Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 30, 2022

"Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place."
(Luke 4: 24)

Fr. Thomas Khue, Parochial Administrator 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. Thomas Khue 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, January 31

7:30 am Benjamin A. Santos †

Tuesday, February 1

7:30 am Lina Ramon Thanksgiving

Wednesday, February 2

Pilar & Apolinea Lapid † 7:30 am

Thursday, February 3

7:30 am Mai Dinh & Ngan Vu †

Friday, February 4

7:30 am Giuse Khang Nguyen †

Saturday, February 5

8:00 am Alma Bautista

5:00 pm Catherine G. Ignaco †

7:00 pm (SP) Linda Giron †

Sunday, February 6

8:00 am Lynn Anderson

10:00 am Malachy Ohaegbulem Anyanwu †

12 noon 4:00 pm (VN)



PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

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

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Jesus began speaking in the synagogue, saying:

"Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing."

And all spoke highly of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth.

They also asked, "Isn't this the son of Joseph?"

He said to them, "Surely you will quote me this proverb,

'Physician, cure yourself,' and say,

'Do here in your native place the things that we heard were done in Capernaum."

And he said, "Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place. Indeed, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah when the sky was closed for three and a half years and a severe famine spread over the entire land. It was to none of these that Elijah was sent, but only to a widow in Zarephath in the land of Sidon.

Again, there were many lepers in Israel during the time of Elisha the prophet; yet not one of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian."

When the people in the synagogue heard this, they were all filled with fury. They rose up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town had been built, to hurl him down headlong.

But Jesus passed through the midst of them and went away.

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Adele Discipulo, Virgilio Constantino, Francisco Arias, Pacita Grabek, Carmelo Cecilio, Lynn Anderson, Helena Magante, Betty Tecson, Victoria Lapid, Bert Tomas, Po Hyun Cho, Henry Rodgers, Trinidad Crockett, Luz Valenzuela, Portia Montecillo, Viet Anh Le, Patrick Kenney, Logan Kenney, Claire F. Luna, Bertha Baldauf, Ginger Lopez, Nadine Jerez, Carolyn Hoppenhauer, Mario Dolor, Paul Lapid, Daniel Muly, Michelle McLaughlin, Alina Romero, 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 January 23: \$7,009.50

St. Vincent de Paul: \$1,879 2022 Insurance: Total: \$

2022 Assessment: Total: \$ 44,795.70

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 Gospel is about who Jesus is and who people believe him to be. The story of Jesus' preaching and rejection at Nazareth is found in each of the Synoptic Gospels. In Luke's Gospel, this incident is told in a way that foretells Jesus' passion and death and helps explain the inclusion of the Gentiles in the promise of salvation. In Luke's Gospel this incident appears at the beginning of Jesus' ministry; in Matthew and Mark, this event is placed considerably later, after Jesus has preached and taught elsewhere. Only Luke identifies the content of Jesus' teaching in any detail, telling us that Jesus read from the book of the prophet Isaiah in the synagogue. In Mark and Matthew's Gospels, Jesus teaches in the synagogue in Nazareth, and the townspeople take offense because Jesus is only the son of a carpenter. They reject his authority to teach them. In Matthew and Mark, it is only after Jesus is rejected that he observes times when Israel has rejected prophets.

In Luke's Gospel, the people are surprised but not immediately offended by Jesus' words in the synagogue. It is the words that follow his reading from the prophet Isaiah that seem to offend them. Jesus challenges and provokes the people of Nazareth by referring to examples in which Israel rejected the prophets. He also challenges them to respond to his message, the message of a prophet, in a way that is different from their ancestors. This call for a new response leads to his rejection.

It is helpful to consider the historical context of Luke's Gospel. Luke has witnessed the acceptance of the gospel message among many Gentiles. He endeavors to explain why the Good News of Jesus has not been as well-received by his Jewish contemporaries. Luke's report interprets the cause of Jesus' rejection at Nazareth in the context of this later Christian history. Just as the people at Nazareth did not welcome the Good News that Jesus announced, so too many among the people of Israel will not accept the preaching of the gospel.

After Jesus' words of challenge, Luke reports that there was a movement to kill Jesus by throwing him over a cliff. This differs from the reports found in Mark and Matthew's Gospels, where Jesus is said to be unable to perform miracles in Nazareth because of the people's lack of faith. Luke says that Jesus walks away from the crowd that intended to kill him; it is not yet his time. The animosity of the people of Nazareth prefigures and prepares the reader of Luke's Gospel for the cross. Luke wants all to understand that it is through his death on the cross that Jesus offers God's salvation to all.

ST. BLAISE

FEAST DAY: FEBRUARY 3



We know more about the devotion to Saint Blaise by Christians around the world than we know about the saint himself. His feast is observed as a holy day in some Eastern Churches. In 1222, the Council of Oxford prohibited servile labor in England on Blaise's feast day. The Germans and Slavs hold him in special honor, and for decades many United States Catholics have sought the annual Saint Blaise blessing for their throats.

