

Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 13, 2021

“It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants.” (Mark 4: 31-32)

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

Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 9:00AM - 1:00PM

Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm (English Indoor)
7:00 pm (Spanish Indoor)

Sunday 9:00 am (English Outdoor)
12 noon (English Indoor)
4:00 pm (Vietnamese Indoor)

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 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



Monday, June 14

7:30 am Mai Dinh & Ngan Vu

Tuesday, June 15

7:30 am Romeo & Benilda Mariano

Wednesday, June 16

7:30 am Crispiniano & Pacita Enrique

Thursday, June 17

7:30 am Lutgarda Abagat

Friday, June 18

7:30 am Elena David

Saturday, June 19

8:00 am Kim Tran's Intentions

5:00 pm Father's Day

7:00 pm (SP) Father's Day

Sunday, June 20

9:00 am Father's Day

12 noon Father's Day

4:00 pm (VN) Father's Day



PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

Filipino Association: Nerissa Riray,
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President (antoniorenteria201@yahoo.com)
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925-285-4947 (kipbecky@yahoo.com)

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(gk7164@yahoo.com)

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925-300-7081 (labejuela@gmail.com)

St. Vincent de Paul Society: Esther Tilton,
President (SVDPOLOW@gmail.com)

Legion of Mary: Danila Loquiaio (925-864-1237)

Vietnamese Association: Hiep David Vu, President
(Davidvu207@gmail.com)

GOSPEL READING

Mk 4:26-34

Jesus said to the crowds:

“This is how it is with the kingdom of God;
it is as if a man were to scatter seed on the land
and would sleep and rise night and day
and through it all the seed would sprout and grow,
he knows not how.

Of its own accord the land yields fruit,
first the blade, then the ear, then the full grain in the ear.
And when the grain is ripe, he wields the sickle at once,
for the harvest has come.”

He said, “To what shall we compare the kingdom of God,
or what parable can we use for it?

It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground,
is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth.

But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest
of plants and puts forth large branches,
so that the birds of the sky can dwell in its shade.”

With many such parables he spoke the word to them as they
were able to understand it.

Without parables he did not speak to them,
but to his own disciples he explained everything in private.

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Mario & Emma Dolor, Bertha Baldauf, Jovita Domingo, Carol Wagner,
Julian Martinez, Connie Trias, Virginia Cabaddu, Nena Davi, Danny Muly,
Michelle McLaughlin, Miguel Ortiz, Michael Regello, Adele Discipulo,
Virgilio Constantino, Francisco Arias, Pacita Grabek, Rosalina Masangcay,
Carmelo Cecilio, Lynn Anderson, Helena Magante, victims of the Corona-
virus, 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 May 30: \$ 4666.00 June 6: \$ 5899.00

St. Vincent de Paul: \$1125.00 Building Fund: \$ 1657.00

2021 Insurance: Total: \$ 18,589 Owe \$ 15,000

2021 Assessment: Total: \$ 55, 485 Owe \$ 26,799.50

*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.



After Lent, the Easter season, and three Sundays of feast days—Pentecost, Most Holy Trinity, and Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ—the Church returns to Ordinary Time. This Sunday’s Gospel from Mark carries a significant message regarding faith and the Kingdom of God.

In Mark’s Gospel, Jesus appears reluctant to reveal his identity as the Son of God. After performing miracles of healing, he warns those cured to tell no one (see Mark 1:44, 3:12, 5:43, 7:36, and 8:26). Also, when preaching, Jesus chooses to speak to the crowds in parables, leaving them to discern his message. Only to his disciples does he explain the parable’s meaning, and he does this in private at a later time.

Today’s Gospel Reading consists of two parables about seeds. In the first, Jesus tells those gathered that this is “how it is with the kingdom of God.” A man scatters seed which over time sprouts and develops. Then when the grain is ripe, the man harvests his crop. The emphasis in the parable is on the seed, which seemingly has the power to grow on its own. In this it is like the Kingdom of God. While on earth, Jesus planted the seeds of the kingdom by his life, miracles, teaching, and suffering. However, the kingdom is not yet fully established. Although already present in Jesus and his group of twelve, it has yet to come to fruition; just as the seed in the parable needs time to grow, so does God’s kingdom.

The second parable focuses on the tiny mustard seed. Though not the smallest of all seeds, it is most likely the smallest that a first-century farmer in Jesus’ part of the world would have sown. Small as the mustard seed is, it develops into a tree. Though the mustard tree generally averages only nine to twelve feet in height, it has a wide expanse and provides a nesting place for birds. Just as the tree welcomes the birds, so is God’s kingdom welcoming and open to many.

These parables help us discern something about the kingdom of God and our own faith. In God we live and move and have our being, but God is a mystery and his kingdom, though present, has not yet come into its fullness. Today, the Kingdom of God is present in the Church. The mission of proclaiming the Good News of the Kingdom given to the Apostles is now given to us. But just as seeds need time to come to fruition, so does the Kingdom of God. That is why in the Lord’s Prayer, we pray, “thy kingdom come.” We know that it will come in its fullness at the end of time. All we need is faith.

