



Carmel Mission Basilica
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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, July 25, 2021



FR. PAUL'S WEEKLY LETTER

Dear Friend of Carmel Mission,

Today's Gospel recounts one of Jesus' most famous miracles, the multiplication of the loaves and fishes. It is the beginning of what is called the "Bread of Life discourse", in which Jesus reveals that He is the bread of life, that will be broken for all so that no one will ever hunger again. Jesus uses what is at hand, however inadequate, to feed the hungry. At the time, the disciples were the flawed and inadequate tools Jesus would use to build His Church and spread the Good News. Today it is us, His followers, who, despite our own failings, are Jesus' eyes and hands in the world. Many lessons to be found in a single miracle, but what strikes me the most today is the example of God's abundance.

Jesus could have made the loaves and fishes be the perfect amount for the five thousand that were gathered, so that each person had exactly what they needed and there was no surplus. Instead, Jesus has the left overs taken up and the excess fills twelve baskets. Jesus is not just all that we need, Jesus is more than we need. As we deepen the practice of our faith, it can be easy to focus on the rules and the rubrics. We may lose sight of the fact that God's mercy and God's love is vaster than we can imagine. It is natural to anthropomorphize God, to assign to God our human ideas of capacity. God's laws exist to guide us towards a more perfect union with God, and to shape our interactions with one another. God's laws do not constrain God, they give God the freedom to be God. They also clearly point us in God's direction and offer us the freedom that God desires for us.

God's prevailing aspect is mercy, and God's guiding principle is love. It is an overwhelming tidal wave of mercy and love that can cover any situation we can imagine, and many we cannot. In creating such abundance in the miracle of the loaves and fishes Jesus is encouraging us to relax and trust in His providence. This week I invite you to join me in doing just that, and in giving thanks for God's abundance.

I wish you and your loved ones continued blessing of good health, new hope and abundant peace,

Fr. Paul



PARISH ADVISORY

New Mass Schedule!

We are excited to bring back our Saturday Vigil Mass and Daily Masses.

Saturday Vigil Mass

5:30 pm - Indoor Mass in the Basilica

Sunday Masses

9:00 am - Indoor Mass with outdoor overflow in the Central Courtyard.

11:00 am - Outdoor Mass in the Central Courtyard (No Basilica seating).

Daily Masses — Wednesday & Friday

12:00 pm - Indoor Mass in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Mass Parking

Our Office lot opens 30 minutes prior to each Mass. Overflow parking is available in our Front Lot and out Murphy Lot.

We ask that everyone promptly returns to their vehicles at the end of Mass so that we may accommodate for the following Mass or activity.

Accessible Parking

We have a limited number of ADA spots. If you or anyone in your party has accessibility needs, please be sure to arrive early so that you may find a spot in our Office lot.

In the event that Office lot is full and you would like to drop off your party, please speak with our staff directing traffic; you will be allowed in to drop off your party.





LITURGY

The Altar Flowers are given today in honor of Justin Burke, on the occasion of his birthday, by a grateful Carmel Mission Community.

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,

I believe that You are present in
the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,

come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

Altar Flowers Opportunity



As we have been live streaming the Mass and providing other videos of the Mission and its grounds, we have received so much positive feedback from our community on the features of the flowers in our beautiful Mission gardens. The beauty of nature is a concrete reminder of the beauty of God, in whose image we are made. When we enjoy beautiful flowers, plants and trees we are celebrating the God's gift of the natural world.

We are so happy to continue the beauty of altar flowers at our Masses each week. We invite you to consider sponsoring a bouquet for \$90 in memory or honor of a loved one, to celebrate a birthday or anniversary or in thanksgiving to God.

The altar flowers will be a part of our live streamed Mass as well as our outdoor Mass each Sunday and your dedication will be included in our weekly e-bulletin.

Please contact Laura at liturgy@carmelmission.org for more information and to schedule your gift.

Thank you so much for your generosity and for helping to ensure that these symbols of beauty and life are part of our weekly celebrations.

