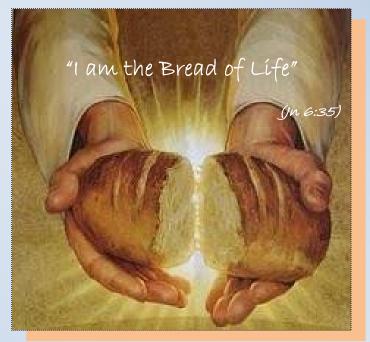
# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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### **EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: AUGUST 5, 2018**

# Fr. Peter Ngo Duc Dung, Pastor Deacon Loc Nguyen

#### **Office Hours**

Monday – Friday: 9:00AM - 1:00PM

#### Masses

Saturday Vigil:	5:00PM (English)
	7:00Pм (Spanish)
Sunday:	8:00AM, 10:00AM, 12 Noon
	4Рм (Vietnamese)
Weekdays:	Mon-Fri. 7:30AM, Sat. 8AM
First Friday:	7:30рм
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#### **Devotions**

Adoration & Benediction: Fridays from 6PM-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 Email: director@olqwre.olqw.org

#### St. Vincent de Paul

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

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, Aug. 06 7:30 am World Peace

**Tuesday, Aug. 07** 7:30 am Xavier Joseph

Wednesday, Aug. 08 7:30am Lilia M. Catapusan 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of Death

**Thursday, Aug. 09** 7:30am Sixta Rivera

Friday, Aug. 10 7:30am Fr. Peter Ngo (BD)

#### Saturday, Aug. 11

8:00 am	Mary Bautista
5:00pm	Aurora Bernadino (BD)
7:00pm (SP)	Elena Valadez Gonzales

#### Sunday, Aug. 12

8:00 am	Ernesto Cassin
10:00 am	Salud Tato
12:00 pm	Special Intention
4:00pm	Vietnamese

#### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

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**Regina Mundi Guild** Leah Abejuela, President labejuela@gmail.com

**St. Vincent de Paul Society** *Esther Tilton, President SVDPOLQW@gmail.com Lina Ramon, Treasurer Katt Embody, Secretary* 

Legion of MaryRick Belza925-261-0283

Vietnamese Association

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Jn 6:24-35

When the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into boats and came to Capernaum looking for Jesus. And when they found him across the sea they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you get here?" Jesus answered them and said, "Amen, amen, I say to you, you are looking for me not because you saw signs but because you ate the loaves and were filled. Do not work for food that perishes but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For on him the Father, God, has set his seal." So they said to him, "What can we do to accomplish the works of God?" Jesus answered and said to them, "This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent." So they said to him, "What sign can you do, that we may see and believe in you? What can you do? Our ancestors ate manna in the desert, as it is written: He gave them bread from heaven to eat." So Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

So they said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always." Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst."

http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/080518.cfm

#### **PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Ed Plaza, German Duarte, Sylvia Ho, Kathy Nebel, Michelle McLaughlin, Liliana Baltar, Jovita Domingo, Carl Bulygo, Eden Capistrano-Rosete, Jenny, 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**

July 29, 2018: \$ 5, 436.00 St. Vincent de Paul: \$ 1,389.00

> Thank you for your continued generosity To support Our Parish

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**

This Sunday we continue to read from the sixth chapter of John's Gospel, but not continuously. Our

Lectionary omits John's report of Jesus' walking on water. This event is reported much less dramatically in John's Gospel than in the Synoptic Gospels. After the feeding of the multitudes, the disciples leave in a boat and Jesus follows them. The disciples are said to be terrified by what they see. Jesus reassures them and rejoins them. In today's Gospel, we learn that the crowd has noticed the departure of Jesus and his disciples and so seeks them out in Capernaum. In the dialogue that follows between Jesus and the crowds, Jesus unfolds for us the gift of himself that that he gives in the Eucharist. In today's Gospel, there are four exchanges between Jesus and the crowd. In the first, the crowd, having followed Jesus to Capernaum, asks a very matter of fact question: "Rabbi, when did you get here?" Jesus replies by naming their motivation in pursuing him. They have been fed. Jesus acknowledges this, yet challenges them to see beyond the fulfillment of their material needs. The crowds have followed Jesus because they have been fed. They ought to be seeking out Jesus because he can give them eternal life.

