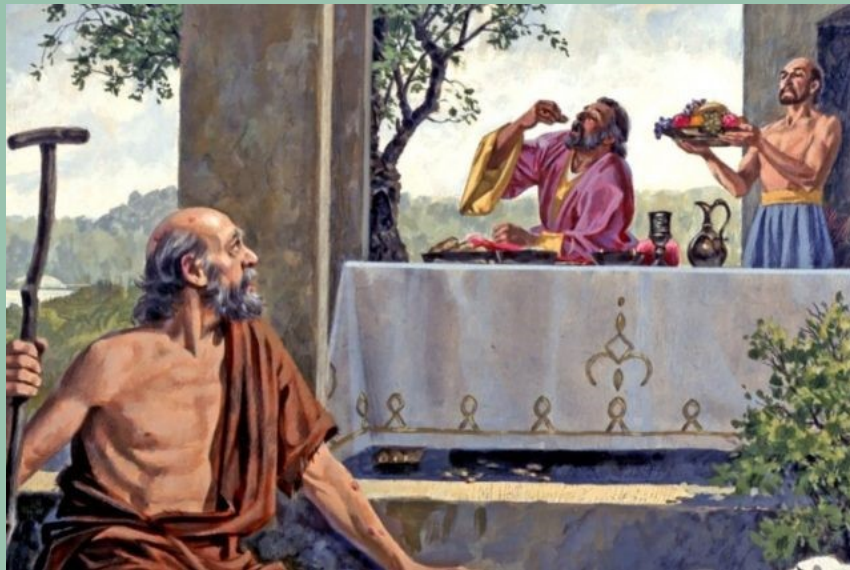


# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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## 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 25, 2022

*“We must build a world where freedom is not an empty word and where the poor man Lazarus can sit at the same table with the rich man.”...St. Pope Paul VI*

*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

### 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 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.

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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, September 26

7:30 am Winnie Grajo Thanksgiving

## Tuesday, September 27

7:30 am Vickie & Bernie Osorio  
Thanksgiving

## Wednesday, September 28

7:30 am Rolando Bernales<sup>†</sup>

## Thursday, September 29

7:30 am Noel E. Mateo<sup>†</sup>

## Friday, September 20

7:30 am Carmelo Cecilio<sup>†</sup>

## Saturday, October 1

8:00 am Gary & Betsy Samson's  
Intentions

5:00 pm Theresa Anh Tran

7:00 pm (SP) Juan Gonzalez<sup>†</sup>

## Sunday, October 2

8:00 am Danilo Ebias Sr.<sup>†</sup>

10:00 am Mario Serna<sup>†</sup>

12:00 noon Gary & Betsy Samson's  
Intentions

4:00 pm (VN)



## PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

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**Vietnamese Association:** Hiep David Vu, President  
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## GOSPEL READING

Lk 16: 19-31

Jesus said to the Pharisees:

"There was a rich man who dressed in purple garments and fine linen and dined sumptuously each day.

And lying at his door was a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who would gladly have eaten his fill of the scraps that fell from the rich man's table. Dogs even used to come and lick his sores. When the poor man died, he was carried away by angels to the bosom of Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried, and from the netherworld, where he was in torment, he raised his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. And he cried out, 'Father Abraham, have pity on me. Send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am suffering torment in these flames.' Abraham replied, 'My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented.

Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is established to prevent anyone from crossing who might wish to go from our side to yours or from your side to ours.' He said, 'Then I beg you, father, send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, so that he may warn them, lest they too come to this place of torment.' But Abraham replied, 'They have Moses and the prophets. Let them listen to them.' He said, 'Oh no, father Abraham, but if someone from the dead goes to them, they will repent.' Then Abraham said, 'If they will not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded if someone should rise from the dead.'"

## PRAY FOR THE SICK

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, Joe Quizon, Dave Lantz, Jasmin B. Toledo, Nancy Lopez, Thomas Solis, Anecito Montecillo, Fr. Tom, Katt Embody, Rene & Sally Asuncion, Herald Nilo, Rosie Lapointe, 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 September 18: \$ 6,647.00**

**Maintenance Fund: \$ 3,317.00**

**2022 Insurance: Total: \$ 19,319.00 Paid: \$ 14,494.00**

**2022 Assessment: Total: \$ 44,795.70 Paid: \$ 33,597.00**

*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.**



## TWENTY SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9/25/2022

My dear parishioners,

Today is Priesthood Sunday. It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the central role of the priesthood in the life of the Church because without the priest, the Mass and the Sacraments could not be offered. So, please pray for and honor our priests.

Thank you very much for your generous response to our Diocesan Priests Retirement Collection 2 weekends ago. The gift from your grateful hearts was \$3,499.00. May God bless you and repay you in abundance.

Who are Lazarus? Have you ever seen one? What were your feelings and reactions?

