

The Mantle of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Newsletter

Summer/Fall 2009

ST. EDITH STEIN
LAY CARMELITE COMMUNITY
BOCA RATON, FLORIDA, USA

DATES TO REMEMBER

- **07/16** 7:00PM MASS
OLMC FEAST DAY
ST. JUDE CATHOLIC CHURCH
- **07/19** 12:00PM MASS
COMMUNITY MEETING
ST. JOAN OF ARC CHURCH
- **08/16** 12:00PM MASS
COMMUNITY MEETING
ST. JOAN OF ARC PARISH
- **09/20** 12:00PM MASS
COMMUNITY MEETING
ST. JOAN OF ARC PARISH
- **10/10** 9:00AM-3:00PM
DAY OF REFLECTION
ST. JUDE CHURCH
- **10/18** 12:00PM MASS
COMMUNITY MEETING
ST. JOAN OF ARC PARISH
- **11/16** 12:00PM MASS
COMMUNITY MEETING
ST. JOAN OF ARC PARISH
- **12/06** 12:00PM MASS
CHRISTMAS MEETING/LUNCH
ST. JOAN OF ARC PARISH
MEMBER ATTENDANCE REQUIRED
LAY CARMELITE STATUTES



St. Elias Province

DAY OF REFLECTION

ST. JUDE CHURCH
OCTOBER 10, 2009
9:00AM—3:00PM
RETREAT MASTER
EMIEL ABALAHIN, O. CARM.

Open to all who wish to attend!
Cost for Members & Guests:
\$25 each

We commit to live our lives
filled with a spirit
of prayer, community and
service. May we imitate Him
after the example of Our
Lady so that we might truly
be for others the
Light of Christ!



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Promulgation of the Decree of the Congregation for Causes of Saints concerning the miracle attributed to Venerable Angelo Paoli

This morning, 3rd July 2009, the Holy Father, Benedict XVI, received in a private audience the Prefect of the Congregation for the Causes of Saints, the Archbishop Angelo Amato, SDB. During the course of the audience the Holy Father authorized the Congregation to promulgate the Decree concerning a miracle attributed to the intercession of Venerable Angelo Paoli, (1642-1720), Italian national and Professed Priest of our Order. The Holy See, in consultation with the Order and the Bishops concerned, will set a date and a place for the Beatification.

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CARMELITE STUDIES

Instructor:
Fr. Emiel Abalahin, O. Carm.

Every 2nd Saturday, 9:00am to 10:00am
St. Joan of Arc Church
Bring a Bible, Notepad, and desire to learn!

PRAY LECTIO DIVINA ONLINE
WWW.OCARM.ORG

2010 COMMUNITY MEMBER DUES
\$25.00
Please make checks out to
THIRD ORDER CARMELITES

Lay Carmelite Statutes Part I—Nature & Spirituality Chapter 3—Call To Prayer

“Carmelites are also called to enter profoundly into contemplative prayer, prayer rooted in the Word of God.”

LECTIO DIVINA

Lectio—Reading/Listening

Meditatio—Meditation

Oratio—Prayer

Contemplatio—Contemplation

In contemplation we cease from interior spiritual *doing* and learn simply to *be*. At intervals the Lord invites us to cease from speaking so that we can simply rest in his embrace. This is the pole of our inner spiritual rhythm called contemplation.

COMMUNITY STUDIES

Seasons of the Heart

The Spiritual Dynamic of the Carmelite Life

By John Welsh, O. Carm.

Aug 2009—A Longing Heart
Sep 2009—An Enslaved Heart
Oct 2009—A Listening Heart
Nov 2009—A Troubled Heart
Jan 2010—A Pure Heart



PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for our Lay Carmelite Members:

- Who are ill
- Who have family members who are ill
- Who are experiencing the loss of loved ones
- Who are in the desert journey

To have your prayer intention added to the Lay Carmelite Prayer Chain
Call Director Haydee Rodriguez
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