



# Lay Carmelite Order

Our Lady Star of The Sea Chapter, North Myrtle Beach, SC



**Community Meeting**  
**May 3rd 10:00 am -12:00**  
**On going Formation**  
**Part 2 - Angels**

**Formation Meeting**  
**Phase One - Lesson 13**  
**Phase Two – Lesson 13**  
**Phase Two Part Two – Lesson 13**

**May 2025**



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Carmel,

*Please join us after the 9:am mass on May 12<sup>th</sup> for Pat Hollenbeck who will be receiving her Scapular into Carmel.*

“Pray the Rosary every day, in order to obtain peace for the world”... Our Lady’s words at Fatima.

In this Carmelite May letter I would like to write about the word HOPE. Let me start by asking you to pardon any errors that I may incur in this letter for I was inspired to write this.

HOPE as a noun is defined as a feeling of Expectation and Desire for a certain thing to happen.

HOPE in the Bible is the confident expectation of what God has promised and its strength is in His faithfulness.

Hope is never giving up...never doubting. “Be Not Afraid” Saint Pope John Paul 2<sup>nd</sup>. Christian Hope is thanking God ahead of time. Wake up and thank God no matter what will happen. We worry and fret about tomorrow as though our dear Lord never spoke about Divine Providence. In the risen Jesus life conquered death. This Paschal faith nourishes our HOPE. It is the Hope of a better time, finally being freed from evil and from this Pandemic. Worry is a weakness, very few of us are entirely free from. Worry is an enemy. Talk with confidence in God; always be thanking God. God is not the cause of evil and death. He does not dodge suffering. Jesus I surrender myself to you. Jesus you take over. Jesus save us in our distress!

In such a time as this, the church of Jesus Christ cannot but speak of HOPE .He is our HOPE and as we have our HOPE in Him we are bound to proclaim that HOPE to the world. Living Hope is imperishable. No one can take away from us God’s love and mercy; a wonderful Hope that cannot be Quarantined. Lord remember me when you come into your Kingdom. What an incredible Hope!



Maria

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I have listed some outstanding days in May for us Carmelites to ponder upon.

May 4<sup>th</sup> – Blessed Angel Prat Hostench & Companions, Martyrs

May 5<sup>th</sup>— Saint Angelus- Priest & Martyr

May 8<sup>th</sup>-- -Blessed Aloysius Rabata- Priest

May 9<sup>th</sup> – Saint George Precca- Priest (Carmelite)

May 16<sup>th</sup> – Saint Simon Stock (Carmelite)

May 22<sup>nd</sup> ---Saint Joachina de Vedruna de Mas, Religious

May 25<sup>th</sup> –Saint Mary Magdalene de Pazzi -Virgin, Feast

May 1<sup>st</sup>-Saint Joseph, the worker

May 11<sup>th</sup>- Mother,s Day

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***Your Eucharistic Adoration Needs You!***

Happy Birthday:



Bob Joyce 5/26



Please pray for the souls of our Deceased Carmelites:

Father Bob Vogt

Blanche Gormley

Gresh Kilmer

Loretta Goddiess

Esther Hetheron

Tony Cavagnaro

Ed Gillin

Patty Buck

Len Recchia

Jackie Cyr

Jean and John Serafin

Walt and Amy Edmonson

Flo Rossi

Wishing all Mothers a Blessed Mother's Day.

Pray for the Papal Conclave

Please Pray for the souls of all Our Deceased Mothers.

With much love in Carmel,

Joyce TOC

**Please sign in upon entering for attendance credit. Call Joyce at (843-390-1298) before meeting for an absence or any other questions.**