

Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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Mary said to the servers, "Do whatever he tells you." (John 2:5)

January 20, 2019

Fr. Peter Ngo Duc Dung, Pastor
Deacon Loc Nguyen

Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 9:00AM - 1:00PM

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 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

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.

Rene Asuncion

, Director of Rel. Ed.

Tel:(925) 458-4574-Website: olqwre.olqw.org

Email:director@olqwre.olqw.org

- **Religious Education**
- **RICA** Adults seeking Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, or membership in the Catholic Church.

St. Vincent de Paul

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

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Monday, Jan. 21

7:30 am Thanksgiving

Tuesday, Jan. 22

7:30 am All Souls

Wednesday, Jan. 23

7:30 am Howard S. Tilton

Thursday, Jan. 24

7:30 am Ane Phan

Friday, Jan. 25

7:30 am Fr. Richard Culver

Saturday, Jan. 26

8:00 am Agripino V. Magwili

5:00 pm All the Souls

7:00 pm (SP) † Ramon Gutierrez

Sunday, Jan. 27

8:00 am George Balsbaugh

10:00 am Martha Cao

12:00 pm Mary Rabang

4:00 pm Vietnamese



PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

Filipino Association: Lourdes Servigon ,
Coordinator (925-334-9111)

Hispanic Association Rosie Estrada,
Coordinator (925-639-7946)

Columbiettes Columbiettes08@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus Adrew Trias
(Andrew.trias@gmail.com)

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

St. Vincent de Paul Society: Esther Tilton,
President SVDPOLOW@gmail.com

Legion of Mary: Rick Belza (925-261-0283)

Vietnamese Association

GOSPEL READING

John 2:1-11



There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, how does your concern affect me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servers, "Do whatever he tells you."

Now there were six stone water jars there for Jewish ceremonial washings, each holding twenty to thirty gallons. Jesus told the them, "Fill the jars with water." So they filled them to the brim. Then he told them, "Draw some out now and take it to the headwaiter." "So they took it. And when the headwaiter tasted the water that had become wine, without knowing where it came from — although the servers who had drawn the water knew —, the headwaiter called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves good wine first, and then when people have drunk freely, an inferior one; but you have kept the good wine until now."

Jesus did this as the beginning of his signs at Cana in Galilee and so revealed his glory, and his disciples began to believe in him.

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Ed Plaza, German Duarte, Sylvia Ho, Kathy Nebel, Michelle McLaughlin, Liliana Baltar, Jovita Domingo, Eden Capistrano-Rosete, Joseph Do, Bertha Baldauf, Monica Aviles and 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 458-4718.

STEWARDSHIP/FINANCE

Sunday Plate Jan. 13: \$ 5,515.00

Building Fund collection: \$ 2,316.00

Thank you for your contribution support to sustain the ministries & ongoing needs of 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.

REFLECTION ON GOSPEL

This Sunday we begin the liturgical season of Ordinary Time. For many Sundays in this lectionary cycle (Cycle C), our readings will be taken from the Gospel of Luke. Occasionally, however, we will read from John's Gospel. This is true of today's Gospel reading, which describes the beginning of Jesus' ministry and his first miracle. To situate today's reading within the context of John's Gospel, we note that John's report of this event follows Jesus' call of his first disciples. John tells us that Jesus and his disciples were invited to this wedding at Cana, as was Jesus' mother, Mary. There is no parallel report of this miracle at Cana in the Synoptic Gospels.

In the Church's liturgical history, the wedding feast of Cana is closely associated with the baptism of the Lord and the adoration of the infant Jesus by the Wise Men. In this context, the sign Jesus performs at the wedding feast is celebrated as an epiphany or a manifestation of Jesus' divinity.

Yet awareness of Jesus' impending passion and death is ever present in John's Gospel. Even in this report of Jesus' first sign, the language used anticipates Jesus' passion. When Jesus says to his mother that his hour has not yet come, he protests against her wishes in language that John will use again when reporting Jesus' Last Supper with his disciples. When introducing the story of Jesus washing his disciples' feet, John writes that Jesus knew that his hour had come. In John's Gospel, Jesus is very much in command and aware of all that is to happen to him. Here, as elsewhere in John's Gospel, Mary is not mentioned by name, but is referred to instead as the mother of Jesus. Mary is influential in Jesus' first sign. She will also be present at his Crucifixion, a witness to the final manifestation of his divinity.

