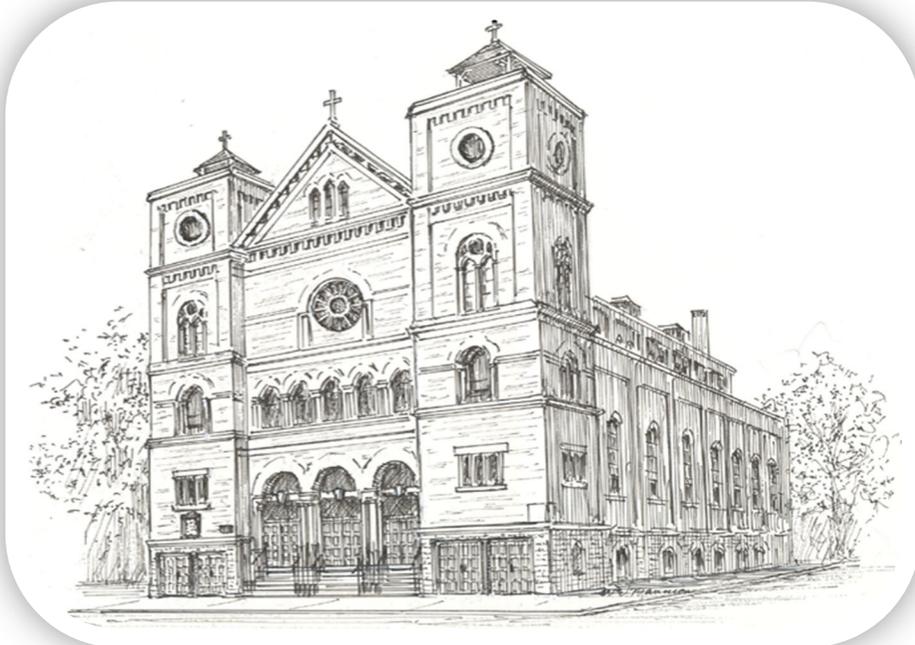


Church of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

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Sunday, October 18th, 2015 | XXIX 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 (all 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

PASTOR

Rev. Fr. Jonathan Morris

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Fr. Urbano Rodrigues

PARISH CENTER

2380 Belmont Avenue

Monday & Thursday

9:00am to 5:00pm

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday

9:00am to 8:00pm

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 is 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, October 18th | XXIX Sunday in O.T.

- 8:30am Rocco Neglio
- 9:30am Pro Popolo
- 11:00am Mariantonia, Vincenzo e Gennaro Del Vecchio
- 12:15pm Giuseppe and Ausilia Villani
- 1:30pm Angela T. Girone and Catherine Ghiselle Corso

**Monday, October 19th | St. John de Brebeuf
& St Isaac Jogues & Companions**

- 8:30am Fred Marolda
- 12:00pm Bartolomeo and Maria Gustafarro
- 6:30pm Christine Covino, Frank Pappas,
Jennie Salce & Frances Longo

Tuesday, October 20th | Saint Paul of the Cross

- 8:30am Giovanni Santaniello and Family
- 12:00pm Ryan Maloney
- 6:30pm Angela Florentino

Wednesday, October 21st | Weekday

- 8:30am Carmine Navarra
- 12:00pm Savino, Amelia, Franco & Luigina Giuliano
- 6:30pm Prenta Shalanian

Thursday, October 22nd | St. John Paul II

- 8:30am Richard Pizzonia
- 12:00pm Lawrence Fratello
- 6:30pm Noel Martinez

Friday, October 23rd | Saint John of Capistrano

- 8:30am Fileno, Mary & Edward Legnini
- 12:00pm Vittorio Sozio
- 6:30pm William La Salle, Sr.

Saturday, October 24th | Weekday

- 8:30am Rocco , Nicholas & Henry Cavalieri
- 12:00pm Giuseppa Carollo (1st Anniversary)
- 5:00pm Rafaella Fusco

Sunday, October 25th | XXX Sunday in O.T.

- 8:30am Domenica Fogliano
- 9:30am Pro Popolo
- 11:00am Rosario Darmetta
- 12:15pm Mickey Miceli and Felicia Matta
- 1:30pm Fred Marolda

“From the Desk of Father Jonathan”

In heaven we will be able to worship God as a family without any concerns whatsoever. But until then, we worship together in the world, where we have many needs and practical concerns, including our personal and parish finances. I know that for many of you, it is hard to make ends meet. As a parish, we struggle as well.

Next weekend, the 24th and 25th of October, I will speak at all masses about the financial status of our parish. I want you to know precisely how we are doing--the good and the bad--and what we need to do to forge a future of stability and strength. I will give you a handout that will show you the important numbers, including a list of where our revenue comes from and how we spend it. I will show you the large amount of debt the parish has taken on over the last twenty or so years in order to keep the church and school afloat.

