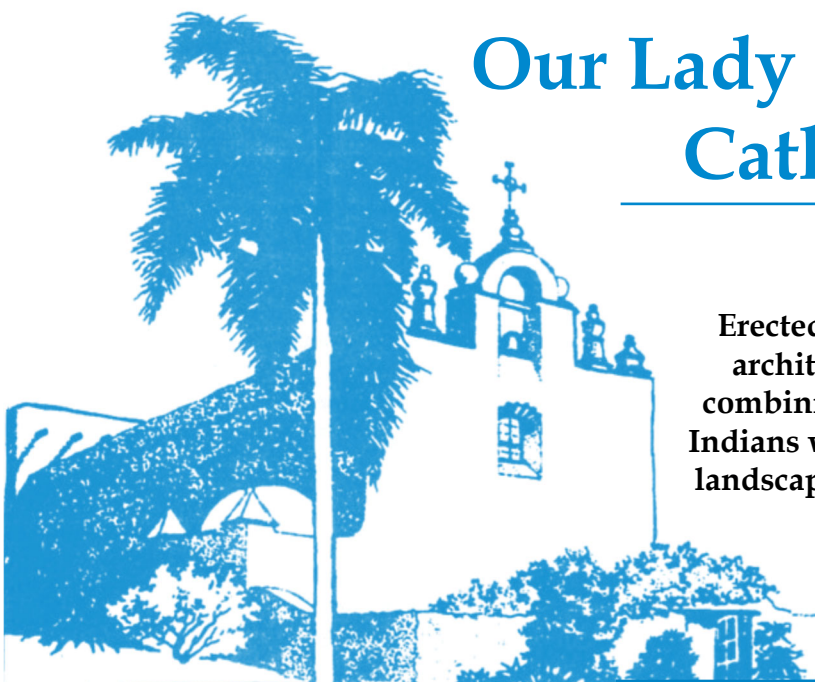




Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church

Erected in 1936, the entire structure reflects the architectural style developed by missionaries, combining the building patterns of the Pueblo Indians with Spanish-Colonial design. Even the landscaping, with carefully selected shrubs and trees, is typical.

Clergy

Father Lawrence Seyer, **Pastor**
lseyer@mtcarmelsb.com
 Monsignor Stephen Downes, **Pastor Emeritus**
 Father Maurice O'Mahony, **Pastor Emeritus**

Parish Office

1300 East Valley Road, Santa Barbara, CA 93108
Hours: Monday through Friday
 9am—12pm & 1:30pm—5pm
 Phone 805/969-6868
website: www.mtcarmelsb.com
email: info@mtcarmelsb.com

Masses

Daily 7:45am
 Saturday 7:45am; Vigil Mass 4:30pm
 Sunday 8:00am ♦ 10:00am ♦ 12 Noon

Holy Days

5:30pm (Vigil) 7:45am ♦ 9:00am (School Mass) ♦
 5:30pm

Confessions:

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:15pm (in side Chapel)

Baptisms

Sundays After the 12 Noon Mass

Religious Education

805/969-4868

Sister Rosalie Callen, C.S.J.
rcallen@mtcarmelsb.com

Youth Ministry

805/574-9941

Sarah Mack, **Youth Minister**
olmcsb93108@gmail.com
 High School Confirmation - 'El Camino'
 Middle School Youth Group - 'The M&M's'
 Young Adult Ministry - 'MCYA'

Weddings

805/969-6868

Dori Macias, **Wedding Coordinator**
weddings@mtcarmelsb.com
 Please call the Parish Office at least six months
 before the proposed wedding date.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel School

805/969-5965

530 Hot Springs Road, Santa Barbara, CA 93108
 Tracie Simolon, **Principal**
www.mountcarmelschool.net
 Pre-K thru 8th Grade

Community Outreach

805/969-4868

Sister Kathleen Patrice Sullivan
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Secular Order of Carmelites

805/969-3858

Evelyn Duimovich
 Meets 2nd Sat. of each month



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Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 September 16, 2018

*The Lord GOD is my help,
 therefore I am not disgraced.
 -- Isaiah 50:7*

Our Faith, Our Family, **OUR LEGACY**

STEWARDSHIP: the lifestyle of Christian discipleship

Whenever we devote ourselves to daily prayer, to service, and to financial generosity, we have practiced stewardship. In essence, whenever we use our personal gifts to serve the Lord, we are being Christian stewards.