St. Francis Regis

Feast Day: June 16th



Born into a family of some wealth, John Francis was so impressed by his Jesuit educators that he himself wished to enter the Society of Jesus. He did so at age 18. Despite his rigorous academic schedule, he spent many hours in chapel, often to the dismay of fellow seminarians who were concerned about his health.

Following his ordination to the priesthood, John Francis undertook missionary work in various French towns. While the formal sermons of the day tended toward the poetic, his discourses were plain. But they revealed the fervor within him and attracted people of all classes. Father Regis especially made himself available to the poor. Many mornings were spent in the confessional or at the altar celebrating Mass; afternoons were reserved for visits to prisons and hospitals.

The bishop of Viviers, observing the success of Father Regis in communicating with people, sought to draw on his many gifts, especially needed during the prolonged civil and religious strife then rampant throughout France. With many prelates absent and priests negligent, the people had been deprived of the sacraments for 20 years or more. Various forms of Protestantism were thriving in some cases while a general indifference toward religion was evident in other instances. For three years, Father Regis traveled throughout the diocese, conducting missions in advance of a visit by the bishop. He succeeded in converting many people and in bringing many others back to religious observances.

Though Father Regis longed to work as a missionary among the Native Americans in Canada, he was to live out his days working for the Lord in the wildest and most desolate part of his native France. There he encountered rigorous winters, snowdrifts and other deprivations. Meanwhile he continued preaching missions and earned a reputation as a saint. Upon entering the town of Saint-Andé, one man came upon a large crowd in front of a church and was told that people were waiting for “the saint” who was coming to preach a mission.

The last four years of his life were spent preaching and organizing social services, especially for prisoners, the sick and the poor. In the autumn of 1640, Father Regis sensed that his days were coming to a conclusion. He settled some of his affairs and prepared for the end by continuing to do what he did so well: speaking to the people about the God who loved them. On December 31, he spent most of the day with his eyes on the crucifix. That evening, he died. His final words were: “Into thy hands I commend my spirit.”

John Francis Regis was canonized in 1737.

PARISH EVENTS

CONFESSIONS:

Father Peter will be offering **Outdoor Confessions on Saturdays from 3:30 pm at the Divine Mercy Shrine.**

**Indoor mass schedule:
Saturdays at 5:00 pm in English
and 7:00 pm in Spanish;
Sundays at 12 noon in English
and 4:00 pm in Vietnamese.**

**No registration required.
We will still observe social distancing protocols.**

**We will still have our outdoor parking lot mass on Sundays @ 9:00 am .
The outdoor mass will also be Livestream on our Facebook page.**

DEVOTION TO OUR LADY

June 14: Our Lady of Manaog
July 13: Our Lady of Lourdes
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.

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.

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> .

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 pm
Saturday 9:00 am- 12 pm

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!

St. Vincent de Paul Society is asking that only canned foods be donated in the barrels located in the church foyer at this time. Thank you for all your support.

COLUMBIETTES

We are so grateful to the donors who came out to save lives. Vitalant relies on our community partners to safeguard patient needs and replenish the blood supply as we all look at ways to recover and get back to normal. Your efforts are used to support patients in need.

We started the drive with 33 appointments. 28 people attended the drive and 23 donors gave 32 lifesaving units of blood. When whole blood is broken down into its components, it has the potential to positively affect the lives of three patients. This means that Our Lady Queen of the World has contributed to helping save the lives of 96 people at this blood drive.

SOLAR SYSTEM

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



SAN DAMIANO EVENT:

"SISTERS IN SPIRIT: DEACONESSES OF THE BIBLE"

Tuesday, June 29, 2021, 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Location: Virtual Event

Cost: \$20-\$25 (virtual or in-person)

San Damiano continues to offer this monthly series for women (Sisters in Spirit).

This series takes a look at these women scripturally, historically, and spiritually and find our similarities and or differences. No Bibles or books required, simply your presence and your thoughts and experiences. We will have time to take a break and time for discussion and sharing too. Please contact Kateri at 925-785-9850 if you prefer do your payment by phone or register via online at <https://sandamiano.org/events/sisters-in-spirit-deaconesses/>. Thank you.

CATHOLICSCARE SUPPORT OPPORTUNITIES

During this time of uncertainty and anxiety, CatholicCare 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/catholic-care>.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

Friday, June 18, 2021, 3:00 PM

Location: Virtual Event

For information and to register for this virtual program, please contact Sandra Rowe RN, FCPI, via email at: srowe.fcp2@gmail.com or call the FertilityCare Center 510.271.1936.

You can learn more about the Creighton Method for Natural Family Planning here: <https://oakdiocese.org/nfp-methods>

COVID VACCINATION

SOLANO PHARMACY

Solano Pharmacy in Concord has a drive thru vaccination on Fridays.

For appointments please call
925-332-5141.

RETROUVAILLE PROGRAM

Retrouvaille a Marriage program that helps couples in struggling marriages restore and rebuild a healthy and loving marriage. The Oakland Retrouvaille Program will be hosting a VIRTUAL Weekend Program starting Thursday, June 24 - Sunday, June 27, 2021. For more information or to register, please check the website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com or leave a message

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.

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____

Address _____

(Street)

(City)

(Zip)

Email: _____

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.**

Confirmation 2021



Congratulations!!!