Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

"Be opened!"
(Mark 7: 34)

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

Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 9:00 AM - 1:00 РМ

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.

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

Email:director@olqwre.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



Monday, September 6

7:30 am Maria Magdalene

Tuesday, September 7

7:30 am Timotea Ambayan

Wednesday, September 8

7:30 am Benjamin A. Santos

Thursday, September 9

7:30 am Sister Rosita Placido

Friday, September 10

7:30 am Ronnie Belza & Family

Thanksgiving

Saturday, September 11

8:00 am All Souls 5:00 pm Pedro Catalya 7:00 pm (SP) Josefina Gonzalez

Sunday, September 12

8:00 am Michael Brown 10:00 am Benjamin A. Santos 12 noon Rodelo M. Quitain

4:00 pm (VN)

MINISTRIES

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

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

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Vietnamese Association: Hiep David Vu, President

(Davidvu207@gmail.com)

GOSPEL READING Mk 7:31-37

Again Jesus left the district of Tyre and went by way of Sidon to the Sea of Galilee, into the district of the Decapolis.

And people brought to him a deaf man who had a speech impediment

and begged him to lay his hand on him.

He took him off by himself away from the crowd.

He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue;

then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him.

"Ephphatha!"—that is, "Be opened!"—

And immediately the man's ears were opened,

his speech impediment was removed,

and he spoke plainly.

He ordered them not to tell anyone. But the more he ordered them not to,

the more they proclaimed it.

They were exceedingly astonished and they said,

"He has done all things well.

He makes the deaf hear and the mute speak."

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, Alica Belza, 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 29: \$5,834.75

St Vincent DePaul: \$ 1,808.00

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.



Today we continue to hear the Gospel of Mark proclaimed. In today's reading, Jesus heals a man who was deaf and had a speech impediment. This is a story about Jesus' healing power, and in it we find clues about our understanding of sacrament. We are struck by the physical means used to heal the man, the use of spittle and touch. The Church continues to celebrate the sacraments using physical means. In the Sacrament of Baptism, water and oil are used to show the power of the Holy Spirit. In the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, we are anointed with holy oil on the forehead and the hands. In the Eucharist, bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ. We are a sacramental people who believe that God's grace is given to us through these physical signs.

Some, however, see in this Gospel an image of the proclamation of the good news of Jesus to the Gentiles. The geographic references tell us that Jesus is journeying through Gentile territory. Jesus had previously visited this region and healed a person possessed by a demon. Jesus was already famous there, which explains why people brought the deaf man to him. The story that precedes this reading in Mark's Gospel sets the stage. Jesus encounters a Gentile, a Syrophoenician woman who asks him to heal her demon-possessed daughter. Jesus engages her in a dialogue about not feeding to dogs the food intended for children. Jesus is struck by the woman's great faith when she replies that even dogs eat the food that falls from the table, and he heals her daughter immediately. The faith of this Greek woman compels Jesus to respond to her plea.

Mark shows that Jesus' own mission affirms the early Church's mission to the Gentiles. This was a significant issue to the early Christian community, which found that the good news of Jesus took root and spread quickly among the Gentiles. Yet there is an irony in the story of healing that Mark tells. Jesus gives the man the gift of speech, but then tells him not to use it. Jesus asks that the news of his healing power, which is evidence of his identity as the Messiah, not be spread. This is a recurring motif in Mark's Gospel and is sometimes called the "messianic secret."

ST. JEANNE JUGAN

Feast Day: August 30



A native of Spain, young Jesuit Peter Claver left his homeland forever in 1610 to be a missionary in the colonies of the New World. He sailed into Cartagena, a rich port city washed by the Caribbean. He was ordained there in 1615. By this time the slave trade had been established in the Americas for nearly 100 years, and Cartagena was a chief center for it. Ten thousand slaves poured into the port each year after crossing the Atlantic from West Africa under conditions so foul and inhuman that an estimated one-third of the passengers died in transit. Although the practice of slave-trading was condemned by Pope Paul III and later labeled "supreme villainy" by Pope Pius IX, it continued to flourish.

