

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CHURCH
2026 SPECIAL COLLECTION SCHEDULE

Months for 2026	Date	Special Collection Description
January	1st	<i>Solemnity of Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)</i>
	January 3rd / 4th	Capital IMPROVEMENT
February	Jan 31st / Feb 1st	Capital IMPROVEMENT
	18th	Ash Wednesday
	Feb 28th / March 1st	<i>Annual Catholic Appeal - PLEASE SEND DIRECTLY to the Diocese of Sacramento, not to OLMC. Twenty five (25%) percent is returned to the donor's parish to help support local social service ministries.</i>
March	Feb 28th / March 1st	Capital IMPROVEMENT
	Any DAY Before Easter	<i>Easter Flowers</i>
	14th / 15th	<i>The Catholic Relief Services Collection (Shared with Church in Central & Eastern Europe)</i>
April	3rd	<i>Good Friday</i>
	5th	<i>EASTER Sunday</i>
	11th / 12th	Capital IMPROVEMENT
	25th / 26th	<i>Catholic Home Missions Appeal (shared w/Black & Indian Missions)</i>
May	2nd / 3rd	Capital IMPROVEMENT
	16th 17th	<i>Catholic Communication Campaign (50% will remain in our Diocese to help support our local communications efforts.)</i>
June	6th / 7th	Capital IMPROVEMENT
	27th / 28th	<i>Peter's Pence Collection</i>
July	4th / 5th	Capital IMPROVEMENT
	18th / 19th	<i>Missionary Cooperative Appeal</i>
August	1st / 2nd	Capital IMPROVEMENT
	8th / 9th	<i>Church in Latin America</i>
	15th	<i>Assumption of Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)</i>
September	5th / 6th	Capital IMPROVEMENT
	12th / 13th	<i>Priests Retirement</i>

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October	3rd / 4th	<i>Capital IMPROVEMENT</i>
	17th / 18th	<i>World Mission Sunday</i>
November	Oct. 31st / Nov. 1st	<i>Capital IMPROVEMENT</i>
	1st	<i>All Saints</i>
	2nd	<i>All Souls</i>
	14th / 15th	<i>Catholic Campaign for Human Development</i>
December	5th / 6th	<i>Capital IMPROVEMENT</i>
	<i>Any DAY Before Christmas</i>	<i>Christmas Flowers</i>
	8th	<i>Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation)</i>
	12th / 13th	<i>Retirement Fund For Religious</i>
	25th	<i>Christmas Offering</i>