



OUR LADY OF
Mount Carmel
ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PARISH INFORMATION

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Thursday 8:30am - 5:00pm
Friday 8:30am - 4:00pm
Saturday 9:00am - 1:00pm

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday 3:00pm - 4:30pm

ADORATION SCHEDULE

Monday May 15th 8:30am - 5:30pm***
Due to Pre School Graduation please note the time
Change for Benediction

24 HOUR ADORATION SCHEDULE

First Fridays from 8:30am until Saturday mornings at 8:00am

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 5:00pm

Weekday

Monday to Friday 6:30am and 8:00 am
Saturday 8:00am

CHILDCARE

Offered during Sunday Masses at 9am and 11am for children
ages infant to 5yrs in our preschool area.

PARISH REGISTRATION

First Sunday of the Month after 11am Mass in the north
end of McCready Hall. The next registration June 4, 2017.

INFANT BAPTISMS

Held on the 3rd and 4th Sunday of each month. Parents
must first attend baptismal preparation class held on the
First Wednesday of each month at 7pm in the Youth Annex.
Please go to www.olmctempe.com/sacrament-baptism
for more information and to fill out the registration form.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Food box, rental or utility assistance to those who live
within OLMC parish boundaries that qualify for
assistance by calling 480.966.1974 between 9am and 11am.



Sacrament of the Sick

Please contact the parish office 480.967.8791 to arrange for
the Sacrament of the Sick. For after hours assistance with
the Sacrament of the Sick, please call the parish number for
the after hours service number who will contact the appropriate
person. Prayer Teams are also available for those
seeking healing after 9am, 11am, and 5pm Masses on the
first Sunday.

WEDDING ORIENTATION

Held on the Second Sunday of each month except May.
Couples please meet by the water fountain on the southeast
side of the church immediately following the 11am Mass.
This is the first step in the marriage preparation process and
should be completed prior to setting wedding date.

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PARISH CALENDAR

Monday, May 15, 2017

8:30am Adoration - Church
8:30am Mom's - Annex
6:00pm Outside Group - Annex W
5:30pm Benediction - Church
7:00pm Preschool - Hall /Church

Tuesday, May 16, 2017

8:30am School - S. Hall
12:15pm School - Church
1:30pm School - S. Hall
5:00pm School - Library
6:00pm Kidz Choir - Church/MR
7:00pm RCIA - N. Hall
7:00pm Laudate Choir - UCR
7:00pm Adult Choir - Church
7:00pm WCA - S. Hall
7:00pm M12Step - Annex
7:00pm Finance Council - T. Lounge

Wednesday, May 17, 2017

3:15pm Girl Scout #15 - 3B
3:30pm Girl Scout #2488 - 4B
7:00pm School - Church/N. Hall
7:00pm Meditation - Annex W.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 15, 2017

6:30am Soul of Lillian Mancini
8:00am Soul of Lourdes De Leon

Tuesday, May 16, 2017

6:30am Soul of Msgr. Daniel McCready
8:00am Intentions of Rosie Garcia

Wednesday, May 17, 2017

6:30am Soul of Deacon Alex Holgin
8:00am Intentions of Lorene McKay
2:00pm Soul of Doris Sterner

Thursday, May 18, 2017

6:30am Intentions of Fr. Bernie Green
8:00am Soul of Marilyn Howard

Friday, May 19, 2017

6:30am Soul of Bob Franco
8:00am Soul of Imelda Thorp

Saturday, May 20, 2017

8:00am Soul of Dorothy Brown
5:00pm Soul of Michele Russell

Sunday, May 21, 2017

7:00am Soul of Susan Driscoll
9:00am Int. of Dominic & Laura Conn
11:00am Int. of Fr. John Bonavitacola
5:00pm People of Mount Carmel Parish

Thursday, May 18, 2017

5:00pm School - Library
6:00pm Girl Scouts # 1114 - 4A
6:15pm CoAnon - Annex W
6:30pm MCA - South Hall

Friday, May 19, 2017

12:00pm School - Church
1:00pm Grief Support - Annex E.
6:00pm Grief Support - Annex E.
7:00pm Al Anon - 2A/3A/N. Hall
8:30pm AA - McCready Hall

Saturday, May 20, 2017

6:30am OLMC men's group - N. Hall
7:00am Outside Group - Annex E.
9:00am Parish Council - Library
10:00am Rosary Markers - Annex W
2:00pm Mom's Group - Hall
3:00pm Seniors Group - Annex W.

Sunday, May 21, 2017

7:00am Coffee Shop - S. Hall
9:00am RCIA Inquiry - Annex W
9:00am Faith formation - N. Hall
6:00pm Bridges - Annex

READINGS OF THE WEEK

Sunday, May 14, 2017

Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/1 Pt 2:4-9/
Jn 14:1-12

Monday, May 15, 2017

Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday, May 16, 2017

Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-13ab, 21
Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday, May 17, 2017

Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-5/Jn 15:1-8

Thursday, May 18, 2017

Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11

Friday, May 19, 2017

Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-10, 12/Jn 15:12-17

Saturday, May 20, 2017

Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

Next Sunday, May 21, 2017

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20
1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21

Let us pray...

