# Our Lady Of Mount Carmel Historic Catholic Church

Serving the community since 1894 January 23, 2022



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#### **WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY:** 4:00 PM ANTICIPATED MASS

**SUNDAY:** 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, and 11:00 AM

MON - FRI.: 8:00 AM in the Parish Office,

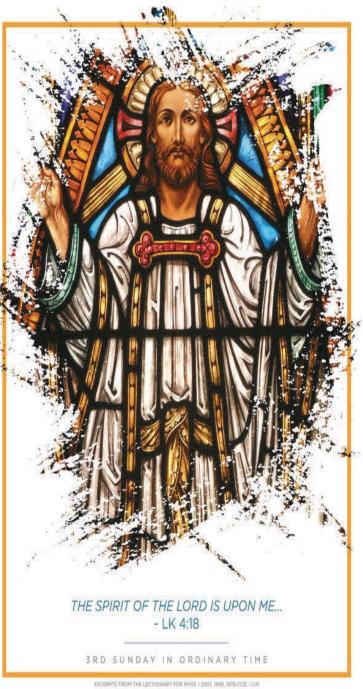
Mary's Room Chapel

**SATURDAY:** 8:00 AM -1st & 2nd Saturday of

the month only

#### **VISION STATEMENT**

It is our vision at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, a Catholic Community, led by Jesus and empowered by the Holy Spirit, to proclaim and live the Gospel. We accomplish this through our shared Baptism, celebrations of the sacraments, prayer, hospitality and service to others.



#### Visitors and New Parishioners, WELCOME!

If you came as a visitor and would like to join Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, please return the information below by dropping it in the offertory basket.

Full Name:	Phone:
Address:	New Registration Change of Address
City: Zip	Want Envelopes Moving out of Parish
E-mail:	Check out our website for updates & information

## Welcome

FOOD FOR FAITH LIVING FROM THE DESK OF FR. MARK

In Nehemiah (1st rd.) we hear another message of God's Promise. He, and Ezra, the priest scribe, remind the people of all God did and will continue to do for them. They are the remnant, returning to home and land, after captivity in Babylon. The message? "Do not be sad for rejoicing in the Lord must be your strength! "This is true today, and always. Life is hard and the path contains challenges, contradictions and suffering. Only in living God's truth will we experience inner joy and peace because we've embraced "the truth which sets us free!" We cannot change life and reality. We can change ourselves in facing life's realities. We decide; no one else can.

St. Paul (2nd rd.) expresses our unique personal and communal response to God and each other. "As a body is one, it has many parts. So also is Jesus for in one Spirit we were all baptized and become the Body of Christ." each and all contributing to the Body's well-being and security! Each, and every, part is essential to its' health. Without any part, as insignificant as we view some parts, is needed or the entire body suffers. Look at life's realities today and we all bear witness and endure the wounds inflicted on the Body of Christ. We need each other and give ourselves to each other, as God gives God to us, so that we sustain life forever by our contribution and participation, the gift of ourselves! What a sacred truth, its' meaning our salvation, purpose and fulfillment in heaven!

After St. Luke's beautiful presentation of the Nativity of Jesus, he begins the ministry and service of Jesus, to all of us (Gospel) "full of the power of the Spirit, teaching and healing and praised by all!" Jesus returns home, enters the synagogue and reads the scroll from Isaiah. It is God's message, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me, and expresses all the wonderful things He is doing. The people are uplifted by the message, but are in awe when Jesus tells them, "This day, this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing!" It is ever being fulfilled in our hearing when we accept it, are grateful for it and respond in the fashion Jesus call us to. Such is our path through life and the source of our inner joy and peace in so living! Rejoice in the Lord! He is ever with us, in us, for us.

#### MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Jan<mark>u</mark>ary 22 Anticipated Sunday Mass 4:00 pm-†Ed Pearson/ Pat Salvucci

Sunday, January 23 THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:00 am- †Linda LoSasso /David & Liz LoSasso 9:00 am-Our Parishioners

11:00 am- †Martin Gallegos / Ernie & Annette Marranzino Monday, January 24

8:00 am- †Souls in Purgatory/ Damen Calvillo Tuesday, January 25

8:00 am-†Ruth Lehamn / David DeJiacomo

Wednesday, January 26 8:00 am-†Carlo & Medea Pesaresi / Majorie Pesariesi

Thursday, January 27 8:00 am -†Paul Stafford / Jerry & MaryKay Smaldone Friday, January 28

8:00 am -†Marion, Tony Jr., Joe, Donald, Phil, Frank Elliot/

Saturday, January 29 Anticipated Sunday Mass 4:00 pm-†Carl & Isabell Cecchine / Kathleen Pougnet

