

# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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## PENTECOST SUNDAY - June 9, 2019

*"Receive the Holy Spirit.*

*Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them,  
and whose sins you retain are retained." (John 20: 22-23)*

**Fr. Peter Dung Duc Ngo, 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, 12:00 Noon  
4:00PM (Vietnamese)  
Weekdays: Mon-Fri. 7:30AM, Sat. 8:00AM  
First Friday: 7:30PM

### Devotions

Adoration & Benediction: Fridays 6:00PM- 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 925-642-3058.

\* **Vietnamese** baptisms, contact Fr. Peter Dung D. Ngo 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

**RCIA** 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



## GOSPEL READING

JN 20: 19-23



### Monday, June 10

7:30 am Howard S. Tilton

### Tuesday, June 11

7:30 am Tony Sanchez

### Wednesday, June 12

7:30 am Maria Dinh Thi Mai

### Thursday, June 13

7:30 am Anthony Valero

7:30 pm

### Friday, June 14

7:30 am Mai Dinh & Ngan Vu

### Saturday, June 15

8:00 am Romeo & Benilda Mariano

5:00 pm Elena Villena

7:00 pm (SP) Maria Irma Mancia

### Sunday, June 16

8:00 am Mai Dinh & Ngan Vu

10:00 am Trinidad Olopernes

12:00 pm Domingo Quiambao

4:00 pm

On the evening of that first day of the week,  
when the doors were locked, where the disciples were,  
for fear of the Jews,  
Jesus came and stood in their midst  
and said to them, "Peace be with you."  
When he had said this, he showed them his hands and  
his side.

The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord.  
Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you.  
As the Father has sent me, so I send you."

And when he had said this, he breathed on them and  
said to them,  
"Receive the Holy Spirit.  
Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them,  
and whose sins you retain are retained."



## 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** Andrew 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 [SYDPOLOW@gmail.com](mailto:SYDPOLOW@gmail.com)

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

**Vietnamese Association**

## PRAY FOR THE SICK

Nora Guevara, Jovita Domingo, Eden Capistrano-Rosete, Joseph Do, Monica Aviles, Abraham Nacnac, Pauline Pangila, Virginia Quesada, Beverly Cawley, Mario and Emma Dolor, Sylvia Ho, Kathy Nebel, Conception Huezo, Ray & Alice Conner, Connie Trias 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 June 2: \$ 5,276.00**

**Building Fund Collection : \$ 2,518.00**

*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 season of Easter concludes with today's celebration, the feast of Pentecost. On Pentecost we celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles gathered in the upper room in Jerusalem; this event marks the beginning of the Church. The story of Pentecost is found in the Acts of the Apostles, today's first reading. The account in today's Gospel, taken from the Gospel of John, also recounts how Jesus gave the gift of the Holy Spirit to his disciples. There is no need to try to reconcile these two accounts to each other. It is enough to know that, after his death, Jesus fulfilled his promise to send to his disciples a helper, an advocate, who would enable them to be his witnesses throughout the world. We previously heard today's Gospel on the second Sunday of Easter. At that time, we also heard the passage that follows, which describes Jesus' appearance to Thomas. In that context, we were led to reflect on belief and unbelief.

In the context of the feast of Pentecost, this reading reminds us about the integral connection between the gifts of peace and forgiveness and the action of the Holy Spirit. Jesus greets his disciples with the gift of peace. Jesus then commissions his disciples to continue the work that he has begun, "As the Father has sent me, so I send you." As he breathes the Holy Spirit upon them, Jesus sends his disciples to continue his work of reconciliation through the forgiveness of sins.

This Gospel reminds us that the Church is called to be a reconciling presence in the world. This reconciling presence of Christ is celebrated in the Church's sacramental life. In the Sacrament of Baptism, we are washed clean from sin and become a new creation in Christ. In the Sacrament of Penance, the Church celebrates the mercy of God in forgiving sins. This reconciling presence is also to be a way of life for Christians. In situations of conflict, we are to be agents of peace and harmony among people.

## ST. EPHREM—JUNE 9



"I was born in the way of truth: though my childhood was unaware of the greatness of the benefit, I knew it when trial came."

Ephrem (or Ephraim) the Syrian left us hundreds of hymns and poems on the faith that inflamed and inspired the whole Church, but few facts about his own inspiring life.

Most historians infer from the lines quoted above that Ephrem was born into a Christian family -- although not baptized until an adult (the trial or furnace), which was common at the time. Other than that little is known about his birth and youth although many guess he was born in the early fourth century in Mesopotamia, possibly in Nisibis where he spent most of his adult life.

"He Who created two great lights, chose for Himself these three Lights, and set them in the three dark seasons of siege that have been."

