

# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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*“Stop judging and you will not be judged.”*  
*(Luke 6: 37)*

*February 24, 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.

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#### • 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

**Monday, Feb. 25**

7:30 am Maria Nu Nguyen

**Tuesday, Feb. 26**

7:30 am Jeanie Hampton

**Wednesday, Feb. 27**

7:30 am Sharon Quimet

**Thursday, Feb. 28**

7:30 am Manuel & Angela Bernardo

**Friday, Mar. 1**

7:30 am Pricila C. Solomon

**Saturday, Mar. 2**

8:00 am Anna Lam

5:00 pm Leticia Mendoza Rosaura

7:00 pm (SP) † Tita Pacheco

**Sunday, Mar. 3**

8:00 am George Balsbaugh

10:00 am Arturo & Aurora Mediana

12:00 pm Relli Geneza

4:00 pm (VN)



**PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS**

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

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

**Columbiettes** [Columbiettes08@gmail.com](mailto:Columbiettes08@gmail.com)

**Knights of Columbus** Adrew Trias  
([Andrew.trias@gmail.com](mailto:Andrew.trias@gmail.com))

**Regina Mundi Guild** Leah Abejuela,  
President([labejuela@gmail.com](mailto:labejuela@gmail.com))

**St. Vincent de Paul Society:** Esther Tilton,  
President [SVDPOLQW@gmail.com](mailto:SVDPOLQW@gmail.com)

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

**Vietnamese Association**

**GOSPEL READING**

**Lk 6:27-38**



Jesus said to his disciples:

“To you who hear I say, love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you. To the person who strikes you on one cheek, offer the other one as well, and from the person who takes your cloak, do not withhold even your tunic. Give to everyone who asks of you, and from the one who takes what is yours do not demand it back. Do to others as you would have them do to you. For if you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? Even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? Even sinners do the same. If you lend money to those from whom you expect repayment, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, and get back the same amount. But rather, love your enemies and do good to them, and lend expecting nothing back; then your reward will be great and you will be children of the Most High, for he himself is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful. “Stop judging and you will not be judged. Stop condemning and you will not be condemned. Forgive and you will be forgiven. Give, and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you.”

**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 Feb. 17: \$ 5,163.00**

**Maintenance Fund: \$ 2,056.00**

*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

Today's gospel reading is a continuation of the teaching that began in last Sunday's gospel. We continue to hear Jesus' Sermon on the Plain. Recall that in Luke's Gospel, this teaching is addressed to Jesus' disciples. This is in contrast to the parallel found in Matthew's Gospel, the Sermon on the Mount, in which Jesus' words are addressed to both the disciples and to the crowds.

These words from Jesus' teaching are familiar to us. They constitute the crux and the challenge of what it means to be a disciple: Love your enemies, turn the other cheek, give to those who ask, do unto others, lend without expecting repayment, judge not lest you be judged.

There are several similarities between Luke's and Matthew's report of Jesus' great teaching. Both begin with the Beatitudes. Matthew includes nearly all the content that Luke does; the Sermon on the Mount in Matthew's Gospel is longer than Luke's Sermon on the Plain. There are, however, differences in language and nuance. For example, Matthew presents this portion of the teaching as a contrast between Jesus' teaching and the teachings of the law and the prophets. This is in keeping with Matthew's concern to address his predominantly Jewish audience. It is likely that Luke omits this contrast because it was unnecessary for the Gentile believers for whom Luke is writing. Another point of contrast between Matthew and Luke's presentation is the terminology. In Luke, Jesus contrasts the behavior of his followers with the behavior of "sinners." In Matthew, Jesus contrasts the behavior desired with the behavior of tax collectors and Gentiles. Matthew concludes the teaching about love of enemies with the admonition to be perfect as God is perfect; Luke concludes by emphasizing God's mercy.

In both Gospels, Jesus' words challenge those who would follow him to be more like God. God loves us beyond our expectations, beyond anything we can possibly imagine. In response to God's love, we are to love as God loves, beyond expectations and with a depth beyond imagining.