Today's Readings: Sunday, July 25

First Reading "Give it to the people to eat." ... "For thus says the LORD, 'They shall eat and there shall be some left over.'" (2 Kgs 4:42-44)

Psalm The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.
(Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18)

Second Reading I urge you to live in a manner worthy of the call you have received with all humility and gentleness, with patience,.. (Eph 4:1-6)

Gospel "Gather the fragments left over, so that nothing will be wasted." (Jn 6:1-15)

Readings for the Week

Monday, July 26

EX 32:15-24, 30-34
PS 106:19-20, 21-22, 23
MT 13:31-35

Tuesday, July 27

EX 33:7-11; 34:5B-9, 28
PS 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13
MT 13:36-43

Wednesday, July 28

EX 34:29-35
PS 99:5, 6, 7, 9
MT 13:44-46

Thursday, July 29

EX 40:16-21, 34-38
PS 84:3, 4, 5-6A AND 8A, 11
JN 11:19-27

Friday, July 30

LV 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34B-37
PS 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11AB
MT 13:54-58

Saturday, July 31

LV 25:1, 8-17
PS 67:2-3, 5, 7-8
MT 14:1-12

Sunday, August 1

EX 16:2-4, 12-15
PS 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54
EPH 4:17, 20-24
JN 6:24-35

Scripture Message

The wedding at Cana was Jesus' first miracle, but the one that is re-told in the Gospel today, the loaves and the fishes, is arguably His most well-known miracle. Indeed, it is the only miracle that is found in all four of the Gospels. In the account we hear today from the Gospel of John, the miracle itself is not the most important feature. Of greater significance is what the miracle reveals about who Jesus is and what He is doing. Jesus is able to work with the limited resources at hand (at that time the Disciples, today, all of us, His followers) to fill not only hungry stomachs, but also hungry hearts, with abundance. The crowd has followed Jesus because they enthusiastic about his healing of the sick and casting out of demons. They hope that he can offer healing to each of them. Their reaction to the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and fishes is to acclaim Jesus as the Messiah promised in Deuteronomy 18:15, a prophet who will usher in a new political age. Jesus, seeing that they plan to "carry Him off" to fulfill their political and material ambitions, withdraws from them. But he will re-engage them soon in what is now known as the "bread of life discourse." These series of Gospel readings from the 6th chapter of John that we will hear in the coming Sundays form a core revelation of who Jesus is, the bread of life, food for the hungry world, the manifestation of God's abundant love. How do you experience God's abundance in your life?



FORECOURT RENOVATION

The restoration and seismic retrofit of the Sir Harry Downie Museum and the Basilica Forecourt started on April 5 and is off to a great start. The construction is expected to continue through the fall when we look forward to celebrating the 250th anniversary of the founding of the Mission. Access to the property from the Basilica entrance gates through to the Crespi lot will be off limits until the completion of construction.

The project calls for a completely new courtyard surface and walkways, which will be regraded and expanded to allow for improved ADA accessibility. The Downie building's interior will be renovated to allow more exhibition space along with the creation of 2 ADA compliant restrooms. The fountain will be restored as the centerpiece of refreshed garden beds.

We are grateful to the Carmel Mission Foundation and their ongoing commitment to raise the funds to restore and preserve our beautiful Carmel Mission property.

We look forward to providing pictorial updates on this project in future editions of the bulletin.





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Thank you to so many of you who have adopted electronic giving.

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- Signing up and making single or scheduled contributions is easy – just click the donate button on [our website](#) and sign up today. We will have someone available during business hours to provide any required assistance.

Electronic Giving Saves Money and Time

- Envelope mailings are costly for parishioners and the parish
- Check processing and money handling are time consuming
- Our method of collections are to change as we will have collection boxes to replace pew collections when we come back together
- Accurate contribution tracking is available at all times



Report for the weeks ending on 7/11/2021:

Electronic Donations: \$ 5,327.47

Mail Donations: \$ 5,425.06

Sunday Mass — Collection: \$ 6,268.00

Total Donations: \$17,020.53



STEWARDSHIP (CONTINUED)

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www.carmelmission.org/



RECOVERY AND RENEWAL CAMPAIGN



THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!
WE HAVE SURPASSED OUR GOAL OF
\$250,000 IN RECORD TIME



Outdoor exhibits welcoming visitors



Outdoor Mass in the Central Courtyard

\$50,000 \$100,000 \$150,000 \$200,000 \$250,000

Currently at \$308,023!!

