

# Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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## FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 1, 2026

*Fr. Thomas Khue, Parochial Administrator*  
*Deacon Loc Nguyen*  
*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 after morning mass

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena:

Wednesdays after morning mass

Chaplet of the Divine Mercy: Mondays to Saturdays  
after morning mass

### 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 Non-Catholic Adults seeking Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, & membership in the Catholic Church. (Effective 2025)

### • St. Vincent de Paul

Food pantry opens Wednesdays: 11:00 am to 12:30 pm at Palis Hall



FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
02/01/2026

My Dear OLQW Family,

Here are some of my scattered thoughts, for this Sunday we reflect on the Beatitudes...

- 1) What does it mean to live a blessed and successful life? In the Beatitudes, Jesus completely changes our idea of what it means to live a blessed and successful life.
- 2) The Beatitudes are well known. They refer to qualities that make for a happier life and they are part of everyone's experience.
- 3) The Beatitudes invite us to examine ourselves: Do our choices reflect the Beatitudes? Are we shaped more by success, status, and comfort or by humility, compassion, and justice? Jesus reminds us that the Christian life may not always look impressive, but it is deeply meaningful. In living the Beatitudes, we begin to experience God's kingdom here and now, while journeying toward its fulfillment in eternal life.
- 4) In the Beatitudes, Jesus teaches us what kind of lifestyle and values God wants of us. Those ideals aim to raise our perspective above the narrow limits of self-interest and profit to kindness, tolerance and respect for others. The Beatitudes which cause a lot of soul searching for us Christians.
- 5) The Beatitudes are helpful guides for happiness and challenge the faithful to action. The Beatitudes are meant to be lived. Think about the Beatitudes you have already practiced.
- 6) This week, identify one Beatitude that you need in your life and try to live that Beatitude consciously, trusting that God is already at work in you.
- 7) Have you ever taken time out to reflect on how you are living your life?

**The Beatitudes**

*Blessed are the poor in spirit,  
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.*

*Blessed are they who mourn,  
for they will be comforted.*

*Blessed are the meek,  
for they will inherit the land.*

*Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness,  
for they will be satisfied.*

*Blessed are the merciful,  
for they will be shown mercy.*

*Blessed are the clean in heart,  
for they will see God.*

*Blessed are the peacemakers,  
for they will be called children of God.*

*Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness,  
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.*

Blessings,  
Father Tom

# Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



## Monday, February 2

7:30 am

## Tuesday, February 3

7:30 am Gerino Monsanto Jr. +

## Wednesday, February 4

7:30 am Alma Bautista Thanksgiving

## Thursday, February 5

7:30 am

## Friday, February 6

7:30 am Larry Bernardo +; Flores Family; Finley Edwards

## Saturday, February 7

9:30 am Mai Dinh, Ngan Vu & Tinh Pham +; Douglas Bautista +

5:00 pm Maria Diokno Thanksgiving

7:00 pm (SP)

## Sunday, February 8

8:00 am

10:00 am Fr. Theo Palis +; Geraldine Asuncion +; Monserratt Masaganda +

12:00 pm Indalesia M. Andales +

4:00 pm (VN)

## Next Week's Second Collection: February 8:

Portrait on the cover:  
<https://jesuseltesoroscondidennosotros.blogspot.com/2020/11/alegraos-y-regocijaoas-mt-51-12a.html>



## PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

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**Vietnamese Association:** Hiep David Vu, President

## GOSPEL READING

### Matthew 5:1-12a

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he had sat down, his disciples came to him. He began to teach them, saying: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the land. Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be satisfied. Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy. Blessed are the clean of heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven."

## PRAY FOR THE SICK

Lisa Kjome, Jiten Prasad, Sherry Ingram, Baby Kade Benson, Josefina Matias, Maria Martinez-Gonzalez, Lyn & Travis Swan, Alicia Belza, Betty Tecson, Marife Cano, Father Tom, Sr. Emelita Cinco, Teresa Kim Cha, Sabu Martinez, Patricia Diokno, Melita Mendoza, Joe Quizon, Robert Mondoy, Jack Fernandez, Bert Tomas, Mario & Emma Dolor, Elouise Nicolas, Benedict Cha, Aida Ortega, Leslie Zelaya, Apolo Alcantara, Mila Estrada, Jovita Domingo, Andy Dumlaog, and 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 Plate January 18: \$ 6,413.70 January 25: \$ 5,484.00  
Maintenance Fund: \$ 2,411.00 Parish Assessment: \$ 2,091.00  
Assessment: \$45,118.00 - Paid: \$ 3,769.00  
Liability Insurance: \$26,753.00 - Paid: \$

*Thank you for your contribution n support of the ongoing ministries and needs of our parish*

Please make all checks payable to Our Lady Queen of the World Church for first and second collections. Also please put your envelope number on the Memo line.

## Gospel Reflection

Today's reading is the beginning of Jesus' Sermon on the Mount, which is found in Matthew's Gospel. The form of the Beatitudes found here is not unique to Jesus. Beatitudes are found in the Old Testament, in the psalms, and in wisdom literature, for example. They are a way to teach about who will find favor with God.

We quickly note in this reading that the people whom Jesus calls "blessed" and "happy" are not people we think of as blessed or happy . . . the poor in spirit, the meek, the persecuted. This Gospel is one of reversals. Jesus' blueprint for happiness reflects little of what the world might call happiness.