*Good and gracious God,
creator of all good things in the universe,
your Son, Jesus Christ, loved his Mother
and modeled for us how we should love our mothers.*

*Bless all the women in our lives
who model for us the love of a mother.
Protect them and encourage them
to love as you have loved us.*

*Bless and protect those men in families
who have no female partners
and give them courage and strength
to love their children in the absence of a mother.*

We ask all this in your name.

Amen.



OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Sisters' Corner



Our apostolate in South America Ecuador

As we are called by the Lord to serve the most need-



ed people, we have a Pastoral and Solidarity Center named "Nuestra Señora de la Reconciliación" (Our Lady of Reconciliation) located in Tarifa (a very poor town of Guayaquil). With a group of volunteers we assist families that live there and give them a pastoral care through catechesis, preparing them for the sacraments, with courses of faith formation. We also seek to contribute to the social development of the people through human promotion with Labor Training Workshops.

Also, in Guayaquil, we have a center for young and adult women with mental disabilities called "Jacinta y Francisco". We seek to educate and form them (along with their families) through the Catholic faith by providing them with everything necessary to maximize their skills and abilities so that in order to be socially and professionally integrated. This apostolate is with the help of a professional staff that is dedicated to the participants.



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"BRIDGES"

A Catholic Program is HERE at Mt. Carmel meeting after 5pm Sunday Mass For All 7TH & 8TH GRADERS



Catholic?

No? Are You Considering?
Do You Have Questions?
Are You Seeking Answers?

Ever Wonder Why We Catholics Do What We Do?
You are invited to join Sr. Maria Jose for the upcoming RCIA

(Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) Inquiry Sessions on Sundays May 21 & June 18 at 9am in the Youth Annex West. spdmariajose@olmctempe.com

Please visit the OLMC Coffee Shop Sunday Morning after the morning Masses. ALL proceeds benefit the Full Circle Program. This parish ministry here at Mount Carmel offers assistance for At Risk Kids and their families.

For more information regarding possible assistance for your family contact AJ Creswell at aj@olmctempe.com or call 480.967.8791.



OLMC Preschool Now Enrolling! A Christ-filled environment and play-based preschool for 3 -5 years old. We offer full and half days. Classes are filling up. Please contact Monica Ferrance at 480.966.1753 or email her at monica@olmctempe.com.



Stewardship ... A way of Life!

OLMC's Stewardship Mission is to develop and foster a Christian Community atmosphere whereby the spiritual and social needs of parishioners can be realized through a total stewardship program of time, talent and treasure resulting in a sense of belonging, involvement and commitment for each parishioner. You may be asking... "Will Stewardship really make a difference in my life"... The answer is "YES it will!".

To read more about Stewardship at OLMC pick up a brochure at the back of church entrances.

If you would like to become a stewardship household or set your appointment to re-register please contact Deacon Jim Brett, Director of Stewardship & Finance at deaconjim@olmctempe.com or call 480.967.8791 ext. 225.

Stewardship Reflection

The word "church" finds its roots in the Greek word "ecclesia". However, a correct translation of that word is actually "an assembly of people, called out of their homes into a public meeting place." Thus, the Church is really the people who make it up; the use of the term in relation to a building has developed through time, but we must never forget that it is we who are indeed the Church.

That is a basic part of something St. Peter writes in our Second Reading. Peter says, "... like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house," in reference to the members. He is saying in effect that we are called to build a church with living stones, namely ourselves. We all also understand that for a structure to be most effective, every element is needed to keep it strong.

We, as the Church and as our parish, are no different. We need each person, each part of what is really the Church, to be like a living stone, active and involved. We are a faith community, not just a community of worshipers, but a community to reach out and serve others. To really do that we need each member to offer something of himself or herself.



In a message to a celebration about the Church being the people, Pope Francis said, "It is isolation that harms, not sharing. Being among people does not mean merely being open toward others, but also letting others get close to us." To be open, to be Church, requires each of us to do a part.

*WE ARE DELIGHTED TO CONGRATULATE
THE FOLLOWING CHILDREN, THEIR FAMILIES, SPONSORS
AND FRIENDS ON RECEIVING THE HOLY SACRAMENTS OF
CONFIRMATION AND FIRST EUCHARIST
ON MAY 13, 2017*

