

# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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## FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 14, 2024

*Fr. Thomas Khue, Parochial Administrator*  
*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)  
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 with Adoration after Mass

### Devotions

Adoration & Benediction: Fridays 6:00pm- 7:30pm  
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena:  
Wednesdays after morning mass  
Chaplet of the Divine Mercy: Mondays to Saturdays  
after morning mass  
Exposition & Benediction : Fridays 6:00pm- 7:30pm

### Confessions

Saturday 4:00pm—5:00pm 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 Paty Ruvalcaba 925-395-1835.

\* *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 Saturdays 12:00 noon to 1:30 pm in the Parish hall

# Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



## Monday, July 15

7:30 am Victoria de Costa

## Tuesday, July 16

7:30 am Gina Diokno Thanksgiving

## Wednesday, July 17

7:30 am Flor & Naty Castillo +

## Thursday, July 18

7:30 am Faye Dolor Thanksgiving

## Friday, July 19

7:30 am Rogelio Lozada +

## Saturday, July 20

8:00 am Debra Solomon +

5:00 pm Ngan Vu, Mai Dinh & Tinh Pham +

7:00 pm (SP) Guadalupe Rubalcaba +

## Sunday, July 21

8:00 am Victor Magsaysay +

10:00 am Errol & Mercy Asuncion

12:00 am Grace & Zoe Family Thanksgiving

4:00 pm (VN)



## PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

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<https://www.mountcarmelblessedsacrament.com/preparing-for-next-weekend-27/>

## GOSPEL READING

Mk 6:7-13

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits.

He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick—no food, no sack, no money in their belts.

They were, however, to wear sandals but not a second tunic.

He said to them, “Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave.

Whatever place does not welcome you or listen to you, leave there and shake the dust off your feet in testimony against them.”

So they went off and preached repentance.

The Twelve drove out many demons, and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

## PRAY FOR THE SICK

Jonah Hansen, Chad Thompson, Viechel Hunter, Logan Kenney, Father Tom, Jasmin Toledo, Carlo Lagarejos, Patricia Diokno, Victoria Lapid, Grace Feliciano, Adele Frijas, Elouise Nicolas, Betty Tecson, Efren Lopez, Debra Solomon, Bert Tomas, Rosalina Masangcay, Patrick Embody, Aida, Rina Anthony, Jerome Francis, Vincent Francis, Joseph S., Kathy Lirio, Mario & Emma Dolor, Theodore Rosauo, Kalia Santos, Lisa Kjome, Lily Francis, Jiten Prasad, Virginia Francis, Sherry Ingram, Jovita Domingo, Aiden Dolor 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 925-458-4718.

## STEWARDSHIP/FINANCE

Sunday Collection June 30: \$ 4,826.00 July 7: \$4,852.00

Holy Father Peter's Pence: \$ 1,779.00

Assessment: \$51,581.00 Paid: \$ 30,088.94

Liability Insurance: \$20,261.00 Paid: \$ 8,104.40

*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.



## FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

07/14/2024

Here are some of my scattered thoughts.....

My Dear OLQW Family,

All of us are call to preach the Gospel, especially by lives of service. None of us is excused. St. Francis of Assisi and St. Teresa of Calcutta came to mind as I reflected on the Gospel. Francis and Teresa did not romanticize poverty, but embraced it strictly for spiritual reasons. It made them one with the poor and it also imitated the lifestyle of Jesus. St. Francis and St. Teresa responded to the call to help the poor the marginalized, the outcasted and the forgotten of society in their present situation. The world needs people like St. Francis and St. Teresa of Calcutta—their kind of witness to serve the poor. We can be like them to serve the poor in their present situation.

Many of us can clutter our hearts and minds with worldly goods which prevent us from seeing or serving our poor brothers and sisters...So much of what we accumulate in life is left unused and wasted. **Please remember that the only luggage we can take with us as we leave this world is charity.**

All of us are called to preach the Gospel. None of us is excused. Jesus wants all of us to be part of his saving mission. We are his hands by the works we do, his tongue by the words we speak, and his feet by the places and people we visit.