Don't worry; it won't be all bad news. I will explain to you the exciting projects that we have commenced (and paid for) over the last seven months, and the considerable amount of funds we have raised from people from inside and outside the neighborhood who have sacrificed to make the ministry and buildings of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel parish flourish.

Please make every effort to be with us next weekend as this will be an important moment for us all!

Finally, don't forget, our annual dinner dance is next Sunday at 3:00pm at Maestros Catering. If you haven't purchased a ticket, do it tomorrow at the office! If you aren't in a position to pay for a ticket (\$90), but would still like to come, contact the office as we have some generous benefactors who have purchased extra tickets for us to give away.

I feel so blessed to serve you. Call or write me, or any of our priests, sisters, or staff if you need anything.

Father Jonathan

MEMORIALS OFFERED THIS WEEK

Sanctuary Lamp & Mass Candles

In Memory of William La Salle, Sr.

“We love you, miss you.

You are now resting in peace in God's care”

Requested by Neida and William La Salle, Jr.

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the deceased members of our parish, Joseph Cinquemani, Frances Bellino, Pasquale Caporrino, Nancy Romano, Frank Giordano & our fallen military.

WEDDING BANNES

III. Anthony N. Montuoro and Daniela Catarucci

WEEKEND MASS COLLECTION - 10/18/2015

Collection\$3,716.00
Last year's Collection\$2,728.90

Thank you all for your generosity!!

LAST WEEKEND'S ATTENDANCE - 10/18/2015

Adults: 686..... Children: 234..... / **Total.....920**

REFLECTING ON GOD’S WORD
Sunday Gospel: Mark 10: 35-45

Anna called. She’d dropped by the supermarket to choose a bouquet of roses. She saw an older woman standing nearby, just watching. “So cheap!” Anna was thinking. “Hard to pick, isn’t it?” “Oh,” said the woman, “too expensive. I just come to look . . . so beautiful.” She was grateful just to look at flowers she couldn’t buy! I said, “What did you do?” Anna said, “I divided my bouquet and said, ‘Please share these with me.’ ” I’m so grateful for all God’s blessings, but if others don’t have food, a roof over their heads, work, health, and friendship, then gratitude is simply the door to the next step.

I can walk through it, sharing what I have with those who have not, or I can close the door. Then I’m trapped in dead-end complacency. Jim and I are going to sit down tonight; it’s time to review our giving again.

Living Stewardship Now

Make an effort to do something unexpected and generous for someone at least once a week - at church, at work, or in the community.

“ROOTED” YOUTH GROUP

Join our Youth Group every Saturday from 2pm to 4pm in Fatima Hall. Please see Jesus Vargas at the office for more info.

SAINTS LOUIS MARTIN & ZELIE GUERIN

St. Therese’s parents, canonized today as part of the Synod on the Family.

~ *The first married couple to be canonized together* ~

May their example of Christian marriage inspire all engaged & married couples to live in holiness

What does the Bible & the Church Teach About...

The Eucharist

Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m. at the Parish Center

- *Free class for adults* -

Class has begun!

PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY—OCTOBER 25TH

Next Sunday is Priesthood Sunday. May God continue to bless Fr. Jonathan, Fr. Urbano, Fr. Livinus. Their courage and generosity in serving God’s people does not go unnoticed! It is also a great opportunity to pray for vocations, so let us ask the Master to send workers into His vineyard!

Words of Pope St. John Paul II

“I plead with you—never, ever give up on hope, never doubt, never tire, and never become discouraged. Be not afraid!”

RIFLESSIONE SULLA PAROLA DI DIO
Vangelo della Domenica : Marco 10: 35-45

Gesù reagisce vivamente di fronte alla minaccia che pesa ancora una volta sulla sua comunità a causa dell’ambizione sfrenata di avere i primi posti, di conquistare il potere. La sua lezione è molto severa, quasi solenne. Egli propone in compenso una nuova economia sociale: quella di una comunità senza potere la cui sola regola è servire, fino a offrire la propria vita per i fratelli, bevendo il calice fino all’ultima goccia. E per tutti i suoi membri, perché tutti sono fratelli. All’immagine del capo che comanda si oppone quella del capo che serve. Ed ecco che i capi avranno paradossalmente un solo compito: servire. Il suo prototipo è il Messia, diventato piuttosto il Figlio dell’uomo, schiavo di tutti gli schiavi, per il riscatto dei quali egli offre quello che possiede e quello che è: tutto. Perché egli applica una tecnica poco impiegata per guarire la società umana, l’omeopatia: la schiavitù di Gesù e la nostra guariranno giustamente tutta l’umanità dalla sua schiavitù endemica.

Egli ha appena formulato il suo progetto di comunità, la sua carta “costituzionale”, alla quale tutti i partecipanti devono aderire: ognuno è servitore di tutti.