At Our Lady of Mount Carmel, stewardship isn't a "program" or a fundraising effort. It's a commitment to a way of life - the lifestyle of Christian discipleship. Practically speaking, it means making time for personal prayer. It means choosing to serve in the weekly offertory. It means being ready to help our neighbors. Over time, as each person embraces his or her personal commitments, our parish can become a **powerful witness** to the abundant life that Jesus has promised.

During these next few weeks of **stewardship**, every parishioner is invited to prayerfully consider an increase in their weekly offertory and to reflect on three spiritual considerations:

Gratitude - because everything is a gift from God

Happiness - to give freely and not out of obligation

Love - to God and to our fellow human being

Welcome to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Whether you're visiting us for a brief time or are looking for a new parish home, **we're blessed to have you here!**



It is our hope and prayer that OLMC will be able to provide the support you need in your spiritual journey with our Lord. We pray that you continue to join us and that you are inspired by the Holy Spirit to be an active member of the community.

If you would like more information about our faith community and ministries, please call, stop by our Parish Office or email us at info@mtcarmelsb.com

And, please join us for cappuccino, coffee and donuts in the side courtyard after the 10am Mass every Sunday.

The Clergy and Staff of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Parishioner Registration Form

Name _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Zip _____ Phone (____) _____

email _____

email _____

Check One:

____ New Parishioner ____ New Address

____ Would like Offertory Envelopes

____ Moving out of Parish

Please place the form into the Offertory basket or bring it by the Parish Office.

Thank You!



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PARISH GIVING
September 8 & 9

Envelope & Plate \$5,672

May God bless you for your commitment and continued support of our Parish community.



RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

The Rosary is recited everyday in the Main Church after the 7:45 am Mass. All are welcome.

Bishop Robert Barron's CATHOLICISM THE PIVOTAL PLAYERS VOLUME I



Bishop Barron continues his journey around the world to explore a handful of saints, artists, mystics, and scholars who not only shaped the life of the Church, but changed the course of Western Civilization.

SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI, SAINT THOMAS AQUINAS,
SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA, BLESSED JOHN HENRY NEWMAN,
G. K. CHESTERTON, AND MICHELANGELO

Wednesday Evenings, September 19 — October 24 | 6:30 — 8:00 pm
OLMC PARISH SPIRITUAL CENTER, ADJACENT TO THE HALL

No sign up or fees required. Questions? Contact Tina Lorge (949) 300-7980



www.WordOnFire.org + www.PivotalPlayers.com



An Evening of Gratitude

NOVEMBER 10, 5 P.M.

HILTON SANTA BARBARA
BEACHFRONT RESORT

Honoring John Palminteri
Silent & Live Auction, Dinner & Dancing

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH**4:30pm**Lector:** Martin Bell**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Jack Casey & Kathleen Flynn

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH8:00am**Lector:** Peter Da Ros**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Brenda Nielsen & Missy Mueller

10:00am**Lector:** Student Lector**Eucharistic Ministers:**Frederic Cogburn, Robert Sailors,
Carolyn Groth-Marnat,
Eustacchio Guadagnini,
Pam & Jim Langhorne,
Carol Wathen & Roger Willmon12:00pm**Lector:** Kathy Wilson**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Mary Beth Tynan & Hank Peterson

