

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish-Shrine

November 17th, 2019
Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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



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Office Hours

Monday – Friday
8:30am—8:00pm

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

Sunday
8:30am —1:30pm

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
Lunes a Viernes a las 6:30pm
Italiano
Sotto richiesta

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**THE SCALABRINIAN MISSIONARIES
AT MOUNT CARMEL SINCE 1905**



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 SEÑORA DEL MONTE CARMELO — 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

Xochitl Duran 708.345.3632

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Community Center Site Director

Pablo Cruz 708.345.3632

*Sacramental Life***Confessions Confesiones**Saturdays—*Sábados*4:00pm—5:00pm 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 5:30pm—6:30pm

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 3:30pm—5:30pm

Religious Education—CatecismoSaturday - *Sábados* 3:30pm — 6:30pmSunday - *Domingos* 10:00am—1:00pm*- Mass Included—Incluye la Misa***MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THE WEEK****Saturday, November 16****Weekday**

7:30 am †
5:30 pm For the recovery of Ethan Maidl by: Maidl Family

Sunday, November 17 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:45 am †
9:00 am †
10:30 am † Mario Palermo by: Wife
† Frank Palermo by: Mom
† Miachele Atteo by: Wife, Children, and grandchildren
12:00pm † Steven Pempek birthday by: Friend Corinne Principe
1:30 pm †
5:00 pm †

Monday, November 18**Weekday**

7:30 am † Jack Morgan by: Maria Sconza
6:30 pm †

Tuesday, November 19**Weekday**

7:30 am †
6:30 pm †

Wednesday, November 20**Weekday**

7:30 am †
5:30 pm ADORATION
6:30 pm †
7:30 pm NOVENA

Thursday, November 21 Presentation of Virgin Mary

7:30 am † Mickey Caliendo birthday by: Dave Principe
† Rick Di Domenico by: Family
6:30 pm †

Friday, November 22**Saint Cecilia**

7:30 am † Florence Mirus by: Family
6:30 pm †

Saturday, November 23**Weekday**

7:30 am †
5:30 pm †

Sunday, November 24**Our Lord Jesus Christ King**

7:45 am †
9:00am †
10:30 am † Mike Fricano by: Sister Giuseppe Barone by: Wife
12:00 pm † Rena & Felice Fornaro by: Daughter Connie
1:30 pm †
5:00 pm †



From the Pastor's Desk

XXXIII SUNDAY O.T. & THIRD WORLD DAY OF THE POOR with the theme: "The hope of the poor shall not perish forever".

For the third time we conclude the liturgical year with a feast dedicated to create awareness on the reality of poverty in the world and around us. Pope Francis sends us his message, *part one*. "The hope of the poor will not perish forever". These words of the Psalm 9 remain timely. They express a profound truth that faith impresses above all on the hearts of the poor, restoring lost hope in the face of injustice, sufferings and the uncertainties of life. The Psalmist describes the condition of the poor and the arrogance of those who oppress them. He invokes God's judgment to restore justice and overcome evil. In his words, we hear an echo of age-old questions. **How can God tolerate this disparity? How can he let the poor be humiliated without coming to their aid? Why does he allow oppressors to prosper instead of condemning their conduct, especially in the light of the sufferings of the poor?**

It was a time when arrogant and ungodly people hounded the poor, seeking to take possession even of what little they had, and to reduce them to bondage. The situation is not much different today. The economic crisis has not prevented large groups of people from accumulating fortunes that often appear all the more incongruous when, in the streets of our cities, we daily encounter great numbers of the poor who lack the bare necessities of life and are at times harassed and exploited. The words of Book of Revelation come to mind: "**You say, I am rich, I have prospered, and I need nothing. You do not realize that you are wretched, pitiable, poor, blind and naked**" (*Rev 3:17*). The centuries pass, but the condition of rich and poor remains constant, as if history has taught us nothing. The words of the Psalm, then, are not about the past, but about our present, as it stands before God's judgement.

