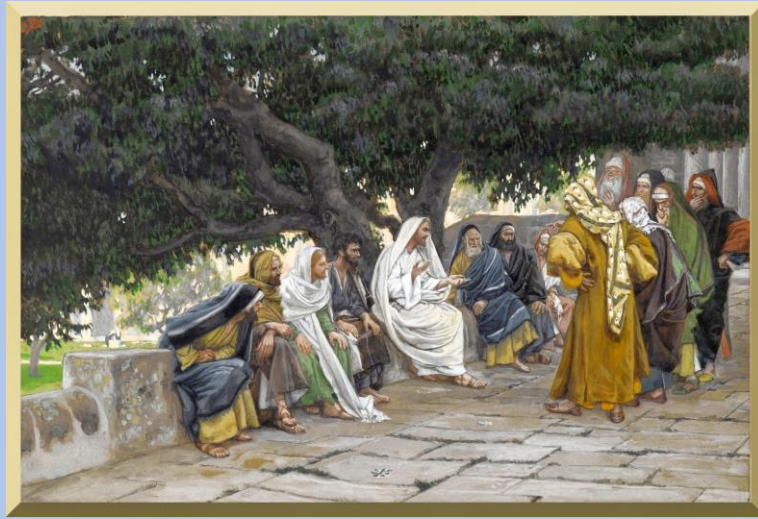


# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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*“No disciple is superior to the teacher; but when fully trained, every disciple will be like his teacher.”*

*(Luke 6: 40)*

*March 3, 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, Mar. 4**

7:30 am Angelito Yuson

**Tuesday, Mar. 5**

7:30 am Angelito Yuson

**Wednesday, Mar. 6**

7:30 am Teresa Dinh & Gioan Baotixita  
Ngan Vu

**Thursday, Mar. 7**

7:30 am Faylin & Leslies Paciski

**Friday, Mar. 8**

7:30 am James Philip Bautista

**Saturday, Mar. 9**

8:00 am Howard Tilton

5:00 pm Maximo Sebastian

7:00 pm (SP) † Ramon Gutierrez

**Sunday, Mar. 10**

8:00 am Romi & Dori David

10:00 am Elias & Sons Landa

12:00 pm Maria Nu Nguyen

4:00 pm (VN)



**PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS**

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

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

**Columbiettes** Patsy Welty, 925-458-6787

**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 6:39-45**



Jesus told his disciples a parable,  
"Can a blind person guide a blind person?  
Will not both fall into a pit?"

No disciple is superior to the teacher; but when fully trained,  
every disciple will be like his teacher.

Why do you notice the splinter in your brother's eye,  
but do not perceive the wooden beam in your own?

How can you say to your brother,  
'Brother, let me remove that splinter in your eye,'  
when you do not even notice the wooden beam in your own  
eye?

You hypocrite! Remove the wooden beam from your eye first;  
then you will see clearly

to remove the splinter in your brother's eye.

"A good tree does not bear rotten fruit,  
nor does a rotten tree bear good fruit.

For every tree is known by its own fruit.

For people do not pick figs from thornbushes,  
nor do they gather grapes from brambles.

A good person out of the store of goodness in his heart produces  
good, but an evil person out of a store of evil produces evil; for  
from the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks."

**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. 24: \$ 6,540.00**

**St. Vincent de Paul: \$ 1,700.00**

*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

The third and final section of Luke's Sermon on the Plain begins: And he told them a parable. There are actually four parables, three of which we read today. They are all about how to be a good disciple.

The blind cannot lead the blind. And a disciple cannot be a good disciple unless he or she has learned from the teacher. Everyone who is fully trained is like the teacher who knows how to cure the blind. Before you can be a good disciple and teach others you must take care of yourself. Do not try to take a speck out of your brother's eye until you have taken the board out of your own. Finally, only when you have purified yourself can you produce the good works that the teacher requires. Discipleship asks us to produce good deeds. But to produce them requires the integrity and purity of heart found in the teacher. When people see your good deeds they will know that this is because you have a good heart.

The final parable, which we do not read today, is about building on the solid foundation of rock and not on sand. This is the only way to face the difficulties a disciple will encounter and survive.



## Ash Wednesday Gospel Reflection

### Gospel Reading:

Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

Jesus teaches that almsgiving, prayer, and fasting should be done in secret.

Today we celebrate Ash Wednesday, the first day of the liturgical season of Lent. In this season, we prepare ourselves to celebrate the high point of our Christian life, Easter. Each year, the readings for Ash Wednesday are the same. They call us to a change of heart and teach us about the traditional Lenten practices of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. These disciplines are to be part of the Christian life during every season, but during the season of Lent, we renew our commitment to them.

The meaning behind tracing a cross on our foreheads with ashes (the liturgical sign of Ash Wednesday) is a summary of our Christian life. On one level, the ashes remind us of our origin and our death. (In the words of the prayer said when we receive ashes: "Remember that you are dust and to dust you shall return.") The ashes are also the sign of our victory: the cross of Christ. In his death and resurrection, Christ conquered death. Our destiny as Christians is to receive the victory over death that Christ won for us. We acknowledge that victory when we "[t]urn away from sin and [are] faithful to the gospel," words from the alternative prayer when we are signed with ashes.

