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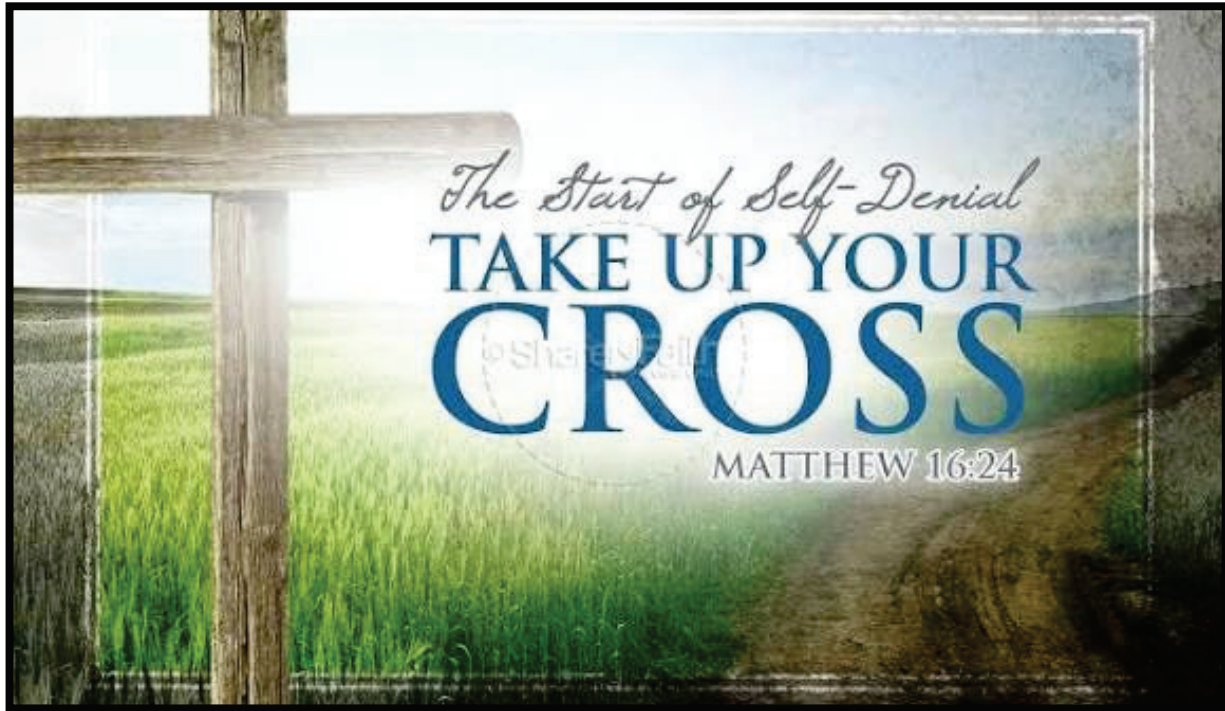
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August 30



2026



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WELCOME TO OUR LADY
OF MT. CARMEL CHURCH

Parish Mission Statement

We the 'Ohana of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church stand united as a committed multicultural parish in prayer and faith; with the power of the Holy Spirit, and the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary; to evangelize in the service of God, by sharing the good news of our Lord Jesus Christ in our words and actions with the hope of eternal salvation for all.



'Aukake August

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

SUNDAY (Lāpule), AUGUST 30

- 7:30a—Mass
- 10:00a—Mass
- 11:30a—Counters count \$\$\$

***Have a Blessed Sunday
& Week Ahead!***

MONDAY (Pō'akahi), Aug. 31

- Gas Company refill between 7a—2p

TUESDAY (Pō'aluā), Sept. 1

- 8:00a—Morning Mass

WEDNESDAY (Pō'akolu) Sept. 2

- 8:00a—Morning Mass
- 10:00a—9-1-1 Foodbank

THURSDAY (Pōahā), Sept. 3

- 8:00a—Morning Mass

FRIDAY (Pōalima), Sept. 4

- 8:00a—Morning Mass
- 9:00a—Eucharistic Adoration
- Homebound visits
- 9:00p—Benediction, the closing of Adoration

SATURDAY (Pō'aono), Sept. 5

- 7:00a—Morning Mass
- 4:00p—Confessions
- 5:00p—Vigil Mass



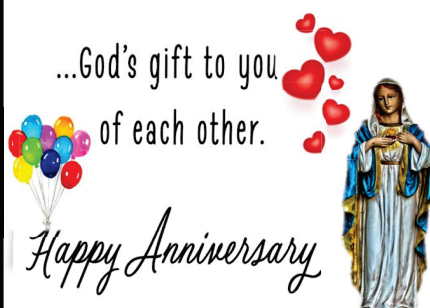
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CONGRATULATIONS!

