

Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 4, 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, August 5

7:30 am Monico & Teodula Aquino +

Tuesday, August 6

7:30 am Edgar Villacorta +

Wednesday, August 7

7:30 am Mary Bautista

Thursday, August 8

7:30 am Sotero & Teodora Cinco +

Friday, August 9

7:30 am Edgar Villacorta +

Saturday, August 10

10:00 am Rodolfo Padilla +

5:00 pm Vicente Dang Xuan Hoa

7:00 pm (SP) Alex & Leslie Avela
Thanksgiving

Sunday, August 11

8:00 am Ernesto Cassin +

10:00 am Hoang Le

12:00 pm Jeronimo & Ana da Costa +

4:00 pm (VN)



PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

Filipino Association: Nerissa Riray,
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Portrait on the cover:
<https://takestimeforhim.com/2015/07/31/gospel-meditation-john-624-35-for-sunday-august-2nd/>

GOSPEL READING

Jn 6:24-35

When the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into boats and came to Capernaum looking for Jesus. And when they found him across the sea they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you get here?"

Jesus answered them and said, "Amen, amen, I say to you, you are looking for me not because you saw signs but because you ate the loaves and were filled.

Do not work for food that perishes but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For on him the Father, God, has set his seal."

So they said to him, "What can we do to accomplish the works of God?"

Jesus answered and said to them, "This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent."

So they said to him, "What sign can you do, that we may see and believe in you? What can you do? Our ancestors ate manna in the desert, as it is written: He gave them bread from heaven to eat."

So Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

So they said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always."

Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst."

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, Efen Lopez, Bert Tomas, Rosalina Masangcay, Patrick Embody, Aida, Rina Anthony, Jerome Francis, Vincent Francis, Joseph S., Kathy Lirio, Mario & Emma Dolor, Theodore Rosauero, Kalia Santos, Lisa Kjome, Jovita Domingo, Lily Francis, Jiten Prasad, Virginia Francis, Sherry Ingram, 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 July 28: \$ 6,079.00

Parish Assessment: \$ 2,455.00

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.



Today's gospel reading is a continuation of the teaching that began in last Sunday's gospel. We continue to hear Jesus' Sermon on the Plain. Recall that in Luke's Gospel, this teaching is addressed to Jesus' disciples. This is in contrast to the parallel found in Matthew's Gospel, the Sermon on the Mount, in which Jesus' words are addressed to both the disciples and to the crowds.

These words from Jesus' teaching are familiar to us. They constitute the crux and the challenge of what it means to be a disciple: Love your enemies, turn the other cheek, give to those who ask, do unto others, lend without expecting repayment, judge not lest you be judged.

There are several similarities between Luke's and Matthew's report of Jesus' great teaching. Both begin with the Beatitudes. Matthew includes nearly all the content that Luke does; the Sermon on the Mount in Matthew's Gospel is longer than Luke's Sermon on the Plain. There are, however, differences in language and nuance. For example, Matthew presents this portion of the teaching as a contrast between Jesus' teaching and the teachings of the law and the prophets. This is in keeping with Matthew's concern to address his predominantly Jewish audience. It is likely that Luke omits this contrast because it was unnecessary for the Gentile believers for whom Luke is writing.

Another point of contrast between Matthew and Luke's presentation is the terminology. In Luke, Jesus contrasts the behavior of his followers with the behavior of "sinners." In Matthew, Jesus contrasts the behavior desired with the behavior of tax collectors and Gentiles. Matthew concludes the teaching about love of enemies with the admonition to be perfect as God is perfect; Luke concludes by emphasizing God's mercy.

In both Gospels, Jesus' words challenge those who would follow him to be more like God. God loves us beyond our expectations, beyond anything we can possibly imagine. In response to God's love, we are to love as God loves, beyond expectations and with a depth beyond imagining.

<https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/7th-sunday-in-ordinary-time-c-sunday-connection/>

ST. DOMINIC

Saint of the Day: August 8



If he hadn't taken a trip with his bishop, Dominic would probably have remained within the structure of contemplative life; after the trip, he spent the rest of his life being a contemplative in active apostolic work.

Born in old Castile, Spain, Dominic was trained for the priesthood by a priest-uncle, studied the arts and theology, and became a canon of the cathedral at Osma, where there was an attempt to revive the apostolic common life described in Acts of the Apostles.

On a journey through France with his bishop, Dominic came face to face with the then virulent Albigensian heresy at Languedoc. The Albigensians—or Cathari, "the pure ones"—held to two principles—one good, one evil—in the world. All matter is evil—hence they denied the Incarnation and the sacraments. On the same principle, they abstained from procreation and took a minimum of food and drink. The inner circle led what some people regarded as a heroic life of purity and asceticism not shared by ordinary followers.

