Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish-Shrine

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, October 22nd, 2017

The Italian National Parish of the Archdiocese of Chicago
Served by The Missionaries of Saint Charles – Scalabrinians
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Office Hours

Sunday
-8:00am—3:00pm

Tuesday- Friday
-8:30am—8:30pm

Saturday
-8:30am — 1:00pm
-2:00pm—5:30pm

Monday
- We're Closed

Sunday Mass Schedule

5:30pm - Sat. Vigil Mass
7:45am - English
9:00am - Español
10:30am - Italiano
12:00pm - English
1:30pm - Español
5:00pm - Español

Weekly Mass Schedule

English
-Monday - Saturday at 7:30am

Español
-Martes y Jueves a las 6:30pm

Italiano
-Sotto richiesta

THE SCALABRINIAN MISSIONARIES AT MOUNT CARMEL SINCE 1905

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Our Lady of Mt Carmel, is served
by the Congregation of the Missionaries of
St. Charles – Scalabrinians – .
We are an community of Catholic religious
serving migrants and refugees of different cultures,
religions and ethnicities in 32 countries.
The Congregation was founded in Italy
on November 28, 1887,
by Blessed John Baptist Scalabrini (1839-1905),
bishop of Piacenza (Italy).
Our missionary focus is to be migrants
with the migrants and to be in mission
with people on the move,
with a special priority for the poorest
And neediest migrants.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL —MISSION STATEMENT

We are a faith community bound by the Grace of God the Father
who adopted us all as beloved children through Baptism.
We journey as brothers and sisters
inspired in the Gospel of Jesus Christ, nourished with the Eucharist
and strengthened by the love of the Holy Spirit.
Encouraged in the practice of our Catholic Tradition,
we experience and honor the maternal protection of Our Lady of Mount Carmel
while joyfully celebrating the religious practices of our ancestors in Faith.
Heartened by the zealous ministry of the Missionaries of St. Charles (Scalabrinians),
we strive to create a welcoming space were justice for all and the wellbeing of God's people
become the inspiration in our efforts to build God's Kingdom.

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NUESTRA SENORA DEL MONTE CARMEL — VISIÓN

Somos una comunidad de fe vinculada por la Gracia de Dios Padre,
que nos ha adoptado como hijos amados por el Bautismo.
Caminamos como hermanos y hermanas
inspirados en el Evangelio de Jesucristo, nutridos con la Eucaristía
y fortalecidos por el amor del Espíritu Santo.
Alentados en la práctica de nuestra Tradición Católica,
experimentamos y honramos a la protección materna de Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo,
celebrando alegremente las prácticas religiosas de nuestros ancestros en la Fe.
Animados por el celo ministerial de los Misioneros de San Carlos (Scalabrinianos),
nos esforzamos por crear un espacio de bienvenida donde la justicia para todos
y el bienestar del pueblo de Dios nos inspiran en nuestros esfuerzos para construir el Reino de Dios.

Church Services

We encourage all to register at the Parish-Shrine.

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Les invitamos a registrarse en el Santuario Parroquial.

Support Staff

Business Manager
Alexander Sanchez 708.345.3632

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Miguel Aldana 708.345.3632

Music Coordinator
Ann Marie Nabor 708.579.5373

Community Center Site Director
Pablo Cruz 708.345.3632

Sacramental Life

Confessions *Confesiones*
Saturdays—*Sábados*
4:00pm—5:30pm or by appointment/ *o con cita.*

Baptisms *Bautizos*
Come to the parish office. *Pase a la oficina parroquial.*

Weddings *Bodas*
Contact the priest at least six months in advance.
Contactar al sacerdote seis meses antes de la ceremonia

Quinceañera
Contactar a la secretaria cuatro meses antes de la ceremonia.

Presentaciones
Contactar la Secretaria al menos dos semanas antes

Religious Services

Recitation of the Holy Rosary
Mon—Sat at 7:00am

Adoration *Adoración al Stmo. Sacramento*
Wednesdays 6:00pm—8:00pm

Novena & Benediction
Wednesday/Miércoles 7:30pm

Grupo de Oración Carismática
Martes a las 7:00pm

Other Services

Gift Shop Hours *Venta de Artículos Religiosos*
During the regular office hours.
Durante las horas de oficina

Community Center *Centro Comunitario*
Social outreach *Servicios a la comunidad* (708) 345 - 3632

Food Pantry *Despensa de comida*
Wednesdays 4:00pm—6:00pm

Religious Education—*Catecismo*
Saturday - *Sábados* 3:30pm — 6:30pm
Sunday - *Domingos* 10:00am—1:00pm
- Mass Included—Incluye la Misa

