

# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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## SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: FEBRUARY 12, 2017

Fr. Peter Ngo Duc Dung, Parochial Administrator  
Deacon Loc Nguyen

### Office Hours

Monday 10:00AM to 12PM  
Tues. – Fri.: 8:00AM to 12PM

### Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00PM (English)  
7:00PM (Spanish)  
Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:00AM, 12 Noon  
4PM (Vietnamese)

Weekdays: Mon-Fri. 7:30AM, Sat. 8AM  
First Friday: after 7:30PM Benediction

### Devotions

Adoration & Benediction: Fridays from 5PM-7:30PM  
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena-Wednesdays  
after morning mass  
Chaplet of the Divine Mercy- Mondays & Fridays  
after morning mass

### Confessions

Saturday 3:30PM to 4:30PM or by appointment

### RCIA

Adults seeking Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, or membership in the Catholic Church, contact Rene Asuncion at 925-458-4574.

### Baptisms

Pre-Baptism classes for parents and godparents held every second Tuesday of the month. Contact the parish office. Spanish Classes, contact Hilda Avelar at 925-458-3656. Vietnamese baptisms, contact Fr. Peter Dung at the parish office.

### Marriage

Contact the parish office at least six months in advance.

### Religious Education

Contact Rene Asuncion, Director of Rel. Ed.  
Tel:(925) 458-4574 \*Website: [olqwre.olqw.org](http://olqwre.olqw.org)  
Email: [director@olqwre.olqw.org](mailto:director@olqwre.olqw.org)

### St. Vincent de Paul

Food pantry opens Mondays 9:30AM -11AM in the Parish hall

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

### **Monday, February 13**

7:30 am Reuben Sebastian

### **Tuesday, February 14**

7:30 am Antonio Santos, Sr.

### **Wednesday, February 15**

7:30 am Valentin & Teodora Mendoza

### **Thursday, February 16**

7:30 am Maria Tran Thi Sang

### **Friday, February 17**

7:30 am Pepito Reyes

### **Saturday, February 18**

8:00 am Tom Caraniat

5:00 pm Sotero & Teodora Cinco

7:00 pm (SP) Felix & Armida Gallo

### **Sunday, February 19**

8:00 am Roni & David Anniversary

10:00 am Lourdes Mahandog

12:00 pm Earl Bulygo

4:00 pm (VIET)

## **SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**MT 5:20-22A, 27-28, 33-34A, 37**

Jesus said to his disciples:

"I tell you, unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven.

"You have heard that it was said to your ancestors, You shall not kill; and whoever kills will be liable to judgment. But I say to you, whoever is angry with brother will be liable to judgment.

"You have heard that it was said, You shall not commit adultery. But I say to you, everyone who looks at a woman with lust has already committed adultery with her in his heart.

"Again you have heard that it was said to your ancestors, Do not take a false oath, but make good to the Lord all that you vow. But I say to you, do not swear at all. Let your 'Yes' mean 'Yes,' and your 'No' mean 'No.' Anything more is from the evil one."

## **PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Fr. Culver, Carol Hampton, Ed Plaza, German Duarte, Julia Burns, all those in the Parish who are sick, and all those listed in the Book of Intention. If you would like a name added to the prayer list, please call the rectory.

## **STEWARDSHIP/FINANCE**

**February 5: \$5,725**

**Building Fund: \$ 2,391**

**2015 Assessment: Owe \$34,937**

Please make all checks payable to either "OLQW" or "Our Lady Queen of the World." This applies to all second collections also, unless otherwise noted. Capital Campaign checks are written to: **Reclaiming Christ's Mission Together.**

## **CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS**

Contribution statements for the 2016 year are now available. If you would like to receive a statement, please make a note on your weekly envelope or contact the parish office. If you are not a registered parishioner or do not have an envelope number, no contribution statements will not be available.

