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# OUR LADY of Mount Carmel CATHOLIC CHURCH

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32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
November 12, 2017

Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini  
Feast day: November 13  
First American citizen  
canonized a saint

Francesca Cabrini was born in Lombardy, Italy, one of eleven children. Small and weak as a child, she remained in delicate health throughout her life. Frances Cabrini took religious vows in 1877. She and six other women founded the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus (M.S.C.). In later years, Mother Cabrini went to the Vatican to seek approval of the Pope to establish missions in China. Instead, he instructed her to go to the United States to help the Italian immigrants who were flooding to that nation in that



era, mostly in great poverty. "Not to the East but to the West" was his advice. She left for the United States, arriving in New York City in 1889 along with the six other Sisters. There she found an orphanage—the first of 67 institutions located in: New York, Chicago, Des Plaines, Seattle, New Orleans, Denver, Golden, Los Angeles, Philadelphia, and in countries in South America and Europe. She became a US citizen in 1909. In New York City, she founded two hospitals. In Chicago, the Sisters opened a hospital in the heart of the city's Italian neighborhood. Her name lives on via Chicago's Cabrini Street (and the former Cabrini-Green Housing Projects). Mother Cabrini was beatified on November 13, 1938, and canonized on July 7, 1946, by Pope Pius XII. St. Frances Xavier Cabrini is the patron saint of immigrants and migrants.

### Schedule of Masses:

Saturdays (Vigil Mass) 5:00 PM

Sundays: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM\*, 12:00 Noon, 5:00 PM

\* Children's Liturgy of the Word during 10:00 AM Sunday Mass

\* Child Care (ages 2-5) during 10:00 AM Sunday Mass

Weekdays: 8:00 AM (Monday – Saturday)

Holy Days: See Mass schedule printed in Bulletin for each upcoming Holy Day of Obligation

Confessions: Saturdays: 3:30 - 4:30 PM  
Wednesdays: 7:00 - 8:00 PM or by appointment

Daily Rosary Devotion: ..... Every morning at 7:30 AM

Divine Mercy Chaplet: ..... Weekday mornings after Mass

Funerals: Contact the Rectory prior to making arrangements

### Day of Eucharistic Adoration:

Observed on the 23rd day of each month

Baptisms: By appointment on the Second Sunday of each month at 1:15 PM – following completion of Preparation Class.\*

Infant Baptism Classes:\* Tuesdays prior to 2nd Sunday of Month.

Marriage: Contact the Rectory at least six months in advance of the expected wedding date.

Marriage Preparation Classes: Conducted on four consecutive Wednesday evenings during the months of January, March, May, July, and September.

Please Note: For Baptisms or Weddings, you must be a Practicing Catholic and a member of the parish. To be a Godparent, you must be a Practicing and Confirmed Catholic and, if married, married in the Church.

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**Check out our website: [www.olmc.net](http://www.olmc.net)**

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**



32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
November 12, 2017  
Stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour.

– Matthew 25:13



**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Sunday:** Wis 6:12-16; 1 Thes 4:13-18; Mt 25:1-13

**Monday:** Wis 1:1-7; Lk 17:1-6

**Tuesday:** Wis 2:23 – 3:9; Lk 17:7-10

**Wednesday:** Wis 6:1-11; Lk 17:11-19

**Thursday:** Wis 7:22b – 8:1; Lk 17:20-25

**Friday:** Wis 13:1-9; Lk 17:26-37

**Saturday:** Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Lk 18:1-8

**Sunday:** Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; 1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-30

**SATURDAY – NOVEMBER 11**

6:30-8:30 PM OLMC FALL HARVEST PARISH PARTY. O'Donnell Hall. All parishioners of all ages invited!

**SATURDAY–SUNDAY – NOVEMBER 12–13**

REGISTRATION FOR ADOPT-A-FAMILY FOR CHRISTMAS: In O'Donnell Hall after all Masses.

**THURSDAY – NOVEMBER 16**

OLMC WOMEN'S SOUL GROUP:

9:00-11:00 AM ... Meeting for Bible Study with Sister Christine Hilliard, CSJ, in O'Donnell Hall. All women are invited.

OLMC ADULT CATHOLIC EDUCATION SERIES

7:30-9:00 PM in O'Donnell Hall. You are invited to view and discuss Lesson 3 in our new DVD Series: "The Bible and the Sacraments". All adults welcome. No admission charge.