For the Month of OCTOBER

October 7th Sat/Sab

- 6:30pm Harvest Festival Vigil

October 8th Sun/Dom

- 8:30am Harvest Festival

October 22nd Sun/Dom

- 8:30am St. Anthony's Breakfast

October 30th Mon/Lun

- 7:30pm Misa por la Paz

Monday/Lunes
5:30pm Clases de Guitarra

Tuesdays / Martes
6:30pm Ballet Folkorico
7:00pm Grupo de Oracion
7:00pm Eng. Choir Practice

Wednesday/ Miercoles
6:30pm Ballet Folkorico
7:00pm Men of Mt. Carmel
7:00pm OLMC Fitness Club

Thursday/Jueves
6:30pm Ballet Folkorico

Friday/Viernes
7:30pm Practica de Coros
7:00pm Matrimonios con Prop.
7:00pm Jornadas Matrimoniales
7:00pm Boys/Girls Scouts
7:00pm Jovenes para Cristo

Wedding Banns

♥ Kristy D'Andrea & John-Anthony Toveli...2
♥ Celina Garcia & Rodolfo Diaz...1

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Weekly Offering

October 14 - October 15, 2017

Regular Sunday Collection: $5,699.00

From the Pastor's Desk

Last Sunday I took the opportunity to share with you some news regarding my appointment as Provincial Superior for the Missionaries of St. Charles/ Scalabrinians, the Religious Order I belong to. As I was speaking to you during all masses, I could not help but experience some flash backs. I thought of the day I stood before you all, newly arrived in this place and pledging to do my best to carry out the mission entrusted to me by both my Religious Superiors and the Archbishop of Chicago. Little I knew at that time, the Lord had in storage a journey filled with pleasant surprises, incredible people and wonderful adventures. As I stand at the threshold of my departure I cannot help but discover how my heart is filled with gratitude to the Almighty for I know well his incredible love was behind every moment I experienced in this wonderful place.

After the announcement, many are the ones who have approached me asking the same questions: How long till you go? Is your departure something that will happen soon? Should we start organizing a farewell party already? I can see the concern for dates as something important, we need to be informed and knowledge of times and places builds up our sense of security. Even though the term of governance for the Province begins on January 1st, 2018, it is recommended the newly elected superior steps down from his previous position and moves into the Provincial Residence with anticipation, thus providing the necessary time for a much-needed transition; however the fact that I served as Provincial Vicar (the second in command) during the present term, provides that much on the necessary information is already personal knowledge, therefore in order to provide enough time for a healthy passage here in the Parish, I will be staying at Our Lady of Mount Carmel until the middle of December. That seems like the perfect time to part and take a short break before the new responsibilities start coming my way.

I strongly believe this two months will be a time of Grace and many Blessings. I would like to take the chance and personally meet each one of you to express how grateful I feel because of your presence in my life and how blessed I am since we became companions on the journey.

Adsum,

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish & Shrine

2017 Altar & Rosary Upcoming Events

3rd Annual Holiday Bazaar

Here's a chance for you to get a head start on your Christmas shopping.

Sunday, November 12, from 8:30am – 4:00 pm

There will be a variety of vendors so you can find something for everyone on your list.

Come early, stay late. Coffee, doughnuts, snacks and other treats will be available

Admission is Free

Advent Evening of Recollection

with Fr. Dan Brandt

On *Thursday, December 7,* (Pearl Harbor Day) Fr. Dan Brandt, Chicago Police Department Chaplin will pay tribute to all our veterans, police, fire, and military personnel as he celebrates mass at 6:00pm.

Dinner and a reflection by Fr. Dan will follow

Tickets are $15.00

St Anthony Society
Of
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish & Shrine

Annual Breakfast Buffet

Pancakes, sausages, eggs, bagels & cream cheese, juice, fruit, desserts, & more!

Date: Sunday, October 22nd
Time: 8:30am - 1:30pm
Where: Gym on 22nd & Cortez ave.
Donation: Adults $5.00 & Children under 12 are $3.00

For tickets or more information (708)344-4140

Today is World Mission Sunday, a day that leads us to the heart of our Christian faith! Your generosity on World Mission Sunday supports the work of priest, religious, and lay leaders in the mission dioceses who accompany those most in need. Let this celebration of World Mission also be a day to honor the many ways we commit to missionary discipleship. As Psalm 104 says: "Send forth your spirit and renew the face of the earth!"