As the second dialogue begins, it seems that the crowd might be on their way to accepting Jesus and his mission. They ask: "What can we do to accomplish the works of God?" Jesus replies that they must have faith in the one sent from God. But in the third dialogue, the crowd reveals their inability to see Jesus' true identity. They ask Jesus for a sign so that they might know that Jesus is from God. How strange this sounds since Jesus has just fed more than 5000 people. What more is expected? But the crowd cannot see beyond the surface of the sign. They show this in their interpretation of the sign that came from Moses. In their description, they identify Jesus with Moses, as if to say, as Moses gave the people manna in the desert, give us a sign so that we will know that you are from God. They are looking to identify a prophet without realizing that God is standing before them. Jesus corrects their misinterpretation, saving that the manna received by their ancestors came from God. As God fulfilled their ancestors' needs in the desert, so God has provided them with food for eternal life. In the bread that they have received from Jesus, they have received physical nourishment and also spiritual nourishment. Jesus wants the crowd to see beyond the surface to the One who provides true nourishment. The conclusion of the dialogue reveals the crowd's blindness. They ask for what Jesus has just told them they have found: "Sir, give us this bread always." Jesus answers plainly that he himself is the Bread of Life they seek. Jesus himself is the Bread of Life who will satisfy every hunger and thirst. This is the first of several such statements found in John's Gospel. We understand these better when we remember that God revealed his name to the people of Israel as "I am," as Yahweh. Jesus is now claiming this name for himself. In the weeks ahead, we will see the offense that this gives to the people.

https://www.loyolapress.com/our-catholic-faith/liturgical-year/sundayconnection/18thsundayinordinarytimebsundayconnectionhtm

#### SAINT TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS August 09



A brilliant philosopher who stopped believing in God when she was 14, Edith Stein was so captivated by reading the autobiography of Teresa of Avila that she began a spiritual journey that led to her baptism in 1922. Twelve years later she imitated Saint Teresa by becoming a Carmelite, taking the name Teresa Benedicta of the Cross.

Born into a prominent Jewish family in Breslau, Germany—now Wroclaw, Poland—Edith abandoned Judaism in her teens. As a student at the University of Göttingen, she became fascinated by phenomenology, an approach to philosophy. Excelling as a protégé of Edmund Husserl, one of the leading phenomenologists, Edith earned a doctorate in philosophy in 1916. She continued as a university teacher until 1922 when she moved to a Dominican school in Speyer; her appointment as lecturer at the Educational Institute of Munich ended under pressure from the Nazis.

After living for four years in the Cologne Carmel, Sister Teresa Benedicta moved to the Carmelite monastery in Echt, Netherlands, in 1938. The Nazis occupied that country in 1940. In retaliation for being denounced by the Dutch bishops, the Nazis arrested all Dutch Jews who had become Christians. Teresa Benedicta and her sister Rosa, also a Catholic, died in a gas chamber in Auschwitz on August 9, 1942.

<u>Pope John Paul II</u> beatified Teresa Benedicta of the Cross in 1987, and canonized her 12 years later.

https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-teresa-benedicta-of-thecross-edith-stein/

#### **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**



#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION** REGISTRATION

Registration for the 2018-2019 school year is now open. Forms can be picked up at the Religious Education office or in the Parish office. Enrollment will end October 1<sup>st</sup>. For more

information, please contact Rene Asuncion at 925-458-4574.

Youth Members and Confirmation Students must register by August 27 to attend ON FIRE CAL-JAM on Sept. 15, 2018.

#### **CATECHETICAL CONGRESS**

The annual diocesan Catechetical Congress/Congreso Catequético, open to the public, will be held Aug. 11, 8:15 a.m. to 4 p.m., at Bishop O'Dowd High School, 9500 Stearns Ave., Oakland. Speakers include the vice president of Life Teen, the executive director of Courage International, and the director of evangelization and parish life for the Miami Archdiocese, along with Bishop Michael Barber and local experts. Early bird registration of \$35 ends July 15; late registration is \$40. No registration will be accepted on the day of the event. To register, visit our website. For

contact Patty Collyer at pcollyer@oakdiocese.org.

"Let us begin in earnest to work out our salvation, for no one will do it for us, since even He Himself, Who made us without ourselves, will not save us without ourselves."