**ANNUAL OLMC ADOPT-A-FAMILY FOR CHRISTMAS OUT-REACH!**  
**THIS WEEKEND IS "SIGN-UP WEEKEND"**  
**Help Make Christmas Extra Special for a Family-in-Need this Year!**

Everyone is invited to participate in our parish's **19th Annual ADOPT-A-FAMILY FOR CHRISTMAS Program.**

"Sign-ups" are taking place **this weekend (Saturday-Sunday) November 11-12** in the Parish Courtyard **after each Mass.**

When you sign up you will be given the name of your family in need and provided with their first names, ages and clothing sizes.

Your commitment is that you will purchase **actual "gifts"** (not just "gift cards") for each family member **and a food gift card for the family.** You may sign-up as a (1) **sponsoring family**, or (2) as a **group of friends**, or (3) **solo.**

You will then be expected to **bring your adopted family's gifts to O'Donnell Hall** during the weekend of **December 2-3** (no earlier or later as there will be no place on other days for us to securely store them!) For details, questions, or further information, contact **Richele Lowery at (949) 631-2107 (H)** or via email at [gandrlowery@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gandrlowery@sbcglobal.net)



**OLMC CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON**  
**SAVE THE DATE! DECEMBER 1!**

Our **Annual Christmas Luncheon** is a Christmas Tradition for **OLMC.** Plan to join us for the celebration and share in the holiday spirit! This year's Luncheon will take place on **Friday, December 1,** at the **Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club** (1601 Bayside Drive, Corona del Mar.). Be sure to invite family members, friends, and any senior parishioners who may greatly appreciate your call! Always a fun event!! Sponsored by the **OLMC Women's SOUL Group!** Cost: **\$50** per person; **\$55** at the door. All adult parishioners are invited. Please make reservations by November 27

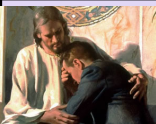
For reservations and information, call **Lorel Bonar** at **(626) 831-100!** Please mail and make checks payable to : **OLMC;** 1441 W. Balboa Blvd, NB 92661 and write "**Christmas Luncheon**" on the "memo line."



**OLMC THANKSGIVING DAY MASS**

You, and all your family members, and anyone visiting at this time of year, are invited to join us on **Thursday morning, November 23** for our **Thanksgiving Day Mass** which this year will be celebrated at **9:00 AM.**

Given that the 23rd this month, our normal day of Eucharistic Adoration, occurs on Thanksgiving Day, the Blessed Sacrament will not be on exposition, but do join us **Wednesday evening** from **7:00-8:00 PM.**



**WEEKLY WEDNESDAY EVENING CONFESSIONS AND HOLY HOUR**  
Each **Wednesday** evening, time for **Confessions** and a **Holy Hour** for

**Eucharistic Adoration** has been added to our weekly parish schedule from **7:00-8:00 PM** providing an extra opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation and draw closer to Christ.



**CHRISTMAS WREATHS—ORDER EARLY**

The Knights of Columbus will be taking orders for **FRESH 22" Christmas wreaths** next weekend, **November 18-19,** after each Mass **to benefit SPIN, Serving People In Need.** Proceeds from the sales will benefit SPIN's mission which is based on restoring Orange County's families-in-crisis to permanent self-sufficiency through SPIN's long-term services.

**Distribution of ordered wreaths will take place** after all Masses on **December 2-3.**



**QUOTES ON THE EUCHARIST**

"Everything in man should halt in awe. Let all the world quake and let Heaven exult when Christ the Son of the living God is there on the altar in the hands of the priest."  
– St Francis Assisi

**“THE BIBLE AND THE SACRAMENTS”**  
**OLMC ADULT EDUCATION SERIES**  
**IF YOU WERE ASKED ‘WHY DO WE HAVE THE SACRAMENTS?’, WHAT WOULD YOU ANSWER? DISCOVER THE “MASTERWORKS OF GOD”**

Join us **this Thursday evening from 7:30-9:00 PM** downstairs in O'Donnell Hall for **Lesson 3 “The Waters of Salvation (Baptism)** in this new 11-part DVD Series entitled: **“THE BIBLE AND THE SACRAMENTS.”** This series examines the sacraments instituted by Christ and their origin and purpose in salvation history. Classes continue on the first and third Thursday evening of each month. **All adults are invited to this must-see series.** No admission charge.