## **PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS**

### **Filipino Association**

*cheska.simon@yahoo.com*

### **Hispanic Association**

*Gladys Giron (925) 334-9873*

### **Columbiettes**

*Columbiettes08@gmail.com*

### **Knights of Columbus**

*gk7164@yahoo.com*

### **Regina Mundi Guild**

*Patsy Welty, President 925-458-6787*

### **St. Vincent de Paul Society**

*Louise Salazar, President*

### **Legion of Mary**

*Rick Belza 925-261-0283*

### **Vietnamese Association**

## REFLECTING ON THE GOSPEL



Matthew continues the Sermon on the Mount with a three part instruction by Jesus on the Way of Life in the kingdom of heaven. Today's reading is part one and deals with the Law. Part two deals with worship and religious practice and contains the Lord's Prayer. Part three deals with trusting God and deeds of loving service to our neighbor.

When Matthew speaks of "the Law and the prophets" he means the whole Scripture. When the Messiah brings the fullness of the kingdom none of scripture will be done away with. Instead it will be fulfilled. Matthew's Jesus does not overturn the Law of Moses, nor does he set his followers free from the Law. He requires his followers to go beyond the Law by doing more than the Law requires.

The Law condemned murder. Jesus condemns anger. The Law condemned adultery. Jesus condemns even lustful looks. As Jewish Christians who had always been faithful to the Law Matthew's community need a way to understand the difference Jesus and the kingdom he brings have made. They affirmed that God had always been at work in history through "the Law and the prophets." But God's work goes beyond that to be embodied by the Messiah who reveals the definitive will of God. The written scriptures and their interpretation in tradition are surpassed by Jesus whose life and teaching are the definitive revelation of the will of God.

<http://www.loyolapress.com/our-catholic-faith/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/sixthsundayinordinarytimeasundayconnection>

### BIBLE QUIZ

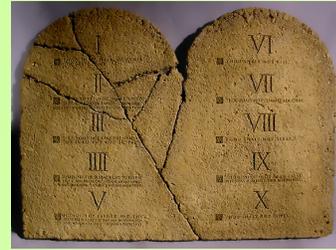
This queen of Persia saved the Jewish people from a plot to destroy them:

- A. Deborah
- B. Esther
- C. Ruth
- D. Miriam

Answer based on the Old Testament of the New American Bible, Revised Edition. Pick up a copy of next week's bulletin for the answer.

*Last week's answer: What city's destruction is described in Chapter 6 of the Book of Joshua? (Hint: The children of Israel marched around the city walls for six days and on the seventh day, the walls collapsed.) D. Jericho*

## ABOUT THE TEN COMMANDMENTS



The Ten Commandments are God's instructions about what it means to live for him and for others. The story of the Ten Commandments is found in the Old Testament in Exodus 20:1-17 and in Deuteronomy 5:1-21. The Ten Commandments were revealed to Moses after the Israelites were freed from slavery.

Another way of considering the Ten Commandments is looking at them not just as rules to be followed but also as a set of priorities. The two most important realities in our lives should be God and the welfare of the community. We must give God the recognition he is due as the one and only Lord of the universe. That is our first priority, the reason why we have the utmost respect for God's name, and the reason why we set aside one day a week as God's time. Our next priority is the well-being of the community: respect for its leaders, for the life of all its members, for the relationships that exist within the community, and for the right of others to have a good reputation and the things they need to live decent lives. Individualism and pure self-interest fall outside the scope of the Ten Commandments, that is to say, they are not high on our list of priorities.

### The Law and the New Commandment

The Ten Commandments were a part of the instruction God gave to the Israelites in the desert. The Israelites saw obedience to God's Law as a way of recognizing that there is only one God, recognizing the sacredness of God's name, and reflecting the holiness of God. Obedience to the Law was a sign of their selection as God's chosen people. Obedience to the Law displayed their respect for one another as God's people. Because one's obedience or disobedience of the Law brought consequences, the Israelites saw the Law as a matter of life and death. Jesus' new commandment to love one another as he has loved us (John 13:34) is rooted in the Jewish Law as found in Leviticus 19:18: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself. I am the Lord."

<http://www.loyolapress.com/our-catholic-faith/scripture-and-tradition/catholic-living/about-the-ten-commandments>

## ST VINCENT DE PAUL

### FOOD DRIVE

We will maintain a donation barrel for non-perishable foods in the church foyer; please be generous. Our groups of volunteers are here every Monday, and they always need groceries to help the needy in our community. The demand has been much greater!



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### PAN DE VIDA RETREAT



Our Confirmation students who will be attending the Pan De Vida retreat from Friday, February 17 to Sunday, February 19. Please keep them in your prayers!