We know that Bishop Blaise was martyred in his episcopal city of Sebastea, Armenia, in 316. The legendary Acts of St. Blaise were written 400 years later. According to them Blaise was a good bishop, working hard to encourage the spiritual and physical health of his people. Although the Edict of Toleration (311), granting freedom of worship in the Roman Empire, was already five years old, persecution still raged in Armenia. Blaise was apparently forced to flee to the back country. There he lived as a hermit in solitude and prayer, but he made friends with the wild animals. One day a group of hunters seeking wild animals for the amphitheater stumbled upon Blaise's cave. They were first surprised and then frightened. The bishop was kneeling in prayer surrounded by patiently waiting wolves, lions and hears

The legend has it that as the hunters hauled Blaise off to prison, a mother came with her young son who had a fish bone lodged in his throat. At Blaise's command the child was able to cough up the bone.

Agricolaus, governor of Cappadocia, tried to persuade Blaise to sacrifice to pagan idols. The first time Blaise refused, he was beaten. The next time he was suspended from a tree and his flesh torn with iron combs or rakes. Finally, he was beheaded.

Reflection

Four centuries give ample opportunity for fiction to creep in with fact. Who can be sure how accurate Blaise's biographer was? But biographical details are not essential. Blaise is seen as one more example of the power those have who give themselves entirely to Jesus. As Jesus told his apostles at the Last Supper, "If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask for whatever you want and it will be done for you" (John 15:7). With faith we can follow the lead of the Church in asking for Blaise's protection.

Saint Blaise is the Patron Saint of: Relief from Throat Ailments English Wool Combers

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

PARISH EVENTS

BAPTISM



Our next Baptism class for parents and godparents is Tuesday, February 8 at 7pm. Please register by calling 925-458-4718 or email Faye Dolor @ mfmdolor@olqw.org.

WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

Monday, January 31

11:15 am P#2: Legion of Mary 7:00 pm Hall & Portables: CCD

Tuesday, February 1

7:00 pm Hall: Knights of Columbus Rosary

& Meeting

Wednesday, February 2

1:00 pm Regina Mundi Guild Meeting

Thursday, February 3

7:00 pm P#2: Divine Mercy Prayer

Friday, February 4

7:00 pm P#1: Hispanic Choir

Saturday, February 5

9:00 am Hall & Portables: CCD Church: Baptism

12:00 pm Hall: Vietnamese Prep for Lunar New

Year

Sunday, February 6 Vietnamese Lunar New Year

1:00 pm Hall: Vietnamese

FILIPINO ASSOCIATION

Filipino Association Casino Bus Trip scheduled for February 19, 2022 has been cancelled .

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.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Are you looking for ways to experience God?

Members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul invite you to share in their ministry of experiencing God in serving people living in poverty. We see

Christ in the poor because Jesus told us "whatever you do to the least of my brothers and sisters you do for me."

Contact Esther Tilton, Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conference President, at 925-597-0303.

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!

BLOOD DRIVE



Our Lady Queen of the World

Sunday, February 27, 2022 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Bloodmobile

3155 Winterbrook Drive Bay Point, CA 94565



To schedule your appointment please visit vitalant.org and click donate. Use your unique sponsor code: **OLQW**





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.



March

March 2nd: Ash Wednesday: 1st day of Lent March 6th: 1st Scrutiny @ 10:00 am Mass March 13th: 2nd Scrutiny @ 8:00 am Mass March 26th: 3rd Scrutiny @ 5:00 pm Mass

<u>April</u>

April 3rd: Presentation of The Lord's

Prayer @ 10:00 am Mass

April 7th: (Tentative) Chrism Mass at the

Cathedral of Christ the Light



WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Tax statements will be available after February 04.

On your contribution envelopes, please indicate that you need a statement or call the rectory. If you have moved, please update your information using the form below.



Love is patient, love is kind. Increase your love for one another on the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience. Both Virtual and In-Person Experiences are available. The next in-person Experience in the Oakland Diocese is March 4-6, 2022. Go to www.wwme.org to find the Experi-

ence that is just right for you!

<u>UPDATE YOUR INFORMATION</u>			
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			
Email:	(Street)	(City)	(Zip).





14TH ANNUAL PARISH CRAB FEED TO GO

FEBRUARY 12TH

MAIN COURSE BREAD & PASTA CRAB AND/OR TRI-TIP DESSERT CHEESECAKE

Dinner for two \$120 Dinner for four \$225

A \$15 Savings

Raffle tickets \$5 each or 5 for \$20

PICK UP OPEN FROM 5:00PM UNTIL 7:00PM

ORDERS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE BY FEBRUARY 7TH

Cash, MC, Visa and
Debit cards accepted.
Please call Pat at
(925) 234-3975 or
email at fsbbc7164@gmail.com,
or call Becky at
(925) 285-4947 for
Tickets



Filipino Association



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The Filipino Association of Our Lady Queen of the World wishes to express their gratitude and appreciation to all the Sponsors of the 2021 "Simbang Gabi" Christmas Novena and to all the clergy that celebrated the Eucharist for the 9 days of Simbang Gabi.

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We also want to thank everybody who attended our "Seventh Year of Simbang Gabi". whether outdoors or livestream. We hope to see you all again at the next "Simbang Gabi".

*** Contact Nerissa Riray or Lourdes Servigon of the Filipino Association if you are interested in being a sponsor.***

1/20/2022 Fil. Association Letterhead