

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CHURCH

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Served by the Carmelites

PARISH OFFICE.....(707) 422-7767

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8 AM - 1 PM, Friday

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FAITH FORMATION.....(707) 422-2814

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY.....(707) 422-5209

EMERGENCY SICK CALLS.....(707) 422-7767

CONFIRMATION & RCIA.....(707) 422-7767

TAG / HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

Rhyan Ramirez.....(707) 853-2905

Mass Schedule / Sacraments

MASS: *WEEKEND*....Saturday Evening: 5PM Vigil

Sunday: 8AM, 10AM & 12 Noon

DAILY.....Monday - Saturday: 9AM

HOLY DAYS.....9AM, Noon and 7PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays.....3:30 to 4:30 PM or by appointment

BAPTISMS: 3rd Weekend of the Month

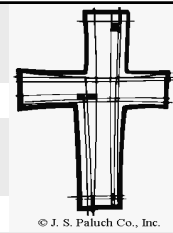
Pre-Baptism Program Required (visit our website)

MARRIAGES: *Six months notice required*

Contact the Parish Office for all Baptisms & Marriages

WEEK OF OCTOBER 14, 2018 ~ Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

DATE	ACTIVITIES - Dome / Church	MASS SCHEDULE / INTENTIONS
Monday 10/15	Phobease, 6:30pm	9 AM: † Bev Orlando
Tuesday 10/16	Legion of Mary / Faith Formation	9 AM: † Janique Harrison
Wednes. 10/17	Members in Motion / Faith Formation RCIA / Phobease	9 AM: † Teresa Bautista / † Maria Rey
Thursday 10/18	Bible Study, /Cancer Support/ Lay Carms.	9 AM: OLMC Parishioners
Friday 10/19	EADM / Amor Dei	9 AM Thanksgiving to St. Anthony / † Jose Bayquen
Saturday 10/20	Lay Carmelites, 9:45 am / 10AM Choir 10AM Choir Practice, 9:45 am / Baptism	9 AM: † Elbert Wood 5 PM: † Bev Orlando
Sunday 10/21	TAG Youth Ministry Ultreya, 2PM N2Y, 1:30pm / SHinE, 2:30pm	8 AM: † Elba M. Elias / Fr. Hank Ormond, O.Carm. 10 AM: † George Kulasingam 12 PM: Dolores Lopez Padilla / † Sanjuana Lopez



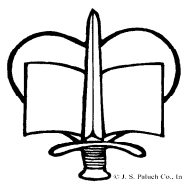
Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration
ADORERS ARE NEEDED:

- * WEDnesdays 4 - 5 AM
- * WEDnesdays 1 - 2PM

OLMC's St. Therese Chapel is open 24 hours, 7-days a week!
Our goal is to have 2 or more committed adorers every hour. Please call the Parish Office for more information, (707) 422-7767.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

They say that it is not so much that Columbus discovered America, but rather that after he arrived, the new world "stayed discovered." The sponsorship of Ferdinand and Isabella assured that the news would flash around Europe with an air of authority that other "discoverers" lacked. One of the oft-mentioned early visitors is Saint Brendan the Navigator, a sixth-century Irish monk who had trouble staying at home. He is said to have sailed to "the Isle of the Blessed" in a leather-bound boat, and to have been away from his monastery for seven years. Upon his return, the stories of adventures to a new land attracted pilgrims to his monastery in the Blasket Islands, off the west coast of Ireland. Columbus is said to have referred to The Voyage of Saint Brendan, a very popular adventure in those days. Only after his American journey is Brendan said to have gone to tamer lands to the east, England and Scotland. In 1976, Tim Severin set out on a two-year voyage to America from Ireland in a leather-bound boat, traveling in summer and hopscotching from the Faroes to Iceland to Newfoundland, and encountering along the way exactly what Saint Brendan describes: icebergs, whales, and porpoises. Scholars warn not to dismiss this too quickly: just as the ancient Egyptian monks sought to live in the desert, for the Celtic monks exile in a boat was the Irish equivalent. Five centuries after Brendan, other Irish monks may have visited here as a refuge from Viking terror.



If it is well with your soul, you have everything that matters. If it is not, nothing else matters. ~ Matthew 16:26



If you would like the faith community of OLMC to join you in prayers for special needs, contact the Parish Office at 422-7767. We do occasionally take some names off of the list in the bulletin. If we have taken a name from the printed list of a person still in need of prayers, please give us a call and we will happily put him or her back on. Please take some time this week to remember the following in your prayers:

- For all in our parish family who are suffering serious or terminal illness
- For Men and Women in Armed Forces and for

