

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

Parochial Vicar: Father Antonio Pérez

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

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 Sundays of the month. Baptisms in English ~ 4th Sunday 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



“Queen and Beauty of Carmel”
Pray for Us

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Sabado 30 de Enero 5:00 p.m.

Lector: Alejandra González
 Extra Ordinary Min.: Faye Hernandez
 Altar Servers: Asael González
 Head Usher: William Brewster

Domingo 31 de Enero ~ 8:00 a.m.

Lector: Yuliana García
 Extra Ordinary Min: Noemi Olivo
 Altar Servers: Justin González
 Head Usher: Paul Olivo

Sunday, January 31st~ 10:00 a.m.

Lector: Shirley Castro
 Extra Ordinary Min.: Tina Ruiz
 Altar Servers: Gianna Gomez, Marisa Reyna,
 Jason & Joseph Hernandez
 Head Usher: Arthur Rodríguez

Sunday, January 31st ~ 12:00 p.m.

Lector: Joe Esquivel
 Extra Ordinary Minister: Gary Nuñez
 Altar Servers: Kyle and John Paul Creamer
 Head Usher: John Martínez



“The flame of a burning holy candle may symbolize our intention to be constantly in prayer. The burning wick of the candle becomes our very prayer, symbolizing our intent and desire to be at prayer, even when it is not possible.”

Please consider remembering or honoring you loved ones in prayer by reserving a date for the Sanctuary Lamp intentions. Intentions are for one week for an offering of \$15.00. Come by the office to reserve a date.

“La llama de una ardiente vela santa puede simbolizar nuestra intención de estar constantemente en oración. La mecha ardiente de la vela se convierte en nuestra oración simbolizando nuestra intención y deseo de estar en oración incluso cuando no es posible.” Por que no condidere recordar y honrar a sus seres queridos en la oración reservando una fecha para las intenciones de la Lampara del Santuario. Las intenciones son para una semana por una oferta de \$ 15.00. Venga por la oficina para reservar su fecha.

**THE SANCTUARY LAMP IS
 OFFERED FOR**

*La Lámpara del Santuario Se ofrece para
 The Parishioners/Los Parroquianos*

**The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 El Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

Readings ~ January 31, 2016

Lecturas ~ 31 de Enero 2016

1st – Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19

Responsorial Psalm:

Psalm 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15, 17

2nd – 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13 or 13:4-13

Gospel – Luke 4:21-30

Priest's Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday January 23rd

5:00 p.m.: Phillip David Barron +

Sunday January 24th

8 a.m.: Parroquianos

10 a.m.: Rebecca Reyes +

12 p.m.: Bob Russell +

Monday January 25th

5:30 p.m.: D.C. Rivera +

Tuesday January 26th

5:30 p.m.: Mary Rodriguez +

Wednesday January 27th

5:30 p.m.: Santos Rivera +

Thursday January 28th

Avalon Nursing Home

9:00: Nicolas Garcia +

Friday January 29th

NO Mass

Saturday January 30th

5:00 p.m.: Jessie & Maria Cadriel +

Sunday January 31st

8 a.m.: Parroquianos

10 a.m.: Rebecca Cerrillo +

12 p.m.: Pablo Rodriguez +

Our Weekly Parish Support

January 17, 2015

704 Families ~ 2,141 Members

91 Envelopes.....	\$ 1,203.50
Loose Collection.....	\$ 1,161.56
Total First Collection.....	\$ 2,365.06

Building Fund.....	\$ 853.02
Total Second Collection.....	\$ 853.02

CCE Fund.....	\$ 1.00
Electronic Candles.....	\$ 49.31
Religious Goods.....	\$ 64.30
Sanctuary Lamp.....	\$ 15.00
Church use Fun, Quince, Wed.....	\$ 100.00
Total Other Revenue.....	\$ 229.61
Total Deposit (1/19/15).....	\$ 3,447.69

*Today's Second Collection is for the
 Collection for the Church in Latin America*

Your gifts to the collection will fund catechesis, pastoral programs, marriage and family life projects, seminarian education, and many other necessary programs in Latin America and in the Caribbean.

La Segunda Colecta de Hoy es para

La Colecta para la Iglesia en América Latina

Sus ofrendas para esta colecta financiarán catequesis, programas pastorales, proyectos para el matrimonio y la vida familiar y la educación de seminaristas además de otras proyectos en América Latina. Y en el Caribe

Mount Carmel Sick List

Mike Aguilar, Stacy Aguilar, David Amador, Betty Aragoz, Rosie Badillo, Christina Ballejo, Tom Carlson, Eusebio Castro, Margaret Castro, 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, Robert Kuehn, Rosie Orta Machuca, Deborah Marling, Gilbert Mata, Rosie Mata, Catarino Mata Sr., Pete Mireles Jr., 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 a la oficina y avisenos