MASS INTENTIONS**SAT. SEPTEMBER 15TH**

7:45am Valentino Ziliotto +

4:30pm Michael Casey +

SUN. SEPTEMBER 16TH

8:00am Mark Morehart +

10:00am Etta Mae Heuberger +

12:00pm For All Parishioners

MON. SEPTEMBER 17TH

7:45am Phyllis Mozillo +

TUES. SEPTEMBER 18TH

7:45am George Dumavich +

WEDS. SEPTEMBER 19TH

7:45am Dr. Jerome Kay +

THURS. SEPTEMBER 20TH

7:45am Jane Weinheimer +

FRI. SEPTEMBER 21ST

7:45am Mary Owen +

SAT. SEPTEMBER 22ND

7:45am Valentina Ziliotto +

4:30pm Rosetta & Gino Guadagnini +

SUN. SEPTEMBER 23RD

8:00am John Rosecrance +

10:00am Nancy Kelly Trump +

12:00pm For All Parishioners

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES 2018 OPEN HOUSE!**

October 28, 2018 • 2-4 pm

Catholic Charities Office

609 E. Haley Street, Santa Barbara

Come enjoy tacos, ice cream and games, and learn more about the vital work that Catholic Charities does in the Santa Barbara community!

Call or email Genevieve at (805) 965-7045 or gmorlino@ccharities.org to RSVP or learn more!

Please Pray for the Sick of our Parish

Chris Dyer, Jennifer Norman,
Augustine Munoz, Tyler Hester,
Roger Cass, Jane Burkemper,
and Art Overgaag.



Do you know of someone who is no longer in need of being on our list?

Wish to add **immediate** family?

Does someone need to be visited?

Please call our Parish Office at 805/969-6868.

You Are Supported in Your Time of Loss

The Parish Staff & Clergy of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish want you to know that we are here to serve you at the time you might suffer the loss of a loved one. Please contact the Parish Office immediately upon the death of a family member so that we can begin to pray for you, your loved one, and make us aware of your needs in the coming days.



Here at OLMC Parish, we strive to offer our youth & young adults a place to "Belong, Believe, Become."

M & M Youth Group

(Open to all 6th-8th graders)

Friday, September 28th—Night at the Movies:
Small Foot (Time & Theatre TBD)

'El Camino' High School Confirmation

(Open to all 9th thru 12 graders who have been baptized.)

Registration is **NOW** open!

You may pick up a registration packet in the Parish Office or you may have one sent to you via email by contacting Sarah Mack at olmcsb93108@gmail.com

Parent/Student Orientation: Sunday,
September 16th, 11am to 12 noon.

Student Kick-Off Retreat: Sunday,
September 30th, from 10am - 5pm.

High School CORE Leadership Group

September 16th—6pm
Pizza and Planning Party
Rusty's Pizza at 111 State Street

MCYA-Young Adult Ministries

Save the Date: Theology on Tap
October 4th, 11th, 18th and 25th

Contact Sarah at olmcsb93108@gmail.com
or text her at 805/574-9941 for more info.



Instructing children in an enriching, loving, and learning environment.



RCIA
A JOURNEY IN FAITH

Adult RCIA

Are you considering becoming Catholic?
Do you know someone who is interested in learning about our Catholic faith? Are you a Catholic interested in becoming Confirmed or receiving First Holy Communion? Are you a Confirmed Catholic who is ready to explore your faith anew?

Our parish RCIA program will gather on Tuesday nights, beginning October 2nd. Each year, men and women embark on an exploration of the Catholic Faith. So come, join the Parish RCIA team in the Spiritual Library, from 7pm to 8:30pm.

Come be part of this journey.

You are joyfully welcome!

For more information, contact the Parish Office at (805) 969-6868.

SAFEGUARD OUR CHILDREN

The Office of Victims Assistance Ministry

The Office of Victims Assistance Ministry of the Archdiocese of Los

Angeles serves to help victim-survivors who have been victims of sexual abuse by a priest, deacon,

or individual representing the Catholic Church.

The Victims Assistance Ministry also works to create a safe and compassionate environment for victims to come forward while ensuring that civil authorities are notified, and victims are provided with counseling and other assistance in the healing process. Please join the members of this important ministry in offering our continued prayers and support for the healing of victim-survivors and all impacted by abuse. For more information on the

Office of Victims Assistance Ministry, visit <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/vam/Pages/default.aspx>.