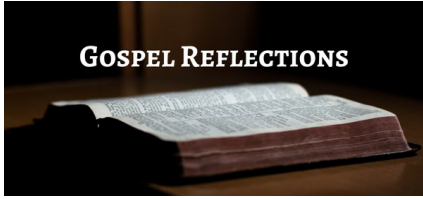
As we try to preach the Gospel daily, I would like to invite you to pray and to meditate on the Prayer of St. Francis:

“Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.  
Where there is hatred, let me sow love;  
Where there is injury, pardon;  
Where there is doubt, faith;  
Where there is despair, hope;  
Where there is darkness, light;  
Where there is sadness, joy.

Grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console;  
To be understood as to understand;  
To be loved as to love;  
For it is in giving that we are pardoned;  
And it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.”

Love and Peace,

Father Tom



This week's Gospel and the one for next week describe how Jesus sent the disciples to minister in his name and the disciples' return to Jesus afterward. These two passages, however, are not presented together in Mark's Gospel. Inserted between the two is the report of Herod's fears that Jesus is John the Baptist back from the dead. In Mark's Gospel, Jesus' ministry is presented in connection with the teaching of John the Baptist. Jesus' public ministry begins after John is arrested. John the Baptist prepared the way for Jesus, who preached the fulfillment of the Kingdom of God.

While we do not read these details about John the Baptist in our Gospel this week or next week, our Lectionary sequence stays consistent with Mark's theme. Recall that last week we heard how Jesus was rejected in his hometown of Nazareth. The insertion of the reminder about John the Baptist's ministry and his death at the hands of Herod in Mark's Gospel makes a similar point. Mark reminds his readers about this dangerous context for Jesus' ministry and that of his disciples. Preaching repentance and the Kingdom of God is dangerous business for Jesus and for his disciples. Mark wants his readers to remember that we, too, may find resistance as we choose to be disciples of Jesus.

Mark's Gospel tells us that Jesus sent out the Twelve. These twelve were selected from among Jesus' disciples and named by Mark in chapter 3. Mark notes that these twelve are also called "apostles." The word apostle means "one who is sent." The number twelve is also a symbolic number, representing the twelve tribes of Israel. By naming twelve apostles, Jesus shows his mission to be in continuity with the mission of God's people, Israel.

Jesus' instructions to the apostles are very specific. He repeats the mission that they are sent to preach and to share his authority to heal and to drive out demons. Jesus sends them in pairs, establishing his mission as a communal endeavor. Jesus also instructs them to travel lightly, without the customary food, money, and extra set of clothes. These instructions mean that the Twelve will be dependent on the hospitality of others, just as Jesus depended on others to provide for his needs.

Jesus continues to send us into the world as his disciples. But like the first disciples, we are not sent alone. Jesus has given us the community of the Church, which strengthens our life of discipleship. The Christian message can only authentically be proclaimed in and through the community of faith that is the Church. In our work with others, we build this community of faith and can invite others to share in it.

## ST. CAMILLUS DE LELLIS

Saint of the Day: July 18



Humanly speaking, Camillus was not a likely candidate for sainthood. His mother died when he was a child, his father neglected him, and he grew up with an excessive love for gambling. At 17, he was afflicted with a disease of his leg that remained with him for life. In Rome he entered the San Giacomo Hospital for Incurables as both patient and servant, but was dismissed for quarrelsomeness after nine months. He served in the Venetian army for three years.

Then in the winter of 1574, when he was 24, Camillus gambled away everything he had—savings, weapons, literally down to his shirt. He accepted work at the Capuchin friary at Manfredonia, and was one day so moved by a sermon of the superior that he began a conversion that changed his life. He entered the Capuchin novitiate, but was dismissed because of the apparently incurable sore on his leg. After another stint of service at San Giacomo, he came back to the Capuchins, only to be dismissed again, for the same reason. Again, back at San Giacomo, his dedication was rewarded by his being made superintendent. Camillus devoted the rest of his life to the care of the sick. Along with Saint John of God he has been named patron of hospitals, nurses, and the sick. With the advice of his friend Saint Philip Neri, he studied for the priesthood and was ordained at the age of 34. Contrary to the advice of his friend, Camillus left San Giacomo and founded a congregation of his own. As superior, he devoted much of his own time to the care of the sick.

Charity was his first concern, but the physical aspects of the hospital also received his diligent attention. Camillus insisted on cleanliness and the technical competence of those who served the sick. The members of his community bound themselves to serve prisoners and persons infected by the plague as well as those dying in private homes. Some of his men were with troops fighting in Hungary and Croatia in 1595, forming the first recorded military field ambulance. In Naples, he and his men went onto the galleys that had plague and were not allowed to land. He discovered that there were people being buried alive, and ordered his brothers to continue the prayers for the dying 15 minutes after apparent death.

