

Church of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

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Sunday, June 28th, 2015 | XIII Sunday in Ordinary Time- Year B



Schedule of Masses & Services

Saturday: 8:30am | 12:00pm | 5:00pm (English)

Sunday: 8:30am (English) | 9:30am (Spanish)
11:00am (Italian) | 12:15pm (English)
1:30pm (Spanish)

Weekday: 8:30am / 12:00pm / 6:30pm(English)

Confessions: Saturdays from 4:00pm to 5:00pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION/HOLY HOURS

Every Thursday from 5:30pm to 6:30pm

Every Saturday from 12:30pm to 1:30pm

First Friday of every month from 12:30pm-6:30pm

Novena Devotions: After each Mass

Monday: Miraculous Medal

Wednesday: Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday: Saint Joseph

Friday: Divine Mercy Chaplet

BAPTISMS:

2nd Sunday of every month in Spanish at 2:30pm

3rd Sunday every other month in English at 2:30pm

Please stop by the Parish Center to register or call for more information.

PARISH STAFF

ADMINISTRATOR

Rev. Fr. Jonathan Morris

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Fr. Urbano Rodrigues

PARISH CENTER

2380 Belmont Avenue

Monday & Thursday

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday

9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

COORDINATOR

Sister Edna Loquias, S.M.C.

PARISH SCHOOL

PRINCIPAL

Mr. John T. Riley

MARRIAGES:

We will be happy to help any couples who are preparing for marriage. Please make an appointment with a Priest at the Parish Center.

PASTORAL VISITS TO THE SICK:

If you or someone you know are in the hospital or homebound and would be served by a pastoral visit by a Priest, Religious Sister or a lay Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist, please contact the Parish Center.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

We invite new parishioners to register at the Parish Center as soon as possible after moving into the parish.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM:

For information and to register your child for Religious Education Classes, please call the Catechetical Office at (718) 295-3770.

MOUNT CARMEL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL:

The parish school is located at 2465-67 Bathgate Ave. For information please call (718) 295-6080.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Sunday, June 28th | XIII Sunday in O.T.

- 8:30am Carlo and Raffaella Fusco
- 9:30am Gilberto San Juan
- 11:00am Giulio e Gelsomina Vedovino e Famiglia
- 12:15pm Michael and Carmela Navarra, and Family
- 1:30pm Pro Populo

Monday, June 29th | Saint Peter & Paul, Apostles

- 8:30am Salvatore and Giuseppina Florio
- 12:00pm Pietro, Fabrizio e Paolo Giordano
- 6:30pm Pietro and Carmela Cuomo

Tuesday, June 30th | Weekday

- 8:30am Pietro Zullo
- 12:00pm Mary Bufano and Adeline Di Martino
- 6:30pm Salvatore and Sarah Contento

Wednesday, July 1st | Weekday

- 8:30am Mario and Erma Borgatti
- 12:00pm Ryan Maloney, Sal Cunningham & Nettie Alfuso
- 6:30pm Aida Cardona (First Anniversary)

Thursday, July 2nd | Weekday

- 8:30am Cosimo Avitabile
- 12:00pm Antonio and Raffaele Merolla
- 6:30pm Tony Passaro, Jr.

Friday, July 3rd | Saint Thomas, Apostle

- 8:30am Maria and Giuseppe Esposito
- 12:00pm In Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
- 6:30pm Amelia and Giacinto Calabro

Saturday, July 4th | Independence Day

- 8:30am Filippo Capriglione
- 12:00pm Lindo and Maria Borgatti
- 5:00pm Daniele Borrelli



Sunday, July 5th | XIV Sunday in O.T.

- 8:30am Rocco, Henry and Nicholas Cavalieri
- 9:30am Pro Populo
- 11:00am Francesco, Angelina e Michele Corvino e Famiglia
- 12:15pm Felice and Irma Della Monica and Rose Lupo
- 1:30pm En Honor de la Inmaculada Concepcion

MASS COLLECTION - 6/21/2015

Collection\$3,092.66
 Last year's Collection\$2,368.05

Thank you all for your generosity!!

LAST WEEKEND'S ATTENDANCE - 6/21/2015

Adults: 726..... Children: 146..... / **Total....872**

"From the Desk of Father Jonathan"

On July 1st we will be pleased to welcome to our parish His Excellency, Antonio Ciliberti, the archbishop emeritus of Catanzaro-Squillace in the Calabria region of Italy. He will be here with us for the month of July.

Archbishop Ciliberti was gracious enough to accept our invitation to spend these Summer weeks with us. He will help us celebrate our patron feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel on July 16th as well as on the following Sunday, the 19th when we will have an afternoon "block party" on Hughes Ave. between 187th St and 188th. On that Sunday, from 2:30pm - 5:30pm we will have music and food, ending with a procession of Our Lady through our neighborhood.

Archbishop Ciliberti will offer mass and an evening meditation--in Italian--on the evenings of July 13th - 15th from 6:30pm to 8:00pm.