Diocese Goal
\$52,000

Parish Goal
\$250,000



Dear Friend of Carmel Mission,

I hope and pray that you and your loved ones are safe and well, as we embark on our faith journey through this special year of 2021, during which we celebrate the 250th Anniversary of the founding of our beautiful Mission by Saint Junípero Serra.

This is a year of RECOVERY and RENEWAL, a time to celebrate our past achievements and to plan for our future. While it is obviously true that conditions and restrictions of 2020 impacted our parish, both materially and spiritually, we have not been idle. We have used the time wisely to explore new and innovative ways to keep our community together and to plan for our future.

Who could have predicted how important the timing of our 2020 AMA Heavenly Sounds Campaign would be? The console of our beautiful Casavant organ has been restored and updated by its original makers and is awaiting re-installation. We have invested in a superb outdoor sound system for our masses in our Central Courtyard. We have been broadcasting mass on our website and our YouTube channel, which has enabled us to gather as a virtual community, and which is of particular benefit to those parishioners who are unable to attend mass in person.

It is time to launch our 2021 AMA (Annual Ministry Appeal). Our diocese has chosen the theme "Building a Family of Faith". I enclose an AMA information leaflet which indicates the range of ministries that you support by participating in the campaign. The first \$52,000 raised goes back to the diocese, and any sum we raise over that sum, comes back to our parish for RECOVERY and RENEWAL during our 250th Anniversary year. At Carmel Mission, we have set a total goal of \$250,000. We will use the additional \$198,000 to increase our efforts at building up our virtual family of faith. We plan to enhance our filming and digital communication capabilities through the investment in state of the art equipment and upgrades to our wireless infrastructure.

With the addition of our new Central Courtyard Restrooms, currently under construction, and the renovation of the Downie Museum and Basilica Forecourt, planned for this Spring, we will also invest in improving safety and access to our beautiful Mission. We will also expand our Museum exhibition space, in order to attract and welcome more visitors and pilgrims, whose support we greatly appreciate and rely on. We will share our progress towards achieving our goals on a dedicated page on our website and our weekly bulletin. In each of the past three years, your generosity has enabled us to achieve our AMA goals: Upgrade of Crespi Parish Hall, Renew Our Pews, and Heavenly Sounds. We could not have done this without you. I thank you from the bottom of my heart.

During this 250th Anniversary year, I know that I can count on your selfless stewardship and your generous support of our beautiful Carmel Mission.

I wish you and your loved ones blessings of good health and great happiness. In the great love of Jesus Christ,

Fr. Paul P. Murphy
Pastor at Carmel Mission

p.s. Let's achieve our \$250,000 goal in our 250th year



CARMEL MISSION STORE

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CARMEL MISSION MUSEUM STORE

Customer Service Associate



We are seeking a personable, outgoing customer service associate to offer our guests an exceptional experience when visiting the historic Carmel Mission. In this role you will be assisting the guests in the Mission Store, grounds, and museum and providing customer service during weddings, concerts and other on-site events.

Role and Responsibilities

- Welcome and greet all visitors.
- Assist and resolve visitors' questions, inquiries, and concerns.
- Maintain a current knowledge of all products in the store.
- Maintain merchandise — including stocking, merchandising, and cleaning.
- Operate and balance cash register.
- Answer telephone
- Attend all training to grow knowledge of the history of the Mission.

Qualification

- Must be able to work a flexible schedule including weekends and holidays.
- Fluent in English, bilingual is a plus.
- Computer skills and talent for technology
- Enjoy learning.
- Perform well with a team.
- Professional appearance and attitude
- Comfortable standing or walking for long periods of time, light lifting and occasional use a ladder.