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

What makes the Eucharistic Prayers for Masses with Children different from the others? First, there is the intended assembly, which is described as comprised of mostly children of school age. There are three Eucharistic Prayers for Masses with Children available to us now in the missal. The first one has a very simple form, easily grasped by even a young child. The second has a great deal of participation by the assembly—repeated sung acclamations. The third has a number of variations that can be tricky for a priest to handle if he hasn't prepared carefully.

All of this work does point to a true treasure of our tradition: children are part of the Sunday assembly, precisely because they are baptized members of Christ's body. By contrast, the churches of the Reformation tend to look upon children as members in training, and see worship as an adult activity. Sunday school happens downstairs while the adults celebrate Holy Communion upstairs. In a phrase, that's not Catholic. Children belong to Christ and to the assembly. So, the desire to care for the children in the assembly, to draw them into the prayer, and to adapt our rituals and texts to their needs is deeply Catholic, a true pastoral effort to help draw everyone into the praise of God.

Produce Mobile

Free fresh fruit and vegetables!
Where: 1119 N. 23rd ave.
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When: Saturday, November 4th
10:00am - 12:00pm
(Suburban Cook County Only)

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Ending time may vary, based on food allocations.

For more information:
The Food Depository at (773) 247-3663

Mensaje del Párroco

El Domingo pasado, al compartir con ustedes las noticias acerca de mi nueva destinación, como Superior Provincial de los Misioneros de San Carlos/Scalabrinianos, no pude evitar reflexionar en lo rápido que el tiempo pasa. Pareciera que fue ayer, cuando recién llegado a esta Parroquia, me presente ante la comunidad durante las misas dominicales; fue un fin de semana frio, del distante Enero del 2012. En esa ocasión, me plante delante de ustedes, prometiendo hacer mi mejor esfuerzo para llevar a cabo la misión encomendada tanto por mis superiores religiosos cuanto por el Arzobispo de Chicago. Lejos estaba de imaginar todo lo que el Señor me tenía preparado en este lugar, una jornada cuajada de sorpresas, llena de gente maravillosa y de experiencias increíbles. Al anunciar mi nueva destinación, mi corazón se encuentra rebozando de gratitud a Dios y a cada uno de ustedes por todo lo que a lo largo de este tiempo he recibido.

Muchos me han preguntado acerca de la fecha de mi partida. Tradicionalmente, unas semanas antes de tomar posesión, el nuevo Superior Provincial deja su lugar de misión y se muda a la Residencia Provincial de tal manera que junto al superior actual puedan manejar una transición saludable y adecuada en el cambio de gobierno. Dado que por los últimos tres años yo he ocupado el puesto de Vicario Provincial, pudiéramos decir que me encuentro bastante familiarizado con toda la situación actual de la Provincia por lo que consideramos que no hay necesidad para una transición muy larga. Dado que la nueva Administración Provincial entra en funciones el día 1º de Enero del 2018, mi estancia en Monte Carmelo se prolongará hasta mediados de Diciembre. Con esa fecha en mente, tenemos dos meses para hacer un traspaso de parroquia saludable y adecuado. En las siguientes semanas vamos a trabajar lo mejor posible para que al llegar el nuevo párroco encuentre una comunidad entusiasta y bien preparada; al mismo tiempo estos días me brindaran la oportunidad para encontrarme con los diferentes grupos y líderes de la comunidad, pues quiero agradecer personalmente su presencia en mi vida.

Caminemos pues convencidos que los tiempos de Dios son perfectos. Avancemos hacia el futuro con el corazón lleno de entusiasmos y aprovechemos este tiempo que aún nos queda juntos para continuar celebrando nuestra fe y pidiendo a Dios para que seamos siempre dóciles a su voluntad.

Adsum,

La Asociación de San Antonio
de
Nuestra Parroquia de Monte Carmelo
los invita a participar en su Desayuno Anual!

Pancakes, salchicha, huevos, bagels, jugo, fruta, postres, & mas!

Fecha: domingo, octubre 22
Horario: 8:30am - 1:30pm
Donde: Gym en 22nd & Cortez ave.
Donación: Adultos - $5.00 &
Niños menores de 12 - $3.00

¡Hoy es el Domingo Mundial de las Misiones, un día que nos lleva al Corazón de nuestra fe Cristina! Su generosidad el Domingo Mundial de las Misiones apoya el trabajo de sacerdotes, religiosos, y lideres laicos en las diócesis misioneras que acompañan a los mas necesitados. Dejemos que esta celebración de la Misión Mundial también sea un día para honrar las muchas maneras que nos comprometemos al discipulado misionero. Como dice el Salmo 104: "¡Envía tu espíritu y renueva la faz de la tierra!"

