Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 7, 2022

"You must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come."

(Luke 12: 40)

Fr. Thomas Khue, Parochial Administrator Deacon Loc Nguyen Sister Elizabeth Diep Huynh, Bookkeeper Maria Faye Dolor, Secretary

Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 9:00AM - 1:00 PM

Masse

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 am

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.

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

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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 8

7:30 am Sotero & Teodora Cinco †

Tuesday, August 9

7:30 am Maria Maricel B. Toledo

Wednesday, August 10

7:30 am Robert Walker *

Thursday, August 11

7:30 am Edilberto Africa †

Friday, August 12

7:30 am Romi David Thanksgiving

7:30 pm Our Lady of LaVang

Saturday, August 13

8:00 am Alfredo Africa 5:00 pm Benny Catalya † 7:00 pm (SP) Prudencia Aguilar †

Sunday, August 14

8:00 am Ernesto Cassin †

10:00 am Malachy Ohaegbulem Anyanwu [†]

12 noon Alicia Belza

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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Jesus said to his disciples:

"Gird your loins and light your lamps

and be like servants who await their master's return from a wedding, ready to open immediately when he comes and knocks.

Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival.

Amen, I say to you, he will gird himself,

have the servants recline at table, and proceed to wait on them.

And should he come in the second or third watch and find them prepared in this way, blessed are those servants.

Be sure of this:

if the master of the house had known the hour when the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into.

You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come."

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Helena Magante, Betty Tecson, Victoria Lapid, Bert Tomas, Po Hyun Cho, Henry Rodgers, Trinidad Crockett, Luz Valenzuela, 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, Joe Quizon, Dave Lantz, Jasmin B. Toledo, Nancy Lopez, Thomas Solis, Anecito Montecillo, Fr. Tom, Katt Embody, Rene & Sally Asuncion, 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 31: \$5,565.43

St. Vincent de Paul: 2,088.00

2022 Insurance: Total: \$ 19,319.00 Paid: \$ 9,669.00 2022 Assessment: Total: \$ 44,795.70 Paid: \$ 22,398.00

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.



NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 08/07/2022

My dear parishioners,

Here are some more of my scattered thoughts...

Thank you to all who came out on Saturday to help prepare our parish for our 60th Anniversary Festival by cleaning and preparing food. God bless you all.

The reading for the 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time advise us to be prepared, we do not know when the world will end. We need to be vigilant, like servants awaiting the return of their Master...the end will be like a thief in the night.

In the parable, the vigilant and faithful servants were awaiting their Master's return, Jesus challenges us to be alert disciples, to be ready for the second coming of Jesus Christ. The things of this world are not lasting. Building up wealth and power is useless. In the end, our love will be what remains. So as disciples of Jesus, we need to be focused in serving the Lord and each other. Do not be attached to material good and people so you can recognize the signs of Christ amongst us. We must be attentive to prayer and service instead. To be prudent servants who are ready to welcome the Lord amongst us.

What do I do to recognize the coming of the Lord?

How can I build up spiritual riches?

What do I treasure in my life right now?

Love for God and service to each other help us to be ready.

Prayer and Love

Fr. Tom



Jesus' instructions on how to be ready for the coming judgment continue in the stories and sayings found in today's Gospel. We are not to be like the greedy rich man in last Sunday's Gospel who planned to store his great harvest in barns rather than share it. We are, rather, to share our wealth with those in need. The antidote for the anxiety brought on by the coming judgment is to relinquish our possessions and provide for the needs of others. Our treasure will be in heaven where it will not wear out or be destroyed.

The other major way to be ready for the coming judgment is to be watchful. In Luke's Gospel, Jesus tells a parable about watchfulness to begin making this point. We must be like servants waiting for the master's return from a wedding banquet, which, even now, can last for a few days in the Middle East. We must be watchful so that even if the master comes after midnight, we will be ready for him. This is what the coming of the Son of Man will be like.

Peter asks if this parable is meant for the apostles or for the large crowd that has gathered to listen to Jesus. Without answering Peter's question, Jesus responds with another parable about servants awaiting the return of their master. It begins with a question: "Who, then, is the faithful and prudent steward whom the master will put in charge of his servants to distribute the food allowance at the proper time?" This parable adds to the theme of watchfulness; it explains how to wait and reminds us of the reward for the faithful follower at the heavenly banquet after the judgment. If it is addressed to the apostles, then it could also be addressed to leadership in the early Church. Either way, the parables reminds us that we should be found doing our jobs when the master arrives. If we are doing our jobs, our reward will be great. But if we relax, neglect our duties, and begin to act like the greedy rich man—eating, drinking, and making merry—we will not have a place in the kingdom. Watchfulness means living in such a consistently moral and obedient way that we are always ready to give an account to God of how we have lived.

