



Our Lady of Mount Carmel

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24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



He summoned the crowd with his disciples and said to them, "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and that of the gospel will save it." - Mk 8:34-35

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September 12th, 2021
TODAY'S MASS
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Is 50:5-9a
Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9
Jas 2:14-18
Mk 8:27-35

MASS INTENTIONS

Mariion Houle
Monsignor Paul Colbert

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MASS SCHEDULE

Mass at 10:30 AM Voiced & Signed

Daily Readings

<u>Monday</u>	<u>9/13</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>9/16</u>
1 TM 2:1-8 Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 1-, 17 Lk 7:1-10		1 TM 4:12-16 Ps 111:7-8, 9, 19 Lk 7:36-50	
<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>9/14</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>9/17</u>
Nm 21:4b-9 Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38 Phil 2:6-11 Jn 3:13-17		1 TM 6:2c-12 Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20 Lk 8:4-15	
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>9/15</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>9/18</u>
1 TM 3:14-16 Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, Jn 19:25-27		1 TM 6:13-16 Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 Lk 8:4-15	

Our Lady of Mount Carmel parish was established in 1910 for Italian Catholics living in NE Minneapolis and moved into the present church in 1938. The Archdiocesan Office for the Deaf joined the parish in 1986, and today our 170 families include Italians, Deaf and Hard - of - Hearing Catholics and their families, and neighbors from NE Minneapolis and beyond. You are most welcome to join our intimate, lively community.

Our Mission

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, and to proclaim year acceptable to the Lord.
Luke 4:18-19

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Lector for Sunday, September 19th

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We need to get our bearings straight and properly lay life's cornerstone. Otherwise, the rest of our journey will be skewed, and our judgment clouded. We can recall Jesus' famous rebuke of Peter, "You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do." Even he, as one of Jesus' closest friends struggles with understanding things and grasping the big picture. Pierre Teilhard de Chardin (1881-1955) a renowned and learned French Jesuit priest often has these words attributed to him: "We are not human beings having a spiritual experience. We are spiritual beings having a human experience." Whether they were actually from his lips, they certainly mimic his thought. These wise words orient us and capture the essence of who we really are.

Many people consider spirituality an option. It is no wonder that they come to this conclusion when they predominantly define themselves using human terms and concepts. Immersed in this world view, they struggle finding any semblance of God because God does not work according to human expectations! This is especially true when suffering and death enter life's picture. If we are only human beings having a spiritual experience, then we wrongly expect our spirituality to serve us as we desire. The human expectation is that my spiritual life is something that is useful in avoiding pain, hardship, and death, not something that gives the courage to live through it!

So, when we protest and get upset with God because our journey is becoming difficult, painful, treacherous, disappointing, and even pointing us toward death, Jesus rebukes us as he did Peter and gently reminds us how to see. It is God who inspires and opens hearts to see truth and beauty. In God, the true meaning of things is understood, and we receive a depth of insight and understanding that is not found following purely human paths. It is not our task to understand God, as God is beyond human understanding. Ours is the joyful privilege of simply resting in God's presence simply because God is God and we are who we are. As spiritual beings having an exciting and adventurous human experience, it is in our DNA to do so. Through prayer we can let go and let be. This is how we lose our lives but then save them.





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Join the Journey this Fall

Plan to join us this fall to help shape the future of our local Church through the ongoing Archdiocesan Synod process. Archbishop Hebda needs your input in how to best form:

- Parishes that are in the service of evangelization;
- Missionary disciples who know Jesus's love and respond to his call; and
- Youth and young adults in and for a Church that is always young.

Join a small group to discuss and give feedback on priorities within each Synod focus area. Mark your calendar for Sunday, September 19th following mass at our parish. **If you stay to participate in the synod small groups, Cathy will provide a luncheon following all six Sundays.**

OLMC is looking for small group facilitators, which consists of a 45 minute zoom training and leading the small group through the questions provided by Archbishop Hebda. We ask facilitators to volunteer a minimum of 2 weeks but are welcomed to volunteer for anywhere between 2 and 6 weeks.

A Peak On The Lighter Side: Marriage and Coffee

Shortly after tying the knot, a young married couple started arguing over who should make the coffee. Being a good Christian woman, the wife went to the scriptures for her answer. She said that the Bible specifically stated that men should be the ones to make the coffee.

Puzzled, the husband asked her where in the Bible it said that. Very confidently, the wife opened up her Bible and said, "It's right here — HEBREWS

Women's Guild LOVE IN ACTION August
During this back to school season, OLMC's Women's Guild is doing a parish wide collection for back packs, school supplies, or a monetary donation. If you are bringing school supplies for Pope John Paul II Catholic School, please leave it in Malley Hall. Thank you for your generosity!!

Today, following mass there will be a Festival Wrap up meeting. If you have thoughts or ideas for next year, please come share!

PRAY everyday

Will you pray for a priest, deacon or religious everyday?

Sunday	Fr. Paul Moudry
Monday	Fr. Bill Kenney
Tuesday	Fr. John Powers
Wednesday	Deacon Mike Powers
Thursday	Fr. Mike Krenik
Friday	Archbishop Bernard Hebda
Saturday	Fr. Tom Margevicius

Please pray for God's healing mercy for:
Fr. Bill Kenney, Dan Krolikowski, Anonymous Parishioner, Roland Brown, Hattie Gansemer, Barb Nell, Michael Guadagnoli, Russell Berg, Jenny Mertes, Jody Hoppe, Mary Jo Miske, Judy Patricelli, Dicky Jacques, John D'Agostino, Jack Graff, Kyle Bixler, & Mariam Groettum

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