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

En tiempos pasados, cuando los fieles latinoamericanos se enfermaban gravemente se mandaba traer al sacerdote para que le administrara los "santos óleos" o la "extremaunción". Nadie quería ver a un sacerdote acércasele con los óleos porque significaba que uno estaba por morir.

Gracias a Dios, las reformas del Concilio Vaticano II han regresado al sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos su sentido original. Este sacramento es celebrado para todos los que tengan alguna enfermedad seria, aunque no sea de muerte. El sacramento es para pedir consuelo para el enfermo y si es voluntad de Dios, la salud. Este sacramento no debe ser reservado para preparar al paciente para la muerte.

Santiago, en su carta a los cristianos, nos dice que si uno de nosotros está enfermo que llame al presbítero de la Iglesia para que lo unja con óleo o aceite santo. Y añade que la oración hecha con fe perdonará los pecados del enfermo y lo sanará para que recupere su vida cotidiana. Este sacramento, como todos los sacramentos, son para la vida, tanto la vida cotidiana como lo vida eterna.

Jornadas Matrimoniales

Movimiento Católico
Te invita a vivir una experiencia inolvidable
"Un encuentro con Cristo"

Para: Parejas casadas o no casadas, padres de familia, padres solteros, viudos o divorciados

Fecha: jueves 23 de noviembre a las 4pm, a domingo 26 a las 4pm.
(Fin de semana de Acción de Gracias)

Se requiere empacar por separado:

- Ropa cómoda para los cuatro días
- Artículos de higiene personal
- Artículos para dormir (cobija, almohada, etc.)

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Angel Jimenez (847)756-0417
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LUCHA POR EL PODER

Las luchas por el poder ocurren en todos los ámbitos de la sociedad, desde el escenario mundial hasta en las relaciones en el trabajo, y hasta en nuestros hogares. Luchamos por un puesto en la jerarquía de poder. ¿Quién tiene poder sobre quién? ¿Cómo lo usamos? ¿Cuál es la fuente de ese poder? ¿Cuál es la respuesta sana ante el mismo?

En la lectura del Evangelio de hoy los fariseos mezclan a Jesús en la lucha por el poder sobre si los judíos deben rendir tributo a César pagando los impuestos. La respuesta de Jesús da a esta lucha y a toda lucha por el poder otra perspectiva. En consonancia con las palabras de Isaías y de Pablo, Jesús nos enseña que Dios es la fuente final de todo poder –el poder de los que gobiernan en la tierra, los fariseos, Jesús, la Iglesia y el poder dentro de nosotros.

Fr. Feccia's Reflection

Ventinovesima domenica del T. O. — "Anno". In quel tempo i farisei, avendo udito che Gesù aveva ridotto al silenzio i sadducei, ritiratisi, tennero consiglio per vedere di coglierlo in fallo nei suoi discorsi.
Mandarono dunque a lui i propri discepoli, con glie Erodiani, a dirgli: *«Maestro, sappiamo che sei veritiero e insegni la via di Dio secondo verità e non hai soggezione di nessuno perché non guardi in faccia a nessuno. Dicci dunque il tuo parere: È lecito o no pagare il tributo a Cesare?»*
Ma Gesù conoscendo la loro malizia, rispose: «*Ipocriti, perché mi tentate. Mostratemi la moneta del tributo.*» Ed essi gli presentarono un denaro, e domandò loro: *«Di chi è questa immagine ed iscrizione?»* Gli risposero: «*Di Cesare*».
Allora disse loro: «*Rendete dunque a Cesare quello che è di Cesare e a Dio quello che è di Dio*».
La Chiesa e lo Stato. Essere cristiani non significa affatto porsi ai margini delle realtà politiche, per quanto materiali come le tasse.
La Chiesa non è un regno accanto ad altri regni; non ha una legislazione da mettere a confronto con le altre legislazioni; non ha da contendere i regni terrestri uno spazio a lei riservato, dal momento che la chiesa è già tutto lo spazio del mondo offerto all'umanità riconciliata con Dio. Non fa concorrenza agli stati, anzi ne è parte integrante, nella misura con cui rispetta e interpreta le loro leggi e i loro regolamenti, nella visione finale del «regno».

Sovranità spirituale o signoria temporale?

