

# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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## FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: JULY 16, 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: 7:30PM

### 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, July 17**

7:30 am Jacqueline Tran

### **Tuesday, July 18**

7:30 am Howard Tilton

### **Wednesday, July 19**

7:30 am Moises & Rita Bumgal

### **Thursday, July 20**

7:30 pm Anna Hang Tran

### **Friday, July 21**

7:30am Maria Nu Nguyen

### **Saturday, July 22**

8:00 am Julia Burns

5:00pm Matias Perez

7:00pm (SP) Antonio Sandoval

### **Sunday, July 23**

8:00 am Wedding Anniversary

10:00 am Patrick Lessley

12:00 pm Yvette Santos B-Day

4:00 pm (VIET)

## **FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**MT 13:1-23**

On that day, Jesus went out of the house and sat down by the sea. Such large crowds gathered around him that he got into a boat and sat down, and the whole crowd stood along the shore. And he spoke to them at length in parables, saying: "A sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some seed fell on the path, and birds came and ate it up. Some fell on rocky ground, where it had little soil. It sprang up at once because the soil was not deep, and when the sun rose it was scorched, and it withered for lack of roots. Some seed fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked it. But some seed fell on rich soil and produced fruit, a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold. Whoever has ears ought to hear."

## **PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS**

### **Filipino Association**

*cheska.simon@yahoo.com*

### **Hispanic Association**

*Rosie Estrada, Coordinator 925-639-7946*

*Gladys Giron, Secretary 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*

*SVDPOLQW@gmail.com*

### **Legion of Mary**

*Rick Belza 925-261-0283*

### **Vietnamese Association**

## **PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Fr. Culver, Carol Hampton, Ed Plaza, German Duarte, Liliam Catapusan, Mai Dinh, Lucita Flores, Doug Parker, Kathy Nebel, Michelle McLaughlin, 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**

**2015 Assessment: Owe \$14,000**

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.

## REFLECTING ON THE GOSPEL



Today's Gospel marks the beginning of the third long discourse given by Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew. Over the next few weeks, the Gospel readings will consist of the entire 13th Chapter of Matthew's Gospel, a lengthy teaching discourse.

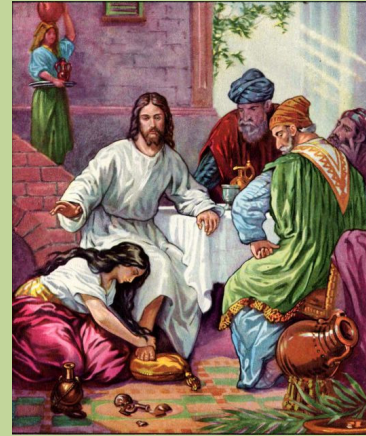
Throughout this discourse, Jesus will offer several parables to illustrate for his listeners what he means by the kingdom of heaven. He begins with the parable of the sower, which appears rather straightforward—of course seeds grow best in good soil. Seeds that miss the soil, are sown on rocky ground, or are sown among other plants will not grow. The surprise in the parable is the enormous yield of the seed that is sown on good soil.

Jesus then explains his use of parables. Jesus seems to suggest that he uses parables to teach because the meanings of parables are not self-evident. The hearer must engage in some degree of reflection in order to comprehend the message of a parable. In this way, the medium—the parable—models the point of the parable of the sower. Those who are willing to engage themselves in the effort to understand will be rewarded by the discovery of the message and will bear fruit.

To bring home the point, Jesus interprets the parable of the sower to his disciples. The different types of soil in which the seeds are sown are metaphors for the disposition with which each individual hears the teaching about the kingdom of heaven. Some will be easily swayed away from the kingdom of heaven. Some will receive it for a time but will lose it when faced with difficulties. Some will hear the word but will then permit other cares to choke it out. Yet some will receive it well, and the seed will produce abundant fruit.