Preferred Skills

- Retail
- Hospitality
- Tourism experience

Please submit resume to store@carmelmission.org



CARMEL MISSION REOPENING ADVISORY

Dear Friend of Carmel Mission,

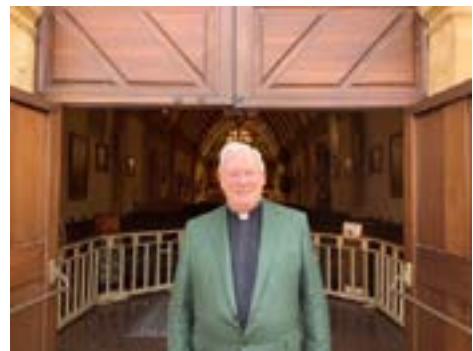
Like you, we have eagerly anticipated the lessening of COVID-19 restrictions in our state of California. We are following the new guidelines from the State, County and our Diocese of Monterey. Please be aware that each parish has discretion to, within the given parameters, conduct services as best serves their community and their unique conditions.

1. The dispensation from the Sunday Obligation will remain in place at this time.
2. For fully vaccinated individuals a face mask is not required. For unvaccinated individuals, a face mask is required indoors.
3. Social distancing, either indoors or outdoors, is no longer required.
4. We will continue to offer the 11am Mass outdoors in the Central Courtyard, and to offer outdoor seating at our 9am Mass in the Basilica. This provides options to everyone in our community who wishes to attend Mass, either inside the Basilica or outside in the Courtyard. It is our intention to add a 5:30pm Saturday Vigil Mass inside the Basilica beginning in mid-July.
5. Entrance for Sunday Masses remains as it has been, through the parish office, formerly school, lot. Temperatures will no longer be taken at the entrance.
6. We intend to resume Daily Mass in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel on an initially limited basis in mid-July.
7. Congregational singing is now allowed, but those who are unvaccinated must wear a mask or refrain from singing, both indoors and outdoors. We will not be able to offer hymn books at this time, but a limited number of Breaking Bread hymnals do remain available to purchase if you wish. We are happy to announce the return of our Carmel Mission Choir to the 11am Mass.
8. The Distribution of the Chalice: The Precious Blood will continue to be suspended at this time until further notice.
9. We are looking forward to planning how our ministry activities will resume as we go forward. We have a unique opportunity to build on the solid foundation that has been formed as we have negotiated the many challenges and changes brought about by the pandemic. We will be collaborating with ministry leaders to determine activities, and review and publish policies and procedures on our website.
10. Due to the ongoing construction work, Crepsi Hall remains closed at this time.

The situation with the pandemic continues to be dynamic, and of great concern in this country and worldwide. We are happy that the safe lessening of restrictions will allow us to return to more of our usual activities, but we are also conscious of the ongoing need to protect the health and safety of our parishioners, our visitors and our staff. This remains our guiding principle as it has been throughout this crisis. Our website remains the best means of staying abreast of conditions at the Mission.

We thank you for your continued support and all you do to make Carmel Mission a very special and sacred place,

Fr. Paul P. Murphy
Pastor, Carmel Mission



Click the thumbnail to view the Reopening Advisory by Father Paul



PARISH PRAYERS



Sick in the Parish

All the sick are prayed for during a general intercession at every mass.
At this time we pray especially for:

Matthew Escovar,
Rosellen Sana,
Anne Emmerich,
Joan Kenny
Tobi Lunt
Sean Kenny
Nancy Buchanan,
Mary Cea,
Larry Fry,
Richard Cruickshank,
Charles Cardoza,
Mercedes Ferrante,
Frank Machalla,
Brandon Paulikas,
Julieta Evangelista,
Dan Ukestad,
Nancy D'Angelo,
Ruth Flynn,
Missy Student,
Lois Jones,
Marjorie Coleman



Please Pray For Our Military

Keep in prayer our brave parishioners, relatives and friends of our parish family who are in service to their country in the Armed Forces abroad:

**Michael Healy,
Richard Brophy
and Robert Maher**

We ask the Lord to keep them safe from harm and pray for their families while they are far from home.