Ephrem served as teacher, and possibly deacon, under four bishops of Nisibis, Jacob, Babu, Vologeses, and Abraham. The first three he describes in the hymn quoted above written while Vologeses was still alive. As the verse states, Ephrem did not live in easy times in Nisibis.

"I have chanced upon weeds, my brothers, That wear the color of wheat, To choke the good seed."

## PARISH EVENTS

### BAPTISM CLASS



Our next Baptism class for parents and godparents is Tuesday, June 11th, 2019 at 7pm. Please register at the parish office.

### DEVOTION TO OUR LADY

June 13: Our Lady of Manaog  
July 12: Our Lady of Lourdes  
August 13: Our Lady of Lavang  
September 13: Our Lady of Guadalupe  
October 14: Our Lady Queen of the World



**ALL DEVOTIONS WILL START AT 7:00 PM IN THE CHURCH FOLLOWED BY MASS.**

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to the Confirmandis for 2019.

Karen Alvarez	Sahy Caracosa
Arriza Cristobal	Rianna Malig
Marjorie Mateo	Mary Joe Mateo
Ramon Montes de Oca	Miguel Narciso
Aaron Nguyen	Allen Nguyen
Ryan Nguyen	Fedora Njajou
Bianca Nocos	Julia Renomeron
Angela Reyes	Caitlin Rillo
Jasmine Suarez	Jacob Templo
Tuat Xuan Pham	

### CCD

Registration for CCD classes for the School Year 2019-2020 is now open. Registration forms can be picked up at the Religious Education office or the Parish Office. For more information, please contact Rene Asuncion, DRE at 925-458-4574.

### 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 be on June 18. 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 or Religious Education office.

### TEACHERS NEEDED

WOULD YOU LIKE TO VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME TO HELP TEACH OUR YOUNG PARISHIONERS ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH? IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE CONTACT RENE ASUNCION, DRE AT 925-458-4574.

## 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, June 10

6:30 pm CH: Youth Choir  
7:30 pm Luau Practice

### Tuesday, June 11

7:00 pm P#1: Filipino Assoc.  
7:00 pm Hispanic Community  
7:00 pm Pre-Baptismal Class

### Wednesday, June 12

9:15 am CH: Legion of Mary  
7:00 pm Filipino Assoc.

### Thursday, June 13

7:00 pm CH: Devotion to Our Lady of Manaog  
7:00 pm P#2: Divine Mercy

### Friday, June 14

6:00 pm Adoration  
7:00 pm P#1: Hispanic Choir  
7:00 pm Luau Practice/Setup

### Saturday, June 15

9:00 am Luau Setup  
3:30 pm Confession  
6:00 pm Luau Dinner Dance  
6:00 pm (SP) Father's Day Coffee

### Sunday, June 16 Father's Day Hospitality Sunday

2:00 pm P#2: Vietnamese Choir



## [A SALUTE TO FATHERS COMEDY BRUNCH](#)

Enjoy a Southern brunch and an afternoon of laughter and fellowship at A Salute to Fathers Comedy Brunch on June 16, 2 p.m. at St. Benedict Parish Hall, 2245 82nd Ave, Oakland. Enjoy comedian Dennis Gaxiola and great food! This fundraiser is in tribute to Father Jay Matthews, former rector of the Cathedral of Christ the Light. Donations are \$20 until June 10, \$25 after June 10. Call 510.632.1847 or email [salutefathersbrunch@gmail.com](mailto:salutefathersbrunch@gmail.com).

## [SUNDAY AFTERNOON CONCERTS](#)



St. Mary's Cathedral, San Francisco will be having Sunday afternoon concerts. All concerts begin at 4 p.m. at the Cathedral, 1111 Gough St. (at Geary) in San Francisco, and are open to the public.

A free will offering will be requested at the door. There is ample free parking at the Cathedral.

June 9: David Hatt and Christoph Tietze, Organ. Works by Eugene Gigout, celebrating the composer's 175th birthday

June 16: Justan Foster, Organ

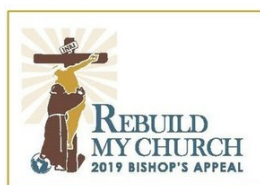
June 23: Cathedral Widor Festival, celebrating the composer's 175th birthday. David Hatt, Organ, Symphony No. 1

June 30: Jin Kyung Lim, Organ. Works for keyboard duet

## [MAGNIFICAT SOTI](#)

A Ministry for Catholic Women invite all to join them at their Prayer Breakfast on June 22, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Crowne Plaza, 45 John Glenn Drive, Concord. 4 Please join us for a morning of praise, prayer, and inspiration from our speakers Deacon Steve and Mary Anne Greco! Deacon Steve is a deacon in the Diocese of Orange and currently the host of Empowered by the Spirit on Relevant Radio. Mary Anne has been teaching Bible study for over 30 years and has a passion for the charismatic gifts. Men are always welcome to attend! Tickets are \$33/\$40 after June 15. For more information: <https://magnificat-ministry.net/cawalnut-creek>, email [Magnificatsotirsvp@gmail.com](mailto:Magnificatsotirsvp@gmail.com) for reservations or call Kim Sullivan at 925-683-8220.

