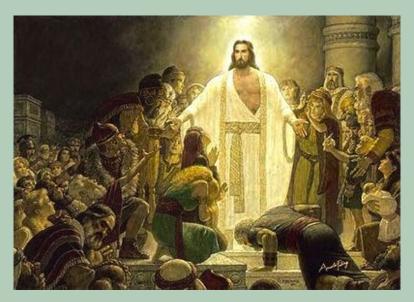
# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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#### EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 1, 2021

"I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst."

(John 6: 35)

Fr. Peter Dung Duc Ngo, Pastor Deacon Loc Nguyen Sister Elizabeth Diep Huynh, Bookkeeper Maria Faye Dolor, Secretary

#### Office Hours

Monday - Friday: 9:00AM - 1:00 PM

#### Masses

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm (English)

7:00 pm (Spanish)

Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12 noon (English)

4:00 pm (Vietnamese)

Weekdays: Mon-Fri. 7:30AM, Sat. 8:00AM

First Friday: 7:30 pm

#### **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

#### Baptism

Pre-Baptism classes for parents and godparents held every second Tuesday of the month. Contact the parish office.

- \* Spanish Classes, contact Gladys Giron 925-334-9873.
- \* *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



Monday, August 2

7:30 am Peter Nghrem Nguyen

Tuesday, August 3

7:30 am Pablo Dolor

Wednesday, August 4

7:30 am Rosalina Masangcay Thanksgiving

Thursday, August 5

7:30 am Benjamin A. Santos

Friday, August 6

7:30 am Guise Khang Nguyen

Saturday, August 7

8:00 am Mary Bautista 5:00 pm Ben Catalya 7:00 pm (SP) Astrid Zelaya

Sunday, August 8

8:00 am Lynn Anderson

Monica Mize

10:00 am Constantino Villanueva

12 noon Osorio Family

4:00 pm (VN)



#### **PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS**

**Filipino Association:** Nerissa Riray, President (nriray(a)comcast.net)

**Hispanic Association** Antonio Renteria, President (antoniorenteria201@yahoo.com) Contacto en Español: Gladys Giron 925-334-9873

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**Regina Mundi Guild** Leah Abejuela, 925-300-7081 (labejuela@gmail.com)

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**Legion of Mary:** Danila Loquiao (925-864-1237) **Vietnamese Association:** Hiep David Vu, President

(Davidvu207@gmail.com)



When the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into boats and came to Capernaum looking for Jesus.

And when they found him across the sea they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you get here?"

Jesus answered them and said, "Amen, amen, I say to you, you are looking for me not because you saw signs but because you ate the loaves and were filled.

Do not work for food that perishes but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you.

For on him the Father, God, has set his seal."

So they said to him, "What can we do to accomplish the works of God?" Jesus answered and said to them, "This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent." So they said to him, "What sign can you do, that we may see and believe in you? What can you do? Our ancestors ate manna in the desert, as it is written: He gave them bread from heaven to eat." So Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

So they said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always."
Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst."

#### PRAY FOR THE SICK

Bertha Baldauf, Jovita Domingo, Carol Wagner, Julian Martinez, Connie Trias, Virginia Cabaddu, Nena Davi, Danny Muly, Michelle McLaughlin, Miguel Ortiz, Michael Regello, Mario Dolor, Adele Discipulo, Virgilio Constantino, Francisco Arias, Pacita Grabek, Carmelo Cecilio, Lynn Anderson, Helena Magante, Betty Tecson, Victoria Lapid, victims of the Coronavirus, 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 July 25:\$ 5,363

Parish Assessment: \$ 1,500

2021 Insurance: Total: \$ 18,589 Owe \$ 10,000.00 2021 Assessment: Total: \$ 55, 485 Owe \$ 23,071.25

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 for both first and second collections. Also please put your envelope number on the Memo line.



This Sunday we continue to read from the sixth chapter of John's Gospel, but not continuously. Our Lectionary omits John's report of Jesus' walking on water. This event is reported much less dramatically in John's Gospel than in the Synoptic Gospels. After the feeding of the multitudes, the disciples leave in a boat and Jesus follows them. The disciples are said to be terrified by what they see. Jesus reassures them and rejoins them. In today's Gospel, we learn that the crowd has noticed the departure of Jesus and his disciples and so seeks them out in Capernaum. In the dialogue that follows between Jesus and the crowds, Jesus unfolds for us the gift of himself that that he gives in the Eucharist.

In today's Gospel, there are four exchanges between Jesus and the crowd. In the first, the crowd, having followed Jesus to Capernaum, asks a very matter of fact question: "Rabbi, when did you get here?" Jesus replies by naming their motivation in pursuing him. They have been fed. Jesus acknowledges this, yet challenges them to see beyond the fulfillment of their material needs. The crowds have followed Jesus because they have been fed. They ought to be seeking out Jesus because he can give them eternal life.