Recently Deceased in our Parish

Please pray for our brothers and sisters who have died, especially:

Regenia Gomez,	Joshua King,	Luigi Uttaro,
Gwen Foster,	Phyllis Loyko,	Anita Pender,
Betty Kadoorie,	Edmundo Lundgren,	Karen Lyon,
King Williams,	Bruna Odello,	Jean Neiman,
Jack Brophy,	Maria Leonor Horta,	Filomena Pacheco,
Marie Beattie,	Ed Soberanes,	Mary O'Shea
Ramiro Santibañez Sr.,	Dr. Janusz Belza,	
Elizabeth Moley,	Paul Marto,	
Antonia Ayala,	Sally Fitzpatrick,	
Gloria Valentino,	Kathleen Conley,	
James McKillop,	Nicacia Lares Ramos,	
Geraldine Murphy,	Carla Coniglio,	
Phil Gambucci,	Thomas McCullough,	
Jane Lowrey Weisser,	John Calcagno,	
Claude Keyzers,	Jovita Martin Cabrera,	
Vivian Sweeney,	Jeanne Johnson,	
Carlos Pineda,	Judy Mollner,	
Lillian Lampi,	Ernie Bizzazero,	
Jospeh Kepp,	Bob Condry,	
José Eliseo Cabrera,	Mary Dills,	
Dr. Knox Mellon,	Elinor Laiolo,	
Ronald J. Antuzzi,	Dr. Maria Gurney,	
John Flynn,	Frank Crivello,	
Dr. Richard Pirotte,	Rose Green,	
Sandra Ramirez,	Deane H. Hollenback,	



... that they may rejoice with the Risen Lord. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon them; and may the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Amen.



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Breaking Bread 2020

We have a limited number of Breaking Bread books available to our community for individual purchase. While we cannot use communal books for worship at this time, you are very welcome to bring your own copy to our Outdoor Masses, or use it while viewing the streaming Mass from home.

Books can be purchased, while supplies last, by emailing Laura at liturgy@carmelmission.org. These books include the Daily Mass Propers as well as the Order of Mass, Weekly Readings and Hymns. Books can be mailed to you (at an additional cost) or you can pick up previously reserved orders on Sunday if you attend the Outdoor Mass.

Each Breaking Bread book is \$15, a significant discount from ordering individually from the OCP website.



AmazonSmile

Carmel Mission is now registered with AmazonSmile and ready to receive donations!

AmazonSmile is the easiest, most direct method, and free of cost way to support our Mission.

By clicking on the AmazonSmile tab on the top left corner of the Amazon webpage, supporters will be taken to a unique page on smile.amazon.com that is automatically linked to the Carmel Mission. Simply enter your email address and password to enroll.

Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of eligible smile.amazon.com purchases made by supporters to the Carmel Mission.

Prayer Requests and Special Intentions

Our prayer request email is a great way to let us know about your prayer requests, any special intentions you may have, and if you know of anyone in our parish family who is ill we ask that you share that with us so we may pray for them, and reach out to them or their family.

**Send Your
Prayer Request**



DOCENT CORNER:

Walls of the Carmel Mission

During 2012 and 2013, the Carmel Mission Basilica underwent a significant seismic retrofit of the walls and the foundation. The project manager for this work was Brian Kelly and these are his comments and professional observations about the walls of the Mission church. The walls of the Mission are constructed of sandstone, two kinds of limestone and pieces of granite (probably field stone). The notes provided by curator Harry Downie thought that the stone for the church came from quarries on the Fish Ranch. However, the team geologist could not find a match to the stone at the quarry remnants on the Fish Ranch.

The cut stone forming the decorative facade on the East wall of the Mission matches the cut stone for the massive decorative stone facade at the Royal Presidio Chapel. The lower portions of the wall are exposed and show the 1794 construction which used local mud to act as a bed for the stone. The exposed stone also shows the tool marks made by the craftsmen who more than likely shaped the stone in place.

The front façade of the Chapel has a Moorish shaped dome on the left side seated on a stone water table with carved stone finials surrounding it. The dome is approximately 22" thick and is protected by a thick coat of lime plaster over a parging filler to provide the ability to shed moisture from the fog and winter rains. Parging is a thin coat of plaster or mortar that is used to give rough masonry a relatively smooth surface or for sealing it against moisture. The plaster coating mixture contains pieces of shells, charcoal, and sand from the local area.