Peter Claver's predecessor, Jesuit Father Alfonso de Sandoval, had devoted himself to the service of the slaves for 40 years before Claver arrived to continue his work, declaring himself "the slave of the Negroes forever." As soon as a slave ship entered the port, Peter Claver moved into its infested hold to minister to the ill-treated and exhausted passengers. After the slaves were herded out of the ship like chained animals and shut up in nearby yards to be gazed at by the crowds, Claver plunged in among them with medicines, food, bread, brandy, lemons, and tobacco. With the help of interpreters he gave basic instructions and assured his brothers and sisters of their human dignity and God's love. During the 40 years of his ministry, Claver instructed and baptized an estimated 300,000 slaves.

Fr. Claver's apostolate extended beyond his care for slaves. He became a moral force, indeed, the apostle of Cartagena. He preached in the city square, gave missions to sailors and traders as well as country missions, during which he avoided, when possible, the hospitality of the planters and owners and lodged in the slave quarters instead.

After four years of sickness, which forced the saint to remain inactive and largely neglected, Claver died on September 8, 1654. The city magistrates, who had previously frowned at his solicitude for the black outcasts, ordered that he should be buried at public expense and with great pomp.

Peter Claver was canonized in 1888, and Pope Leo XIII declared him the worldwide patron of missionary work among black slaves.

https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-of-the-day/saint-peter-claver

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.

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.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

REGISTRATION FOR CCD SCHOOL YEAR 2021-2022

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

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

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 dificil 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!

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, September 6

Tuesday, September 7

Wednesday, September 8

9:15 am Legion of Mary

Thursday, September 9

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

Friday, September 10

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

Saturday, September 11

9:00 am Religious Education 12:00 noon P#1: Legion of Mary

3:30 pm Confessions 6:00 pm BINGO

Sunday, September 12 Pancake Breakfast

1:00 pm P#3: Vietnamese Catholic Mothers

2:00 pm P#2: Vietnamese Choir

Parking Lot Market Fair

OCTOBER 17, 2021 9 AM TO 2 PM







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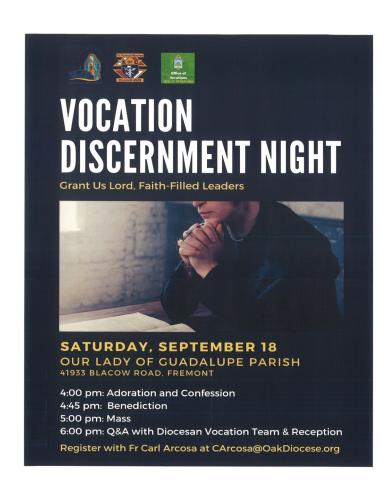
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VENDORS WANTED PLEASE EMAIL SHAWNIE TO GET THE APPLICATION

\$35 Donation (10ft x 10ft) space or \$60 for 2 \$25 worth of Raffle Gift donation on day of \$20 Donation for a table and 2 chairs

Last day to apply September 30, 2021







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.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE CARE OF CREATION

Wednesday, September 1, 2021

On this World Day of Prayer, we are called upon to protect people and the planet, living our faith in relationship with all of God's creation. This environmental challenge has fundamental moral and ethical dimensions that cannot be ignored.

REMEMBERING THE FAITHFUL -FIRST SATURDAY MASS

Saturday, September 4, 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.



ORDER OF MALTA FREE CLINIC FOR COVID-19 VACCINE

If you haven't been vaccinated against COVID-19, please come to the Order of Malta Free Clinic at St. Anthony parish in Oakland. All are welcome; minors must be accompanied by an adult/guardian. No appointment necessary.







St. Anthony -Mary Help of Christians Parish

If you haven't been vaccinated please come to the Order of Malta free Clinic.

- + Pfizer vaccine for ages 12+
- + Minors must be accompanied by an adult
- + All are welcome
- + No appointment or pre-registration required
- + Identification preferred but not required

Saturday, September 11
Saturday, October 2
10am to 2pm
St. Anthony Parish
1535 16th Avenue
Ockland CA 94606

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CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

Sunday, September 19, 2021, we celebrate Catechetical Sunday! This is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role each person plays, by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. Join us in prayer for our wonderful catechists who help our parishioners learn and grow in faith.



Unights 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 10th to make sure your order is ready.

MENU

TAKE OUT

• 11am: 11:15am:11:30am11:45am
 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 or Manuel Rosario at 925-595-4358 or mnrosario@comcast.net.