

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CHURCH

2700 DOVER AVENUE - FAIRFIELD, CA 94533

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Served by the Carmelites

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8 AM - 1 PM, Friday

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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

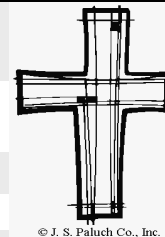
Pre-Baptism Program Required (visit our website)

MARRIAGES: *Six months notice required*

Contact the Parish Office for all Baptisms & Marriages

WEEK OF OCTOBER 7, 2018 ~ Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

DATE	ACTIVITIES - Dome / Church	MASS SCHEDULE / INTENTIONS
Monday 10/08	Catholics Come Home Parish Pastoral Council Meeting, 7pm	9 AM: † David Bruni
Tuesday 10/09	Legion of Mary Faith Formation / Gospel Choir Practice	9 AM: † Salvador Fortuno / † Eduardo Dayap
Wednes. 10/10	Faith Formation / RCIA / Phobease	9 AM: † Frank Camacho / Pearla Cuervo
Thurs 10/11	Bible Study, 10am / Cancer Support, 1pm	9 AM: † Jose Gaglianone
Friday 10/12	EADM / Amor Dei / HOLD	9 AM OLMC Parishioners
Saturday 10/13	Respect Life Ministry Rosary, 9:45 am 10AM Choir Practice, 9:45 am	9 AM: † Florencia N. Villegas 5 PM: † Jeremy S. Lavore
Sunday 10/14	Celebration of Cultures	8 AM: † Maria Carrera Diaz / † Anita Carrera 10 AM: † Edward Buelna 12 PM: † Fr. Don Burnet / Michelle Barroso



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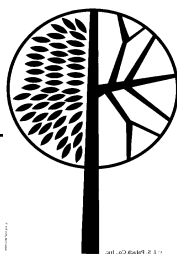
Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration ADORERS ARE NEEDED:

- * 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

One of our great treasures is the way the Church has frequently flourished under unfavorable conditions, like the grape ivy on the mantel that refuses to die no matter how infrequently you water it or open the drapes. Like the apartheid laws in South Africa in the last century, the penal laws of Ireland were aimed at depriving the majority population of basic human rights. The Protestant parliament of Ireland enacted laws limiting the practice of Catholicism. The goal was to force conversion from "popery" to the Church of Ireland, and additional laws took aim at Jews, non-Anglicans, and Quakers. There were laws against intermarriage, laws against Catholics being lawyers (there was a one-hundred-pound fine), a law granting lifelong income to priests who became Protestant, and a ban on weapons. In fact, until 1793, a Catholic man had to recruit and pay a Protestant man to serve in the local militia in his place! As if family life is not complicated enough in any age, the sons of a deceased father could divide his land equally, unless one became Protestant. In that case all would go to him! When allowed, new Catholic churches had to be built of wood, not stone, be off a main road or city square, have no steeple or bell, and be called a "chapel." Catholic "Emancipation" was largely secured by 1829, but even up to the founding of the Irish State in the 1920s, some effects of the laws endured. No wonder that poor Irish immigrants to the United States frequently built gloriously beautiful churches as their first act on free soil!



**If you control your tongue,
you will master your life.**

~ James 3:2



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

Update on Fr. Hank Ormond, O.Carm.



Fr. Hank Ormond, O.Carm. is recovering well from hip surgery. If you would like to send cards of well wishes, you can mail it to him at the Mercy Retirement Inc. Center, 3431 Foothill Blvd., Oakland, CA 94601.

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.

Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors are Needed! We will be having a Eucharistic Minister and Lector training sessions / refresher meetings for both experienced and new volunteers. If you are interested please see meeting schedule below and contact information:



Meeting Date and Time:

Eucharistic Ministry - October 7th at 1:30 p.m.
 Julie Darling, (707) 425-3934
Ministry of the Word - November 3rd at 1 p.m.
 Don McKenna, (707) 718-5239



October 14th
 Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Dome
 All are welcome!

Rosary Procession & Benediction

Sunday: Oct. 21, 2018
 Time: 2PM
 Where: Carmelite House of Prayer, Oakville, CA
 Come join us for Holy Rosary for our Annual Rosary Procession & Crowning with Benediction as we honor the Blessed Virgin Mary. We will have refreshments and a social following the ceremony. Call Patty Harrison, 925-752-2280.

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.

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.



Parish Collections
 Our weekly goal
 \$12,500.00

ENVELOPE Collection
 Sept. 30th: \$9,540.00

ONLINE Donations
 Sept. 23rd - Sept. 29th
 \$1,253.70

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

OLMC Parish Calendar

- ◆ Oct. 1st –Dec. 9th - *SVDP Thanksgiving / Christmas Grocery Gift Cards Request Period*
- ◆ Oct. 4th—Nov. 29th - *Bible Study*
- ◆ Oct. 7th - *Eucharistic Ministers Meeting, mandatory!*
- ◆ Oct. 14th - *Celebration of Cultures*
- ◆ Oct. 20th/21st - *Shepherds Field Olive Wood Sale*
- ◆ Nov. 10th - *Advent Retreat*
- ◆ Nov. 17th/18th - *Craft Faire*



SPECIAL COLLECTION: Next week we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Each year, the entire Church is invited to support the young mission Dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the poorest of the poor. This year, we are invited to “Chat With The Pope” to learn more about his missions. Scan this year’s World Mission Sunday poster using Facebook Messenger for your mobile device, or learn more at ChatWithThePope.org

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 - 426-9584
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 trou- bled 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 SACRA- MENT MINISTRY	Parish Office
LEGION OF MARY	Orlie Mangune, 707-880-5602	YLI (A Catholic Women's Organiza- tion)	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