As the second dialogue begins, it seems that the crowd might be on their way to accepting Jesus and his mission. They ask: "What can we do to accomplish the works of God?" Jesus replies that they must have faith in the one sent from God. But in the third dialogue, the crowd reveals their inability to see Jesus' true identity. They ask Jesus for a sign so that they might know that Jesus is from God. How strange this sounds since Jesus has just fed more than 5000 people. What more is expected?

But the crowd cannot see beyond the surface of the sign. They show this in their interpretation of the sign that came from Moses. In their description, they identify Jesus with Moses, as if to say, as Moses gave the people manna in the desert, give us a sign so that we will know that you are from God. They are looking to identify a prophet without realizing that God is standing before them. Jesus corrects their misinterpretation, saying that the manna received by their ancestors came from God. As God fulfilled their ancestors' needs in the desert, so God has provided them with food for eternal life. In the bread that they have received from Jesus, they have received physical nourishment and also spiritual nourishment. Jesus wants the crowd to see beyond the surface to the One who provides true nourishment.

The conclusion of the dialogue reveals the crowd's blindness. They ask for what Jesus has just told them they have found: "Sir, give us this bread always." Jesus answers plainly that he himself is the Bread of Life they seek. Jesus himself is the Bread of Life who will satisfy every hunger and thirst. This is the first of several such statements found in John's Gospel. We understand these better when we remember that God revealed his name to the people of Israel as "I am," as Yahweh. Jesus is now claiming this name for himself. In the weeks ahead, we will see the offense that this gives to the people.

#### ST. EUSEBIUS OF VERCELLI

Feast Day: August 2



Someone has said that if there had been no Arian heresy denying Christ's divinity, it would be very difficult to write the lives of many early saints. Eusebius is another of the defenders of the Church during one of its most trying periods.

Born on the isle of Sardinia, he became a member of the Roman clergy, and is the first recorded bishop of Vercelli in Piedmont in northwest Italy. Eusebius was also the first to link the monastic life with that of the clergy, establishing a community of his diocesan clergy on the principle that the best way to sanctify his people was to have them see a clergy formed in solid virtue and living in community.

He was sent by Pope Liberius to persuade the emperor to call a council to settle Catholic-Arian troubles. When it was called at Milan, Eusebius went reluctantly, sensing that the Arian block would have its way, although the Catholics were more numerous. He refused to go along with the condemnation of Saint Athanasius; instead, he laid the Nicene Creed on the table and insisted that all sign it before taking up any other matter. The emperor put pressure on him, but Eusebius insisted on Athanasius' innocence and reminded the emperor that secular force should not be used to influence Church decisions. At first the emperor threatened to kill him, but later sent him into exile in Palestine. There the Arians dragged him through the streets and shut him up in a little room, releasing him only after his four-day hunger strike. They resumed their harassment shortly after.

His exile continued in Asia Minor and Egypt, until the new emperor permitted him to be welcomed back to his see in Vercelli. Eusebius attended the Council of Alexandria with Athanasius and approved the leniency shown to bishops who had wavered. He also worked with Saint Hilary of Poitiers against the Arians.

Eusebius died peacefully in his own diocese at what was then considered an advanced age.

https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-of-the-day/saint-eusebius-of-vercelli

#### **PARISH EVENTS**

#### **CONFESSIONS:**

**Father Peter have resumed** Confessions on Saturdays from 3:30 pm in the Church.

**Indoor mass schedule:** Saturdays at 5:00 pm in English and 7:00 pm in Spanish; Sundays starting August 1st: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12 noon in English and 4:00 pm in Vietnamese.

We will no longer have our outdoor mass starting August 1st. Our Sunday 8:00 am mass will be Livestreamed on our Facebook page.

#### **DEVOTION TO OUR LADY**

August 13: Our Lady of LaVang September 13: Our Lady of Guadalupe October 13: Our Lady Queen of the World



ALL DEVOTIONS WILL START AT 7:00 PM AT THE HALL FOR PROCESSION WITH ROSARY. FOLLOWED BY MASS. LIVESTREAM IS AVAILABLE THROUGH OUR FACEBOOK PAGE.

#### 59TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD

We will be celebrating our 59th Annual Anniversary festival on Sunday, August 22nd.

Anniversary Festival Donation Request: If you would like to donate water and soda for our annual Anniversary Festival, please bring them to the rectory or hall. Thank you for your generosity.

Se les informa que para obtener cualquier servicio como bautismos, bodas, etc., tienen que ser miembros registrados de nuestra parroquia. No tenemos un sacerdote Hispano asignado a nuestra comunidad y por eso es muy difícil brindar servicios a familias que no son de nuestra parroquia. Por favor, registrense. Hay formas a la entrada de la iglesia o las pueden pedir en la oficina. Gracias.