For more information, contact Greg Kelley, Director, OLMC Adult Education and Faith Formation, at (949) 645-4540 or [gkelley@olmc.net](mailto:gkelley@olmc.net)



**SOUL – OLMC WOMEN’S GROUP**  
 The Women’s SOUL Group will meet **this Thursday morning** in O'Donnell Hall for **Bible Study** with **Sister Christine Hilliard, CSJ**, from **9:00-11:00 AM**. All women are invited. For information, email [olmcsoul@gmail.com](mailto:olmcsoul@gmail.com)



**OLMC CHILDREN’S & YOUTH MINISTRY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION GRADES 1–12**  
 Late registrations are being accepted!  
**Class schedules:**

- **Grades 1-5** meet on Mondays from 3:15-4:45PM.
- **Grades 6-8, Jr. High Youth Ministry**, meet on Tuesday evenings from 6-7:30 PM
- **Grades 9-10**, Confirmation/Youth Ministry, meet on Sundays from 6-7:30 PM. Dinner is provided weekly by parents starting at 6:00 PM.
- **Grades 11-12 Youth Ministry**, “ANCHORAGE,” meet weekly from 6:30-7:15 PM in St. Luke’s room in O'Donnell Hall. Service projects and social activities locations and times will vary monthly.

For more information, contact John Bruscia, at (949) 673-2719 or [jbruscia@olmc.net](mailto:jbruscia@olmc.net)



**CONFIRMATION YEAR II RETREAT MEETING WITH PARENTS**

Our *Confirmation Year II Retreat Parent Meeting* will take place **this evening** from **6:00-6:15 PM** upstairs O'Donnell Hall (St. John’s room). The purpose of this brief meeting is to cover the retreat outline and answer parents’ questions.

*Retreat Registration Forms* are due this evening!

For information, contact program director, John Bruscia, at (949) 673-2719 or [jbruscia@olmc.net](mailto:jbruscia@olmc.net)



**OLMC’s NEW eGiving Program**  
 Enroll now in **“Faith Direct”** which enables you to make any of your OLMC Church contributions by either direct debit from your checking/savings account or through your credit/debit card. Go to [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) and enroll online. Our parish code is **CA863**.



**ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CHOIR:**

If you love Christmas music and would like to sing with the Adult Choir at the Christmas Day 10:00 AM Mass, rehearsals take place every **Tuesday evening from 7:00-7:45 PM** throughout November and December in the **choir loft**. Anyone **ages 13+** is invited to join the group!



**OLMC ADULT CONFIRMATION REGISTER NOW FOR SPRING CLASSES!**

If you are an **adult Catholic** over the age of 18 who for any reason has never received the **Sacrament of Confirmation**, (and possibly have not yet received your First Communion), a **12-week series of Adult Preparation Classes** will take place in O'Donnell Hall on **Tuesday evenings from 7:00-9:00 PM**, beginning in early February 2018.

For more information, contact **Greg Kelley** at (949) 645-4540. To register for the classes, contact Rita Hallas in the Parish Office at (949) 673-3775.



**OLMC CHILDREN’S CHRISTMAS CHOIR**

In preparation for the Christmas Vigil Family Mass (Dec. 24 at 4:00 PM), the **OLMC Children's Choir** rehearses every Sunday morning in the **choir loft from 11:00-11:45 AM** during the months of November and December. **All children ages 5-11** are invited and encouraged to participate. Contact **Dr. Olga Spriggs** for more information at [ospriggs@OLMC.net](mailto:ospriggs@OLMC.net)

**ODCCW CONFERENCE**

On **Tuesday, November 21**, the **Annual Conference of the Orange Diocesan Council of Catholic Women** is being held at St. Norbert's Catholic Church in Orange and includes luncheon. All women are invited. Theme: *“Dancing in the Rain: Showers of Joy”*. \$25 donation before 11/14. Guest Speaker: **Bishop Timothy Freyer**, Auxiliary Bishop of Orange. Registration 8:00 AM; Mass 8:30 AM, Opening Prayer 9:30 AM, Adjournment 1:30 PM. For reservations call Pat Martin at (714) 892-5219.



**SMCHS ATHLETIC INFORMATION NIGHT**

Join us at **Santa Margarita Catholic High School this Monday evening**, November 13th from **6:30-8:30 PM** for our Athletic Information Night. For information, visit our website at [www.smhs.org](http://www.smhs.org) or call (949) 766-6076.



**JOIN THE OLMC LECTOR MINISTRY**

Have you ever considered a calling to proclaim the **Word of God** during the **Liturgy of the Word** at Mass by becoming part of the parish's Lector ministry? Join us **any Saturday morning from 8:30-9:30 AM** for any of our weekly *Lector Practice Sessions* to find out more about the ministry which is open to men, women, couples, singles, young adults and teens. For further information, contact Greg Kelley (*OLMC Lector Chair*) at (949) 645-4540 or [gkelley@olmc.net](mailto:gkelley@olmc.net)