The North wall of the Basilica is the original wall of the 1797 church. Numerous repairs have been made to the wall over the 220+ year history of the Mission church. Looking at the wall from right to left, the colors vary from adobe brown on the right to a lighter limestone color to the left up to the small rectangular bell tower. The colors mostly delineate the areas of repairs.



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The Sacristy was built in the early 1790's prior to the stone church. There is evidence that mud was used as mortar to create the leveling bed for the stone. There are also small stones used to contain the mud in the joints. Those small stones are referred to as "chinking stones". The larger stones have evidence of tool marks, and the experts believe that these marks show how the builders trimmed the stone when it was in place to give a truer shape to the vertical wall. The exterior wall of the Mission church is 5 feet thick in most places.

The exposed stone sections or "windows of stone" have been provided to demonstrate the 1794 construction and the exterior appearance as the wall existed until repairs were done in 1884. Graffiti has been carved into their finished surface and some of the graffiti dates back to the 19th century. The existing white plaster areas date back to the 1884 repairs. The brown streaks are the underlying parging which is composed of local beach sand, dirt, and ground shells (which are lime) and they also date back to 1884. There is evidence of the local parging or filler behind the light-colored plaster and pieces of shell, charcoal, local sand and local dirt that were used for color.

The exterior large buttresses were put in place to keep the walls from pushing outward due to the weight of the original stone ceiling on the stone arches. The stone ceiling was removed between 1812 and 1820 and replaced with a wooden beamed roof and exterior tiles. The walls were repaired numerous times since they were completed in 1797 to protect the soft stone from the elements, biological growth, and human mistreatment.

The existing plaster and the exposed stone of the massive walls and dome were heavily damaged by the elements since the 1884 restoration. The original materials were replicated, stones were pinned as needed and repaired, and lime parging and plaster were used to protect the surface and integrity of the dome and tower. This allowed the stone to breathe and to eliminate any moisture that might penetrate the stone.

The "windows of stone" in the plaster wall have been provided in the Serra Memorial Garden to show the massive pieces of stone used in constructing the walls. Mud has been used to bed the stone, and small flat chinking stones have been pushed into the mud to retain and protect the mud from the elements. The tool marks on the stone were probably made by the craftsmen who were shaping the stone in place to provide the vertical surface.

Other areas of exposed stone provide additional views of the internal construction of the 1794 stone Mission church.



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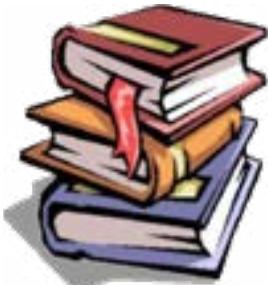
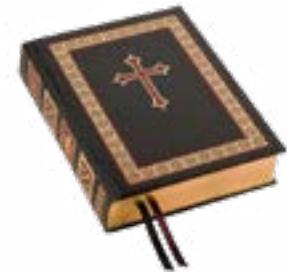
Carmel Mission Bible Study

The Bible Study meets every Wednesday
at 10:30 AM via ZOOM

Our Parish Bible study has completed our work with the Gospel of John.
We will start the Book of Genesis on Wednesday, July 21.

You are invited and this is a good opportunity to see if Contemplating the Word of the Lord is for you. Genesis is the loving letter of God by which He reveals how He created our world, and us. We will explore how Adam went awry and how God began the road to restoration that is fulfilled in Jesus Christ.

We meet, presently by ZOOM, each Wednesday morning at 10:30 for about an hour. Call or email Dick Gorman for a Zoom invitation. 595-6363 or dickgorman@att.net



Carmel Mission Book Club

The Book Club meets every Monday
at 1:30 PM via ZOOM

On July 19th, book club will begin its first book on the Blessed Mother. It is THE WORLD'S FIRST LOVE by Fulton Sheen. The author said that it was his favorite among all the many books he wrote.