Today's reading is part of the Sermon on the Mount. In the sermon, Jesus warns his followers against acting for the sake of appearance. When Jesus' disciples give alms, pray, and fast, they are to do so in such a way that only God, who sees the heart and knows what is hidden, will know. Although our Lectionary reading omits the Lord's Prayer, we can recall that Matthew presents that prayer as a model for the disciples' prayer (Matthew 6:9-15).

### ASH WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE

March 6 is Ash Wednesday which starts our Lenten season. There will be services at **8:00 am, 10:00 am and 7:30 pm in English**. There will also be a **7:00pm Spanish mass** in Father Palis Hall.



## 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. **We will not schedule any baptisms during the season of Lent.**

### LENTEN SOUP

Every Monday during Lent come join the Parish Community for a simple Lenten soup dinner. It begins on Monday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, hosted by Regina Mundi Guild.



### STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Our Lenten tradition of praying The Stations of the Cross will continue every Friday during Lent at 7:00 pm in the Church. All are invited to come and enter into the Passion of our Lord.

### BLOOD DRIVE



Our Lady Queen of the World Blood Drive

SUNDAY, MARCH 17, 2019  
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Our Bloodmobile Will Be Parked Out Front.

To schedule your appointment please visit [vitalant.org](http://vitalant.org) and click donate. Use your unique sponsor code: OLQW  
Please arrive well nourished and hydrated with photo ID.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

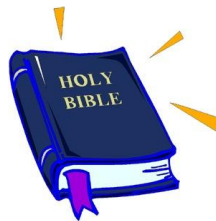
### CONFIRMATION 3 PARENTS

There will be a **MANDATORY** Meeting on Monday, March 11 at 7:00 pm in the Church.

### MONDAY NIGHT PARENTS: Grade 6 to Confirmation 2

There will be a **MANDATORY** meeting on Monday, March 18 at 7:00 pm in the Church.

### 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.

## 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!



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

## E-MAIL SCAM

Please be aware of an ongoing phishing scam involving emails and texts purportedly from priests or parish/Chancery staff. This scam has hit many parishes across the United States. The email or text purports to be from a person the target knows, such as one's pastor, a parish staff member, the bishop or someone else from the Church. If the target responds to the fake email or text, the sender will follow up with a request for some sort of monetary assistance, often for gift cards or iTunes cards. It is truly unfortunate cyber criminals attempt to exploit the generous nature of our community. Sending emails or texts asking for cash or gifts cards is not how priests, parishes or the Diocese of Oakland seeks financial assistance for our work. If you receive an email or text from a trusted church personnel asking for assistance, confirm by calling that person and do not respond to the email or text. For more information on phishing scams and email security, review this attached handout. The FBI website address to file an online Internet crime complaint is <https://www.ic3.gov>.

## **WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE**

### **Monday, Mar. 4**

7:00 pm Religious Education

### **Tuesday, Mar. 5**

7:00 pm K of C Officer's Meeting

### **Wednesday, Mar. 6**

9:15 am CH: Legion of Mary

1:00 pm RMG Meeting

2:00 pm SP mass set up

### **Thursday, Mar. 7**

7:00 pm P#2: Divine Mercy

6:00 pm Columbiettes Meeting

7:00 pm RCIA Class

### **Friday, Mar. 8**

5:00 pm Adoration & Benediction

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

7:00 pm P#1: Hispanic Choir

### **Saturday, Mar. 9**

9:30 am Religious Education

### **Sunday, Mar. 10**

8:00 am St. Joseph Group Retreat

8:00 am P#3: VN Catholic Mothers Retreat

12:00 pm P#2: Vietnamese Choir

## **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.

### 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

## 24 Hours for the Lord

All the faithful from throughout the Diocese of Oakland are invited to spend time with our Lord in Adoration and Confessions during a 24 hour opportunity.

**March 8-9, 2019, 5 p.m. to 5 p.m.**

During the 24 hours visit one of these participating churches near you:

Holy Spirit, Fremont  
Immaculate Heart of Mary, Brentwood  
St. Bonaventure, Concord  
St. Catherine of Siena, Martinez  
St. Joan of Arc, San Ramon  
St. John Vianney, Walnut Creek  
St. Mark, Richmond  
St. Michael, Livermore  
St. Patrick, Rodeo



**Opening Mass** with Bishop Michael Barber will take place Friday, March 8th @ 7:30 p.m. in Holy Spirit Church (37588 Fremont Blvd, Fremont)

**Closing Mass** will take place Saturday, March 9th @ 5:30 p.m. in St. Joan of Arc Church (2601 San Ramon Valley Blvd, San Ramon)

Questions contact [info@DivineMercyOak.org](mailto:info@DivineMercyOak.org)

## **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



# DINNER WITH AMIGOS