SAINT CLAIRE OF ASSISI

FEAST DAY: AUGUST 11



One of the more sugary movies made about Francis of Assisi pictures Clare as a golden-haired beauty floating through sundrenched fields, a sort of one-woman counterpart to the new Franciscan Order.

The beginning of her religious life was indeed movie material. Having refused to marry at 15, Clare was moved by the dynamic preaching of Francis. He became her lifelong friend and spiritual guide.

At 18, Clare escaped from her father's home one night, was met on the road by friars carrying torches, and in the poor little chapel called the Portiuncula received a rough woolen habit, exchanged her jeweled belt for a common rope with knots in it, and sacrificed her long tresses to Francis' scissors. He placed her in a Benedictine convent, which her father and uncles immediately stormed in rage. Clare clung to the altar of the church, threw aside her veil to show her cropped hair, and remained adamant.

Sixteen days later her sister Agnes joined her. Others came. They lived a simple life of great poverty, austerity, and complete seclusion from the world, according to a Rule which Francis gave them as a Second Order. At age 21, Francis obliged Clare under obedience to accept the office of abbess, one she exercised until her death.

The Poor Ladies went barefoot, slept on the ground, ate no meat, and observed almost complete silence. Later Clare, like Francis, persuaded her sisters to moderate this rigor: "Our bodies are not made of brass." The greatest emphasis, of course, was on gospel poverty. They possessed no property, even in common, subsisting on daily contributions. When even the pope tried to persuade Clare to mitigate this practice, she showed her characteristic firmness: "I need to be absolved from my sins, but I do not wish to be absolved from the obligation of following Jesus Christ."

Contemporary accounts glow with admiration of Clare's life in the convent of San Damiano in Assisi. She served the sick and washed the feet of the begging nuns. She came from prayer, it was said, with her face so shining it dazzled those about her. She suffered serious illness for the last 27 years of her life. Her influence was such that popes, cardinals, and bishops often came to consult her—Clare herself never left the walls of San Damiano.

Francis always remained her great friend and inspiration. Clare was always obedient to his will and to the great ideal of gospel life which he was making real.

A well-known story concerns her prayer and trust. Clare had the Blessed Sacrament placed on the walls of the convent when it faced attack by invading Saracens. "Does it please you, O God, to deliver into the hands of these beasts the defenseless children I have nourished with your love? I beseech you, dear Lord, protect these whom I am now unable to protect." To her sisters she said, "Don't be afraid. Trust in Jesus." The Saracens fled.

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

PARISH EVENTS

HOLY FATHER'S AUGUST 2022 PRAYER INTENTION

For Small Businesses: We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities.

TRƯỜNG VIỆT NGỮ

Năm nay Trường Việt Ngữ Nữ Vương Mân Côi sẽ trở lại sinh hoạt. Vậy xin quí phụ huynh nhận đơn ghi danh cho các em sau Thánh Lễ Chúa nhật (lúc 4 giờ chiều). Hạn chót nộp đơn ngày 31 tháng 8 năm 2022. Muốn biết thêm chi tiết xin liên lạc với sơ Diệp (Sr. Elizabeth) tại văn phòng Giáo xứ sáng Thứ Ba, Thứ Tư và Thứ Sáu Tel: 925 458 4718 hoặc

Email: <u>rectory@olqw.org</u>
Xin cám on.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration for the 2022-2023 CCD school year is now open. Please see Rene Asuncion at the CCD office for applications.

If you are interested in helping teach our young parishioners about our faith, please see Rene Asuncion at the CCD Office.

MASS WITH ANOINTING OF THE SICK SATURDAY, AUGUST 13TH AT 10:00 AM

The Anointing Mass is not only for the elderly or sick, but actually for all of us to receive Healing Spiritually or Physically from Mercy God. In this Mass we can pray for our relatives and friends to receive Healing too.

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.

DEVOTION TO OUR LADY

August 12: Our Lady of LaVang September 13: Our Lady of Guadalupe October 13: Our Lady Queen of the World



ALL DEVOTIONS WILL START AT **7:30 PM** WITH A ROSARY PROCESSION FROM THE HALL.

WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

Monday, August 8

11:15 am P#2: Legion of Mary

Tuesday, August 9

7:00 pm SM: Pre-Baptismal Class 7:00 pm Hall: Hispanic Community 7:30 pm CH: Choir Practice

Wednesday, August 10

8:00 amHall: OLQW Blood Drive 7:30 pm CH: Choir Practice

Thursday, August 11

7:00 pm P#2: Divine Mercy Prayer (SP)

Friday, August 12

7:00 pm P#1: Hispanic Choir

Saturday, August 13

10:00 am Hall: Youth Dance Practice
1:00 pm Hall: Filipino Association

6:00 pm Hall: Father Tom

Sunday, August 14

8:30 am Hall: Vietnamese Choir Feast Day 1:00 pm Hall: Vietnamese Catholic Mothers

2:00 pm P#2: Vietnamese Choir

FLOWER DONATIONS IN MEMORY OF AND/OR DONATED BY:

Luisa R. Servigon **†**

Adrian & Vanessa Villanueva Wedding Anniversary

Miles Daniel Villanueva Thanksgiving

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS

Remember a loved one, celebrate a birthday, or anniversary with a gift of flowers for the Sanctuary. Donors and those honored or remembered will be noted in the bulletin. Please place your donations into an envelope with your name, the name of the one being remembered or honored, the date you would like the flowers to be offered and place it into the collection basket or bring it to the rectory.



OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD 60th ANNIVERSARYFEST RAFFLE

GET YOUR RAFFLE TICKET FOR A CHANCE TO WIN A GRAND PRIZE OF \$1,000.00 CASH; 2ND PRIZE of \$500.00; 3RD Prize of 2 free nights at Sparks AirBnb & other consolation prizes

Tickets are available after every Mass or from the rectory or members of the various parish organizations.

Winners will be drawn on August 21, 2022

(Need not be present to win)

Donation: 5 Tickets for \$20.00

Proceeds will benefit Our Lady Queen of the World.





The Knights of Columbus Council #7164 Invite **you** and **your family** to



faire out to the ball game!

The 16th Annual Jesse Molinar Sr.
Altar Server's Appreciation Day
Saturday August 27th, 2022
at the Oakland Coliseum

to watch the A's play the New York Yankees!
Tailgate party in the parking lot starting at 12:00pm!
The game starts at 6:07 PM.

After the game, there will be a special Drone Light Show!

All active Altar servers are eligible to receive one (1) free ticket.

Persons under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult and have transportation to and from the game.

Chaperones, members of the Knights of Columbus and other parishioners may purchase tickets for \$40 each.

Please note tickets are digital—You will need to download the MLB app on your smart phone and have a valid email address.

Please contact Andrew @ 510-719-0834 OR Andrew.Trias@gmail.com to reserve your tickets today. Limited tickets are available, Reserve yours ASAP

BLOOD DRIVE
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Our Lady Queen of the World

Wednesday, August 10, 2022 10:00 am - 2:00 pm Parrish Hall

3155 Winterbrook Drive Bay Point, CA 94565



ADVANCE APPOINTMENTS



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OLQW 60TH ANNIVERSARY

MULTI-CULTURAL LITURGY

On Sunday, August 21st, 11:00 am, there will be Multi-Cultural Liturgy to celebrate the 60th Anniversary of Our Lady Queen of the World.

We invite parishioners from different cultures to represent their culture in the procession by wearing their native costumes that identify their country of origin.

MULTI-CULTURAL ENTERTAINMENT, FOOD BOOTHS, GAMES, ETC.

There are plans to have a multicultural entertainment at Fr. Palis Hall right after the Annniversaryfest Liturgy. If you are interested in performing in the multi-cultural entertainment please contact Shawnie Graham ladycion@comcast.net.

There will be Food Booths from various nationalities and organizations where you can sample different dishes from different cultures.

We are making plans to have Game Booths for our young people to play and enjoy. More information will be made available later.

We are looking for families or groups who will be interested in managing a game booth or Food Booth. If you are interested, contact or e-mail Shawnie Graham at ladycion@comcast.net



Volunteers Needed

We need volunteers for the following committees. Let us know if you are interested.

Souvenir Program/Advertisements

Raffle Tickets/Scrip Tickets

Security

Set Up

Clean Up

Busy? No time to spare? How can you help?

If you find you cannot volunteer your time to help in the preparation of our 60th Anniversary celebration, you can still help us in other ways. You can lend us or donate some of the items listed below.

Donation:

Stuffed Animals

Toys

Raffle Prizes or Gift prizes for game booths

Wrapped candies

Bottled Water

Canned Soda

Can you lend?

Cannopies

Contact or e-mail Shawnie at ladycion@comcast.net