Please feel free to join us at any time.

For information, please email Charlie Sciambi at csciambi@gmail.com.

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The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL 'smile.amazon.com/' in the address bar. A red arrow points from the 'Remember' text above to the address bar. A yellow circle highlights the 'amazon smile prime' logo in the header. The page content includes a delivery address 'Deliver to Carmel 93923' and navigation links for 'AmazonSmile', 'Holiday Deals', 'Gift Cards', and 'Prime Video'.

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Step One

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The screenshot shows the AmazonSmile homepage with three meal options: Brussels sprouts, chicken wings, and a meat dish. It features a user profile with the message 'Hi, AmazonSmile donations generated: \$0.84'. Below it are 'Recommendations for you', a box for 'Your Orders', and a link to 'Shop all gifts'.

The graphic encourages holiday shopping at smile.amazon.com. It states 'Do your holiday shopping at smile.amazon.com' and 'AmazonSmile donates to your charity of choice.' The AmazonSmile logo is displayed.



TECHNICAL SUPPORT

How to sign up to our weekly email

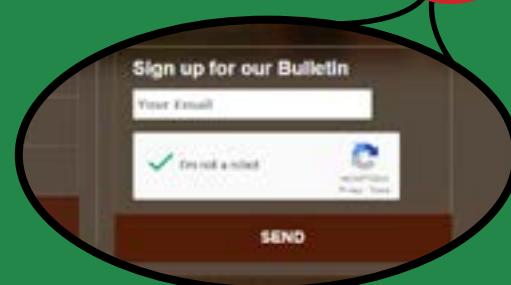
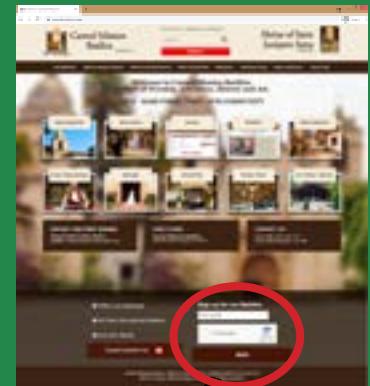
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We send weekly emails which contain:

- Our Pastor's letter to you
- Our complete online calendar
- A digital version of our weekly bulletin and...
- News and updates of the Carmel Mission

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- Go to carmelmission.org, or click the link.
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- Click Send