BIRTHDAY BLESSING FOR Lilia Galicinao

**58TH WEDDING
ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS 4
M/M Harvey & Charlotte Recarte**



OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL

Parish Treasure Report

For the weekend of:

AUGUST 23-24, 2026

5:00 P.M. MASS

Building Fund...\$235.00
Parish Hall Roof...\$150.00
Tithes / Offering...\$394.00
August 15, 2026
Tithes / Offering...\$201.00
Building Fund...\$150.00
Parish Hall Roof...\$150.00

7:30 A.M. MASS

Banana Bread..\$136.00
Building Fund...\$230.00
Fellowship...\$10.00
August 16, 2026...\$20.00
Parish Hall Roof...\$30.00
Tithes / Offering...\$146.00

10:00 A.M. MASS

Building Fund...\$780.00
Tithes / Offering...\$325.00

Online/Drop/Other

Building Fund...\$300.00
*Catholic Charities....\$245.00
Funeral...\$600.00
Tithes/Offering...\$190.00

Grand total of:
\$4,292.00!

**Second Collections—monies leaving the Church.*



Thank you all for your continued and generous support to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church.



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“...deny yourself, take up your cross and follow me.”

And in the Gospel, Jesus teaches his disciples about the suffering messiah; his passion and death on the cross. And He teaches the reality of the cross in the context of **discipleship**. That is why he told his disciples: ***“If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself, take up his cross and follow me.”*** He made the necessary connection between discipleship and the cross. **No Cross, No Discipleship**. Meaning, the cross is our gate pass and membership to become followers whom Jesus calls my disciples. Saying yes to the call of discipleship implies being ready to embrace the cross, suffering, and sacrifices.

Christian discipleship is not about achieving greatness, success or status. It is our willingness to follow a way of life found in the way of the cross which ends not in death and defeat but in a new life and glory in Jesus. The cross of Jesus teaches us the paradox of following him. That We gain life by losing life. It is in dying that we truly live. It is in being last that we are first. When we learn to say no to false ways of life, we discover our true life centered on God.

Parish News



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OCIA

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

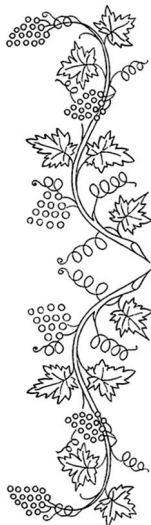
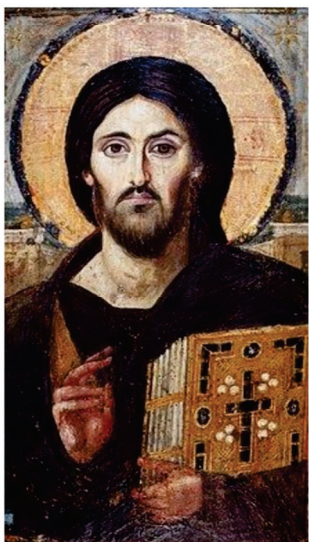
- ❖ *Thinking about becoming Catholic?*
- ❖ *Already Catholic but still have questions about your Faith?*
- ❖ *Then OCIA is perfect for you...*

Our parish OCIA process begins this Fall, and we invite anyone interested in becoming Catholic, has questions about God and the Church, or desires any of the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Holy Communion, Confirmation), to begin your faith-journey here!

All are welcome! Join us each week as we explore those deeper truths about Jesus, faith, and what living a Catholic life in these modern times is all about.

For questions or to sign up, please contact the parish office or OCIA Coordinators Steve and Lynn, at (808) 724-8101.

"Come, follow me..." Mt 19: 21



**Come to Me, all who are weary and burdened,
and I will give you rest. Mt 11:28**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



The sign up sheet is at the entrance of the Church.
The September Adoration will be held on Friday,
September 4th from 9:00a - 9:00p.



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....Parish News

You can
MAKE A DIFFERENCE

CAN YOU
HELP?

We are seeking help for the third week church cleaning ministry. Currently, and for many years, Francis Johnson has been dedicated and faithfully committed to this beautiful and worthwhile ministry. We are fortunate to have stewards of OLMC taking care of all the wonderful things we can do to “give back” and let JESUS know how much we LOVE Him!

So now, Francis has brought it to attention that he would like to step down for personal reasons.

The sooner—the better it will be for him. If you or your family can help, please call the parish office or see Francis directly and he will share with you what the duties are for preparing the Lord’s house!