**HISPANIC COMMUNITY** 



The Hispanic Community will be selling Tacos on Sunday, August 8th after the masses. Four Tacos, either Carne Asada or Chicken for \$10.

Please contact Gladys Giron at 925-334-9873 to pre-order. Thank you for your support.

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

#### REGISTRATION FOR CCD **SCHOOL YEAR 2021-2022**

Registration for the upcoming CCD school year is now open.

Please see Rene Asuncion at the CCD office for more information or call 925-458-4574.

> Religious Education office hours: Mondays=10am-1:00 pm Thurs. =10 am-12 pm Friday = 10 am - 1 pmSaturday 9:00 am- 12 pm

CCD 2021-2022 School Year will begin on Saturday, August 7th with a Family Mass at 9:30 am.

#### **OFFERTORY ENVELOPES**

Please drop your Sunday Envelopes in the wooden box in front entrance of the Church or the rectory mail box or mail it to the Church. You can also go **online at https://oakdiocese.org/parish-support.** 

#### **SOLAR SYSTEM**

The Maintenance Fund 2nd collection will be for the Solar System. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

#### 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!



#### CATHOLICSCARE SUPPORT OPPORTUNITIES

During this time of uncertainty and anxiety, CatholicsCare provides opportunities for Caregivers to receive support and spiritual nourishment. To learn more and join the daily LIVE Zoom calls, please visit https://oakdiocese.org/catholics-care.

#### REMEMBERING THE FAITHFUL -FIRST SATURDAY MASS

#### Saturday, August 7, 2021, 11:00 AM

Online remembrance Mass of those in our faith community who have been laid to rest in Catholic Cemeteries over the past month. Visit cfcsoakland.org for more information.

### DSMSJ: WOMEN'S DISCERNMENT FOR RELIGIOUS LIFE

Do you want to be a Catholic religious sister? Do you feel God tugging at your heart? If you are a single, Catholic woman between the ages of 18 to 40, consider spending a day or a weekend with the Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose. Come and learn about religious life!

During this pandemic, our Come and See retreats and individual visits will be on Zoom.

Saturday, August 7, 2021, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

For more information: Contact Sr. Mary Yun, OP mary@msjdominicans.org 213-760-3085 for individual visits. www.msjdominicans.org

## An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are truly present in the Holy Eucharist.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were
already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

#### PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

O Jesus, I pray for your faithful and fervent priests; for your unfaithful and tepid priests; for your priests laboring at home or abroad in distant mission fields; for your tempted priests; for your lonely and desolate priests; for your dying priests; for the souls of your priests in purgatory.

But above all, I pray for the priests dearest to me; the priest who baptized me; the priests who absolved me from my sins; the priests at whose Masses I assisted and who gave me Your Body and Blood in Holy Communion; the priests who taught and instructed me; all the priests to whom I am indebted in any other way.

O Jesus, keep them all close to your heart, and bless them abundantly on earth and in eternity. Amen!

# Pope Francis' Prayer to Mary during Coronavirus Pandemic

O Mary,

you always shine on our path as a sign of salvation and of hope.

We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who at the cross took part in Jesus' pain, keeping your faith firm.

You, Salvation of the Roman People,

know what we need, and we are sure you will provide so that, as in Cana of Galilee, we may return to joy and to feasting after this time of trial.

Help us, Mother of Divine Love,

to conform to the will of the Father and to do as we are told by Jesus, who has taken upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows to lead us, through the cross, to the joy of the resurrection. Amen.

Under your protection, we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God. Do not disdain the entreaties of we who are in trial, but deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin.



# CASINO BUS TRIP

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**\$35 PER PERSON** 

WITH \$35 CASH BACK FROM HARD ROCK

#### **ASSEMBLE AT 7:00AM**

OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD 3155 WINTERBROOK DRIVE, PITTSBURG, CA 94565

**EXPECTED RETURN: NO LATER THAN 7:00PM** 

#### FOR RESERVATIONS, CONTACT:

CATHY COLLADO (925) 759-2641, CATA080833@YAHOO.COM, OR TERESA ELAMPARO (925) 726-1015, TELAM513@YAHOO.COM

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-YOU MUST BE FULLY VACCINATED.

-PROVIDE PROOF OF VACCINATION BEFORE BOARDING THE BUS.

-MUST WEAR A MASK IN THE BUS AT ALL TIMES.

\*THE FEE MUST BE PAID IN FULL, TWO WEEKS BEFORE THE TRIP. WE ACCEPT CASH OR CHECK PAYABLE TO FIL ASSOC OF OLQW (CASH PREFERRED).

\*THE FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE IF YOU CANCEL LESS THAN A WEEK BEFORE THE TRIP.

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