



Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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A parish of the Archdiocese of Denver, CO served by the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter (FSSP) dedicated to the Traditional Latin Mass and Sacraments according to the 1962 Missal of Pope St. John XXIII.

Second Sunday after Easter

April 23, 2023

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SUNDAY LOW MASS
6:30 AM | 8:00 AM | 9:30 AM | 1:00 PM

SUNDAY HIGH MASS
11:00 AM

DAILY MASS
8:30 AM MON - SAT
Also 7:00 PM FRI

CONFESSIONS
30 MINUTES BEFORE EACH MASS
SAT: 8 - 9:30 AM
SAT: 3 - 4 PM

DAILY MASS
6:30 AM SUN - SAT
Carmelite Monastery
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Ego sum pastor bonus.

From the Pastor/Press

[The BBC Interview Musk about Twitter](#)

Mr Musk refused to accept there was more hateful content on the platform since he took over. Speaking to the BBC earlier this year, some Twitter insiders have argued that the company is no longer able to protect users from trolling, state-coordinated disinformation and child sexual exploitation, following lay-offs and changes under owner Mr Musk... In order to assess Mr Musk's claims fully you'd need two things which we don't have at present - access to Twitter's data before and after his takeover and, crucially, a clear understanding of how he defines misinformation and hate speech. (1) There is no blanket definition of hate speech under American law, which is generally much more permissive

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than other countries because of the first amendment to the US Constitution... "My experience is there is less misinformation rather than more," he told our reporter. Some outside experts disagree. A study from Newsguard which tracks online misinformation - and there are quite a few other studies along the same lines - found that engagement with popular, misinformation-spreading accounts spiked after Mr Musk's takeover. (2) In the week following his acquisition of Twitter, the most popular, untrustworthy accounts (3) enjoyed an almost 60% increase in engagement in the form of likes and retweets, according to the survey. The BBC has also independently analysed more than 1,000 previously-banned accounts that had been let back on Twitter after Mr Musk's takeover, and found that since being reinstated, over a third of them had spread abuse or misinformation. (4) This included false anti-vax claims, misogyny and anti-LGBT rhetoric, and the denial of the 2020 US election result. (5, 6)

1. Misinformation is a narrative contrary to reality.
2. Notice that the BBC laments that Musk doesn't define misinformation, but it doesn't define it either.
3. Presumably "untrustworthy accounts" are those spreading "misinformation," whatever that might be.
4. We still don't know what abuse or misinformation is.
5. But now we do... Misinformation is whatever the BBC says it is, whatever is contrary to the narrative as opposed to whatever is contrary to reality. It's not stated, but it's a reasonable assumption in the context, that misogyny includes "trans-women," so that misogyny includes (is?) transphobia. ["is" because it is real women who are most oppressed by this insanity: fake misogyny is opposing fake women; real misogyny is opposing real women which the partisans of the "trans" movement do - just ask JK Rowling.]
6. At the end of the article, we are comfortingly reassured that that the report was in part authored by the "Reality Check" team. Seriously - you can't make this stuff up!

More Insanity

A Catholic priest in the United Kingdom has been accused of blasphemy and is taking legal action to seek redress. His crime is to have suggested that someone might consider the opinion of God regarding the morality of homosexual unions... Pullicino was approached by a patient for advice. The patient then volunteered the information that he was a homosexual and sought the priest's opinion on his intention to "marry" another man. "What do you think God would say to you about this?" came the reply, which Pullicino insists led to his dismissal shortly afterwards, in January of 2020. The case would appear to be tenuous, were it not for the values of the parallel reality in which so many are obliged to operate being clearly underlined; to wit, an National Health Service executive said of the case that "equality and diversity takes precedence over religious beliefs." (1)

1. That is, equality and diversity take precedence over reality/God.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, APRIL 23

Second Sunday after Easter

- 6:30 am Miguel Sanchez Servin+ by Benita Sanchez
- 8:00 am Celebrant's Intention
- 9:30 am Patrick Ramirez, III+ by Krystal O'Connell
- 11:00 am (High Mass)** Pro Populo
- 1:00 pm John Brent+
- 5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

MONDAY, APRIL 24

St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Martyr

- 8:30 am Patrick Ramirez, III+ by Krystal O'Connell

TUESDAY, APRIL 25

St. Mark, Evangelist

- 8:30 am (High Mass)** Sean WenLock+
by Greg Garcia and Family

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

Sts. Cletus and Marcellinus, Popes and Martyrs

- 8:30 am Fr. Matthew McCarthy, FSSP - in thanksgiving
by Mike and Joanne Leary

THURSDAY, APRIL 27

St. Peter Canisius, Doctor

- 8:30 am All who gave for their meal train
by Mike and Joanne Leary

FRIDAY, APRIL 28

St. Paul of the Cross, Confessor

- 8:30 am Liz Holland by Mike and Joanne Leary
- 7:00 pm Special Intention by Soledad Fedor