DID YOU KNOW?



THEOLOGY ON TAP

Rusty's Pizza | 7-8:30pm
*Food & Drink Available for Purchase
Open to Young Adults 18-39

Whole Community Faith Sharing

Gospel of Mark 8:27-35

Reflection: In this week's Gospel, Jesus reveals who he really is to his disciples. Peter has trouble accepting what Jesus says about how He must suffer and die. Jesus rebukes him because Peter is not thinking in the ways of God, but as a human. We are also human and would never want someone we love to suffer or die, so it is easy to understand Peter's reaction.



What is truly hard to accept is that God would have anything to do with our own suffering, but this happens often in our lives. If we think deeply about this, we see that we grow in faith when we are faced with challenges. We would do well to 'take up the cross' more often because that is how we will save our lives.

Question: How can I take up my cross and follow Jesus?

Reflection: This week I will look hard at my own suffering and figure out how I can use it to God's advantage. I will take up my cross and ask Jesus to help me.

Marriage Encounter Weekend

Friday, November 16, - Sunday, November 18
Incarnation Parish, Glendale, CA

The Marriage Encounter and Family Movement (MEFM) under the auspices of Office of Family Life will have a Marriage Encounter Weekend in November. The objective of the weekend is to deepen the couple's intimacy with one another and with God. It is a discovery weekend wherein, through learned communication techniques, spouses examine their relationship in a new and positive way. All handouts, supplies, meals, and snacks from Friday through Sunday will be provided by MEFM for the attending couples.

For more information please contact Maria Milagrosa (Guing) Ramos at 213-637-7330 or email at MMRamos@la-archdiocese.org



Pre-Synod Young Adult Gathering

With **Bishop Barron**



Saturday, September 22, 2018

9:30am—3:00pm

Villanova Preparatory School, Ojai

9:30am— Check in

10:00am—Conversation with Bishop Barron

10:45am— Mass with Bishop

11:30am— Break

11:45am—Lunch with Bishop

1:00pm— Closing Session

2:00-3:00pm— Networking*

Let your voice be heard before Bishop Barron travels to the Synod in Rome!

Word on Fire recording live on Facebook

Questions: Kelly McLoughlin (310) 663-8639

KAMcLoughlin@sbpr.org

Hosted by the Santa Barbara Regional Office*

Westmont Student Outreach Mass Transit



Text Sarah Mack,
Director of Faith
Formation, for rides to
Mass. (805) 574-9941



St. Michael & The Angels

October 1st & 2nd

St. Raphael Parish, Goleta

Fr. Peter Prusakiewicz, a Polish priest from the Congregation of St. Michael the Archangel, will be giving 6 different talks.

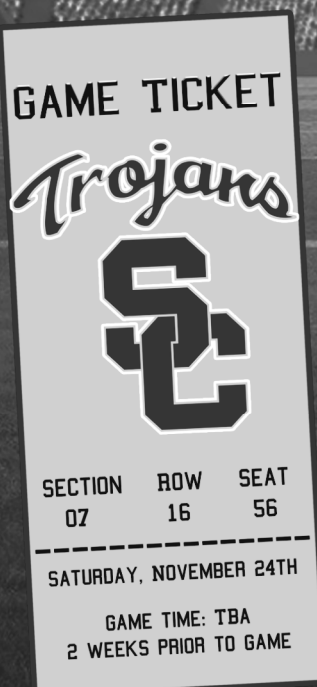
There will be Mass both in the morning at 8am and evening at 6pm. Plus, Father Peter will be available for confession various times throughout the day. For more details, please, see the flyer or call Rosemary at (805) 964-3318.



USC VS NOTRE DAME

November 24, 2018

Join Fr. Lawrence and fellow parishioners for a day of football and fun, cheering on both teams!



Price: \$210 includes transportation, Mass at Catholic Center and Tailgate Lunch

Reserve your Ticket by submitting payment to the Parish Office.