Camillus himself suffered the disease of his leg through his life. In his last illness, he left his own bed to see if other patients in the hospital needed help.



## PARISH EVENTS

### POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS:

July 2024: For the pastoral care of the sick

We pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick confer to those who receive it and their loved ones the power of the Lord and become ever more a visible sign of compassion and hope for all.

### DEVOTION TO OUR LADY

Friday, July 12, 2024  
Our Lady of Lourdes

Tuesday, August 13, 2024  
Our Lady of La Vang

Friday, September 13, 2024  
Our Lady of Guadalupe

Monday, October 14, 2024  
Our Lady of the World

ALL DEVOTIONS WILL START AT 7:00 PM AT THE HALL FOR PROCESSION WITH ROSARY, FOLLOWED BY MASS.

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:



Registration for 2024-2025 Religious Education Classes is now open. Please see Mr. Rene Asuncion at the CCD office to register. You may also pick up a registration form at the rectory.

### FLOWER OFFERINGS FOR OR IN MEMORY OF:

Everardo and Biatriz

### FILIPINO ASSOCIATION:

The Filipino Association is now accepting applications for the San Pedro Calunsod and San Lorenzo Scholarships for 2024. The applications are available on the table at the entrance of the Church or on the Church website. Deadline for submission of application will be July 31, 2024.

### WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

**Monday, July 15**

**Tuesday, July 16**

7:00 pm Hall: Filipino Association

**Wednesday, July 17**

11:30 am P#2: Legion of Mary

**Thursday, July 18**

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

7:00 pm Hall: Filipino Association

**Friday, July 19**

3:00 pm Hall: Filipino Association: Set up

7:00 pm P#1: Hispanic Choir

**Saturday, July 20**

12:00 pm Hall: St. Vincent de Paul

3:30 pm Hall: Luau Set up

6:00 pm Hall: Luau Dinner and Dance

**Sunday, July 21**

1:00 pm P#1: St. Joseph Group

2:00 pm P#2: Vietnamese Choir

### Please Pray for the Repose Soul of :

Kathleen Embody

Rodolfo Dimalanta

Jack Mallet

Rena De Marco

Bob Hoppenhauer

Nancy Dongallo

Leslie Gehrke

Michael Gott

George Wildes

Debra Solomon

*May the Perpetual Light shine upon them.  
May they Rest in Peace.*

# Aloha !!

# LUAU DINNER DANCE

**WHEN: July 20, 2024 (Saturday)**  
**WHERE: Our Lady Queen of the World Church**  
**3155 Winterbrook Drive, Pittsburg, CA**  
**TIME: 6:00pm Registration 7:00pm DINNER**  
**DJ: Al Palaganas**

Free (kids 5 & under)  
 \$20 (6 yrs to 12 yrs)  
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## 2024 PRIESTHOOD EVENINGS OF DISCERNMENT

3:00 PM – Coffee and Chat  
 4:00 PM – Testimony and Prayer  
 5:00 PM – Mass  
 6:15 PM – Dinner

St. Michael Convent  
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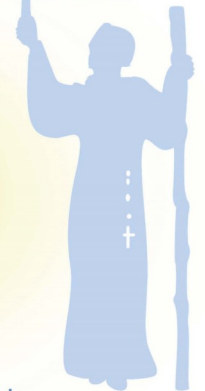
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For more information and to register, visit our website:  
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St. Junípero Serra (1713-1784)  
 Junípero Serra, a Franciscan priest known as the “Apostle of California”, traveled on foot more than 24,000 miles to visit each of the nine missions he founded in California to baptize, catechize, and administer the Sacrament of Confirmation. He was beatified by John Paul II in 1998.  
 “Always go forward, Never turn back.”  
 — Motto of St. Serra



SCI meets 8:30am-2:00pm One Saturday a Month

Holy Names High School  
 4660 Harbord Dr.  
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\*2024 class dates

September 14	Classes Begin
October 12	
November 9	
December	No Classes*
January 11, 2025	
February 8	
March 15	
April 12	
May 10	
June 14	
July	No Classes*
August 9	
September 13	
October 11	
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