## [SAN DAMIANO RETREAT CENTER](#)



Please contact retreat center directly for registration information. 710 Highland Dr., Danville 925-837-9141, ext. 315 [katerik@sandamiano.org](mailto:katerik@sandamiano.org), or visit [www.sandamiano.org](http://www.sandamiano.org). June 16-21: Retreat for Women

Religious - Poetry & Radical Hope with Patricia Bruno, OP July 5-7: 12-Step Recovery Retreat with Fr. Tom Weston, SJ July 12-14: Biblical Dimensions of Radical Hope with Fr. Tom Bonacci 3 July 22-27: Becoming a Mystic in Today's World, five-day silent contemplative retreat with Sr. Celeste Crine, OSF and Fr. Rusty Shaughnessy, OFM July 27: Christian Meditation Day with Donna Lack, Claire La Scola and June Pangelinan

## [BISHOP'S APPEAL](#)

Bishop Barber's reflection on this year's appeal, Rebuild My Church, is available on video at <https://vimeo.com/336230462>. The Bishop explains his inspiration in personally choosing the theme, reminding all of the important spiritual and corporal works made possible through the generosity of the faithful throughout the Diocese. Please make the video available in your preferred communications, social media, and outreach. Perhaps it can also be viewed at upcoming gatherings of parish and school committees. Thank you for these efforts.

## [ORDINATIONS](#)

Congratulations to the three men who received the sacrament of holy orders on Friday evening. You can find a video of the Mass of ordination on our website, [oakdiocese.org](http://oakdiocese.org).

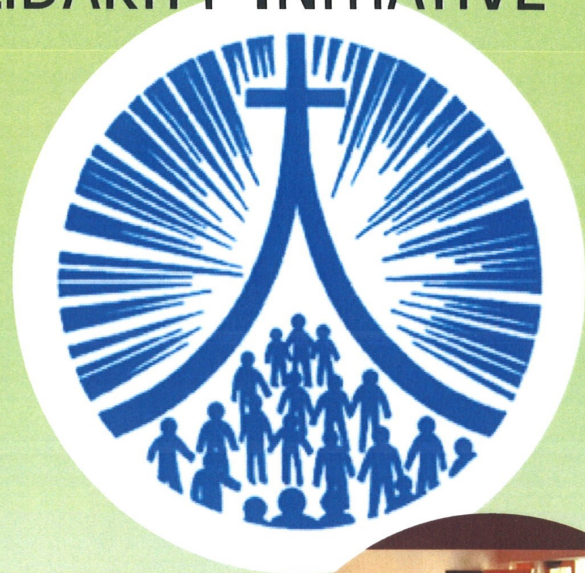
# 2019 Spring Retreat

## PARISH SOLIDARITY INITIATIVE

Retreat Leader:

**Sergio Lopez**

Relationship Manager,  
Catholic Relief Services West



### You are invited to:

- **NOURISH** your faith through prayer and faith sharing
- **REFLECT** on our call to local and global solidarity
- **LEARN** about local and global hunger and how our church is responding to it
- Learn how to **ADVOCATE** with your elected representatives on issues of concern to you
- Learn how to **IMPLEMENT** the Parish Solidarity Initiative in your parish



### Saturday June 15th, 2019

8:30 am Registration    9:00 am – 4:00 pm Program  
(Starting promptly at 9 am)

### Cathedral of Christ the Light

Parish Hall

2121 Harrison Street  
Oakland, CA 94612



**Please RSVP by Monday, June 10th:**

Roberto De Leon at 805-668-1249 (cell)  
or [mrdeleon@cceb.org](mailto:mrdeleon@cceb.org)



**Free Event**

Continental breakfast  
& lunch will be served



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# **LUAU DINNER DANCE**

**JUNE 15, 2019**

**6:00 p.m. Registration 7:00 p.m. Dinner  
DJ: Al Palaganas**

**\$30.00 Donation**

**Get your tickets from any Filipino Association  
Officers. We will also be  
Selling after every Mass on Sundays.**

**We are also having a Raffle for a chance to  
win \$50, \$100 or \$150 worth of Scratchers &  
other consolation prizes. Need not be  
present to win.**

**Sponsored by the Filipino Association of OLQW  
(Proceeds will benefit Our Lady Queen of the World Church)**