Dominic sensed the need for the Church to combat this heresy, and was commissioned to be part of the preaching crusade against it. He saw immediately why the preaching crusade was not succeeding: the ordinary people admired and followed the ascetical heroes of the Albigenses. Understandably, they were not impressed by the Catholic preachers who traveled with horse and retinues, stayed at the best inns and had servants. Dominic therefore, with three Cistercians, began itinerant preaching according to the gospel ideal. He continued this work for 10 years, being successful with the ordinary people but not with the leaders.

His fellow preachers gradually became a community, and in 1215 Dominic founded a religious house at Toulouse, the beginning of the Order of Preachers or Dominicans.

Dominic's ideal, and that of his Order, was to organically link a life with God, study, and prayer in all forms, with a ministry of salvation to people by the word of God. His ideal: *contemplata tradere*: "to pass on the fruits of contemplation" or "to speak only of God or with God."

Reflection

The Dominican ideal, like that of all religious communities, is for the imitation, not merely the admiration, of the rest of the Church. The effective combining of contemplation and activity is the vocation of truck driver Smith as well as theologian Aquinas. Acquired contemplation is the tranquil abiding in the presence of God, and is an integral part of any full human life. It must be the wellspring of all Christian activity.

<https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-of-the-day/saint-dominic/>

PARISH EVENTS

POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS:

August 2024: For political leaders

We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.

DEVOTION TO OUR LADY



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.

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.*

Assumption of Mary

Thursday, August 15 (Holy Day of Obligation)
Mass: 7:30 pm

Assumption Day commemorates the belief that when Mary, the mother of Jesus Christ, died, her body was "assumed" into heaven to be reunited with her soul, instead of going through the natural process of physical decay upon death.

WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

Monday, August 5

Tuesday, August 6

7:00 pm Hall: Knights of Columbus

Wednesday, August 7

11:30 am P#2: Legion of Mary

1:00 pm Hall: Regina Mundi Guild

Thursday, August 8

6:00 pm Hall: Columbiettes

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

Friday, August 9

7:00 pm P#1: Hispanic Choir

Saturday, August 10

8:00 am Hall: CCD Teachers' Meeting

12:00 pm Hall: St. Vincent de Paul

12:00 pm CH: Baptism—Joleena Duran

Sunday, August 11

7:00 pm Hall: Hispanic Community

1:00 pm P#1: Vietnamese Catholic Mothers

2:00 pm P#2: Vietnamese Choir

TRƯỜNG VIỆT NGŨ

Trường Việt ngữ sẽ khai giảng vào tháng 9, 2024. Vậy xin quý phụ huynh nhận đơn ghi danh cho các em sau Thánh Lễ Chúa nhật (lúc 4 giờ chiều). Hạn chót nộp đơn ngày 15 tháng 8 năm 2024. 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: rectory@olqw.org.
Xin cảm ơn.

HALL EXPANSION CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

The Building Fund 2nd collection will be for the Hall Expansion Capital Campaign. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.
Thank you.

OnFire

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 14, 2024 9AM - 9PM
SIX FLAGS DISCOVERY KINGDOM VALLEJO

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.

Last day of registration will be on September 30th.

Classes will begin for Saturday Classes K-Gr.5, First Holy Communion and Prep on **Saturday, August 17th at 9:00 am.** Monday Classes Gr.6-Confirmation 3 and RCIA will begin on **Monday, August 19th at 7:00 pm.**

Confirmation students must register by September 2nd to be eligible for OnFire Retreat at Six Flags, Vallejo on Sept. 14th 2024.

Healing Mass with Anointing of the Sick Saturday, August 10th at 10:00 am

The Church encourage all the faithful, especially the elderly, those seriously ill or anticipating surgery, to attend this Holy Mass.

The Anointing Mass is not only for the elderly or sick but for all of us, so that we too receive HEALING spiritually or physically from our Merciful God.

(Please note there will be no 8 am mass this day)


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Attention: 2024 Bishop's Ministries Appeal

All contributions to the Bishop's Ministries Appeal are tax deductible to the full extent of the law.

Todas las contribuciones a la Campaña de los Ministerios del Obispo son deducibles de impuestos en todo el peso de la ley.

Pupusa Fundraiser

Our Lady Queen of the World

Sponsored by Hispanic Community

Sunday August 11th, 2024

Time: 9:00-11:00 am pick up or eat in

Menu: Pupusas with curtido (shredded cabbage salad) and salsa



**Order of 3 pupusas
For \$10.00**



12 pupusas \$30.00

Your choice of:

- Pupusa revuelta (mixed) - bean, cheese and pork meat
- Pupusa with cheese and beans
- Pupusa with zucchini and cheese

To order Call or text

Silvia Hernandez (925) 759-1298 or

Gladys Giron (925) 334-9873



LET'S TALK ABOUT VOCATIONS

For those interested to follow the Lord to serve in the Ministry of the Church.

SAVE THE DATES

JULY

8

JULY

22

AUG.

5

AUG.

19

5:30PM Coffee & Chat

6:15PM Sharing & Testimony

6:45PM Break

7:00PM Holy Hour With Reflections from Clergy & Guests

8:00PM Refreshments in Courtyard



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Parish Lobby Conference Room
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