Spesso il brano odierno viene usato per riaffermare e per dare un fondamento biblico, rivelato, alla distinzione e reciproca autonomia tra la Chiesa e lo Stato. Molto probabilmente la risposta di Gesù non aveva questa intenzione: sia per il contesto del racconto, che non esigeva un pronunciamento su questo problema; sia per il contesto storico dei suoi tempi, nei quali non si distingueva ancora tra potere politico e religioso. Ma la risposta di Gesù è ugualmente illuminante perché indica una direzione. Gli Ebrei del tempo di Gesù erano abituati a concepire il regno inaugurato dal futuro Messia nella forma di una teocrazia, cioè come dominio diretto di Dio, tramite il suo popolo, su tutta la terra. La parola di Gesù rivela l'esistenza di un regno di Dio nella storia, nel quale è possi-bile ad ognuno, e non solo all'ebreo, entrare fin d'ora, senza attendere che si inauguri un ipotetico regno politico di Dio su tutta la terra. Il regno di Dio, infatti, è possibile all'interno di un regno pagano, non meno che nel quadro di una teocrazia, poiché non si identifica né con l'uno né con l'altra. Si rivelano così due modi qualitativamente diversi di dominazione e di sovranità di Dio sul mondo: la *sovranità spirituale* che costituisce il regno di Dio e che egli esercita direttamente in Cristo, e la *signoria temporale* che egli esercita indirettamente, mediante il libero gioco delle cause seconde.

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21 — **WEEKDAY**
7:30 am †
5:30 pm †

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22 — **TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
7:45 am †
9:00 am †
10:30 am † John LoRocco by Wife Pasquina & Family
12:00 pm †
1:30 pm †
5:00 pm †

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23 — **WEEKDAY**
7:30 am †

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24 — **WEEKDAY**
7:30 am † Virginia Orlandino by Daughter
6:30 pm †

WEDNESDAY. OCTOBER 25 — **WEEKDAY**
7:30 am †
7:30 pm NOVENA

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26 — **WEEKDAY**
7:30 am †
6:30 pm †

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27 — **WEEKDAY**
7:30 am †

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 — **SAINTS SIMON AND JUDE**
7:30 am †
5:30 pm †

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 — **THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
7:45 am †
9:00 am †
10:30 am † Tonino Salvetore Ventura by Sisina cugine cugini e famiglie
12:00 pm †
1:30 pm †
5:00 pm †

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS WHO ARE ILL OR INFIRMED :

Linda Bandy	Sara Zonca
Mary Donato	Nancy Oshea
Judith Escamilla	Madeline Vittori
Jacob Duda	Nico Felice
Kristie Goldi	Emilio Scalzitti
Linna Goldi	Nell Baker
Susan Humpf	Fabiola Pintor
Vandy Liala	Isabel Pintor
Ethan Maidl	Marie Torchia
Joseph Pulido	Kelly Ann Haymaker
Lauren Rendi	Macy Grace Giacone
Luke Westrick	Josephine Grasso
Ann Yench	June Stellato
Alexandra Vitali	Conny Rico
Anna Baffa	John Sepka
Jan Clark	Melacia Nuñez

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THIRD SUNDAY COMMUNAL MASS CELEBRATION: October. 2017
+ MASSES REQUESTED DURING OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL 2017 FEAST +

This Mass, requested during the Feast of OLMC, is celebrated for the benefit of the following persons:
Questa Messa, richiesta durante la Festa della Madonna del Carmine, viene celebrata a beneficio delle seguenti persone.

Saturday, October 21 5:30 p.m. Mass	Sunday, October 22 7:45 a.m. Mass	Sunday, October 22 10:30 a.m. Mass	Sunday, October 22 12:00 a.m. Mass
August Demarie	Rev. Luis Aineto SDB	The Brogno Family	Kieback Family
Johnsen Family	Sophie, Geoge and Bill Bosco	Celestina e Rosa Ambrosina	William T Ortman
Jean and James Clause	Frank and Jean Sylvester	Santolo Trinchese	Provenzano and Knaposki Families
Emile Labre	Family Smith, Vesser and Kuch	Giuseppina Meo	Antona e Josephine Romano Family
John Mulone	Oscar and Sophie Miller	Emanuela Lombardi	Stavola and Espada Family
Donald Lloyd	Frank Belmont	Nicola Trinchese	Stephania Milort
Bob and Marlene Zaccone	Zofia Mielnicka	Martino e Filomena Cosimo	Calsen Family
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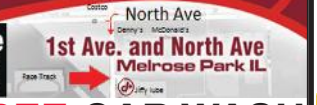

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