+ FORTY HOURS DEVOTION +

Sunday, November 1st - Tuesday, November 3rd

- Prepare to spend some time in adoration of Our Lord - Tell your family & friends

**** His Graces Will Abound ****

Mt. Carmel’s 109th Anniversary Dinner Dance

Tickets still available!!!

The Honorees:

Msgr. John A. Ruvo, *Pastor Emeritus*

Rosanna Bizzarro

Carmen Navedo

Reservations:

\$90.00 | \$45.00 (children 9 & under)

Cocktails: 3:00 p.m. **Dinner:** 4:00 p.m.

MEGA RAFFLE - 2015

First prize - \$2,500 | Second prize - \$1,000

Tickets - \$20 each or 6 for \$100

*Take a chance or more to help the parish...
 God is not outdone in generosity!*

REFLEXIONEMOS LA PALABRA DE DIOS

Evangelio del Domingo: Marcos 10: 35-45

Ana llamó y me contó que había ido al supermercado a comprar un ramo de rosas. Vio a una mujer mayor cerca de ella que miraba. “¡Tan baratas!”, pensó Ana. Le dijo a la mujer: “Es difícil escoger, ¿cierto?” La mujer contestó: “Oh, son muy caras. Me conformo con venir a miraras. . . , son tan hermosas”. ¡Ella estaba agradecida sólo con mirar las flores que no podía comprar! Yo le pregunté a Ana: “¿Qué hiciste?” Ana me dijo: “Dividí mi ramo y le dije, ‘por favor compártalas conmigo’”.

Estoy agradecida por todas las bendiciones que Dios me ha dado, pero si otros no tienen alimento, techo, trabajo, salud y amistad, mi gratitud es simplemente la puerta para el próximo paso. Puedo entrar y compartir lo que tengo con los demás o puedo cerrar la puerta y quedar atrapada en una indiferencia sin salida. Jaime y yo nos vamos a sentar a platicar esta noche para que revisemos la cantidad de nuestras donaciones.

Viviendo la Palabra de Dios

Haz un esfuerzo por hacer algo inesperado y generoso por alguna persona cada semana, ya sea en la iglesia, en el trabajo o en la comunidad.

GRUPO JUVENIL “ROOTED”

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 Salón de Fatima.
¡Te esperamos!

EDUCACION RELIGIOSA PARA ADULTOS

Aquellas personas que necesitan los Sacramentos del Bautismo, Comunión y Confirmación, las clases son los días Miércoles a partir de las 7:15pm. Registros en el Centro Parroquial o bien pueden llamar al 718-295-3770.

SEGUNDA COLECTA - DOMINGO DE LAS MISIONES

HOY tendremos una Segunda Colecta para el Domingo Mundial de las Misiones. Agradecemos tu colaboración y generosidad. Los sobres para esta colecta los encuentras en tu *caja de sobres* que has recogido en el frente de la Iglesia.

~ New Choir Members ~



We invite parishioners who can carry a tune to join our choirs - God has given you the talent for the greater good - you will be doubly blessed for St. Augustine said “he who sings prays twice.”

Sing with us! Cantate con noi!
¡Canten con nosotros!

Call the office or see the Choir Leaders after Mass

Lectors for October 24th – 25th

5:00pm M. Gerbasi
8:30am N. Watson
9:30am C. Modesto y J. Vargas
11:00am N. Trombetta e P. D'Orsogna
12:15pm F. Spano
1:30pm M. Gonzalez y L. Ortega

SANTO ROSARIO - VIRGEN PEREGRINA

19 DE OCTUBRE

Gloria Castelan
2333 Arthur Ave #8

20 DE OCTUBRE

Juana Castelan
2333 Arthur Ave #1

21 DE OCTUBRE

Fam. Castelan Lum.
2327 Arthur Ave #1

22 DE OCTUBRE

Yesenia Tellez
2325 Arthur Ave, #13

23 DE OCTUBRE

Juana Roman
2325 Arthur Ave, #2

24 DE OCTUBRE

Angela Santiago
2408 Cambreleng, #10

25 DE OCTUBRE

Silvia Moreno
2408 Cambreleng Ave

Si deseas recibir y pedir gracias a la Virgen Maria en tu hogar, por favor, llama al Centro Parroquial. Gracias.

HORA EUCARISTICA



“El tiempo que pasas con Jesús en el Santísimo Sacramento, ayudará a alcanzar una paz duradera en la tierra.”

(Madre Teresa)

*Te invitamos a nuestra primera Hora Santa
Este Jueves, 22 de Octubre a las 7:30pm*

Trae tus intenciones,
oraremos por cada una de ellas.

SECOND COLLECTION - MISSION SUNDAY

TODAY, October 18th, we will have a second collection for the World Mission Sunday.

We appreciate your cooperation and generosity. The envelope may be found in your *new box of envelopes*.

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