

# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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## TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 29, 2021

*“Hear me, all of you, and understand.  
Nothing that enters one from outside can defile that person;  
but the things that come out from within are what defile.”  
(Mark 7: 14-15)*

**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

### Baptisms

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

# Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



## Monday, August 30

7:30 am Rina Anthony's Intentions

## Tuesday, August 31

7:30 am Ildefonso & Sinforosa Sebastian

## Wednesday, September 1

7:30 am Giuse Khang Nguyen

## Thursday, September 2

7:30 am Giuse Lam Chang

## Friday, September 3

7:30 am Giuse Khang Nguyen

## Saturday, September 4

8:00 am Mai Dinh & Ngan Vu

5:00 pm Benjamin A. Santos

7:00 pm (SP) Rodolfo Mercado

## Sunday, September 5

8:00 am Apolinar B. Lapid

10:00 am Deceased Members of  
Ogana Family

12 noon Porferio Regalado

4:00 pm (VN)



## PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

**Filipino Association:** Nerissa Riray,  
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**Legion of Mary:** Danila Loquia (925-864-1237)

**Vietnamese Association:** Hiep David Vu, President  
([Davidvu207@gmail.com](mailto:Davidvu207@gmail.com))

## GOSPEL READING

Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

When the Pharisees with some scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around Jesus, they observed that some of his disciples ate their meals with unclean, that is, unwashed, hands.

—For the Pharisees and, in fact, all Jews, do not eat without carefully washing their hands, keeping the tradition of the elders. And on coming from the marketplace they do not eat without purifying themselves.

And there are many other things that they have traditionally observed, the purification of cups and jugs and kettles and beds. — So the Pharisees and scribes questioned him, “Why do your disciples not follow the tradition of the elders but instead eat a meal with unclean hands?”

He responded,

“Well did Isaiah prophesy about you hypocrites, as it is written:

*This people honors me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me; in vain do they worship me, teaching as doctrines human precepts.*

You disregard God’s commandment but cling to human tradition.” He summoned the crowd again and said to them, “Hear me, all of you, and understand. Nothing that enters one from outside can defile that person; but the things that come out from within are what defile. “From within people, from their hearts, come evil thoughts, unchastity, theft, murder, adultery, greed, malice, deceit, licentiousness, envy, blasphemy, arrogance, folly. All these evils come from within and they defile.”

## PRAY FOR THE SICK

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, Bert Tomas, Po Hyun Cho, Flora Dumlao, Henry Rodgers, 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 August 22: \$ 8,235**

**Maintenance Fund: \$ 2,555**

**Anniversary Festival: \$ 3,018**

**2021 Insurance: Total: \$ 18,589 Owe \$ 10,000.00**

**2021 Assessment: Total: \$ 55, 485 Owe \$ 18,471.25**

*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.**



In today's Gospel, Mark provides a significant amount of information about the Jewish observance of ritual-purity laws. Most scholars believe that Mark includes this information because his audience includes Gentile Christians who have no knowledge or experience of these laws. We can infer, therefore, that many in Mark's community were not Jewish Christians.

In this Gospel, Mark addresses the question of which Jewish practices would also be observed in the newly emerging Christian community. This was a significant question for the early Christian Church, especially in communities that included both Jewish and Gentile converts to Christianity. We also hear this question addressed in the letters of Paul with regard to table fellowship. In Gospel passages such as the one today, we see the Gospel evangelists finding justification for a Christian practice distinct from Judaism in the remembrances of Jesus' teaching and the practice of his first disciples.

Jesus first criticizes the Pharisees for putting human tradition above God's Law. Here, Jesus is referring to the tradition of the elders, the teachings of the Pharisees, which extended the ritual-purity laws of Temple worship to everyday Jewish life. Jesus criticizes the Pharisees for making this tradition equal to and as binding as the Law of Moses.

Next, Jesus comments on the meaning behind the Pharisees' language of holiness—clean and unclean. Jesus teaches that a person is not defiled by the food that enters his or her body, but rather by sin that emerges from his or her words and actions. In this teaching, Jesus unmasks a deeper question behind the one posed to him by the Pharisees. The real issue is holiness, which is not found in external acts alone. Holiness comes from within and is evidenced in the actions and attitudes that emerge from a person's life.

If we read today's Gospel carefully, we will see a pattern in Jesus' teaching method that will be repeated in the weeks ahead. Jesus' first teaching is directed to the Pharisees who questioned him. Jesus' words are then directed to the crowd, teaching that a person is defiled by his or her words and actions, not by the food that he or she eats. In verses omitted in today's reading, we learn that Jesus returned home with his disciples, who in turn questioned him about what he had taught. The words we read at the conclusion of today's Gospel are addressed to Jesus' disciples. Mark's narrative shows several audiences for Jesus' teaching: his antagonists, the crowds, and Jesus' disciples. As we see in this reading, the words to the Pharisees are often words of challenge. The teaching to the crowds is often a general, sometimes cryptic, message. With the disciples, who often misunderstand Jesus' words, further explanation is offered about his message and its meaning.

Jesus' words challenge us as well. In our desire to show that we are holy, we might also give too much credence to externals, following rules without thinking about the intention behind them. Jesus reminds us that we do not make ourselves holy by our actions. Rather, we become holy when we allow God's Spirit to transform us. Our actions should be an expression of the conversion of our heart to God and to God's ways.