### EASTER DONATIONS



The Youth Group will sponsor an Easter Egg Hunt after the 12:00 pm mass on Easter Sunday April 16, 2017.

They are asking for donations of plastic eggs, baskets and prizes or cash donations. Donations can be brought to the CCD office or the rectory.

### PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY

We have one last final weekend, February 25-26, 2017 to have photos taken before the book is published. Please make your appointments online at: <http://tinyurl.com/p59qk7d>. If you need assistance, please call or email Katt Embody at [kattembody@gmail.com](mailto:kattembody@gmail.com). PLEASE be patient and come early for your appointment. If you cannot make it PLEASE give us as much notice as possible so that someone else can use your time slot. If you have a question about past photos please call Lifetouch at 1-800-521-4611.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

### FR. PALIS SCHOLARSHIP

The Knights of Columbus and the Columbiettes are now accepting 2016 - 2017 Fr. Palis Scholarship applications. The Fr. Palis



Memorial Scholarship is designed to identify students in the Parish that exemplify the ideas of Fr. Palis and the Catholic Church and provide assistance during their academic year. Applications can found in the church or on the website. Deadline for applications is February 28. Please contact Manuel Rosario (925-595-4358) for additional information.

## PARISH EVENTS

### BAPTISM CLASS

Our next Baptism class for parents and godparents is Tuesday, February 14 at 7pm. Please register at the parish office.



### DIVINE MERCY PRESENTATION



All are invited to Father Carl Arcosa's presentation on "Divine Mercy- Mission of the Diocese" on Thursday, February 23 following a 7pm mass in the Church.

### MARRIAGE CONVALIDATION



Marriage convalidation means to have your marriage recognized by the Catholic Church. Our parish invites all who were not married in the Church or would like a convalidation for their marriage to contact Fr. Peter at the parish office.

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## AROUND THE DIOCESE

### FREE CITIZENSHIP APPLICATION & FEE WAIVER ASSISTANCE EVENT

Saturday, February 25, 10:00 am – 2:00 pm  
The Cathedral of Christ the Light, 2121 Harrison St.  
ebnatz.org

Come get free assistance with a review of the naturalization process, assessment of your ability to naturalize, application preparation and document packaging if eligible, and an application review by a qualified legal representative. Pre-registration is recommended by visiting ebnatz.org. Flyers and registration assistance available in a number of languages online. If you'd like to volunteer for this event, please register at [volunteer.legal/volunteers/list/nZBX8AMqQ8/signup](http://volunteer.legal/volunteers/list/nZBX8AMqQ8/signup).

### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

“For the Spirit scrutinizes everything, even the depths of God.” Let the Holy Spirit scrutinize and strengthen your marriage by participating in a WorldWide Marriage Encounter weekend at *San Damiano Retreat Center*, Danville on July 14-16 or September 29- October 1st. Space is limited! Early registration is highly recommended. For more information contact Mike & Jeanne @ 925.672.2016 or Joe & Sue @ 925.680.7767 now or go to [oaklandwwme.org](http://oaklandwwme.org)

### MARRIAGE FOR LIFE 2017 DATES

January 28, 2017  
April 22, 2017  
May 13, 2017  
August 26, 2017  
October 14, 2017

Engaged couples can register for any dates on the website: [www.marriageforlifef.com](http://www.marriageforlifef.com). All events take place at St. Mary's Cathedral at Gough and Geary Streets in San Francisco.

## VALENTINE'S DINNER AT SAN DAMIANO

Sunday, February 12, 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm  
San Damiano Retreat Center  
710 Highland Dr., Danville  
Kateri Kautai 925-837-9141, ext. 315  
[katerik@sandamiano.org](mailto:katerik@sandamiano.org) [SanDamiano.org](http://SanDamiano.org)

Celebrate Life and Love at San Damiano's annual Valentine's Dinner and Movie night. Adult singles and couples are welcome. This year's movie is French Kiss. The cost is \$50 per person. For more information or to purchase tickets, visit [SanDamiano.org](http://SanDamiano.org).