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| Madison O'Shields | Carol Nunes | John Hess & Sharon Dotson |
| Timothy White | Dolores Sheppard | Kimo Boone |
| Ron Scharfen | Bessie Zanolini | Gloria Lee |
| Dolores Highsmith-Cass | Ian Padilla | Anita Brennan |
| Dion Newman | Miley McCrary | Stephen Shanahan |
| Shannon Valtierra | De Pham | Kathy Spain |
| Daniella Rogers Harre | John & June Kelley | Larry Hebert |
| Joe & Evelyn Nunes | David Quilao | Josephine Iannarelli |
| Andy Andalajao | Sal DiMarco | Su Kuropatkin |
| Dolores Krystek | Dottie Lescano | Romy & Cuca Lopez |
| Darwin Rasmussen | Bobby Holsworth | Dennis Harp |
| Andrew Michael Capriato | John Joe White | Crystal Buelna |
| John & Vivian Donahoe | Virgil Jaramillo | Bernice Jojola |
| Susan Cox | Therese Keck | Bing Lovena Lagdamen |
| Carrol Thierry | Pat Murtha | Leo & Gwen Martinez |
| Daniel Yaroch | Lina Craddock | Mary Ellen McCormick |
| Bruce Waelbrock | Jason Eshabarr | Fr. Hank Ormond, OCarm |
| Jeff Anub | Darrell Sturgeon | Jewel Perez |
| Laura Labrado | Jean Banks | Cynthia Fernandez |
| Dick Kraft | Leonida Bascara | Bob & Carol Howisey |
| Mary Highsmith | Vivian Blas | Georgina McClinton |
| Bethany and Family | Roberto, Inday & Robbie Visda | Jose Cadiz |
| Alexis Marie Stinson | Joel Rivera | Elsie Harris & Family |
| Aukusitino Iulio | Gilbert Ramirez | Suly & Esme Pelayo |
| Alapati Suisala | Cathy Arriola | John Duran |
| Silivelia Alkowni | Rosario Manalisay | Eddie & Lou Bartalome |
| Diane Ball | Michelle Barroso | Matt A. Villaber |
| Howell Wood III | Irene Bruce | Dom Orlando |
| Yollie Wood | Alicia Irish Rodriguez | Mary Jane Marvel |
| Cindy Ottinger | Fernando Family | Sigenia Rojas |
| Mary Sheldon | Joyce Kennedy | Theresa McDermott |
| Mellisa Cabral | Robert Rabaino | Kathleen T. O'Malley |
| Janice Powell | Jun Adeva | Mr. & Mrs. Abrishamkar |
| Austin Yang | Renita Manalo | Carol Johansen |
| Kai Crocker | | Andy Caceres |
| | | Elenita Vera Cruz-Ulep |
| | | Jeanne Goldbach |
| | | Sofia A. Villanueva |



Rainer Urbach 246-4686
 Pearla Cuerdo 386-3403
 Jean Hamilton 624-9248
 Delia Tabasa 631-9577
 Evelyn Samson 372-7215
 Mike Lonero 389-0130
 John Shinstock 437-4773
 Eddie San Pedro 803-1106
 Woody Carnahan 208-9465
 Thelma Meyer 372-7889
 Vince Tydingco/Sec. 631-5269
 Julie Darling / Pres. 425-3934



Respect Life Corner:
 From Sept. 26 through Nov. 4th, you are invited to join other Christians for 40-Days for Life - 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You are also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood, 1325 Travis Blvd., Fairfield, across from Solano Mall, and also help spread the word about this important community outreach. If you would like more information and especially if you would like to volunteer to help, please contact Cathy, 688-6551 or Maria, 718-1356.

Knights of Columbus Corner:

OLMC's Knights of Columbus is collecting



Toys for children in need. Your generosity in the past has been wonderful and we hope to have another fantastic year for the children. You can bring NEW, unwrapped toys to the back of the Narthex November 10/11th through the 16th.

St. Vincent de Paul Corner



Grocery cards to help families purchase food for Thanksgiving or Christmas are available by calling St. Vincent de Paul at 422-5209. A limited number of cards are available, so call SVdP to be placed on the family wait list.



Ministry of the Word

Lectors are Needed! We will be having a Lector training session / refresher meeting for experienced and new volunteers, November 3rd at 1 p.m. If you are interested in serving as Lector for OLMC, please contact Don McKenna, (707) 718-5239.

KEEP christ IN christmas

Get a jump start on your Christmas Card mailing! The Knights of Columbus will be selling Christmas Cards the weekend of :
 Nov. 10/11, 17/18, 24/25,
 Dec. 1/2 and 8/9.

Relevant Radio Needs Your Help - November 5th-9th. Volunteering a few hours of your time to assist us in answering phone calls during our Pledge Drive would be a blessing to us. Join us for Mass and Rosary in our Chapel, great food, fellowship and you can even win some great prizes! Call 877-291-0123.



Shepherds Field Olive Wood Sales October 20-21, 2018

A group from the Holy Land (Bethlehem & Jerusalem) will be selling religious articles after Masses to support the Catholic Christian minorities in Bethlehem. As a tradition, many of the Catholic families in the Holy Land work in small workshops to produce religious articles from olive wood. These articles represent the Christian art of the Holy Land. Sales will be used to help and support the Catholics in the Holy Land.