Today too, we must acknowledge many new forms of bondage that enslave millions of men, women, young people and children. Daily we encounter *families* forced to leave their homeland to seek a living elsewhere; *orphans* who have lost their parents or were violently torn from them by brutal means of exploitation; *young people* seeking professional fulfilment but prevented from employment by shortsighted economic policies; *victims* of different kinds of violence, ranging from prostitution to the narcotics trade, and profoundly demeaned. **How can we overlook, too, the millions of immigrants who fall victim to any number of concealed interests, often exploited for political advantage, and are refused solidarity and equality?** And all the *homeless* and ostracized persons who roam the streets of our cities?

To make matters worse, they can see no end to the tunnel of extreme poverty. Forced to work endless hours under a burning sun to gather seasonal fruits, they receive ridiculously low pay. They labour in unsafe and inhuman conditions that prevent them from feeling on a par with others. However, in Sacred Scripture we find that God's action in favor of the poor is always of "listening", "intervention", "protection", "defense", "redemption", "salvation"... In short, the poor will never find God indifferent or silent before their prayer. God is he who does justice and does not forget; In fact, it is a refuge for them and he continues to come to their aid, rescue and shelter.



**Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish and Shrine
Altar & Rosary Society
Is sponsoring an
Advent Evening of Recollection**

Father Ed Shea OFM

Franciscan Father Ed Shea is the third of eight children from St. Giles Parish in Oak Park. A 1974 graduate of Fenwick High School and a 1978 graduate of the University of Notre Dame, Father Shea joined the Franciscans in 1980 and was ordained a priest in 1987.

Father Ed has spent most of his priesthood in parish work, including four years as the priest-presider for the St. Giles Family Mass Community in Oak Park. He was pastor of a church in Joliet and St. Joseph Parish in Chicago. Father Ed is currently stationed at St. Peter's Church in downtown Chicago. During the past several years he has done a good deal of itinerant preaching in the Chicago area and beyond. He is a Franciscan priest who loves to sing and tell stories; more than anything he thrives on celebrating the sacraments of the church. A true follower of St. Francis, Father Ed finds reasons to rejoice often in the goodness of God's presence in our world.

Tuesday, December 10, 2019
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Gym
22nd Avenue and Cortez, Melrose Park, Illinois

MASS: 6:00 PM followed by dinner and reflection from Father Ed
\$15.00 donation

For tickets or more information contact an Altar & Rosary member or
call the Rectory at 708-344-4140

**HUMAN DEVELOPMENT ANNUAL
COLLECTION**

Next week, our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. More than 46 million people in the United States live in poverty today.

This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address obstacles as they work to make permanent and positive changes for their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd/ collection.



Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Join Cub Scout Pack 27

Meet at the gym on corner of 22nd and Cortez,
Melrose Park, IL.

At 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Next meetings are on 11/15/19, 12/6/19, and 12/20/19.

Activities, games, outings, camping, community services, fun and more

If you have any questions, contact Bertha Guzman at
708-663-9108/ begu194@hotmail.com.

**Please Support our FOOD PANTRY using
the Thanksgiving Envelope:**

This past year your help enabled Food Pantry to help 2516 families of our community to secure necessary nourishment for their family to live normal healthy lives. While we cannot supply 100% of their needs, we provide a shopping experience which allows them to supplement the nourishment needs they are unable to purchase on their own. This includes canned staples (a variety of beans, vegetables, fruit, and various protein products), fresh produce and dairy (cheese, yogurt, milk) eggs, juice, cereal, bread as well as meat, poultry and fish. With the financial support of parishioners and personal donations we distributed well over 125,000 pounds of food stuffs this past year.

We thank so many people who participate in this ongoing endeavor to help families of our community who are food insecure. We are grateful for the support we receive from the clergy, employees and parishioners of our parish. We are especially thankful for all the volunteers, adults and school age girls and boys, who give up their time weekly to assist in the distribution of groceries to our clients. Please take time to view the poster in back of church highlighting the Our Lady of Mount Carmel Food Pantry. We are open every Wednesday from 3:30 to 5:30PM.