Are there times you feel very lonely and ignored by everyone? As if you were at the gate of a wealthy person longing to fill yourself with scraps from his/her table?

What do you see when you look around the world today? Rich nations/people dressed in expensive and finest clothes, feasting magnificent everyday while at their very gates lie poor nations/people covered with sores and longing to fill themselves with scraps from the tables of the rich...Dogs even come and lick their sores...

Don't be blind by luxury.

Don't amass wealth at the expense of the poor.

Don't neglect the poor and suffering.

Be considerate and open our hearts to the plight of those who suffer around us.

Punishment could be ours if refusing to do good for others.

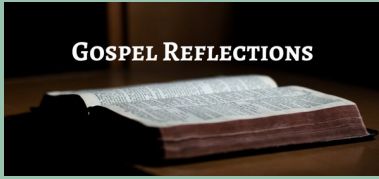
At every Mass we say: "I confess to Almighty God...that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do..." meaning we sin when we refuse doing what is right, when we deny rendering help to those in need when we are actually are able...

Please take some time to think and reflect on Sin of Complacency and Indifference. Son of Omission (neglect the good we ought to do).

Pray that "We must build a world where freedom is not an empty word and where the poor man Lazarus can sit at the same table with the rich man."...St. Pope Paul VI

Love and prayers,  
Father Tom

## GOSPEL REFLECTIONS



A major theme in the Gospel of Luke is the importance of the care of the poor in the life of discipleship. In the parable found in today's Gospel, Jesus contrasts the life of a rich man and the poor man, Lazarus, who lives in the shadow of the rich man and his wealth. Both die. Lazarus finds himself in heaven; the rich man in the netherworld. The rich man asks for assistance from Lazarus in his torment. But Abraham reminds the rich man of the good things he had in his life and describes the current situation as a reversal of fortunes. The rich man then asks that Lazarus be sent to warn his family, but this is denied with the reminder that Moses and the prophets have warned of judgment for those who neglect the care of the poor.

In the context of Luke's Gospel, this parable, delivered in the presence of a crowd of listeners, is part of Jesus' response to some Pharisees. These Pharisees are described in Luke's Gospel as "loving money." (Note: The Pharisees were followers of a sect of Judaism active before, during, and after Jesus' lifetime. They taught an oral interpretation of the Law of Moses as the basis for popular Jewish piety. They put less emphasis on Temple worship and more on applying the law to everyday life. Though they are often portrayed negatively in the Gospels, they shared many of Jesus' and the early Church's concerns about the law.) Jesus observed that the actions of some Pharisees betrayed misplaced priorities: they spoke one way, but acted in another. The story of the rich man and Lazarus demonstrates the importance of the care of the poor and is a reminder to those who would follow Jesus of the unimportance of wealth in the eyes of God.

## ST. JEROME

FEAST DAY: SEPTEMBER 30



Most of the saints are remembered for some outstanding virtue or devotion which they practiced, but Jerome is frequently remembered for his bad temper! It is true that he had a very bad temper and could use a vitriolic pen, but his love for God and his son Jesus Christ was extraordinarily intense; anyone who taught error was an enemy of God and truth, and Saint Jerome went after him or her with his mighty and sometimes sarcastic pen. He was above all a Scripture scholar, translating most of the Old Testament from the Hebrew. Jerome also wrote commentaries which are a great source of scriptural inspiration for us today. He was an avid student, a thorough scholar, a prodigious letter-writer and a consultant to monk, bishop, and pope. Saint Augustine said of him, "What Jerome is ignorant of, no mortal has ever known."

Saint Jerome is particularly important for having made a translation of the Bible which came to be called the Vulgate. It is not the most critical edition of the Bible, but its acceptance by the Church was fortunate. As a modern scholar says, "No man before Jerome or among his contemporaries and very few men for many centuries afterwards were so well qualified to do the work." The Council of Trent called for a new and corrected edition of the Vulgate, and declared it the authentic text to be used in the Church. In order to be able to do such work, Jerome prepared himself well. He was a master of Latin, Greek, Hebrew, and Chaldaic. He began his studies at his birthplace, Stridon in Dalmatia. After his preliminary education, he went to Rome, the center of learning at that time, and thence to Trier, Germany, where the scholar was very much in evidence. He spent several years in each place, always trying to find the very best teachers. He once served as private secretary to Pope Damasus.

After these preparatory studies, he traveled extensively in Palestine, marking each spot of Christ's life with an outpouring of devotion. Mystic that he was, he spent five years in the desert of Chalcis so that he might give himself up to prayer, penance, and study. Finally, he settled in Bethlehem, where he lived in the cave believed to have been the birthplace of Christ. Jerome died in Bethlehem, and the remains of his body now lie buried in the Basilica of St. Mary Major in Rome.