Knights of Columbus Bus Trip to Reno

The local Fourth Degree Assembly of the Knights of Columbus, covering the Councils in Vacaville, Fairfield, and Dixon, is sponsoring a Bus Trip to Reno, Saturday, October 27, 2018. The cost is \$40 per person with \$15 back at the Silver Legacy. Call Ed and Flora Huestis, (707) 449-1982 for additional information, reservations and departure times.



Parish Collections
 Our weekly goal
 \$12,500.00

ENVELOPE Collection

Oct. 7th: \$12,392.00

ONLINE Donations

Sept. 30th - Oct. 6th
 \$3,107.70



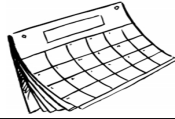
Save the Date!

November 10, 2018

More details to come!

OLMC Parish Calendar

- ◆ Oct. 1st –Dec. 9th - *SVDP Thanksgiving / Christmas Grocery Gift Cards Request Period*
- ◆ Oct. 4th—Nov. 15th - *Bible Study*
- ◆ Oct. 20th - *Baptism*
- ◆ Oct. 20th/21st - *Shepherds Field Olive Wood Sale*
- ◆ Nov. 3rd - *Ministry of the Word Training, IPM*
- ◆ Nov. 10th - *Advent Retreat*



THE PATH



People find their way to paradise more by a path of footprints than by a pack of road maps. — Anonymous

OLMC MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS



ADULT EDUCATION - RCIA Catholics Come Home	Parish Office 422-7767 / Kelly Newman 422-4582 / Dom Orlando 429-0149	MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER	Tom and Elaine Bruno - 426-9564
ALPHA PREGNANCY CLINICS OF	NORTHERN CALIFORNIA 428-3300	MEMBERS IN MOTION	Betty McFadden - 422-4129
ALTAR & SANCTUARY	Lay Carmelites	MINISTRY OF THE EUCHARIST	Julie Darling - 425-3934 Pearla Cuerdo - 429-8226
ALTAR SERVERS	Deacon Raymond Elias / 416-4618	MINISTRY OF THE WORD	Don McKenna - 718-5239
AMOR DEI CHARISMATIC COMMUNITY	Delia Tabasa / 631-9577	MUSIC MINISTRY DIRECTOR	Mark Middleton 688-4157 olmcmusic@guitarandpiano.com
BAPTISM (Baptismal Prep Class held every other month)	Deacon Raymond Elias / 416-4618 deaconraymondelias@sbcglobal.net	OLMC GIFT CARDS	Peggy Sherrod / 429-3183
CANCER SUPPORT	Annie Hutchinson - 422-0851	Parish Pastoral COUNCIL	Consists of 10 members (See Bulletin)
CFC-FOUNDATION FOR FAMILY & LIFE	John & Malou Bayquen - 208-4005	PERPETUAL Eucharistic Adoration	Lynda Sutton - 330-4858
COUNSELING (private practice)	Henry A. Ormond, O.Carm, PhD 422-7767 ext 305	PRAYER LINE	Catharine Scharfen - 427-2320 / Pearla Cuerdo -429-8226
COUPLES FOR CHRIST Cesar & Norma Dulay (707) 816-9576	Rey & Milva Lapitan - 707-428-1561 Ray & Lyn Fortaleza 707-208-6679	RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	Elaine Bruno or Anna Albericci 422-2814
CURSILLO	Gem Geluz - 386-9142	RESPECT LIFE	Cathy Omoso 688-6551
EURHARISTIC APOSTLES OF DIVINE MERCY (EADM)	Mindy Zindel 421-0776, Marlon Taasan 688-4880	CATHOLIC MEDIA KIOSK	Phyllis Kaminska 419-4237
FIAT	Norma Dulay - (707) 816-9576	RETROUVAILLE (Lifeline for troubled marriages)	Call the Parish Office.
FINANCE COUNCIL HELPING HANDS MINISTRY	Doug Darling - 425-3934 Annie Hutchinson - 422-0851	ST. VINCENT de PAUL	422-5209
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS	Dominic Orlando - 429-0149	USHERS / HOSPITALITY	Bunny Dominguez / 386-2709
LAY CARMELITES	Melody McCloskey 415-377-1139	VISITS TO THE SICK and SACRAMENT MINISTRY	Parish Office
LEGION OF MARY	Orlie Mangune, 707-880-5602	YLI (A Catholic Women's Organization)	Kathy Marley - 422-3588 or Margaret Sanders - 428-1970
LORD'S LEAVEN MISSION SOCIETY	Marlon & Yvette Taasan - 688-4880	YOUTH MINISTRY	Rhyan & Danielle Ramirez - 853-2905