Del Escritorio del Párroco

XXXIII DOMINGO T.O. & III JORNADA MUNDIAL DE LOS POBRES con el tema: “La esperanza de los pobres nunca se frustrará”. Por tercera vez concluimos el año litúrgico con una fiesta dedicada a concientizarnos sobre el drama de la pobreza que atañe al mundo entero y muchos de nuestros vecinos. Escribe Papa Francisco en su mensaje: “La esperanza de los pobres nunca se frustrará”. Las palabras del salmo 9 se presentan con una actualidad increíble. Ellas expresan una verdad profunda que la fe logra imprimir sobre todo en el corazón de los más pobres: devolver la esperanza perdida a causa de la injusticia, el sufrimiento y la precariedad de la vida. El salmista describe la condición del pobre y la arrogancia del que lo opreme; invoca el juicio de Dios para que se restablezca la justicia y se supere la iniquidad. Es como si en sus palabras

volviese de nuevo la pregunta que se ha repetido a lo largo de los siglos hasta nuestros días: **¿cómo puede Dios tolerar esta disparidad? ¿Cómo puede permitir que el pobre sea humillado, sin intervenir para ayudarlo? ¿Por qué permite que quien opreme tenga una vida feliz mientras su comportamiento debería ser condenado precisamente ante el sufrimiento del pobre?** Era una época en la que la gente arrogante y sin ningún sentido de Dios perseguía a los pobres para apoderarse incluso de lo poco que tenían y reducirlos a la esclavitud. Hoy no es muy diferente. La crisis económica no ha impedido a muchos grupos de personas un enriquecimiento que con frecuencia aparece aún más anómalo si vemos en las calles de nuestras ciudades el ingente número de pobres que carecen de lo necesario y que en ocasiones son además maltratados y explotados. Vuelven a la mente las palabras del Apocalipsis: **“Tú dices: soy rico, me he enriquecido; y no tengo necesidad de nada; y no sabes que tú eres desgraciado, digno de lástima, ciego y desnudo”** (Ap 3,17). Pasan los siglos, pero la condición de ricos y pobres se mantiene inalterada, como si la experiencia de la historia no nos hubiera enseñado nada. Las palabras del salmo, por lo tanto, no se refieren al pasado, sino a nuestro presente, expuesto al juicio de Dios. También hoy debemos nombrar las numerosas formas de nuevas esclavitudes a las que están sometidos millones de hombres, mujeres, jóvenes y niños. Todos los días nos encontramos con familias que se ven obligadas a abandonar su tierra para buscar formas de subsistencia en otros lugares; huérfanos que han perdido a sus padres o que han sido separados violentamente de ellos a causa de una brutal explotación; jóvenes en busca de una realización profesional a los que se les impide el acceso al trabajo a causa de políticas económicas miopes; víctimas de tantas formas de violencia, desde la prostitución hasta las drogas, y humilladas en lo más profundo de su ser. **¿Cómo olvidar, además, a los millones de inmigrantes víctimas de tantos intereses ocultos, tan a menudo instrumentalizados con fines políticos, a los que se les niega la solidaridad y la igualdad? ¿Y qué decir de las numerosas personas marginadas y sin hogar que deambulan por las calles de nuestras ciudades?** Para aumentar el drama, no se les permite ver el final del túnel de la miseria. Se ven obligados a trabajar horas interminables bajo el sol abrasador para cosechar los frutos de la estación, pero se les recompensa con una paga irrisoria; no tienen seguridad en el trabajo ni condiciones humanas que les permitan sentirse iguales a los demás. Sin embargo, en la Sagrada Escritura encontramos que la acción de Dios en favor de los pobres es siempre de “escucha”, “intervención”, “protección”, “defensa”, “redención”, “salvación” ... En definitiva, el pobre nunca encontrará a Dios indiferente o silencioso ante su oración. Dios es aquel que hace justicia y no olvida; de hecho, es para él un refugio y no deja de acudir en su ayuda y amparo.