## PARISH EVENTS

### HOLY FATHER'S SEPTEMBER 2022 PRAYER INTENTION

Abolition of the Death Penalty:  
We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

### TRƯỜNG VIỆT NGŨ

Niên khóa 2022- 2023 sẽ khai giảng vào ngày 9 tháng 10 năm 2022. Xin quý phụ huynh đưa các em đến Hội trường giáo xứ lúc 1 giờ chiều để bắt đầu năm học mới. Xin quý phụ huynh cùng tham dự giờ khai giảng với các em.

Xin chân thành cảm ơn.

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

First Saturday CCD Family mass on October 1st is rescheduled. The CCD Family Mass for October will be on Saturday, October 22nd at 9:30 am.

### MASS WITH ANOINTING OF THE SICK SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8 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. Please note there will be no 8:00 am mass on this day.

### SOUVENIR 60TH ANNIVERSARY PROGRAM

We have a limited number of Souvenir programs left for sale. Please come by the rectory to purchase them at \$5.00 each.

### DEVOTION TO OUR LADY



October 13: Our Lady Queen of the World

DEVOTION WILL START AT 7:00 PM WITH A ROSARY PROCESSION FROM THE HALL FOLLOWED BY MASS. THERE WILL BE A POTLUCK RECEPTION AFTER THE MASS.

### WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

Monday, September 26

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

Tuesday, September 27

7:00 pm Hall: Knights of Columbus Meeting

Wednesday, September 28

Thursday, September 29

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

Friday, September 30

7:00 pm P#1: Hispanic Choir

Saturday, October 1

9:00 am Hall & Portables: CCD  
10:00 am Funeral: Cam Nguyen  
6:00 pm BINGO

Sunday, October 2

1:00 pm Hall: Vietnamese School  
2:00 pm P#2: Vietnamese Choir

### FLOWER DONATIONS IN MEMORY OF AND/OR DONATED BY/FOR:

George Agcaoili †  
Lourdes Servigon 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.



**Free**

We have:

- 2 Wheel chairs
- 1 Cane
- 5 Folding walkers
- 1 Children's high chair

Please contact:  
 Danny Vu : (925) 222-7044






**SATURDAY, October 1st:  
 DOORS OPEN AT 6:00 PM**

# RUMMAGE SALE 2022

VENTA DE ARTICULOS USADOS 2022

**OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD CHURCH**

**3155 WINTERBROOK DRIVE**

**BAY POINT, CA 94565**

DATE OF SALE:

FECHAS:

OCTOBER 3 (MONDAY) :  
 6:30 PM-8:30 PM

OCTUBRE 3 (LUNES)-  
 6:30PM – 8:30PM

OCTOBER 4(TUESDAY) :  
 9:00 AM-02:00 PM

OCTUBRE 4 (MARTES)-  
 9:00AM – 2:00PM

OCTOBER 5 (WEDNESDAY) :  
 9:00 AM-2:00 PM

OCTUBRE 5 (MIERCOLES) -  
 9:00AM – 2:00PM

OCTOBER 6 ( THURSDAY) :

OCTUBRE 6 (JUEVES)-

Sunday, October 2 from 10 am - 1 PM and Monday, October 3, from 9 am - 1 PM is when we will be accepting donations at Palis hall. We will NOT be accepting the following: Baby items & baby furniture like cribs, car seats, booster seats & any kind of large furniture



# CASINO BUS TRIP

SPONSORED BY  
THE FILIPINO  
ASSOCIATION

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2022**

**\$35 PER PERSON  
WITH \$15 CASH BACK  
FROM RED HAWK**

**ASSEMBLE AT 7:00AM**

OUR LADY QUEEN OF THE WORLD  
3155 WINTERBROOK DRIVE, PITTSBURG,  
CA 94565

EXPECTED RETURN: NO LATER THAN 7:00PM

FOR RESERVATIONS, CONTACT:

CATHY COLLADO (925) 759-2641, CATA080833@YAHOO.COM,  
OR TERESA ELAMPARO (925) 726-1015, TELAM513@YAHOO.COM

**PASSENGERS MUST AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER  
TO ATTEND:**

- \*FOR THE SAFETY OF YOURSELF AND OTHERS,
  - YOU MUST BE FULLY VACCINATED.
  - PROVIDE PROOF OF VACCINATION BEFORE BOARDING THE BUS.
  - MUST WEAR A MASK IN THE BUS AT ALL TIMES.
- \*THE FEE MUST BE PAID IN FULL, TWO WEEKS BEFORE THE TRIP. WE ACCEPT CASH OR CHECK PAYABLE TO FIL ASSOC OF OLQW (CASH PREFERRED).
- \*THE FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE IF YOU CANCEL LESS THAN A WEEK BEFORE THE TRIP.

**NET PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT OLQW PARISH.**