

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 George Kunnath

Secretary: Imelda García

Parish Catechetical Leader/Líder de Catequesis Parroquial

Diana Compian

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: Tuesday 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday 6:00 p.m.

Misa entre Semana Thursday 9:00 a.m. Avalon Nursing Home

Friday 6:00 p.m.

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 ~ 4th 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.



“Queen and Beauty of Carmel”
Pray for Us

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

Look us up on our website: www.olmcwharton.org

January 15, 2017
The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Saturday 21 Enero ~ 5:00 p.m.

Lector: Inocencio Velasquez
Extra Ordinary Min.: Janie Amador
Altar Servers: Asael González Diego Velázquez
Valeria Arellano
Head Usher: William Brewster

Domingo 22 de Enero ~ 8:00 a.m.

Lector: Yuliana Garcia
Extra Ordinary Min.: Faye Hernandez
Altar Servers: David Rufino, Francisca García
Head Usher: Paul Olivo

Sunday, January 22, 2017 10:00 a.m.

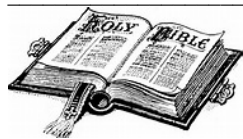
Lector: Marlina Matula
Extra Ordinary Min.: Julia Gonzales
Altar Servers: Giana Gomez, Marisa Reyna
Jason & Joseph Hernández, Adam Gomez
Head Usher: Arthur Rodriguez

Sunday, January 22, 2017 12:00 p.m.

Lector: Joe Esquivel
Extra Ordinary Min.: Dolores Chacon
Altar Servers: Kyle and John Paul Creamer
Head Usher: John Martinez



THE SANCTUARY LAMP IS OFFERED FOR
La Lámpara del Santuario Se ofrece para
Fr. John Kollannur
By Julia & Rudy Gonzáles



The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
El Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Readings ~ Lecturas January 22 / 22 de Enero
1st ~ Isaiah/ Isaías 8:23-9:3
Responsorial Psalm:
Psalm/ Salmo 27:1, 4, 13-14
2nd ~ 1 Corinthians/ 1Corintios 1:10-13, 17
Gospel/Evangelio ~ Mateo 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

PRAYER FOR SOLIDARITY

Almighty and ever-living God, empower your one human family to join hands on our journey of faith. Send us your spirit of hope, so that we may work to alleviate human suffering and foster charity and justice in our world. Amen.

ORACIÓN POR LA SOLIDARIDAD

Dios todopoderoso y eterno, te pedimos que capacites a la única familia humana para que tomados de la mano avancemos en el camino de la fe. Envíanos tu Espíritu de esperanza, para aliviar los sufrimientos humanos, y promover la caridad y la justicia en el mundo. Amén.

15 de Enero 2017
El Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday January 14th

5:00 p.m.: Jesus Cerrillo +

Sunday January 15th

8:00 a.m.: Guadalupe Paniagua +

10:00 a.m.: Rosie Horta +

12:00 p.m.: Parishioners

Monday 16th

6:00 p.m.: **No Mass**

Tuesday January 17th ~ Convent Chapel

6:00 p.m.: Coach Doris (For Healing)

Wednesday January 18th ~ Church

6:00 p.m.: Angela Sepeda +

Thursday January 19th ~ Avalon

9:00 a.m.: TC Rivera +

Friday January 20th ~ Convent Chapel

6:00 p.m.: JB Johse +

Saturday January 21st

5:00 p.m.: Ascención Quintanilla +

Sunday January 22nd

8:00 a.m.: Roy San Miguel +

10:00 a.m.: Living & Deceased Members

of the Mata Family

12:00: Parishioners

Our Weekly Parish Support

January 1, 2017

704 Families ~ 2,141 Members

91 Envelopes.....	\$ 1,086.00
Loose Collection.....	\$ 957.64
Total Collection.....	\$ 2,043.64
Diocesan Services Appeal.....	\$ 392.26
Total Second Collection.....	\$ 392.26
CCD Fund.....	\$ 25.00
Religious Goods.....	\$ 12.25
Electronic Candles.....	\$ 61.78
General Donation.....	\$ 300.00
Total Other Revenue.....	\$ 399.03
Total Sunday Collection Deposit (1/4/17).....	\$ 2,834.93

Share Your Faith

Next week we will take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America. Please prayerfully consider supporting this collection, which assists programs that strengthen the faith in Latin America and the Caribbean. Your gifts help share the faith by providing lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation, as well as other programs. To learn more, please visit www.usccb.org/latin-america. *La próxima semana realizaremos la Colecta para la Iglesia en América Latina. Por favor, en oración, considere apoyar esta colecta, la cual ayuda a programas que fortalecen la fe En América Latina y el Caribe. Sus donativos ayudan a compartir la fe por medio de programas de capacitación para laicos comprometidos, la catequesis, la formación de seminaristas y religiosas y varios otros proyectos. Para ver mas información, por favor visite www.usccb.org/latin-america*