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**FIESTA DE GUADALUPE**

La Virgen Peregrina sigue visitando nuestras familias e intercediendo por todas nuestras necesidades.

Los invitamos a marcar el calendario para acompañarnos los días de la **NOVENA a las 7:00PM los días del martes 3 al 11 de diciembre.**

Comenzamos las festividades el

Martes 11 de diciembre con el siguiente programa:

10:00PM – Serenada con Mariachi

11:00PM – Santa Misa Solemne

12:00AM – Serenata con Banda

Tiempo de oración personal

4:00AM – Mañanita a la Virgen con Mariachi

5:00AM – Misa Solemne en Honor a la Virgen

6:00AM – Menudo de fraternidad Y Rifa

7:00PM - Misa en honor a la Virgen



Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Registre con los Cub Scouts 27

Nos vemos en el gym en la esquina de 22nd y Cortez, Melrose Park, IL.

A las 7:00pm - 8:30 pm

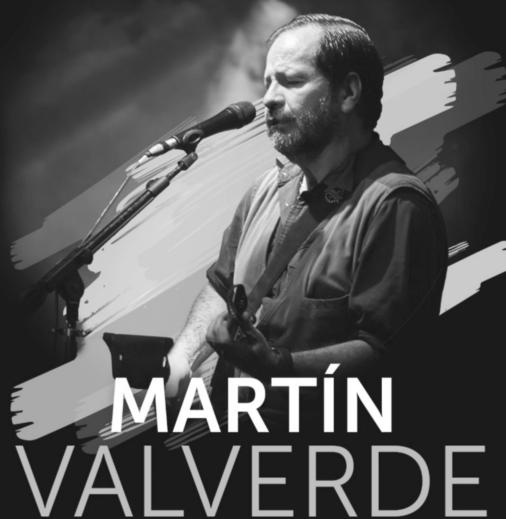
Las siguientes juntas son 11/15/19, 12/6/19, y 12/20/19.

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Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano

Nuestra colecta especial la próxima semana apoyará a la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano. Más de 46 millones de personas en los Estados Unidos hoy viven en pobreza. Esta colecta financia programas que empoderan a las personas para identificar y tratar con los obstáculos mientras que trabajan para hacer cambios positivos y permanentes en sus comunidades.

Aprenda más acerca de la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano en www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

RETIRO DE SERVIDORES Y CATEQUISTAS

Los invitamos a todos a reservar el día **30 de noviembre de 10:00am-8:00pm** para un día de reflexión sobre el encuentro con Dios, con los demás y con sigo mismo.

Los esperamos!



Fr. Feccia's Reflection

Trentatreesima Domenica e penultima del Ciclo "C" del T.O.— Come gli altri due sinottici (sulla fine) anche Luca sostanzialmente segue la linea di Marco anche Luca. La novità dell'edizione di Luca, rispetto al testo di Marco, di cui Luca segue sostanzialmente la linea di Marco, Matteo, anche Luca conclude l'attività di Gesù a Gerusalemme prima

dell'arresto con il discorso sulla fine, con due notevoli varianti: la storicizzazione e la dimensione ecclesiale, cioè la visione della storia nella quale sviluppa in tappe successive il progetto di salvezza, visione della storia per l'articolazione del piano della salvezza, La prima risponde alla sensibilità del terzo evangelista, visione della storia nella quale sviluppa in tre tappe il messaggio di salvezza: Prima il giudizio su Gerusalemme, poi il tempo della Chiesa, e infine la venuta del figlio dell'uomo con la piena manifestazione della storia salvifica. Luca può inserire molti dettagli prima di giungere a Gerusalemme.

