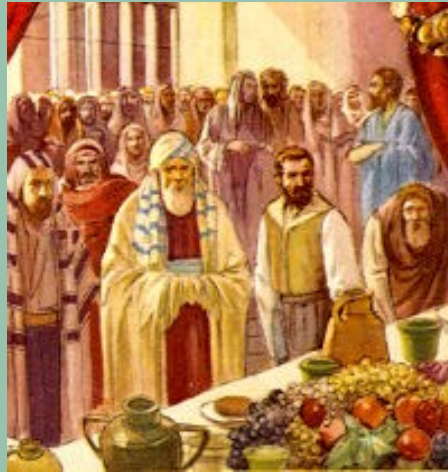


Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

“For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted. ”

(Luke 14: 11)

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.

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

Email:director@olqwr.olqw.org

• 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 LK 14:1, 7-14



Monday, September 2

7:30 am Seraphin & Keith Sanchez

Tuesday, September 3

7:30 am Peter & Maria Nguyen

Wednesday, September 4

7:30 am Felix Rabusa

Thursday, September 5

7:30 am Pilar & Apolinar Lapid

Friday, September 6

7:30 am Joseph Lam Han

7:30 pm Michelle Eustaquio

Saturday, September 7

8:00 am Anna Lam Mui

5:00 pm Agripino V. Magwili

7:00 pm (SP) Esteban Aguilar

Sunday, September 8

8:00 am Epifania Nacnac

10:00 am Damaso Reyes Soberon

12:00 pm Jomilynn Dalmacio

4:00 pm



PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

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

Hispanic Association Rosie Estrada,
Coordinator (925-639-7946)
Contacto en Español: Gladys Giron
(925-334-9873)

Columbiettes Patsy Welty, President
(925-458-6787)

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

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

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

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

Vietnamese Association

On a sabbath Jesus went to dine
at the home of one of the leading Pharisees,
and the people there were observing him carefully.

He told a parable to those who had been invited,
noticing how they were choosing the places of honor at the table.
"When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet,
do not recline at table in the place of honor.
A more distinguished guest than you may have been invited by him,
and the host who invited both of you may approach you and say,
'Give your place to this man,'
and then you would proceed with embarrassment
to take the lowest place.
Rather, when you are invited,
go and take the lowest place
so that when the host comes to you he may say,
'My friend, move up to a higher position.'
Then you will enjoy the esteem of your companions at the table.
For every one who exalts himself will be humbled,
but the one who humbles himself will be exalted."
Then he said to the host who invited him,
"When you hold a lunch or a dinner,
do not invite your friends or your brothers
or your relatives or your wealthy neighbors,
in case they may invite you back and you have repayment.
Rather, when you hold a banquet,
invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind;
blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you.
For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Eden Capistrano-Rosete, Joseph Do, Monica Aviles, Abraham Nacnac,
Pauline Pangila, Virginia Quesada, Beverly Cawley, Kathy Nebel, Sylvia
Ho, Conception Huevo, Ray & Alice Conner, Connie Trias, Paul Collins,
Bertha Baldauf, Claire Luna-Fernandez, Mario & Emma Dolor, Amy
Kueck 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

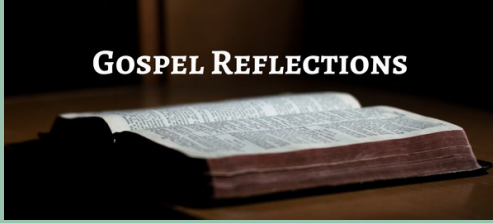
Sunday Plate August 25: \$ 5,823.00

St. Vincent de Paul: \$ 1,600.00

*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.

GOSPEL REFLECTIONS



SAINT GILES



Meals played an important role in the society in which Jesus lived. More than a time for sharing nourishment, they were a time to share ideas and to model different aspects of social relationships. In Luke's Gospel, the places that a person ate (at the home of a tax collector, 5:29), the people with whom a person ate (sinners, 5:30), whether a person washed before eating (11:38), and, as is the case here, the place that a person sits while eating are all important. The narrator says Jesus tells a parable, but it is really wise advice to both guests and hosts about finding true happiness at the heavenly banquet.

Jesus warns guests to wait before taking their places at the table lest they be asked to move if someone more important arrives. This is more than just a lesson about dinner etiquette. It is advice on how to find your true place in the Kingdom of God. Jesus advises hosts not to invite people who would be expected to repay them to dinner but to invite those who could not repay: the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. This is where real blessings can be found.