#### **PARISH EVENTS**

#### **OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WOLD** ANNIVERSARY FESTIVAL

Come celebrate OLQW's 56th Anniversary on Sunday August 19. A multicultural Mass will be celebrated at 12:00pm followed by food booths from different ethnic cultures. Enjoy good food and good company!

Anniversary Festival Donation Request: If you would like to donate water and soda for our annual Anniversary Festival, please bring them to the rectory or hall. Thank you for your generosity.

#### **BAPTISM CLASS**

Our next Baptism class for parents and godparents is Tuesday, August 14, 2018 at 7pm. Please register at the parish office.



#### **IN REMEMBRANCE OF FR. CULVER**



As many of you know, Father Culver LOVED movies. He had a large collection of movies that will be listed on EBay. More than 56

listings of his DVDs have already been posted and more will be added everyday. What a lovely way to remember him while enjoying one of his movies. Just go to tinyurl.com/Father Culver and it will take you to his EBay listings. All proceeds will go back to our parish.



#### **MARIAN DEVOTION**

Devotion to Our Lady of LaVang will take place on Monday, August 13 beginning with a procession from Palis Hall to the Church at 7pm, followed by mass. All are welcome to come and honor our Mother.

#### THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION **OF MARY - AUGUST 15.**

Assumption Day is considered a Holy Day of Obligation. On Wednesday Aug. 15, our parish has the Assumption Masses at 9:00am; 10:00am; 5:00pm and 7:30pm.

Our next Bingo Saturday, August us for a night of fun!



night is 11 at 6pm. Join fellowship and

#### BACKPACK DRIVE



The Columbiettes would like to thank Our Parish Family for all the help with the backpack drive. We were able to purchase 144 backpacks and

fill them with all the school supplies for this year. The majorities are given to Riverview Middle School and some will also go to St. Vincent de Paul for distribution.

We would not have been able to do this without your generous help. God bless our Parish Family.

#### WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

Tues. Aug. 07	
7:30pm	K of C Rosary & Meeting
Wed. Aug. 08	
9:15am	CH: Legion of Mary
Thurs. Aug. 09	
7:00pm	P#2: Divine Mercy
Fri. Aug. 10	
7:00pm	P#1: Hispanic Choir
Sat. Aug. 11	
6:00pm	Bingo

#### **AROUND THE DIOCESE**

#### PARISH SOLIDARITY INITIATIVE ORIENTATION

A Parish Solidarity Initiative Orientation will be held on Friday, Aug. 17, 6-8 p.m., at the Cathedral Christ the Light Parish Hall. This is a new diocesan initiative to assist parishes in inspiring and guiding their parishioners to put their faith into action. The evening will include a formal presentation about the Parish Solidarity Initiative, including its spirituality and process, resources being provided by diocesan agencies and what will be expected of participants. If pastors are unable to come, please send one or more parish representatives. Spanish interpretation will be provided. No commitment will be asked of



parishes at this event. Please RSVP by August 13 and direct any questions you may have to Moises Roberto De Leon, 805.668.1249 or mrdeleon@cceb.org.

#### <u>ST. PETER MARTYR SCHOOL</u> <u>FALL ENROLLMENT</u>

St. Peter Martyr School is accepting applications for 3 Preschool, 4 yr.-old Pre-Kindergarten, yr.-old 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. 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.

#### NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING CLASSES

An introduction to Natural Family Planning, a form of

family planning which conforms to Catholic teaching, is being offered Sept. 8. The session is from 1 to 4 p.m. and will be offered at Real Options Obria



Medical Clinic-Union City, 33523 Western Ave., Union City. The session is free and open to engaged or married couples, clergy and religious. For more information, call 510.271.1936.

### **MOVIE NIGHT** (Free Admission)



FEATURING

## **"DISNEY'S FREAKY FRIDAY"** Rated PG 1 Hr & 37 min. Fantasy, Teen film, Comedy

Single mother Tess Coleman (Jamie Lee Curtis) and her teenage daughter Anna (Lindsay Lohan) couldn't be more different, and it is driving them both insane. After receiving cryptic fortunes at a Chinese restaurant, the two wake up the next day to discover that they have somehow switched bodies. Unable to switch back, they are forced to masquerade as one another until a solution can be found. In the process, they develop a new sense of respect and understanding for one another.

# **AUGUST 24, 2018** Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Movie starts at 7 p.m.

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