Mount Carmel Sick List

Mike Aguilar, Stacy Aguilar, David Amador, Betty Araguz, Christina Ballejo, Lucinda Belasquez, Bea Cano, Jr., Tom Carlson, Eusebio Castro, Genaro Castro, Margaret Castro, Nieves Cerrillo, Philip Cerrillo, Raymond Cortez, Kino Cruz, Lori Cubría, José Luis Cubria, Zara Cubria, Elaine Davis, Olga Dominguez, Kathy Estrada, Olifidio Esquivel, Lasaro Flores, Lucy Flores, Tina Flores, Steven Gaines, Britney Gallegos, Allison Garcia, Christina Garcia, Delia H. Garcia, Jeffery Garcia, Martina Garcia, Robert Jacinto Garcia, Minnie Gonzales, Theresa Gonzales, Diana Gonzalez, Maria C. Gonzalez, Juanita Guerrero, Carol Guzman, Martin Guzman, Dana Heffner, Haven Heffner, Kord Hernandez, Laura Hernandez, Bessie Hlavinka, Mason Hooper, Dolores Horta, Alice Jimenez, Jerry Kemp, Fr. John Kollannur, Deborah Marling, Catarino Mata Sr., Ediee Martinez, Susie Medrano, Yolanda Montelongo, Alex Matthew Moreno, Eva Muñoz, Janie Muñoz, Mary Muñoz, Jennifer Nickolyn, Alexandria Palacios, Manuela Peña, Octavio Peña, Eva Pérez, Jennifer Pérez, Victor Guerrero Pérez, Joe Quinones, Lola Rios, Derek Rivers, Glenda Rivers, Hank Rivers, Marlene Rivers, Connie Rodriguez, Jesse Rodriguez, Freddy Ruiz, Martha Salinas, Margret Sanchez, Carolyn Driscoll Sanders, Tina San Miguel, Jonathan Sepeda, Eddie Silvas, Johnny Soliz, Helen Stewart, Santos Suaste, Dr. Raymond Torp, Margie Torres, Janie Valdez, 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*

Important CCD News/Noticias Importantes de la Doctrina

Reminder to all CCD Staff: There will be a mini retreat for all CCD Staff, **Today ~ Sunday, January 15th** from 2 to 4p.m. given by Chris Alvarez of the Diocesan Catechetical Office. All Staff members are encouraged to attend.

Tenth Annual Catholic Knowledge Bowl

The **Tenth Annual Catholic Knowledge Bowl** will be held **Sunday, February 12, 2017 from 2:30 – 5:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Sorrows – Trinity Hall in Victoria.** This annual diocesan event has become an avenue for fun, excitement, learning and competition. There are three divisions adult, family, and teen. **Adult teams** can be comprised of parish catechetical leaders, catechists, youth ministers, those involved in other church ministries, or adults interested in learning more about the Catholic faith. Parents can be encouraged to study and learn with their children hence forming **Family Teams; Student Teams** must be over the age of 13 and those still in high school not older than 18. CKB online registration \$25.00 per team. Information can be found at www.victoriadiocese.org. **All teams must register on line or call 361-573-0828** if you need assistance. **Payment must accompany online registration for a team to be officially registered** 10th anniversary limited edition t-shirts (\$10 each) can be ordered when registering. **The deadline to register is Tuesday, January 31, 2017**

The Diocese of Victoria Pastoral Institute Extended Program-TRINITY

Tuesdays-January 10,17,24,31, & February 7, 14
Evenings 7:00 p.m. – 9:15 p.m.

Instructor – Sr. Marian Sturm, IWBS

Course Fee- \$20.00 **Book Fee-**\$17.00: The Triune God of Christian Faith by Mary Ann Fatula, OP (book is optional)

Classes will be broadcast from the St. Mary's Activity Center, 401 S. Liberty, Victoria TX

To: Holy Family Church in Wharton

Sacred Heart Church in Hallettsville

Sts. Cyril & Methodius Church in Shiner

St. Roch Church in Mentz

To register and pay online, go to

www.victoriadiocese.org; click ministries, then Pastoral Institute Extended Program, or mail completed form to Diocese of Victoria, Attn. Pastoral Institute, 1505 E. Mesquite Lane, Victoria, TX 77901. Book must be paid for no later than December 15, 2016.

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. BOX4070 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.

Holy Family's Safe Environment Coordinator is Clarice Kutach. St. Joseph's Safe Environment Coordinator is Delores Kocian

Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible!