Questo è il tempo della testimonianza. Quando Luca scrive queste esortazioni alla testimonianza coraggiosa e alla perseveranza, ha presente la testimonianza degli Atti degli Apostoli: la testimonianza franca di Stefano, il martirio di Giacomo, di Pietro e Giovanni. Egli sa per esperienza diretta che questi cristiani hanno conseguito lo stesso fine di Cristo e dei primi cristiani, deve animare ora la testimonianza che hanno alle spalle questi testimoni della prima generazione Cristiana Essi sono rivolti alla fine, cioè speranza con la venuta del figlio dell'uomo, il Signore risorto nello splendore della sua Gloria.

Per parlare di questo futuro e dei tempi premonitori, l'evangelista Luca ricorre a immagini stereotipe che i profeti hanno annunciato dell'arrivo del tempo di Dio: Due infatti nello schema profetico fu annunciato: dopo la rovina della distruzione di Gerusalemme, proclama il giudizio su Israele; verrà poi il sul popolo in una cornice di sconvolgimenti cosmici: il cielo e la terra: allora Dio viene per salvare il resto, di quelli che sono rimasti fedeli. Il vangelo riprende questo tema per sostenere la speranza Cristiana e incoraggiare coloro dei cristiani che hanno perduta la fiducia nell'venuta del Signore, in mezzo alle persecuzioni: Quando viene il Signore a librarcì; ma anche per incoraggiare gli indifferenti, coloro che hanno perduta ogni speranza del suo ritorno.

I cristiani devono guardare alla storia e ai segni che Dio ci manda, e che annunciano fin da ora il passaggio dalla morte alla vita, dalla schiavitù alla libertà per coloro che hanno una coscienza congelata. Nel presente discorso cristiano sul figlio dell'uomo, su Gesù il Signore risorto, l'uomo della fine, della morte verrà con gli ultimi della terra, per dare a tutti un futuro nuovo e diverso. Il messaggio del Vangelo di oggi ci invita alla vigilanza, alla perseveranza, e alla preghiera



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

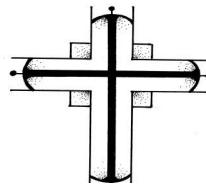
Linda Bandy	Robert J. Villa
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Judith Escamilla	Margarito Flores
Jacob Duda	Guadalupe Rico
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Anna Baffa	Rosa Castro
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Marie Torchia	Richard Baffa
Kelly Ann Haymaker	MaryAnn Maloberti
Macy Grace Giacone	Julia Valles
Josephine Grasso	Margaret Cercone
Conny Rico	
John Sepka	

Upcoming Events

Thursday, November 28th
+9:00am Thanksgiving Mass

Friday, November 29th
+6:00pm Martin Valverde
Concert

Saturday, November 30th
+10:00am Retiro de servidores



Rest In Peace

†Ernesto Alvarado
†Giuseppe Risolvo
†Jesus Lopez

November 9 -November 10, 2019

Regular Sunday Collection: \$6,565 .00

Thank You

THIRD SUNDAY COMMUNAL MASS CELEBRATION: November 2019 + MASSES REQUESTED DURING OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL 2019 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, November 16 5:30 p.m. Mass	Sunday, November 17 7:45 a.m. Mass	Sunday, November 17 10:30 a.m. Mass	Sunday, November 17 12:00 a.m. Mass
Therese and Don Johnson Mary and Stanley Usellis Nudo Family Mazzei Family	Mazza, Scopelliti, and Calabrese Families Carol Zibuna Perri Family Dagostino Family	Theresa Demasi Mary and Dominic Salerno Antonio e Carmela Ferraguolo Adam Nicodemo Frank and Matthew Cozzi Frank M Fazio Sr. Christopher and Christine Mennella Sally Ostrelzo	Jose and Ana Herrero Bulnes Felix DeVivo Ramiro Garcia Mary and Jesus Intentions Kaner and Haugh Family and Friends

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