SATURDAY, APRIL 29

St. Peter, Martyr

- 8:30 am Special Intention by Chris Poletto

SUNDAY, APRIL 30

Third Sunday after Easter

- 6:30 am Special Intention by Soledad Fedor
- 8:00 am Celebrant's Intention
- 9:30 am Bernadette Tilden by The Reagan Family
- 11:00 am (High Mass)** Pro Populo
- 1:00 pm Celebrant's Intention
- 5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

Fr. Krager's Private Intentions

- 24: Luis Guillermo Quintero+ by Judith Villanueva
- 25: Raul Rodriguez+ by Maria de Jesus Valez
- 26: Fr. Daniel Nolan, FSSP and Fr. Daniel Kluge
by Mike and Joanne Leary
- 27: Judith Raykovich by Mike and Joanne Leary
- 29: Special Intention by Soledad Fedor

To request a Mass, please fill out a Mass intention offering envelope and put it in the drop box outside of the parish office or mail in a request.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Archbishop Aquila's Annual Appeal for charitable causes presently is in progress. Envelopes are available in the vestibule.

This Sat, Apr 29 - Montessori Academy Open House: An authentic Montessori school founded on the Byzantine Catholic faith for preK-3rd grade is now enrolling. Come ask questions, learn about financial aid, and our upcoming move and elementary expansion. Sign up for a 20 min visit at 2626 East Louisiana Ave @ <https://linktr.ee/sophiama>

Next Sun, Apr 30: Burrito Breakfast provided by the K of C. Proceeds raised will go towards helping fund the charter bus going to the 3 Hearts Pilgrimage.

Sat, May 6 - May Crowning in honor of Our Lady. There will be an 8:30am high Mass, followed by a Marian procession, and a light breakfast provided by the church. All parishioners are encouraged to attend and dress in their Sunday best.

Sat, May 6 - Prayer in the Square at St. Mary's in Littleton at 10am. We will pray the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet for God's love, mercy and peace - for the sanctity of human life and for an end to the persecutions of Christians worldwide.

Sat, May 20 - Irish Ceili from 6-8:30pm at OLMC. This is an Irish music and dance party for the whole family! Tickets: \$10 for adults, \$5 for 6-18 and 60+, 6 & under free, \$40 family cap. Please RSVP using the QR code by May 16th. For questions, contact johannaconder@yahoo.com.



Aug 25-26 - Return to Tradition 2nd Annual Women's Conference: Save the Date - Hosted at OLMC, registration open in May. Speakers include Diane Montagna, Roy Shoeman, Fr. Nolan, and others. There will even be a fashion show! Visit restoretradition.com

Nov 25-Dec 6 - Holy Land TLM Pilgrimage with Dr. Peter Kwasniewski: To participate in the pilgrimage, you must attend a webinar: dates are Thu, Apr 27 at 6pm and Mon, May 22 at 6pm. There is a \$200 discount for those who register early. Visit reginamagazine.org to find out more.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mother's Day Craft Fair

Sun, May 7 after all Sunday Masses. Table vendors needed! Purchase the perfect gift to celebrate a mom you know or to give to a child receiving their first sacraments. Support both parishioner-owned businesses and help fundraise for the bus that will take the OLMC chapter to the 3 Hearts Pilgrimage.

FOCUS is Hiring: The Fellowship of Catholic University Students is looking for an Office Manager, IT Support Specialist, Staff Accountant, and more at their Support Center Office in Golden. This is your opportunity to use your expertise in a mission setting. Visit tinyurl.com/focusjob for full job descriptions and applications.

OLMC Online Parish Calendar is available via the website or the code to the right. Please check there for upcoming events.



DAILY PRAYER LINE REQUESTS

Contact Jane Brennan: jmbrennan555@gmail.com

Please Pray for the Sick

Martin Radocha, Michael Johnson, Florentia Knoell, David Williamson, Lane Reagan, Joanne Leary, Jamie Jimenez, Kim Poletto, Marge Heithoff

Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of

Marles Nicholls, Shirley Oxforth, Tom Crum, Bryan Dobak, Emily, Ruth Mullarkey, Alexis Daly, Sarah Grant, Margot Heithoff, Mary Vickers, Addis McCarthy

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers this Sunday are for Dianne Palaschak, donated by the Palaschak Family.

HOMEBOUND

Any parishioner confined to home who would like to receive the sacraments or the bulletin, please contact the parish office.

Electronic Giving via Faith Direct



Can You Fill in the
Blanks?

I am the good
_____. The good
shepherd giveth his
_____ for his sheep.

But the hireling and he
that is not the
_____, whose own
the sheep are not, seeth
the _____ coming and

leaveth the sheep and flieth: and the wolf casteth and scattereth
the sheep,

And the hireling flieth, because he is a hireling: and he hath no
care for the _____.

I am the _____ shepherd: and I know mine, and mine know me.

As the Father knoweth me, and I know the Father: and I lay
down my _____ for my sheep.