Sunday, January 30 FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 7:00 am-Our Parishioners

9:00 am-†Pasqual LaConte /MaryLou Andrews 11:00 am-†John Ruffolo / Aunts

Please keep those impacted by the recent devastating fires in your prayers.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace. Amen Pray for the response souls of: Linda LoSasso **Kenneth Delmonico** Juanita Larson



PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS: \*Dolores Wood \*Virginia Lutes, \*Ralph Avila \*Tony Baldi \*Robert Thomas DiGiallonardo \*Cindy Wilkinson \*Denise Younger \*Ray Hudzik \*Mary Workman \*Lisa Lira



January 15 & 16 = \$5,775.00



PRIMA DOMENICA Mass is celebrated in Italian the first Sunday of each month at 9:00 am. A reception is celebrated in the Parish Hall after Mass

**BAPTISMS** Baptisms are scheduled quarterly. Sunday, May 1st, July 24th, Oct. 16th at 12 (noon).

Baptismal class is for Parents and Godparents (required). You must first make arrangements with a priest. We meet on Thursdays, Apr 28th, July 21st, Oct. 13th at 6 pm. MARRIAGE A wedding may be scheduled after a consultation with a priest or deacon. Please call the rectory for an appointment. Please notice preparation is eight months to a year.

**<u>ŔECONCILIATION</u>** Saturday: 3:30-4:00 pm or by appoint-

ment with a Confessor.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK Upon request. Please call the rectory

**FUNERALS** Please call the office before arrangements are made.

#### HIS WORDS ARE SPIRIT AND LIFE. Psalm 19

#### **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

**SUNDAY, January 23** 

**3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

7, 9, & 11 am MASS

10 am Religious Education

MONDAY, January 24

8 am Daily Mass

**TUESDAY, January 25** 

8 am Daily Mass

#### WEDNESDAY, January 26

8 am Daily Mass 4 pm Finance Council Choir Practice

**THURSDAY, January 27** 

8 am Daily Mass

FRIDAY, January 28

8 am Daily Mass

#### SATURDAY, January 29

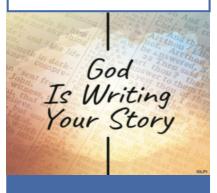
Anticipated Mass 4 pm MASS SUNDAY, January 30

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7, 9, & 11 am MASS

9 am Altar & Rosary Mass & mtg.

10 am Religious Education



"Faith is taking the first step, even when you don't see the whole staircase."

-Martin Luther King, Jr.



<u>La Festa d'Amore</u> Saturday, February 12th, Sponsored by Altar & Rosary Society. Stonebrook Manor Event Center and Gardens 650 E. 124th Ave Thornton 80241. Cocktails at 6 pm, Dinner at 7 pm. Cash bar and Silent Auction.

**RESPECT LIFE** "To be one, to be united is a great thing. But to respect the right to be different is maybe even greater."

<u>SPECIAL COLLECTON</u> Support the Victims of the Marshall Fire. A second collection will be taken January 29th & 30th at the weekend Masses, to be distributed through Archdiocese Emergency Relief Fund.

<u>OUR LADY OF FATIMA</u> will be in the home of Beatriz Najera 2060 W 74th Ave. Denver. From January 22nd through January 29th. Our Lady will be in the home of Dan & Roxane Aungst 7253 Russell Ct. Arvada. From January 29 through February 5th. Contact the parish office for more information.

ST. JOHN VIANNEY Three Week Online Lecture Series, "Lent with the Director." With Daniel Campbell. The season of lent is famously the most serious of all times in the Church's liturgical year. The message of prayer, penance, and almsgiving constantly rings aloud in preparation for the Passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. But how do we actually live this our in our own lives? Learning about and contemplating this wonderful season and what it means in your life and family. March 7, 14 & 21, 9-10 am and 6:30–7:30 pm, morning and evening sessions. Fee 30.00. More info. https://sjvlaydivision.org/registration or 303.715.3195

ST. CATHRINE OF SIENA invites you to re-awaken your friendship with Jesus at Alpha. Everyone is welcome. This is an adult program, St. Catherine of Siena 4200 Federal Blvd, 303-570-4200. January 23, 2022 at 9 am, we meet weekly on Sundays for 11 weeks. Saintcatherine.us/alph or info@alphscsdenver.org

<u>Holy Land Discovery (Israel)</u> Take your FAITH ON A JOURNEY, to the Holy Land Discovery - (Israel) on this 8 day experience. April 8th, 2022 - April 15th, 2022

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