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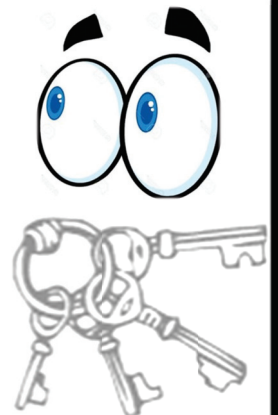
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LOST KEYS

If you see or find a set of (11) keys on a **blue** lanyard, please return to Nick or the parish office. Mahalo!



If you want to be my disciple...



What would you think if your best friend told you that you would have to die if you wanted to stay friends? In today's Gospel reading Jesus told the Apostles that if they wanted to be like Him they would have to take up their crosses and follow Him.

Jesus was teaching them that this world is a preparation for Heaven. If we make sacrifices for love of God then we will be ready for Heaven. Jesus opened the gates of Heaven to us by dying out of love for God the Father and for us. We get little crosses every day when things make us unhappy. If we offer them to God with love, they are like dying a little bit, and they prepare us for Heaven.



Sometimes we think that we need nice things or to be with fun people if we want to be happy. It's easy to forget that we will never be completely happy here. Next time you feel unhappy, remember that it's a cross that can help you get to Heaven!

Answers to Match-up: 1.D 2.C 3.E 4.B 5.G 6.A 7.F



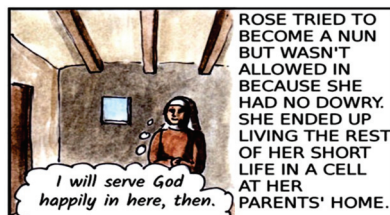
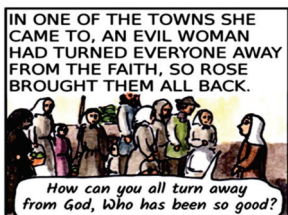
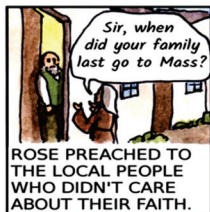
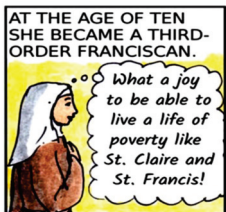
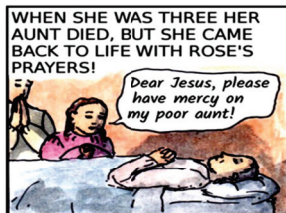
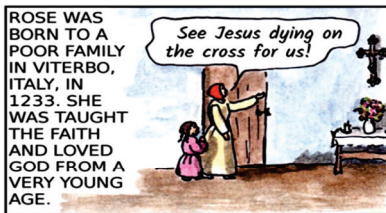
The Kids' Bulletin

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 30th, 2026



What did Jesus say that the people would have to do to be His disciples? Find your way through the maze and then use the letters from that path to fill in the blanks.

Saint Rose of Viterbo September 4



ROSE DIED WHEN SHE WAS ONLY 18. SHE HAD SPENT HER LIFE PRAYING, SACRIFICING AND PREACHING TO BRING SINNERS BACK TO GOD. ONCE THE SUFFERING JESUS HAD APPEARED TO HER, AND SHE RESOLVED TO TRY TO MAKE UP FOR THE SINS THAT HURT HIM. WHAT WILL YOU DO FOR JESUS TODAY?

thekidsbulletin@gmail.com

"Take up Your Cross" Match-up

Jesus began to tell the disciples that He would have to suffer and be killed. How did the disciples react? What did Jesus say then?

Connect the phrases on the left with the ones that follow on the right.

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| 1. Peter said, "God forbid, Lord!" | A. will find it. |
| 2. Jesus said, "Get behind me, Satan!" | B. take up his cross and follow me." |
| 3. You are not thinking as God does | C. You are an obstacle to me. |
| 4. Whoever wishes to come after me | D. No such thing shall ever happen to You!" |
| 5. Whoever wishes to save his life | E. but as human beings do." |
| 6. and whoever loses his life for my sake | F. whole world and forfeit his life? |
| 7. For what profit would there be | G. will lose it |



