be shown in the example of followers of Jesus. Perseverance in the face of persecution will lead to their salvation.

Here Jesus is assuring his followers that God is present to all believers, even in times of trouble. Ultimately, Jesus will witness to this with his own death. As disciples of Jesus, we try to follow his example, trusting in God's mercy and protection, even when we are facing difficulties.

## ***Trigésimo Tercer domingo del tiempo ordinario***

En el contexto de Lucas, el Evangelio de hoy aparece cerca del final de las enseñanzas de Jesús en Jerusalén, justo antes de los eventos que conducirán a su crucifixión. Sus advertencias y predicciones son siniestras, pero se pueden leer de muchas maneras.

Para aquellos que escucharon por primera vez el Evangelio de Lucas, esas pueden haber sido palabras de aliento. La destrucción del Templo en Jerusalén por los romanos fue historia (70 d.C.); El Evangelio de Lucas, proponen los eruditos católicos, fue escrito entre los años 80 y 90 d. C. Su audiencia probablemente era cristianos gentiles. Lucas aquí intenta interpretar la caída de Jerusalén para ellos y ubicarla en los planes de Dios para la humanidad (historia de salvación). Al mismo tiempo, Lucas sugiere a su audiencia que pasará un tiempo considerable antes de la venida final de Jesús. Los oyentes de Lucas probablemente han visto mucha agitación y están ansiosos por saber si estos son los signos de la venida de Jesús. Luke está instando a una mayor paciencia.

En la segunda parte del Evangelio de hoy, Jesús advierte que sus seguidores enfrentarán la persecución por sus creencias. Lucas presenta la persecución como una oportunidad para los seguidores de Jesús porque "conducirá a su testimonio" (Lucas 21:13). En la persecución, la sabiduría y el poder de Dios se mostrarán en el ejemplo de los seguidores de Jesús. La perseverancia frente a la persecución conducirá a su salvación.

Aquí Jesús está asegurando a sus seguidores que Dios está presente para todos los creyentes, incluso en tiempos de problemas. Finalmente, Jesús será testigo de esto con su propia muerte. Como discípulos de Jesús, tratamos de seguir su ejemplo, confiando en la misericordia y protección de Dios, incluso cuando enfrentamos dificultades.

**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Saturday November 16th**

**5:00 p.m.:** Marta Pérez +

**Sunday November 17th**

**8:00 a.m.:** Parroquianos

**10:00 a.m.:** Chris Torres & Mata Grandparents +

**12:00 p.m.:** Alice Mata & Lisa Ruiz +

**Monday November 18th**

No Mass

**Tuesday November 19th**

No Mass

**Wednesday November 20th**

No Mass

**Thursday November 21st**

No Mass

**Friday November 22nd**

No Mass

**Saturday November 23rd**

**5:00 p.m.:** Vangie Alanis +

**Sunday November 24th**

**8:00 a.m.:** Fidel Navarro y María Pérez +

**10:00 a.m.:** Juan Jimenez +

**12:00 p.m.:** Parishioners

**Take Note/Tome Nota**

**Fr. Antonio will be out of town until November 27th.**

**During this time there will be no daily masses, any mass intention scheduled will be moved to the next available date.**

*El p. Antonio estará fuera de la ciudad hasta el 27 de noviembre. Durante de este tiempo no habrá misas diarias, cualquier intención de misa programada se moverá a la próxima fecha disponible.*



**THE MESSY FAMILY PROJECT IS COMING TO THE DIOCESE OF VICTORIA!** This seminar for married couples and parents is an exciting opportunity for those who want to deepen their marriage and strengthen their parenting skills. This **free** event will be held on Sunday, November 17, 2019 from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at The Cathedral Center, 3102 N. Laurent, in Victoria, Texas. Lunch will be available for purchase. This event is endorsed by the Diocese of Victoria and sponsored by *KJZT Family Life*. Call 1-888-253-2338 or go to [www.kjzt.org](http://www.kjzt.org) to register. Advance registration is required.

**THE OFFICE OF FAMILY EVANGELIZATION** would like to hear from YOU on what you believe are the needs of families in our diocese. Can you please take a couple of minutes to complete a short, 10-question survey? And please pass on to anyone else you think would be interested! The survey is online at: [www.victoriadiocese.org/office-of-family-evangelization](http://www.victoriadiocese.org/office-of-family-evangelization)

**The Pope's Prayer Intentions: November 2019**

**Universal:** That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.

**Intenciones de oración del Papa: November 2019**

**Universal:** Que surja un espíritu de diálogo, encuentro y reconciliación en el Cercano Oriente, donde diversas comunidades religiosas comparten sus vidas juntas.