### STUDENTS' PROFILE

#### Lilianna Inzunza

Lilianna was born to parents from Sinaloa, Mexico in San Antonio, Texas. Lilianna and her mother and 4 sisters moved to the Bay Area when she was five. She has been in the Bay Point Area for 11 years, studied at Rio Vista Elementary School and Riverview Middle school and is a junior at Mount Diablo High School, with her 3 pets.

I am in the RCIA program because I want to be confirmed and be eligible to be married in church.

#### Brianna Garcia

Brianna is the oldest of 4 siblings whose parents met in Jalisco, Mexico. Currently studying night school classes and planning to attend the University of Berkeley to study law.

I am in the RCIA program because I need to get confirmed and be able to get married in church someday. I want to be accepted as I am and know myself without being judged.

It is important to complete my sacraments of initiation to understand our faith journey and be aware of our roles as Christians.

## PARISH EVENTS



### BAPTISM CLASS

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

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**Confirmation 3 Parents:** There will be a **Mandatory Meeting** on Monday, March 11 at 7:00 pm.

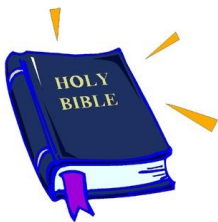
## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

### 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!



### 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 March 19th. For more information or to sign up, contact Rene Asuncion at 925-458-4574 or [director@olqwre.olqw.org](mailto:director@olqwre.olqw.org).

Bibles are available for purchase at the Rectory office or Religious Education office.



### BINGO

Starting March 2, 2019, Bingo will have a new start time!!! Doors will still open at 6:00pm, but instead of 7:30 pm start time, we will start at **7:00 pm**.

## WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

### **Monday Feb. 25**

7:00 pm

Religious Education

### **Tuesday Feb. 26**

7:00 pm

K of C Officer's Meeting

### **Wed. Feb. 27**

9:15 am

CH: Legion of Mary

7:30 pm

CH: Youth Choir

7:30 pm

St. Patrick's Dinner Meeting

### **Thurs. Feb. 28**

7:00 pm

P#2: Divine Mercy

7:00 pm

RCIA Class

### **Friday, Mar. 1**

5:00 pm

Adoration

7:00 pm

Benediction

7:00 pm

P#1: Hispanic Choir

### **Saturday, Mar. 2**

9:30 am

CCD 1<sup>st</sup> Sat Mass

6:00 pm

Bingo

### **Sunday, Mar. 3**

9:00 am

K of C Pancake Breakfast

12:00 pm

P#2: Vietnamese Choir

**Tax statements are now available. On your contribution envelopes, please indicate that you need a statement or call the rectory.**

## 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.

### Magnificat SOTI: A Ministry for Catholic Women

Invites all women for their prayer breakfast on March 9, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Crowne Plaza, 45 John Glenn Drive, Concord. Barbara Nicolosi Harrington, a Hollywood writer, producer, story consultant and production company executive for over 20 years will be the speaker. Some of her projects include *The Passion of the Christ*, *Joan of Arcadia*, and *Saving Grace*. She is the founder of ACT ONE, a non-profit educational program to help Christians enter careers in the entertainment industry. Men are always welcome. Tickets are \$33/\$40 after March 2. For more information: <https://magnificat-ministry.net/ca-walnut-creek>. Email [Magnificatsotirsvp@gmail.com](mailto:Magnificatsotirsvp@gmail.com) or call Kim Sullivan at 925-683-8220 for tickets or questions.

Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose Center for Education & Spirituality, 43326 Mission Circle (entrance off Mission Tierra) Fremont, present: *Paths to Grace – Lenten Prayer Through Art*; \$25 each session. Register at <http://bit.ly/2019PathsToGrace> or call 510-933-6360 March 3, 1:45-4:30 p.m.: “I Am The Way” March 9, 9 a.m.-noon: “I Am The Truth” March 13, 6:45-9:30 p.m.: “I Am The Life Ash Wednesday Day of Prayer, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.; \$40. Register by March 1 at <http://bit.ly/2019AshWed> or call 510-933-6360 *Spiritual Guides for Today - The Return of the Prodigal Son*; \$10 per session. Four part series March 7, March 14, March 21 and , March 28, 1-2:30 p.m. each session. Group size is limited. Register early at <http://bit.ly/2019ProdigalSon> or call 510-9336360 *Something About Nones: Exploring the Spirituality of Unaffiliated Young Adults*: March 16, 9 a.m.-noon. \$30,

scholarships available. Register by March 10 at <http://bit.ly/2019AboutNones> or call 510-933-6360 *Women & Spirit – A Documentary* narrated by Cokie Roberts, presented by S. Cecilia Canales, OP: March 17, 2-4 p.m. Free will offering. Register by March 13 at <http://bit.ly/2019WomenAndSpirit> or call 510-933-6360 *Stations of the Cross for Seniors* with S. Mary Mark Schoenstein, OP: March 29, April 5 and April 12, 2:30 p.m.

### “With a Voice of Singing,”

A concert featuring the St. Michael’s choirs – chamber, LifeTeen, children, Spanish and Filipino – will be held March 1, 7 p.m. at St. Michael Parish in Livermore. For more information, contact JaNet Hancock, director of music, at [music@stmichaellivermore.com](mailto:music@stmichaellivermore.com) or 925-292-5071.

### San Damiano Retreat Center

San Damiano Retreat Center located , 710 Highland Dr., 925-837-9141, ext. 315 [katerik@sandamiano.org](mailto:katerik@sandamiano.org), [SanDamiano.org](http://SanDamiano.org) offers the following retreats:

- March 5 – April 9 (Tuesdays): Spring Book Series “The Soul’s Slow Ripening: 12 Celtic Practices for Seeking the Sacred” by Christine Valters-Painter led by Kathy Miranda
- March 6: Ash Wednesday Day of Renewal with the Franciscan Friars of San Damiano, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m. (includes lunch), \$45
- March 6: Ash Wednesday Evening of Renewal with the Franciscan Friars of San Damiano, 5-8 p.m. (includes dinner), \$30
- March 9 - April 13 (Saturdays): Lenten Stations of the Cross with Jan Stegner 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.
- March 13 - April 10 (Wednesdays): Lenten Taizé Prayer, 7-8 p.m.
- March 14 – April 11 (Thursdays): “Facing the Love of God” Lenten Contemplative Prayer with Sr. Celeste Crine OSF & Fr. Rusty Shaughnessy OFM 7-8 p.m. March 16: Christian Meditation Day with Claire La Scola, Donna Lack & June Pangelinan
- March 29-31 Lenten Retreat: “All Shall Be Well” A Retreat with the Revelations of Julian of Norwich with Veronica Mary Rolf

## **12th Annual Parish St. Patrick's Dinner**

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

### **Saturday March 16th**



Doors open at 6pm Dinner 7pm

Our Lady Queen of the World Parish Hall

3155 Winterbrook Dr. Bay Point, CA 94565

### **The Menu Includes**

Corn Beef or Chicken, Potatoes, Cabbage

Beer, Wine and soft drinks will be available

Raffles Prizes and a Cake Auction

### **Tickets for sale through March 10th**

No tickets sold at the door

Adults \$12.50 Youth 10 and under \$6.00



Everyone's Irish  
On March 17th.

Tickets sold after all masses  
Starting Feb 23th 2019



## *Calling All Youth!!!*

*Do you like to sing? Do you play an instrument? Are you interested in singing and playing for the Lord? If yes, come and join the Youth Choir. Contact Shawnie Graham at 925-389-1874 or e-mail her at [ladycion@comcast.net](mailto:ladycion@comcast.net) for details.*