Church Directory

- Accountant / Bookkeeper Francis Daquiao
- Altar CareAdele Johnasen
- Altar EnvironmentCharlotte Recarte, Marianne & Francis Johnson, Betty Kam, Kelly Ann Chun, and Roxanne Dumadag. Note: Christmas is led by Czarina Salas, assisted by Charlotte Recarte
- Altar Servers...*Keiki's*: Pangilinan, Zayden & Maraesa Salas, Josiah & Xavier Pupiales, *Youth & YA*: Damian Mendez, Hammah Salas, Ryden Mendez...*Adults*: Steve Ziadie, Greg Leong, Josh Carson & Harvey Recarte
- Bathrooms (Sts. Damien & Marianne Hall)Harvey & Charlotte Recarte
- Bereavement....Betty Lou Kam, Charles & Pacita Woodward, Charlotte & Harvey Recarte, Jimmy Muneoka, Lucy Salas, and Nick Cambra (Facilities and Grounds)
- Building & Maintenance.....Nick Cambra, Larry Lopez, Harvey Recarte, Cliff Rawlins, Colin Lau, Josh Pokipala, Keone Souza, and Rina Salas
- Church Cleaners(1) Youth & Young Adult Ministry (Czarina, Damian, Hannah, Lucy, Melody, Nadine, RJ, Ryden, and Winnie), (2) Betty Lou Kam and the Pangilinan family, (3) Francis Johnson, (4) Grannette & Rick Pulliam, (5) Boi & Roxanne Dumadag--*The numbers indicate the week the ministry for cleaning. **Once a month cleaning of the Tabernacle...Chad Murray.
- CountersBetty Kam, Charles Woodward, Charlotte Recarte, Francis Johnson, Lori Whitfield, Pacita Woodward, Pua Kamaka, and Troy Euclide
- Eucharistic RevivalFr. Leo, Betty Kam, Francis & Maryanne Johnson, Harvey & Charlotte Recarte
- Fellowship Hours Charles & Pacita Woodward, Garrison & Pua Kamaka, and Nick & Noella Cambra
- Finance CouncilFr. Leo, Charles Woodward, Charlotte Recarte, Francis Daquiao, Jimmy Muneoka, Noella Cambra, Lucy Salas
- Flowers Betty Lou Kam ... Gardeners: Nick Cambra and Larry Lopez Sr.
- FoodbankNick & Noella Cambra, Pua Kamaka, Francis Johnson, Carol Valant, Colleen Rawlins, Ramon Mendoza
- FundraisingFr. Leo, Josh Pokipala, Claudia Pokipala, Nick Cambra, and the Finance Council
- Godly Women Czarina Salas, Lyn Ziadie, and Lucy Salas
- GroundsColin Lau, Honua Wai LLC, Joshua & Co. , Larry Lopez Sr., Nick Cambra
- LectorsBetty Lou Kam, Charlotte Recarte, Damian Mendez, Edward Martin, Greg Leong, Hammah Salas, Hannah Salas, Kelley Ann Chun , Chad Murray, Keoni Souza, Lucy Salas, Madeline Pupiales, Melody Rapusas, Nadine Rapusas, Natasha Salas, Pacita Woodward, Roxanne Dumadag, Rudy Zimbira, Sarah Dumadag, Stephanie Domingo, Troy Euclide, Zoey Suga
- Music Directors...and Mahalo to all who serve this wonderful ministry!
 - ⇒ Saturday VigilJimmy Muneoka
 - ⇒ 7:30amLucy Salas
 - ⇒ 10:00amDanita / Boi Dumadag
- OCIASteve & Lyn Ziadie
- Pastoral CouncilFr. Leo, Nick Cambra, Julyne Padeken, Colleen & Cliff Rawlins, Justice Salas, Keone Souza, Josh & Claudia Pokipala, Debra Myers, Maryanne Johnson, Steve Ziadie
- Photographers....Jimmy Muneoka, Renz "RJ" Balbas, Ryden Mendez, Hammah Salas, Melody Rapusas
- Religious Ed (Faith Formation).....Lucy Salas, Hannah Salas Welch-Ornellas, Nadine Rapusas, Melody Rapusas, Pacita Woodward, Winnie Salas, Justice Salas (sub)
- Respect LifeSteve & Lyn Ziadie, Maryanne & Francis Johnson, Lori Whitfield
- Sacristans.....Harvey Recarte, Troy Euclide, Tony Kinney, Betty Lou Kam
- Ushers.....Betty Kam, Charles Woodward, Charlotte Recarte, Nick Cambra, Pua Kamaka, Tony Kinney
- Website.....Damian Mendez, assisted by Lucy Salas
- Youth & Young Adults CORE team.....Czarina Salas, Damian Mendez, Hannah Salas Welch-Ornellas, Janine Maurera, Katrina Comeau, Lucy Salas, Melody Rapusas, Nadine Rapusas, Renz Balbas, Winnie Salas



*SCHOLA - Steve Ziadie

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