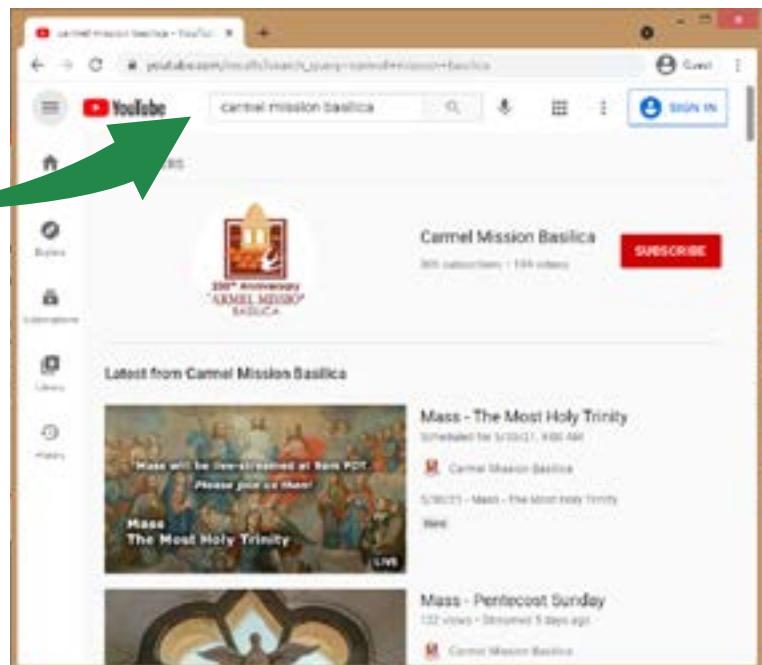


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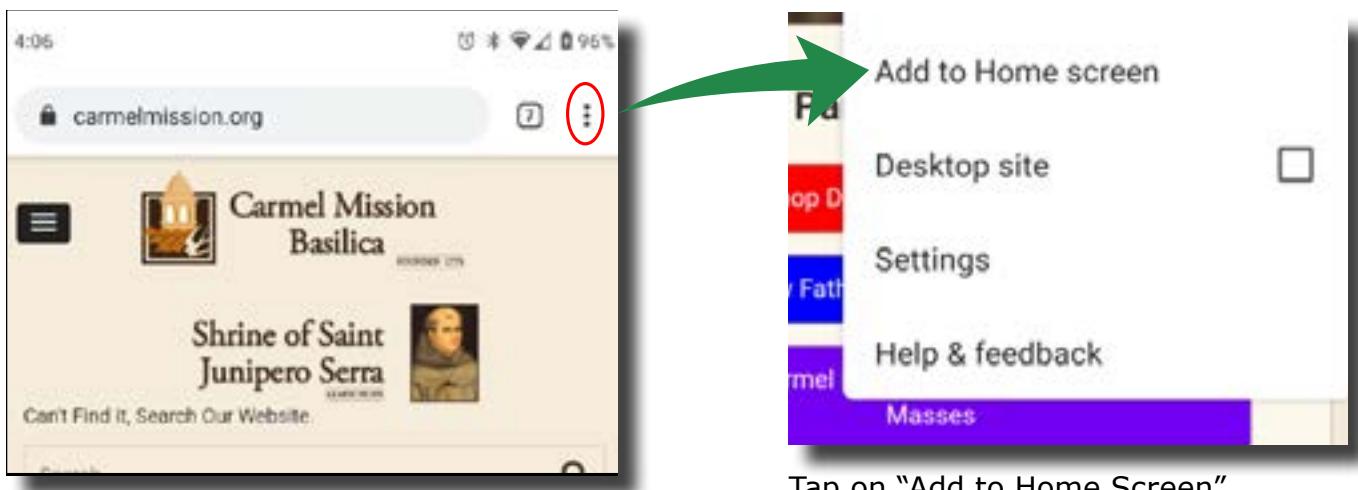
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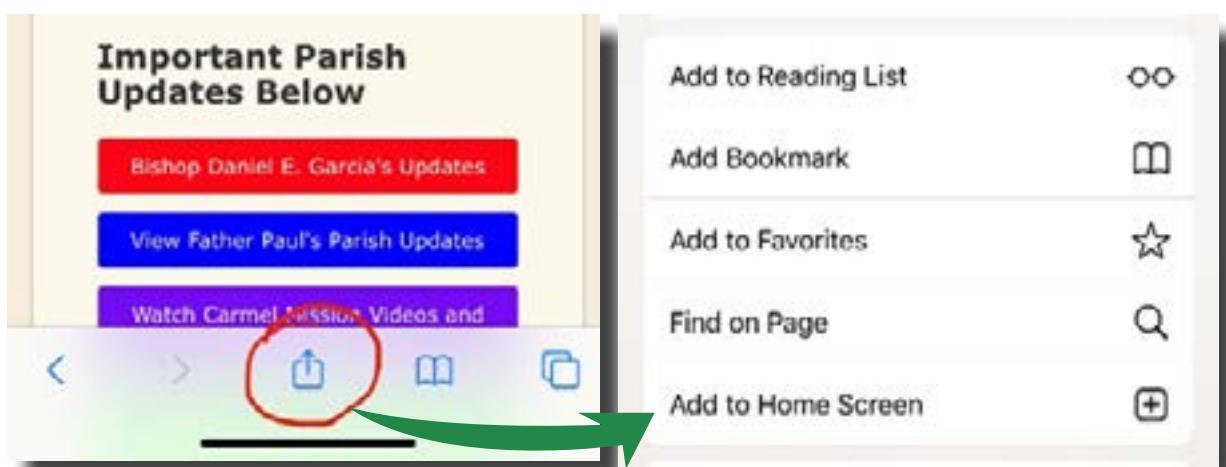
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