In these sayings, Luke gives us not only advice on how to approach the end times but also on how to live according to Jesus' vision of a good society. Luke's Gospel also advises us how the Church must be part of bringing about this society. It is yet another example in Luke's Gospel of the reversal the kingdom brings about.

Born to a wealthy noble family, when his parents died, Giles gave his fortune to help the poor. Known as a miracle worker. To avoid followers and adulation, he left Greece c.683 for France where he lived as a hermit in a cave in the diocese of Nimes, a cave whose mouth was guarded by a thick thorn bush, and a lifestyle so impoverished that, legend says, God sent a deer to Giles to nourish him with her milk.

One day after he had lived there for several years in meditation, a royal hunting party chased the hind into Giles' cave. One hunter shot an arrow into the thorn bush, hoping to hit the deer, but instead hit Giles in the leg, crippling him. The king sent doctors to care for hermit's wound, and though Giles begged to be left alone, the king came often to see him. From this, Giles' fame as sage and miracle worker spread, and would-be followers gathered near the cave. The French king, because of his admiration, built the monastery of Saint Gilles du Gard for these followers, and Giles became its first abbot, establishing his own discipline there. A small town grew up around the monastery, and upon Giles' death, his grave became a shrine and place of pilgrimage; the monastery later became a Benedictine house.

The combination of the town, monastery, shrine and pilgrims led to many handicapped beggars hoping for alms; this and Giles' insistence that he wished to live outside the walls of the city, and his own damaged leg, led to his patronage of beggars, and to cripples since begging was the only source of income for many. Hospitals and safe houses for the poor, crippled, and leprous were constructed in England and Scotland, and were built so cripples could reach them easily. On their passage to Tyburn for execution, convicts were allowed to stop at Saint Giles' Hospital where they were presented with a bowl of ale called *Saint Giles' Bowl*, "thereof to drink at their pleasure, as their last refreshing in this life." Once in Scotland during the seventeenth century his relics were stolen from a church and a great riot occurred.

In Spain, shepherds consider Giles the protector of rams. It was formerly the custom to wash the rams and colour their wool a bright shade on Giles' feast day, tie lighted candles to their horns, and bring the animals down the mountain paths to the chapels and churches to have them blessed. Among the Basques, the shepherds come down from the Pyrenees on 1 September, attired in full costume, sheepskin coats, staves, and crooks, to attend Mass with their best rams, an event that marks the beginning of autumn festivals, marked by processions and dancing in the fields. One of the *Fourteen Holy Helpers*.

PARISH EVENTS

BAPTISM CLASS



Our next Baptism class for parents and godparents is Tuesday, September 10th, 2019 at 7pm. Please register at the parish office.

DEVOTION TO OUR LADY

September 13: Our Lady of Guadalupe
October 14: Our Lady Queen of the World



**DEVOTION TO OUR LADY START AT 7:00 PM .
PROCESSION WITH HOLY ROSARY FROM PALIS
HALL TO CHURCH THEN THE MASS.**

FATHER PALIS SCHOLARSHIP 2019

The Knights and Columbiettes will be accepting 2019 Fr. Palis Scholarship applications from 9/1 - 10/31. Applications can be obtained at the church rectory, church web site or at the church rear table. For more information please contact Manuel Rosario at 925-595-4358.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS –TRI-TIP ROAST

The Knights of Columbus will be selling pre-cooked Tri-tip Roasts on September 8, during next month's Sunday breakfast. \$20 per roast. Don't miss out so pre-order now by contacting Kip Trombley at 925-285-5118.

RMG—CASINO BUS TRIP

The Regina Mundi Guild will be having a casino bus trip on Thursday, September 12th, 2019. Bus departs the church at 7:30 AM, and will return to the church at 6:30 PM. Cost is \$30, with \$12 cash back, and a \$3 food coupon. Contact Peaches (458-2926) or Aloha (458-2990)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

CCD

CCD classes will begin Saturday, September 7th at 9:00 am. Last day to register for CCD classes for the School Year 2019-202 will be on Oct. 1th. 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 September 17. For more information or to sign up, contact Rene Asuncion at 925-458-4574. or director@olqwr.org. Bibles are available for purchase at the Rectory 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!

WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

Monday, September 2

Tuesday, September 3

7:00 pm Hall: K of C Rosary Meeting

Wednesday, September 4

9:15 am CH: Legion of Mary
1:00 pm Hall: RMG Meeting

Thursday, September 5

6:00 pm Hall: Columbiettes
7:00 pm P#2: Divine Mercy

Friday, September 6

6:00 pm Adoration
7:00 pm P#1: Hispanic Choir
7:30 pm Benediction & Mass

Saturday, September 7

9:00 am Religious Education
3:30 pm Confession
6:00 pm BINGO

Sunday, September 8

9:00 am K of C Pancake Breakfast
10:30 am Hall: Columbiettes
1:00 pm Hall: VN Language Program
1:00 pm P#3: VN Catholic Mothers
2:00 pm P#2: Vietnamese Choir

If you need to have anything posted in the bulletin or have a general question please email it to:

Faye Dolor at mfmdolor@olqw.org.



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.

Sept. 1: Widor Festival: celebrating the 175 birthyear of Charles Marie Widor. Christoph Tietze, Organ. Symphony No. 3

Sept. 8: Widor Festival: John Karl Hirten, Organ. Symphonie gothique

HOLY CHAOS! A MINI-RETREAT FOR PARENTS OF KIDS OF ALL AGES

Come be affirmed, encouraged and inspired in the most important job we have – as parents! Featuring Mark Hart, the “Catholic Bible Geek,” nationally acclaimed speaker and author, and 5 other fabulous local speakers. The retreat will be on Sunday, September 29 from 1:30-6pm at St. Joan of Arc Parish, 2601 San Ramon Valley Blvd., San Ramon.

Cost is \$25 for one parent, \$40 for both. Child care will be available for \$10, advance registration required. For more info and to register, go to <https://www.oakdiocese.org/ministries-formation/youth-ministry/holy-chaos>

2019 MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAMS

Marriage Preparation is an intense time for engaged couples. Out programs include periods of deep couple conversations, reflection and prayer. Presenters share their faith and marriages, addressing important real-life topics from a Catholic perspective.

Register online for Marriage Preparation Programs at www.EastBayCatholic.com. or call Laura Windham at 510-267-8395.

CATHOLIC FUNERAL & CEMETERY SERVICES

Please join Catholic Funeral & Cemetery Services as we come together as one community to honor and pray for all our children who have been placed in the loving care of our Catholic Cemeteries. A special Mass dedicated to our children will be held on Saturday, September 7, 2019, at 11:00 am at Holy Cross Cemetery & Funeral Center, 2200 East 18th Street, Antioch, CA. For more information please call Holy Cross @ 925 757-0658.

MEN’S RETREAT AT ST. CHARLES BORROMEO LIVERMORE SEPT. 14

Leave your daily routines behind and find new ways to grow in our love for God. This full-day retreat starts at 8:30am, includes breakfast and lunch, and ends with the regular 5pm Mass at St. Charles. Leading the retreat will be Father John Kasper, pastor of St. Perpetua Church in Lafayette.

Registration is \$40 including meals; scholarships are available. Questions? Contact Markus Huber at 925-367-5210, email mailhuber99@gmail.com .

UPDATE YOUR INFORMATION

If you are a registered parishioner and have moved or changed phone numbers, please update your contact information. Print all information and return to the Parish Office or email the rectory at Rectory@olqw.org.

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Hall and Church Meters Solar System

Installation Start Date: End of August

Total Cost: \$ 119,404.00

Estimated Net Savings : \$ 400,000.00 over 25 years

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Customer Testimonials

Installing solar panels not only allows us to provide power to a school, while lowering our electricity bill, but it shows our students and community that we are committed to being good stewards of the Earth.

Jeremy Decker
Cloverdale Unified School District

It's a great feeling to know that our winery is being powered by solar energy. Overall, I am impressed with how painless the process was from start to finish.

Fred Cline
Cline Family Cellars

The addition of solar to our main building is a demonstration of our commitment to sustainable practices. The benefit of long-term savings on power costs allows us to return even greater value to our Members.

Brett Martinez,
Redwood Credit Union



Knights of Columbus
Bishop Begin Council 7164

Texas Hold-Em Fundraiser

Saturday September 28

Palis Hall

3155 Winterbrook Drive, Bay Point

Registration 11:30 AM–12:30 PM
Lunch is Included

Cards Fly at 12:30 PM

\$60 Before August 30
\$70 August 31 to September 27
\$75 at the Door
\$20 re-buys / \$20 Add-On
9 Spots for \$480 (random seating)

Returning players registered and
paid by Aug. 31 will receive an extra
\$100 in chips.

Returning players registered and
paid by Aug 31 who bring in new
players will receive an additional
\$100 in chips.

1st place= \$500 gift card
2nd & 3rd Place Prizes to be
determined by number of players



SPACE IS LIMITED

For more information and to reserve
YOUR PLACE at the table
Call 925-285-5118 or email kipbecky@yahoo.com