<http://www.loyolapress.com/our-catholic-faith/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/15th-sunday-in-ordinary-time-a-sunday-connection>

## JULY 22- ST. MARY MAGDALENE



Mary Magdalene was one of Christ's disciples. She has been identified with several Marys in the Gospel: Mary, the sister of Martha and Lazarus; Mary, the sinner who washed Jesus' feet with her tears; Mary, a woman who cared for Jesus and his apostles on their journey. Today scholars believe that Mary Magdalene was not the sinful woman in Scripture although she has been confused with this unnamed woman for centuries.

Matthew, Mark, and John record that Mary of Magdala was present at the crucifixion of Jesus and that she was among the women who visited the tomb on Easter morning. Luke mentions her presence only at the tomb on Easter. According to John, Mary was specially privileged to see and speak to the risen Lord on Easter morning. She thought he was the gardener until he said her name.

So Mary Magdalene was near Jesus in his darkest hour and again in his most glorious hour. Moreover, she was an outstanding disciple of Jesus. Because Mary Magdalene was the one who brought the news of Jesus' resurrection to the apostles, she is called the Apostle to the Apostles. For centuries St. Mary Magdalene has been considered a model of complete generosity and of sincere sorrow for sin.

<http://www.loyolapress.com/our-catholic-faith/saints/saints-stories-for-all-ages/saint-mary-magdalene>

## 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!



Feeding the Community

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION

Registration for the 2017-2018 school year is now open. Forms can be picked up at the Religious Education office or in the Parish office. For more information, please contact Rene Asuncion at 925-458-4574.

## COLUMBIETTES

### BACK PACK DRIVE

Once again with the help of our Parish Family the Columbiettes are collecting donations to STUFF Back Packs for those children in need in Bay Point. Your Donation of \$5 or more will enable us to buy in bulk. You can give your cash or check written out to "The Columbiettes" to any Columbiette or Knight of Columbus BEFORE Aug 6th. If you know someone in need for a back pack please contact the rectory office. Thank you for helping us help others.



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FIREWORKS NIGHT AT THE A'S GAME

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a BBQ Tailgate prior to the Oakland A's vs Baltimore Orioles game on Saturday August 12. Tailgate starts at 3:00pm and games first pitch is 6:05pm with Fireworks after the game. Game tickets are FREE for all Alter Servers and \$25 for all others, game tickets are limited. For more information and to secure game tickets, please contact Andrew Trias at (510) 719-0834 or [andrew.trias@gmail.com](mailto:andrew.trias@gmail.com).



## PARISH EVENTS

### BAPTISM CLASS

Our next Baptism class for parents and godparents is Tuesday, August 8 at 7pm. Please register at the parish office.



## AROUND THE DIOCESE

### ST. PETER MARTYR SCHOOL FALL ENROLLEMNT

St. Peter Martyr School is accepting applications for 3 yr.-old Preschool, 4 yr.-old PreKindergarten, Kindergarten, and grades 1-8. In addition to our strong academic program, students receive spiritual knowledge of our Catholic faith, morals, and values. Extended Care and extra curricular programs are also available. Applications are available at the school and on our website [www.stpetermartyrschool.org](http://www.stpetermartyrschool.org). St. Peter Martyr School is located at 425 West Fourth St. in Pittsburg. We are fully accredited and invite you to become part of our Catholic school family. For further information about our affordable rates call the school at 925-439-1014 or visit [www.stpetermartyrschool.org](http://www.stpetermartyrschool.org).

### RELIGION QUIZ

The Liturgy of the Hours draws mainly from the Biblical book of \_\_\_\_\_.

*Last week's answer:* Jesus is a priest forever, in the order of Melchizedek.

### WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

<b>Wed. 7/19</b>	5pm 7pm	P#2: Legion of Mary H: Pre-Baptism
<b>Thurs. 7/20</b>	7:00pm	CH: Divine Mercy Prayer Group
<b>Fri. 7/21</b>	5pm-7pm 7pm 7pm	CH: Adoration P#1: Hispanic Choir H: Movie Night
<b>Sat. 7/22</b>	8am	H: Vietnamese Retreat

# MOVIE NIGHT

(Free Admission)



## Disney's "2017 BEAUTY & THE BEAST"

**Rated PG**  
**2 HR 19 Minutes.**  
**Fantasy, Romance**

Belle (Emma Watson), a bright, beautiful and independent young woman, is taken prisoner by a beast (Dan Stevens) in its castle. Despite her fears, she befriends the castle's enchanted staff and learns to look beyond the beast's hideous exterior, allowing her to recognize the kind heart and soul of the true prince that hides on the inside

**JULY 21, 2017**

Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Movie starts at 7 p.m.