## ST. JEANNE JUGAN

Feast Day: August 30



Born in northern France during the French Revolution—a time when congregations of women and men religious were being suppressed by the national government, Jeanne would eventually be highly praised in the French academy for her community's compassionate care of elderly poor people.

When Jeanne was three and a half years old, her father, a fisherman, was lost at sea. Her widowed mother was hard pressed to raise her eight children alone; four died young. At the age of 15 or 16, Jeanne became a kitchen maid for a family that not only cared for its own members, but also served poor, elderly people nearby. Ten years later, Jeanne became a nurse at the hospital in Le Rosais. Soon thereafter, she joined a third order group founded by Saint John Eudes.

After six years she became a servant and friend of a woman she met through the third order. They prayed, visited the poor, and taught catechism to children. After her friend's death, Jeanne and two other women continued a similar life in the city of Saint-Sevan. In 1839, they brought in their first permanent guest. They began an association, received more members, and more guests. Mère Marie of the Cross, as Jeanne was now known, founded six more houses for the elderly by the end of 1849, all staffed by members of her association—the Little Sisters of the Poor. By 1853, the association numbered 500 and had houses as far away as England.

Abbé Le Pailleur, a chaplain, had prevented Jeanne's reelection as superior in 1843; nine years later, he had her assigned to duties within the congregation, but would not allow her to be recognized as its founder. In 1890, the Holy See removed him from office.

By the time Pope Leo XIII gave her final approval to the community's constitutions in 1879, there were 2,400 Little Sisters of the Poor. Jeanne died later that same year, on August 30. Her cause was introduced in Rome in 1970. She was beatified in 1982, and canonized in 2009.

## PARISH EVENTS

### DEVOTION TO OUR LADY

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.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### REGISTRATION FOR CCD SCHOOL YEAR 2021-2022

Registration for the upcoming CCD school year is now open. **Last day to register is September 13th.**

Please see Rene Asuncion at the CCD office for more

## HISPANIC COMMUNITY

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.

## 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!

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary



“TAKEN UP INTO HEAVEN. MARY SHOWS US THE WAY TO GOD THE WAY TO HEAVEN THE WAY TO LIFE”  
*Pope St. John Paul II*

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### *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.

### 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.

## WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

- Monday, August 30**  
7:00 pm Religious Education
- Tuesday, August 31**  
7:30 pm Knight of Columbus Officer's Meeting
- Wednesday, September 1**  
9:15 am Legion of Mary  
1:00 pm RMG Meeting
- Thursday, September 2**  
7:00 pm P#2: Divine Mercy
- Friday, September 3**  
6:00 pm Adoration & Benediction  
7:00 pm P#1: Hispanic Choir
- Saturday, September 4**  
9:00 am Religious Education  
3:30 pm Confessions

### BINGO



Come join us for our monthly Bingo, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus on Saturday, September 11th at 6:00 pm in Palis Hall.

## Parking Lot Market Fair

**OCTOBER 17, 2021**  
**9 AM TO 2 PM**



### Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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Contact: Shawnie Graham at (925) 389-1874  
Or Email: ladycion@comcast.net

### VENDORS WANTED

**PLEASE EMAIL SHAWNIE TO GET THE APPLICATION**

\$35 Donation (10ft x 10ft) space or \$60 for 2 spaces

\$25 worth of Raffle Gift donation on day of event.

\$20 Donation for a table and 2 chairs

Last day to apply  
September 30, 2021

## PAN DE VIDA FOR VOCATIONS



**Saturday, November 20**  
*Saint Michael Church, Livermore*

- 2PM Confession and Adoration
- 3PM Talk by CFR Fathers with Praise and Worship
- 4PM Benediction
- 5PM Holy Eucharist with Bishop Barber, SJ followed by Dinner and Q&A

To pre-register, contact Father Carl Arcosa at [carcosa@oakdiocese.org](mailto:carcosa@oakdiocese.org)



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NORCAL JAM 2021



**SATURDAY**  
**SEPT 18**  
**9AM - 8PM**  
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**FR. RADMAR JAO, SJ**

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# 59th Anniversary Festival





# Knights of Columbus

Bishop Begin Council 7164  
Our Lady Queen of the World Parish  
Bay Point, CA



The Knights will be having our breakfast starting Sunday, September 12, 2021 in the church hall from 11:00 a.m. to 12 noon. Breakfast orders can be eaten in the hall or takeout.

**Please order by Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup> to make sure your order is ready.**

## MENU

### TAKE OUT

• 11am:\_\_\_\_\_ 11:15am:\_\_\_\_\_ 11:30am\_\_\_\_\_ 11:45am\_\_\_\_\_

- PLATE \$7.50 eggs & pancakes
- Choose: bacon\_\_\_\_\_, sausage\_\_\_\_\_, or ham\_\_\_\_\_
- Choose: milk\_\_\_\_\_ or orange juice\_\_\_\_\_

### OR EAT IN

PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR NAME AND PHONE NUMBER & NUMBER OF GUESTS:

Name:\_\_\_\_\_ Phone #:\_\_\_\_\_

Drop off this flyer in the church's rectory or any Knight or email orders to Kip Trombley at 925-285-5118 or [kat\\_service@yahoo.com](mailto:kat_service@yahoo.com) or Manuel Rosario at 925-595-4358 or [mnrosario@comcast.net](mailto:mnrosario@comcast.net).