**A Vocation Reflection: "The one who humbles himself will be exalted."** Is humble service as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life your path or holiness and eternal glory in Christ? Call Father Tommy Chen (361) 552-6140 or Father Kristopher Fuchs (361) 573-4328

**Una reflexión vocacional: "El que se humilla será exaltado".** ¿Es el servicio humilde como sacerdote, diácono o en la vida consagrada tu camino o santidad y gloria eterna en Cristo? Llame al Padre Tommy Chen (361) 552-6140 o al Padre Kristopher Fuchs (361) 573-4328

**Pray for Vocations/Oren por Vocaciones**



**THE SANCTUARY LAMP IS OFFERED**

*La lámpara del Santuario se ofrece*

*In Memory of / en memoria de*

**Greg Aguilar & Anthony Gil Aguilar +**

*By Stacy & Lizzie Aguilar*



**Harvest Mass Saturday, November 23 at 10 a.m.**

Followed by a reception (Please bring a lawn chair) Mass celebration will be at:

Whistling Duck Vineyards & Winery

1211 CR 273 Weimar, TX 78962

Bishop Brendan Cahill, celebrant

The Mass will celebrate all on the farm or in the city, tilling a field, weeding a garden or tending to plant life in an apartment window—we will celebrate together in thanksgiving for the bountiful harvest and the gift of being stewards of the earth and bearers of fruit.

**Thanksgiving Mass Schedule-November 28th  
Horario de Misa Día de Acción de Gracia**

Our Lady of Mount Carmel – 10:00 a.m.

**Surrounding Churches /las Iglesias Alrededor**

Holy Family, Wharton - 8:00 a.m.

St. John the Baptist, Hungerford – 8:00 a.m.

St. Philip the Apostle, El Campo - 8:00 a.m.

St. Robert Bellarmine, El Campo – Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> 6:30 p.m.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Bay City – 9:00 a.m.

Holy Cross, Bay City – 8:00 a.m.

**Mount Carmel Sick List / Lista de los Enfermos**

Martin Aguilar, Stacy Aguilar, David Amador, Christina Ballejo, Eileen Ballejo, Juan Camarena, Jaclyn Cantu, Omar Cantu, Yadi Cantu, Margaret Castro, Elida Corona, Nieves Cerrillo, Faustino Falcon, Ross Falcon, Eddy H. Garcia, Alfred Garza, Mario Garza, Janet Gensler, Mary Gomez, Mike Gomez, Diana Gonzalez, Maria Gonzalez, Guadalupe Guerrero, Haven Heffner, Mason Hooper, Roy Jimenez, Jr., Chris Llanes, Shelly Marie Lot, Jessie Mata, Joe Mata, Lupe R. Mata, Jennifer Nickolyn, Delia Noguez, Antonio Martinez, Naghieli Monroe, Eva Muñiz Marie Muñoz, Mary Muñoz, Delia Perches, Velma Perez, Janie Peña, Jessie Peña, Rudy Robles, Dorothy Rosenbaum, David Rivera, Ernest Rivera, Sr., Lupe Samora, Rosella Samora, Ann Saunders, Carrie Saunders, Theresa Siska, Damaris Montero-Smith, Joel Smith, Santos Suaste, Dianne Tharp, Mary Ann Torres, Deacon David Valdez, Raymond Vela, Teppi Ventura, Andrew Villarreal **Call the parish office to remove or add someone to the prayer list. Llame a la oficina para agregar o quitar a alguien de la lista de oración**



**CCD News/Noticias de la Doctrina**

**Our Lady of Mount Carmel and our CCD Program would like to thank everyone who helped make the CCD Fall Fest a success! \$4,296.50 was raised. Thank you! to:** our Parishioners, CCD Staff, CCD Parents, confirmation students, Dj Cas, Los Carmelitos, the Cooks and anyone who had a hand in making our Fall Fest a success.