**Watch out for the Upcoming Movies**

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

**Our Lady Queen of the World Church  
55<sup>th</sup> Anniversaryfest  
Parking Lot Market Fair  
Vendors Wanted**

(Crafts, Fresh Produce, Art, Books, White Elephants, Food)

**Saturday August 5, 2017 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

at

Our Lady Queen of the World Church Parking Lot  
3155 Winterbrook Drive  
Bay Point, CA 94565

**\$25.00 for a 10ft. x 10ft. space  
Last day to apply July 22, 2017**

**You must supply your own table(s) and/or canopy. No electricity is available.**

**All spaces will be outside and uncovered.**

- Make / Mail checks payable to:  
Our Lady Queen of the World Church, 3155 Winterbrook Dr. Bay Point, CA 94565
- Payment must include a signed application / waiver
- No exclusivity will be granted or guaranteed (discloser will be made of paid vendors)
- No generators, flame/explosive generating items, animals (except service animals), sexually explicit or profane items, illegal sale items, artificial tobacco items, weapons, alcohol or drugs/drug paraphernalia are allowed.
- All applications are subject to approval and may be denied by Parking Lot Market Fair Committee.
- Notification will be made in 5 days of approval/denial.

**Please join us and make this a great day!**

Questions contact: Debbie Solomon      925-437-6045    E-MAIL: dandkgs@comcast.net

All proceeds go to the Our Lady Queen of the World Building Fund.

# OLQW 55TH ANNIVERSARYFEST EVENTS (MARK YOUR CALENDARS)

## OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD 55TH ANNIVERSARYFEST RAFFLE

**GET YOUR RAFFLE TICKET FOR A CHANCE  
TO WIN  
\$2,000.00 CASH  
& other consolation prizes**

**Winners will be drawn on  
August 19, 2017  
(Need not be present to win)**

**Donation: 3 Tickets for \$10.00**

**Early Bird drawing on 8/16/17  
(\$50.00 Honey Bake Ham Gift Card)**



## Volleyball Tournament

1ST GAME	8/5/17	1:30 P.M.
2ND GAME	8/19/17	11:00 A.M.
CHAMPIONSHIP	8/20/17	2:30 P.M.

### ARE YOU UP FOR THE CHALLENGE?

Sign-up for the Four Teams!  
Contact Romy Collado 925-550-9648

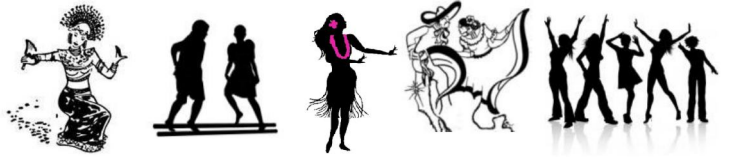
Winning Team will win prizes!

## PARKING LOT MARKET FAIR



**AUGUST 5, 2017  
8:00 A.M. - 1 P.M.**

## CULTURAL NIGHT PRESENTATION & ANNIVERSARYFEST POTLUCK DINNER



**AUGUST 19,, 2017  
6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.**



## 55th Anniversary Special Multi-Cultural Liturgy

**August 20, 2017  
Noon Mass**

**Celebrant: Bishop Michael Barber**



## International Food Booths & More...

**August 20, 2017  
1:30 p.m.**



## Carnival Games & Family Games

Bean Bag Toss  
Ducks in a pond  
Animal Balloons  
& more...

Spin a Wheel  
Ring Toss  
Face Painting

Musical Chairs  
Relay Races  
& more...

Water Balloon Toss  
Tug-a-war

**August 20, 2017  
1:30 p.m.**