When you see Archbishop Ciliberti, introduce yourselves and welcome him to the United States, New York City, and the best neighborhood in the world!

Father Jonathan

P.S. Amazingly, we have already collected \$19,500 for the installation of our wheelchair lift! Just \$7,000 to go! Thank you all so much for your commitment and generosity!! This will be such a blessing to many people for years to come.

MEMORIALS OFFERED THIS WEEK

Mass Wine

In Memory of Beloved Son, Ronnie Schafer
 "Always in our Hearts" Mom and Dad

Altar Bread

In Memory of Beloved Uncle, Ronnie Schafer
 "Always in our Hearts" your Nieces,
 Erika, Page & Savannah

Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of Beloved Son, Ronnie Schafer
 "Always in our Hearts" Mom and Dad

Mass Candles

In Memory of Beloved Brother, Ronnie Schafer
 "Always in my Heart" your Sister Joanie

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the deceased members of our parish:
Eleanor Fonti, Lawrence R. Schafer, Catherine Letterese, Lawrence Fratello & our fallen military.

WEDDING BANNES

II. Mario Andolina and Giovannina Vedovino

REFLECTING ON GOD'S WORD**Sunday Gospel: Mark 5: 21-43**

When John developed cancer, his wife, Jane, was determined to care for him at home. Their adult children drove John for treatments while a team of friends, neighbors, and parishioners made meals, ran errands, and did chores. Within weeks John lost ground; the cancer had spread. The treatments were painful and exhausting, so John and Jane refused further procedures and turned to hospice help. John, a once lively and intelligent man, became silent and troubled.

One friend, Elizabeth, decided to pray for Christ's healing in whatever way John needed it most. A few days later, before anointing and Communion, John confessed to his pastor that he had cut off communication with his brother after a quarrel forty years before, and had never spoken of him since. John wanted to make peace. John's son traced this long-lost relative through the Internet. They had a whole precious day together, and that night John died, calm and healed of heart.

Living Stewardship Now

Pray that sick friends, family members, and parishioners may "touch the hem of Jesus' garment" and be healed in ways they need it most.

YOUTH GROUP MEETING

Our Youth Group will meet every Saturday in Fatima Hall from 2 to 4pm. We invite all youth from 9th to 12th grade to attend. For more information please contact Jesus Vargas at our parish office.

REGISTRATION CAMPAIGN

Please pick up your new box of envelopes before or after Mass this weekend. The envelopes are for one entire year. Thank you for your continued support!

Independence Day Holiday—Parish Office

Please know that the office will close at 1pm on Thursday, July 2nd & will re-open on Monday, July 6th at 9am. Be safe and God bless America!

Triduum - Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Preached in Italian by Archbishop Antonio Ciliberti Monday, July 13th to Wednesday, July 15th - 6:30 p.m.

High Mass -- July 16th -- 12:00 p.m.

Feast in honor of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Sunday, July 19th, 2:30 p.m. - Hughes Avenue, bet. 187th and 188th Streets - *Food, Music, Raffle* - *Bring your favorite dish!* - Procession afterwards

RIFLESSIONE SULLA PAROLA DI DIO**Vangelo della Domenica: Marco 5: 21-43**

In questo brano tutto è volto a descrivere la situazione dell'umanità nella sua lenta storia e tutto mira ad annunciare il piano divino che il Figlio di Dio vuole realizzare. È venuta la sera: la notte della paura e del dubbio; la fine del giorno e delle sue effimere certezze. Gesù invita la sua Chiesa a prendere il largo e a "passare" all'altra riva. Si tratta di un invito alla Pasqua che è un "passaggio": passaggio del mar Rosso per il popolo eletto, liberato dalla schiavitù e condotto alla libertà; passaggio dalla morte per il Figlio dell'uomo liberato dal peccato e condotto alla gloria. L'altra riva è la riva di Dio, la riva che non si vede e di cui Gesù rivela il cammino. La barca che attraversa il lago con i discepoli e Gesù è la Chiesa. Come l'arca di Noè, essa è stata costruita appositamente per "passare". Ma scoppia una tempesta. Le forze del male si scatenano contro di essa. La barca si riempie d'acqua, qui simbolo di morte: l'acqua toglie il respiro all'uomo. Il male lotta contro lo Spirito. E Gesù dorme. L'assenza di Gesù pesa enormemente sul cuore dei fedeli: non vedendo Gesù, hanno paura e giungono persino a pensare che non sarebbero mai riusciti a compiere la traversata e che non avrebbero mai dovuto prendere il largo su quella barca. Ma la preghiera insistente dei fedeli, che lo chiamano, viene sentita da Gesù. Si sveglia. Egli è là, come ha promesso. Gesù salva la sua Chiesa da tutte le tempeste che minacciano di farla affondare. Gesù non rimprovera il fatto che non lo si sia svegliato subito, ma biasima invece la mancanza di fede. Bisogna pregarlo, e pregarlo con fede. La paura di morire, che è negativa, viene allora sostituita dal timore di Dio, che è l'obbedienza dei fedeli al loro Salvatore. Questa è la nostra situazione: la debolezza della nostra imbarcazione trae forza dalla presenza di Cristo: egli ci fa passare.