*Alejandro Anaya, Diego Anaya, Haley Anaya, Mikey Anaya,
Alessandra Avendanio, Valerie Bauer, Grace Blackstad, Zoe Bratko,
Ella Bruening, Sadie Cano, Autumn Chapman, Ethan Chavez,
Savannah Clark, Lorenzo Miguel Cuesta, Andrew Davis,
Isabella De la Torre, Caleb Donnellan, Johnathan Ende,
Itzelle Enriquez, Natalie Epperson, Cecilia Escalante,
Joseph Ferrance, Venice Flores, Audrina Garcia,
Jesminda Garcia, Lily Garcia, Ella Hackett, Evelyn Hall,
Brooklyn Hansen, William Heilman, Jackson Heim,
Damien Howard, Landon Hutson, Krishanti James, Liam Johnson,
Aleksio Leha, Kahowa Leha, Neiafu Leha, Soane Leha,
Tupau Leha, Ralph Austin Lewis, Alessandra Luna-Vidal,
Noemi Luna-Vidal, Peter Martin, Josina Martinez, James Mayo,
Dylan Maza, John Montalbano, Konnor Moran, Nathan Mulligan,
Reese Murphy, Jeremiah Nichols, Delilah Nguyen, Jack Oertle,
Gavin Ostendorf, Jonathan Patentreger, Jayden Perdomo,
Jacob Perdomo, Cruz Quinonez, Sebastian Rodriguez,
Alexander Roland, Kendyl Rollins, Noah Rollins, Victoria Romero,
Allysa Ruiz, Diego Ruiz, Olivia Ruiz, Andrew San Juan,
Sophia Savalle, Thomas Shepardson, Laile Divina Silvas,
Manuel Silvas, Angeli Smith, Jordan Smith, Eva Sosa, Eliana Soto,
Sarah Strickbine, Julie Suarez, Esteban Tarango
Audrey Underwood, Eva Wilson, Brooke Zuluaga
First Eucharist ONLY: Jonathan Covarrubias*

MAY THE LORD'S BLESSINGS BE UPON THEM ALL!

A NOTE FROM FR. JOHN

14 May 2017

Dear Friends,

As we enter into the Centenary Celebration of the Apparitions at Fatima, I want to point you towards Fr. Andrew Apostoli's book *Fatima for Today*. Fr. Apostoli gives a thorough account of the history, theology, and the implications of the messages for us today. I highly recommend his work and at the same time caution you that there are different groups that promote the Fatima message, and not all of them are worth your time. There are some groups that dispute that St. John Paul II revealed the full contents of the "third secret" or that the Consecration of Russia actually took place according to our Lady's direction.

Our Lady did warn that Russia (communist) would continue to spread her errors throughout the world. She specifically asked that the Pope consecrate Russia to her Immaculate Heart so it would be converted. Since no Pope has been able to actually go to Russia, though both John Paul II and Benedict XVI tried, this is how the consecration took place:

Pope John Paul II, after consulting with Sr. Lucia (one of the three children to whom our Lady appeared), working with political movements in Poland, and joining with President Reagan to loosen the grip of the Soviets, made the consecration after experiencing what he considered to be Mary's rescue from an assassin's bullet.

The Consecration took place as Soviets were planning an attack on Europe after Great Britain, Germany, Italy, Holland, and Belgium agreed to accept American medium-range missiles in 1983. But on May 13th, after the Consecration, an accident at the Severomorsk Naval Base caused most of the anti-aircraft missiles to explode, leaving the Soviet Northern Fleet without its strike capacity.

And at the same time that Pope John Paul II was carrying out the 1984 consecration in Rome, Bishop Pavel Hnilica (who had traveled surreptitiously to the Kremlin in civilian clothes) joined in the Pope's consecration along with Fr. Leo Maasburg at the Church of St. Michael the Archangel in Moscow where they repeated the consecration at the Church of the Dormition (Assumption) of Our Lady. Using hosts and water and wine in aspirin bottles, Bishop Hnilica and Fr. Maasburg were able to say Mass inconspicuously behind an open copy of the Soviet newspaper Pravda.

While Soviet Communism did collapse, the conversion of Russia is still an on-going challenge. I find it amazing how Russia is dominating the news these days. It seems the historical happenings of today are all somehow interwoven with the message of Fatima. So I highly encourage you to read *Fatima for Today* as Fr. Apostoli unravels some of the mysterious, as well as confusing, parts of the Fatima apparitions and messages.

In the meantime, in our little part of the world, we will honor Our Lady of Fatima by asking one of our families each weekend after Sunday Mass to take home the traveling image of Our Lady of Fatima for one week and keep her in their home and invite five families to pray together the Rosary and then return the statue the following weekend. More information and sign up is available on our website: olmctempe.com.

My prayer is that Our Lady will grant special blessings and graces to our Parish and our Parish families during this Jubilee. Remember the Holy Father has granted a plenary indulgence for this Jubilee Year of Fatima (until Nov. 26). In order to obtain plenary indulgences, the faithful who are truly repentant and filled with charity must fulfill the following ritual conditions: sacramental confession, Eucharistic communion, and prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father. They must also pray the Our Father, the Creed, and invoke Our Lady of Fatima. The indulgence is gained by: **Making a Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima, Portugal, or Pray before any statue of Our Lady.** "The pious faithful who visit with devotion a statue of Our Lady of Fatima solemnly exposed for public veneration in any church, oratory, or proper place during the days of the anniversary of the apparitions, the 13th of each month from May to October (2017), and there devoutly participate in some celebration or prayer in honor of the Virgin Mary."

The elderly or the sick can pray in front of any image of Our Lady of Fatima and must spiritually unite themselves to the jubilee celebrations on the days of the apparitions, the 13th of each month, between May and October 2017. They also must offer to merciful God with confidence, through Mary, their prayers and sufferings, or the sacrifices they make in their own lives.

Love, Fr. John B.