### REGISTER FOR STEUBENVILLE NORCAL YOUTH CONFERENCE

July 28 - 30 CSU East Bay Hayward, 25800 Carlos Bee Blvd. Hayward Patti Collyer 510-267-8389  
[PCollyer@oakdiocese.org](mailto:PCollyer@oakdiocese.org)  
[lifeteen.com/events/steubenville-norcal](http://lifeteen.com/events/steubenville-norcal)

Set your teens' hearts on fire. This summer there will be a Steubenville Youth Conference at Cal State East Bay Hayward. These conferences profoundly impact the faith journey on all who attend Don't miss this unique opportunity to draw your teens closer to Christ. This would also be a great Confirmation retreat. Registration is now open. Early-bird registration is \$185 and \$200 per person after June 1. For more information, visit [lifeteen.com/events/steubenville-norcal](http://lifeteen.com/events/steubenville-norcal).

### WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

Mon. 2/13	7pm	Religious Education
Tues. 2/14	7pm	H: Pre-Baptism class
Wed. 2/15	5pm 7pm	P#2: Legion of Mary H: Filipino Mtg
Thurs. 2/16	7pm 7-8:30pm	CH: Divine Mercy Prayer Group H: RCIA
Fri. 2/17	7pm 6:30pm	P#1 Hispanic Choir H: Movie Night
Sat. 2/18	9:30am	Religious Education

# MOVIE NIGHT

(Free Admission)



FEATURING

## “THE ENCOUNTER: PARADISE LOST”

**Rated PG**  
**1 HR 44 min.**  
**Drama**

Seven years after the world's most devastating tsunami in Thailand six strangers find themselves trapped in a beach side resort on the brink of an oncoming hurricane. Each of their hearts are broken and silently cry out on the most desperate night of their lives. As the storm rages on and the six strangers fall deeper into the heart of darkness another guest arrives at the hotel. He says he is Jesus Christ, and he knows what each of them suffers from. Knowing their dire need, he came to bring them all a message of hope and rescue them from the darkest corners of their own hearts.

**FEBRUARY 17, 2016**

Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Movie starts at 7 p.m.

**Watch out for the Upcoming Movies**

**BEN HUR**  
**RISEN**

**FREE SNACKS\*\*\*FREE SNACKS\*\*\*FREE SNACKS**



# Become a US Citizen

Free Citizenship Application & Fee Waiver Assistance Event

Saturday★February 25, 2017

10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

@ Cathedral of Christ the Light

2121 Harrison St., Oakland, CA 94612

## Come get free assistance with:

- » Step-by-step review of the naturalization process
- » Assessment of your ability to naturalize
- » Application preparation & document packaging, if eligible to naturalize
- » Application review by an immigration attorney or qualified legal representative

## Pre-Registration Recommended

Go online: [www.ebnatz.org](http://www.ebnatz.org)

Or call: (510) 251-2846  
(API Legal Outreach)

Co-sponsored by the Cathedral of Christ the Light and the East Bay Naturalization Collaborative:



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## Documents to Bring:

- ☐ 2 copies of your green card (front and back)
- ☐ List of your addresses and employment and/or schools for the past 5 years, including start and end dates. **See other side →**
- ☐ List of all your trips out of the U.S. including departure and return dates. **See other side →**
- ☐ If you are currently married: spouse's full legal name, date of birth, green card A#, date and place of naturalization, and current address
- ☐ Information about all your prior marriages and about all of your current spouse's prior marriages, including date of marriage, date the marriage ended, and how marriage ended.
- ☐ If you have children: their full name, dates of birth, green card A#, and address. **See other side →**
- ☐ Documentation of all arrests and/or convictions, including reason for the arrest, date, place, and outcome/ disposition. **Bring ALL arrest and court documents**, even if the charges were dropped.
- ☐ Application Filing Fee: \$725 check or money order, payable to "Department of Homeland Security" (if 75 years or older, only \$640). **If you qualify for the application fee waiver\* YOU DO NOT HAVE TO PAY to the Immigration Service.**
- ☐ \*Fee Waiver: *Bring documents proving that your household income is low, like pay stubs, income taxes and/or proof that you or a relevant household member receive public benefits like SSI, IHSS, Medi-Cal, food stamps/ CalFresh, WIC, CalWorks, Cash Assistance, etc.*