**Triduo in onore della Madonna del Carmine**

Predicata dall'Arcivescovo Antonio Ciliberti
Lunedì 13 luglio a Mercoledì 15 luglio alle 6:30 p.m.

Messa Solenne -- 16 luglio -- 12:00 p.m.

Festa in onore della Madonna del Carmine

Domenica, 19 luglio, 2:30 p.m.
Hughes Avenue, tra la 187^{ma} e la 188^{ma} Strada
Cibo, Musica, Riffa

Portate il vostro piatto preferito!
~ La processione sarà dopo la festa~

REFLEXIONEMOS LA PALABRA DE DIOS

Evangelio del Domingo: Marcos 5: 21-43

Cuando Juan fue diagnosticado con cáncer su esposa Juana tomó la determinación de cuidar de él en casa. Los hijos de ellos, ya adultos, llevaban a Juan al hospital a los tratamientos mientras que un grupo de amigos, vecinos y parroquianos preparaban las comidas, hacían mandados y otros quehaceres. En cuestión de unas semanas Juan perdía terreno y el cáncer se extendía. Los tratamientos eran dolorosos y agotantes, por eso Juan y Juana decidieron rehusar más tratamientos y buscar una atención para enfermos incurables. Juan, una vez animado e inteligente, se convirtió en un hombre silencioso y apesadumbrado. Isabel, una amiga de la familia, decidió rezar para que Cristo curara aquello que más necesitaba sanarse en la vida de Juan.

Unos días más tarde, antes de recibir la unción y la comunión Juan le confesó a su párroco que había cortado los vínculos con su hermano después de una rencilla hacía cuarenta años y desde entonces no hablaba con él. Juan quería hacer las paces. El hijo de Juan buscó y encontró en Internet a este familiar perdido por tanto tiempo. Juan y su hermano pasaron un precioso día juntos y esa misma noche Juan murió tranquilo y con paz en su corazón.

Viviendo la Palabra de Dios

Ora para que los amigos, familiares y parroquianos enfermos se acerquen a Jesús y puedan “tocar el borde de su manto” y quedar sanos de lo que más necesitan.

PRIMER ENCUENTRO DE PAREJAS

“La pareja que ora unida
siempre se mantendrá unida”

HOY, Domingo, 28 de Junio, 2015

2:30pm a 5:00pm

Invitación

Parejas Casadas, no casadas

Parejas de Novios

Testimonios, Oración y Música

¡Habrá servicio de guardería para sus niños!

GRUPO JUVENIL

Invitamos a todos los Jóvenes de 9 a 12 grado a participar del Grupo Juvenil todos los Sábado de 2:00pm a 4:00pm en el Salon de Fatima.

¡Te esperamos!

CAMPAÑA DE REGISTRACIÓN

Hoy iniciamos con nuestra Campaña de Registracion. Por favor, sirvase pasar por el frente de la Iglesia para que se lleve su caja de sobres. Muchas gracias.

School Blog--Sunday, June 28th

As summer begins, I would like to invite those who have not had the opportunity to visit our school precisely that. Are you looking for a safe environment which is nurturing and that provides a rigorous and preparatory curriculum for high school? If so, please consider a visit or a tour of Mount Carmel. We offer classes for three year olds through fourteen year olds, as well as a comprehensive and new after school and early morning care program.

If you need a break during the summer and are interested in having your child register for a local summer camp, please contact the main office, as we have some spaces left for grades 1 through 8.

The school main line is (718) 295-6080.

Until September comes, I wish all of you a most restful and peaceful summer as we enter into the vigil of the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel on July 16th. May our patroness forever keep us close to the heart of all good things in her son and our brother, Jesus Christ! God bless you all and I hope all the dads had a wonderful Father's Day!

In Christ,
John T. Riley

Our Lady of Mount Carmel School

**Pre-Kindergarten (Pre-K)
Three Year Old Program**

September 2015

Please Register Now!

**If you stay for our UPK Program,
you pay one year (PK 3) and get the second
year (UPK 4) FREE!**

**Please contact the main office to register
or schedule a visit: (718) 295-6080**

Lectors for July 4th - 5th



5:00pm G. Vaccaro

8:30am B. Rivera

9:30am L. & D. Almiron

11:00am N. Trombetta & P. D'Orsogna

12:15pm F. Spano

1:30pm L. Ortega & C. Diaz

SECOND COLLECTION - JULY 5th

We will have a second collection next Sunday for "Pastoral Solidarity for the Church in Africa."

Please be as generous as your means allow.

Thank you!

INFORMATION SHEET

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