John's Gospel describes seven signs that indicate Jesus' identity to his disciples. John never speaks of these signs as miracles because their importance is not in the deed that Jesus performs but in what these deeds indicate about Jesus' identity. Here, as when John describes the other signs, the disciples are said to begin to believe, but no mention is made as to whether the other wedding guests are even aware of what has happened.

Marriage and wedding feasts are metaphors used in Scripture to describe God's salvation and the Kingdom of God. Here at the beginning of Jesus' public ministry, John's Gospel seeks to establish that Jesus is going to re-interpret and fulfill Yahweh's promise to Israel. Jesus establishes the New Covenant. A hint about what this New Covenant will be like is made evident in the deed that Jesus performs. Asked to do something to address the awkward situation that the absence of wine at a wedding feast would create, Jesus' miracle produces vast quantities of wine—six jars holding thirty gallons each are filled to overflowing with choice wine.

This lavish response to a simple human need is a vision for us of the abundance of God's kingdom. It challenges us to respond generously when confronted with human need today. We respond as best we can, fully confident that God can transform our efforts, bringing the Kingdom of God to fulfillment among us.



STUDENTS' PROFILE

Richard Mc Bride

Richard is the son of Richard and Lesley, and brother to Shauna and Brittany, and spouse of Kristin and father to their new born son. Born in New York, and raised in California since he was one year old. Attended most school years in Pittsburg and graduated from Pittsburg High in 2005.

I am in the RCIA program to complete my sacraments of initiation and also to be eligible as a godfather to our nephew. I received my First Holy Communion at OLQWC but did not return for my confirmation. As a full-pledged catholic with my confirmation, I intend to help the youth in the community, the homeless in the community who are overlooked and sometimes considered to be nuisance to other people. The community can expect me to be honest and productive Catholic. By completing the sacraments of initiation, I can teach my son and my nephews and nieces the way of Christ. I am grateful to learn all this information from Rene through the RCIA program so I can teach the young ones in my family the way of Christ.

Jose Natividad Lopez Ornelas

Jose was born in Martinez, CA on April 16, 2000 to Jose and Maria Lopez, and brother to Cinthia and Leonardo. Went to school at Shore Acres Elementary, Riverview Middle School, and graduated at Mount Diablo High School in 2018, and attending Diablo Valley College majoring in computer science to make websites and develop video games. I love music and played with the Riverview Middle School Concert and and also with Mount Diablo High School concert and orchestra.

I am in the RCIA program to learn more about God and be able to defend my faith. The community can expect me to be more cooperative and helpful, and I interact well with the youth as well as the older people. As a Catholic and member of the church, it is important for me to complete my sacraments of Initiation to get eternal life and grace given by Jesus Christ and be almost perfect as he is.

PARISH EVENTS



BAPTISM CLASS

office.

Our next Baptism class for parents and godparents is Tuesday, February 12, 2019 at 7pm. Please register at the parish

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Saturday, January 26, 11:00 am

Civic Center Plaza, San Francisco

415-658-1793 Info@WalkforLifeWC.com

WalkForLifeWC.com

Join us for the 15th Annual Walk for Life West Coast in San Francisco! Rally starts at Civic Center Plaza, walking down Market Street (2 miles). Ends at Justin Herman Plaza/Ferry Building. BART stations at both locations. Ample parking. Please contact Rene Asuncion at 925-458-4574, if you are interested in being a chaperone.

**Tax statements will be available after February 03.
On your contribution envelopes, please indicate that you need a statement or call the rectory.**

BIBLE CLASS



Father Peter will be offering a Bible class for all adults interested in refreshing your knowledge of Scripture. Classes will be on Third Tuesday night from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm. The next Class will on Tuesday February 19. For more information or

to sign up, contact Rene Asuncion at 925-458-4574 or director@olqwre.olqw.org

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!



WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

Monday Jan. 21

7:00 pm

Rel. Ed. Classes

Tuesday Jan. 22

7:00 pm

Bible Class

Wed. Jan. 23

9:15am

CH: Legion of Mary

7:00 pm

K of C Meeting

Thurs. Jan. 24

7:00 pm

P#2: Divine Mercy

7:00 pm

RCIA Class

Friday, Jan. 25

5:00 pm

K of C (Preparation)

7:00 pm

P#1: Hispanic Choir

Saturday, Jan. 26

9:00am

Rel. Education Class

11:00am

K of C (Decoration)

7:00pm

K of C Crab Feed Dinner

Sunday Jan. 27

1:00pm

Vietnamese Language School

2:00 pm

P#2 Vietnamese Choir

6:00 pm

Filipino Assoc.

AROUND DIOCESE OF OAKLAND

TAIZE



Taizé - Prayer around the Cross will be offered from 8-9 p.m. on Jan. 18, Feb. 15, March 15, and May 17 at the Dominican Sisters of Mission

San Jose Chapel, 43326 Mission Circle, Fremont. For more information call 510.657.2468.

37TH ANNUAL AFRICAN AMERICAN CELEBRATION SERIES

37th Annual African American Celebration Series will be held Jan. 19-Feb. 17 at St. Columba Catholic Church, 6401 San Pablo Ave, Oakland. Our theme this year is “Called to Follow...Called to Worship...Called to Lead.” Come and celebrate with us at one of our liturgies: Saturday 4 p.m., Sunday 8 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. We have an esteemed line-up of speakers:

- Dr. Toinette Eugene – PhD in Religion and Society (Jan 19/20)
- Fr. Kwame Assenyoh – The Catholic Community of Pleasanton (Jan 26/27)
- Dr. C. Vanessa White – Catholic Theological Union (Feb 02/03)
- Fr. Bryan Massingale – Fordham University (Feb 09/10)
- Rev. Michael-Ray Mathews – Deputy Director at Faith in Action formerly PICO California (Feb 16/17).

We welcome you to share in the M. Roger Holland Experience Gospel Choir workshop Wednesday, Feb. 13 to Friday, Feb. 1, 7-9 p.m. each evening; Saturday, Feb. 16 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., followed by lunch in the parish hall; and the multi-congregation Gospel Choir performance on Sunday, Feb. 17 at 10:30 a.m. Mass. For more information regarding this celebration, please contact the church office at (510) 654-7600

St Columba Catholic Church
presents its 37th Annual

AFRICAN AMERICAN
Celebration Series
January 19, 2019 through February 17, 2019

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Come and Celebrate at one of four Liturgies: Saturday 4PM, Sunday 8AM or 10:30AM

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*The M. Roger Holland Workshop Choir**

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M. Roger Holland Experience
Gospel Choir Workshop

Boundless Compassion – Creating a Way of Life

A seven-week personal transformation process for developing and deepening compassion, will begin Jan. 29, 10 a.m. to noon. \$10 per session. Group size is limited, so register early. Register early. The event will be held at the Dominican Sisters Motherhouse, 43326 Mission Circle (entrance off Mission Tierra) Fremont. Register by Jan. 25 at <http://bit.ly/2019Boundless> or call 510-933-6360.

OLQW Charm Bracelet

Adjustable Slide bracelet with custom
designed Enamel Charm Mother Mary

And a second rose gold dangle

Valentine Day

Special SALE

ONLY \$25

Feb 2 & 3



Regularly \$30 each .

Available After all masses Feb 2 & 3

Makes a great Valentine Day Gift !

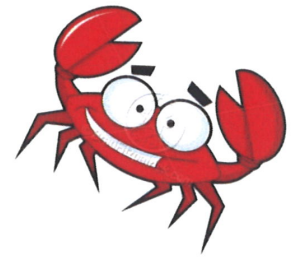
Raising funds for a Procession statue

for the Parish



11th Annual

Parish Crab Feed



sponsored by
The Knights of Columbus #7164

Bread, salad, pasta and all you can eat Crab or Tri-Tip
Beer, Wine and soft drinks will also be available

Saturday January 26th

Doors open at 6:00pm Dinner service begins at 7:00pm
tickets must be purchased by January 20

Adults \$45.00

Youth (10 and younger) \$10.00

Table of 8 for \$325.00

(For Visa or M/C Purchases \$47/\$11/\$335 to offset bank fees)

Cash, Check, MC, Visa and Debit cards accepted

Please call Becky at 925-285-4947 for Tickets or

See a ticket seller after Mass from Dec 29th to Jan 20th