**¡Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo y nuestro Programa CCD desean agradecer a todos los que ayudaron a que el CCD Fall Fest fuera un éxito! \$ 4,296.50 fue recaudado. ¡Gracias! A:** nuestros feligreses, persona de CCD, padres de CCD, estudiantes de confirmación, Dj Cas, Los Carmelitos, los cocineros y cualquier persona que haya contribuido a que nuestro Fall Fest fuera un éxito.

**Thank you! to our merchant donors:** Jr's Smokehouse & Phillip Garman, Reyna's Café, HEB, Sonic Drive In, Freddie's, and Martinez Trucking.

**(Don't forget to support our merchant donors)**

**We appreciate everyone's generosity and participation**

(Anyone or Merchant who was left off was unintentional we thank you for your help and support.)

*¡Gracias! a nuestros donantes comerciales: Jr's Smokehouse & Phillip Garman, Reyna's Café, HEB, Sonic Drive In, Freddie's y Martinez Trucking.*

**(No olviden apoyar a nuestros donantes comerciales)**

**Agradecemos la generosidad y participación de todos.**

*(Cualquier persona que no fue mencionada, no fue intencional le agradecemos por su ayuda y apoyo.)*

**A Fall Feast wrap up meeting will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 19<sup>th</sup> in the parish hall please bring a covered dish.**

*Una reunión final de la Fiestal de Otoño se llevará a cabo a las 6:00 p.m. el martes, en el salón 19 de noviembre por favor traiga un plato cubierto*

**In Case of Suspected Abuse** — If a person is in immediate danger, call 911 or call the Department of Family & Protective Services at 1-800-252-5400 or report the abuse online. Written allegations (marked "Personal & Confidential") may be sent to: Office of the Bishop, Diocese of Victoria in Texas, P.O. BOX 4070 Victoria, Texas 77903-4070. To report suspected or known abuse by church personnel, please contact the diocesan Coordinator of Pastoral Care and Outreach: Vicki L. Pyatt 361-827-7186 Our Lady of Mount Carmel's Safe Environment Coordinator is Gloria Diaz 979-532-3492

**En caso de sospecha de abuso** — si una persona está en peligro inmediato, llame al 911 o llame al Departamento de familia y servicios de protección al 1-800-252-5400 o reporte el abuso en línea. Las alegaciones escritas (marcadas "personales y confidenciales") pueden ser enviadas a: Oficina del obispo, diócesis de victoria en Texas, P.O. BOX 4070 Victoria, Texas 77903-4070. Para informar sobre el abuso sospechoso o conocido por el personal de la iglesia, por favor comuníquese con el Coordinador Diocesano de atención pastoral divulgación: Vicki L. Pyatt 361-827-7186 La Coordinadora del ambiente seguro de nuestra Señora de Mount Carmel es Gloria Diaz 979-532-3492



Our CCD Annual Food Drive for the Saint Vincent de Paul Society will be from Oct. 30<sup>th</sup>-Nov.20<sup>th</sup> We are accepting canned goods or pasta (green beans, tuna, spam, Macaroni, etc) Non-parishables (Toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, body wash, /soap, etc.) This will be given to SVDP before the Thanksgiving holiday. Please send your children with items to class on Wednesdays.

*Nuestra colecta annual de alimentos para la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl sera del 30 de Oct. al 20 de Nov. Estamos aceptando productos enlatado, o pasta (elote, spam, maccaron, fideos etc.) Tambien productos de pasta de dientes, cepillos de dientes, jabon, champú. Todo se entregará a SVDP antes de las vacaciones de Día de Acción de Gracias. Favor de mandar sus hijos a clase con los articlos los Mirecoles.*



**Bishop Cahill on Morning Air**

Join in listening to Bishop Brendan Cahill at 6:30 a.m. on Relevant Radio Morning Air Show. The third Tuesday of the month he speaks on different topics and answer questions.

**Weekly Parish Support  
November 10, 2019**

Envelopes.....	\$ 757.00
Loose Collection.....	\$ 811.23
<b>Total First Collection.....</b>	<b>\$ 2514.23</b>
Archdiocese of Military.....	\$ 612.50
<b>Total Second Collection.....</b>	<b>\$ 612.50</b>
Mass Intentions.....	\$ 25.00
Candles.....	\$ 34.80
World Mission Sunday.....	\$ 20.00
CCD Fund.....	\$ 35.00
Fall Fest.....	\$ 121.00
<b>Total other Revenue.....</b>	<b>\$ 235.80</b>
<b>Total Deposit.....</b>	<b>\$ 3362.53</b>