Prayer for Jubilee Year of Mercy- Bishop Cahill

I open my heart to You, this day, Oh Merciful
Father—Send forth Your Holy Spirit into the depths of
my being. So that from head to toe I may be an instrument of
Your healing and mercy. One Body and One Spirit with my
sisters and brothers throughout the Diocese of Victoria. I pray to listen before speaking, To understand before judging, To
love before acting. Trusting in the faithful intercession of Mary my Mother I pray in the Name of Your Son Jesus Christ.
Who I profess as LORD, living as Lord, living and reigning with You and the Holy Spirit,
One God forever and ever. Amen

Closing of the Year of Consecrated Life in Victoria Diocese

World Day for Consecrated Life will be celebrated in the Church on Tuesday, February 2, 2016 and in parishes on the weekend of February 6-7, 2016. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.

Year of Consecrated Life at Incarnate Word Convent

Celebrating Consecrated Life



At Incarnate Word Convent
Sunday, February 7 ~ 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Adoration and Evening Praise
All Are Invited!

Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers: If you see that the scheduled person does not come to mass at his or her appointed time. Please, fill in for that person. If you know you will not be available for your appointed time, call the office so that someone can be called to replace you. *Lectores y Ministros Eucarísticos: Si ves que la persona programada no a llegado a misa para su tiempo designado, por favor, rellene para ellos. Y si usted sabe que no estará disponible para su tiempo designado llame a la oficina para que alguien pueda ser llamado para sustituirle.*

IMPORTANT CCE ANNOUCEMENTS NOTICIAS IMPORTANTES DE LA DOCTRINA

IMPORTANT CATECHIST ANNOUCEMENT: Catechist Retreat Today Sunday, 24th January, 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. All Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catechists are asked to attend this retreat

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 Coordinators of Pastoral Care and Outreach: Fr. Gary Janak, Chancellor (361) 575-4741 or 361-573-0828, or Sr. Emilie Eilers, IWBS at (361) 575-7111.

THE EMMAUS CENTER

Counseling In The Catholic Tradition
Sponsored by the Diocese of Victoria
1908 N. Laurent Street, Suite 140
Victoria, Texas 77901

For an appointment, go to
www.emmauscaounselingcenter.com
or call 361-212-0830
Extending a Listening Heart
to Those in Need

Your Hurt is Temporary

2 Corinthians 5:7- Therefore, if anyone, is in Christ
he is a new creation. The old has passed away;
behold, the new has come.

Become a Houston Hospice Volunteer

For those of you interested in volunteering with patients and families, we hold three 25-hour Patient Care Volunteer Training sessions throughout the year (February, June and October).

Our next 3-day training session will be held in the George Memorial Library (1001 Golfview Drive Richmond, TX 77469 281-342-4455 There is free, easily accessible parking.)

On Tuesdays: February 9, 16 and 23, 2016 from 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM

(There will be home study assignments as well.)

Please check our website, <http://www.houstonhospice.org/> for more information about our hospice and be sure to follow us on Facebook as well. Call the Volunteer Office in Houston at 713-677-7121 or in El Campo at 979-578-0314 for further information about our volunteer program.

Spirituality Workshop:

Everyone is invited to attend a workshop titled "What is Spiritual Direction and Overnight Directed Retreats? Offered at *Amor Meus Spirituality Center* at Incarnate Word Convent 1101 N.E. Water St. in Victoria, TX on Saturday, January 30th from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM. Sr. Digna Vela, IWBS is the workshop presenter. Call 361-575-7111 for more information or to register. A stipend of \$15 is suggested or a free will offering. Bring your Bible.

CDA Chicken Noodle Soup Super and Raffle Court St. Bernadette #1108 of East Bernard, TX Wed. January 27, American Legion, Hall Hwy.60 East Bernard. Serving begins at 5p.m. till sold out Soup is \$3.00 a bowl, chicken salad sandwiches are \$3.00 each. Eat in or to-go in your containers Pastries will be available. Check out the silent Auction. Raffle drawing for 73 prizes will be at 7p.m.

ANNUAL BAZAAR

It's Time to think about planning for the **Bazaar** anyone who can be a chairperson for any part of the Bazaar please call the parish office at 979-532-3492. If we **Do Not** get a response from you, our parishioners, we may have to cancel the Bazaar for this year. The Bazaar is our **Major** fundraiser. All proceeds go to fund the parish operating expenses. Please consider volunteering for this year's **Annual Bazaar**.

*Es el momento de pensar acerca de la planificación para el Bazar. Si usted puede ser un presidente de cualquier parte del Bazar, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial al 979-532-3492. Si No obtenemos una respuesta de ustedes, nuestros feligreses, es posible que tengamos que cancelar el bazar para este año. El Bazar es nuestra **Principal** recaudación de fondos Todos los fondos se utilizan para financiar los gastos operativos de la parroquia. Por favor considere trabajar como voluntario para el **Bazar** anual de este año.*