If you would like to have a deeper relationship with God and a better understanding of your faith, then join us this Lent for Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible. You will not only benefit personally from being part of this study; you will also help to bring about a profound renewal in our parish as we grow closer to Christ. Holy Family Church and St. Joseph Mission will begin Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible on March 2, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. at Holy Family Church. For more information or to sign up, visit the parish website at www.hfwharton.org. or contact the Parish Office at (979) 532-3593.



We welcome Father George Kunnath to Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Join us for a **Covered Dish** supper in the parish hall on Thursday, January 19, 2017, 6:00 p.m. to welcome Father George Kunnath as our Parochial Vicar. **Please bring a covered dish of your choice and come and fellowship with us.**

Le damos la bienvenida al Padre George Kunnath a Nuestra Señora de Monte Carmel. Acompañenos para una cena del **Plato Cubierta** en el salón parroquial el Jueves 19 de Enero de 2017, 6:00 p.m. para dar la bienvenida al Padre George Kunnath como nuestro Vicario Parroquial. **Por favor traiga un plato cubierto de comida de su opción y venga y acompañanos.**

Join 9 Days for Life~ Jan 21-29



Log on to 9daysforlife.com or usccb.org/9daysforlife for more information

National Day of Prayer & Penance for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

January 23, 2017 is the 44th anniversary of the Supreme Court decision, Roe vs. Wade (1973). On that day, all dioceses of the United States observe a Day of Prayer & Penance for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. The purpose of this day is to humbly ask God, through prayer and penance, “for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion.” Please consider offering an extra rosary or Divine Mercy Chaplet and performing some act(s) of penance that day in solidarity with Catholics throughout our country.

“O God, source of all life and goodness, you fashion human lives in your image and likeness, and through your love give each human life dignity, sanctity and priceless worth; awaken in every heart new reverence for the least of your children, and renew among your people a readiness to nurture and sustain your precious gift of human life. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen”

El 23 de enero de 2017 es el 44 aniversario de la decisión de la Corte Suprema, Roe vs. Wade (1973). En ese día, todas las diócesis de los Estados Unidos observan un Día de Oración y Penitencia para la Protección Legal de los Niños no nacidos. El propósito de este día es pedir humildemente a Dios, a través de la oración y la penitencia, "para la restauración completa de la garantía legal del derecho a la vida y de la penitencia por las violaciones a la dignidad de la persona humana cometida por actos de aborto" Considerar la ofrenda y el rosario extra o la Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia y realizar algún acto de penitencia ese día en solidaridad con los católicos de todo nuestro país.

Oh Dios, fuente de toda vida y bondad, fabricas vidas humanas a tu imagen y semejanza, y con tu amor da a cada vida humana dignidad, santidad e inestimable valor; Despertar en cada corazón una nueva reverencia por el menor de tus hijos, y renovar entre tu pueblo una disposición para nutrir y sostener tu precioso don de la vida humana. Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo, tu Hijo, que vive y reina contigo en la unidad del Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios por los siglos de los siglos. Amén"

The Diocese of Victoria is interested in offering Engaged Encounter weekends in Spanish. This is not possible without married couples who speak Spanish that are interested in ministry to engaged couples and are willing to serve as presenter couples. Couples married in accordance with Church law and who speak Spanish and are interested in this ministry should contact Terri Sulak by calling her at (979)541-7678 or emailing her at mtsulak@ykc.com.

La Diócesis de Victoria está interesada en ofrecer los fines de semana del Encuentro comprometido en español. Esto no es posible sin las parejas casadas que hablan español que están interesadas en el ministerio a las parejas comprometidas y están dispuestas a servir como parejas presentadoras. Las parejas casadas de acuerdo con la ley de la Iglesia y que hablan español y están interesadas en este ministerio deben contactar a Terri Sulak llamándola al (979)541-7678 o enviándola por correo electrónico a mtsulak@ykc.com.



January is Poverty Awareness Month/Enero es el Mes de Concientización sobre la Pobreza

January 15th: World day of migrants and refugees. Pope Francis asks us to reflect on the theme “Child migrants, the Vulnerable Voiceless” Learn how parishes are helping the unaccompanied migrant children.

January 16th: “True compassion is more than flinging a coin to a beggar; it is not haphazard and superficial. It comes to see that an edifice which produces beggars needs restructuring.” Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

For more info and tips on getting involved, Para obtener más información y consejos sobre cómo involucrarse, visit PovertyUSA.org or PobrezaUSA.org. Longer daily reflections are available at <http://bit.ly/USCCBpoverty>. Reflexiones diarias más largas están disponibles en <http://bit.ly/USCCBpoverty>.



Without Priests there is no Eucharist

Oren por vocaciones

Sin sacerdotes no hay Eucaristía