"Blessed" is sometimes translated as happy, fortunate, or favored. In other words, Jesus is saying that divine favor is upon those who are poor, those who mourn, those who are persecuted. This news might have been welcome—and surprising—to the crowds who heard Jesus that day.

The Beatitudes can be understood as a framework for Christian living. Our vocation as Christians is not to be first in this world, but rather to be first in the eyes of God. By referring to the good things that the faithful will experience, Matthew reminds us that those who act in the manner described in the Beatitudes will find their reward with God.

<https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/fourth-sunday-in-ordinary-time-a-sunday-connection/>

### BUILDING FUND SECOND COLLECTION

The Building Fund 2nd collection will be for approved building projects by the diocese for our parish.

## Saint Agatha

Saint of the Day: February 5



As in the case of Saint Agnes, another virgin-martyr of the early Church, almost nothing is historically certain about this saint except that she was martyred in Sicily during the persecution of Emperor Decius in 251.

Legend has it that Agatha, like Agnes, was arrested as a Christian, tortured, and sent to a house of prostitution to be mistreated. She was preserved from being violated, and was later put to death.

Saint Agatha is claimed as the patroness of both Palermo and Catania. The year after her death, the stilling of an eruption of Mt. Etna was attributed to her intercession. As a result, apparently, people continued to ask her prayers for protection against fire.

### Reflection

The scientific modern mind winces at the thought of a volcano's might being contained by God because of the prayers of a Sicilian girl. Still less welcome, probably, is the notion of that saint being the patroness of such varied professions as those of foundry workers, nurses, miners and Alpine guides. Yet, in our historical precision, have we lost an essential human quality of wonder and poetry, and even our belief that we come to God by helping each other, both in action and prayer?

### Saint Agatha is the Patron Saint of:

Healing from Diseases of the Breast  
Nurses

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

**PARISH EVENTS**

**POPE LEO'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR 2026**

**February : For children with incurable diseases**

Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

**FLOWER OFFERINGS FOR OR IN MEMORY OF:**

Everardo Y Biatriz  
Martinez & Carstensen Family

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATON**

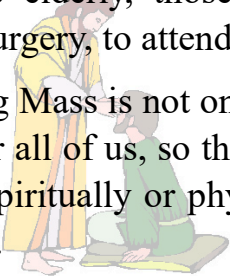
There will be a Youth Retreat on February 27 to March 1, 2026 for Confirmation 1,2 and 3. If any young adults in the parish would like to attend, please see Mr. Rene Asuncion, DRE at the CCD Office by February 16.

**Healing Mass with Anointing of the Sick**

**Saturday, February 14 at 10:30 am**

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

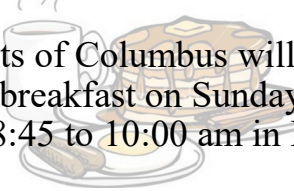
The Anointing Mass is not only for the elderly or sick but for all of us, so that we too receive HEALING spiritually or physically from our Merciful God.



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

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

The Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a pancake breakfast on Sunday, February 8th from 8:45 to 10:00 am in Palis Hall.



**WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE**

**Monday, February 2**

11:30 am P # 2: Legion of Mary  
7:00 pm Hall & Portables: CCD

**Tuesday, February 3**

7:00 pm Hall: Knights of Columbus

**Wednesday, February 4**

11:00 am Hall: SVDP

**Thursday, February 5**

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

**Friday, February 6**

6:00 pm CH: Adoration  
7:00 pm P#1: Hispanic Choir

**Saturday, February 7**

9:00 am Hall & Portables: CCD

**Sunday, February 8**

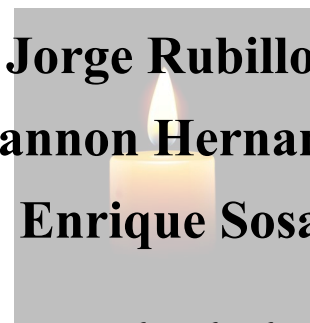
12:00 pm Hall: Vietnamese School  
2:00 pm P#2: Vietnamese Choir

**Please Pray for the Repose Soul of :**

**Jorge Rubillos**

**Shannon Hernandez**

**Enrique Sosa**



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

**2025 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS**

Contribution statements for 2025 are now available. Please indicate on your "Contribution envelope" or call the office if you need a statement.



# Hello Friends!

You are invited to a  
Dinner with Friends!

**Saturday, February 14, 6:00 PM**

Join us for an unforgettable dinner with a performance by  
Grupo Tiempo Libre. Take time to relax and enjoy conversation  
with friends and family.

Tickets cost: \$30/adults - \$12/children (5-10 years old)

3155 Winterbrook Dr, Bay Point, Ca  
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For tickets: See the Hispanic Community  
OLQW members or call  
(925) 759-1298



## Filipino Association



### Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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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 2025 "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 "Eleventh Year of Simbang Gabi". We hope to see you all again at the next "Simbang Gabi".



# BINGO

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*Saturday,*

*Feb*

*7th*

DOORS OPEN

AT 6:00 PM

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# ¡Hola Amigos!

Están invitados a una  
**Cena con Amigos!**

**Sábado, 14 de febrero, 6:00 PM**

Únete a nosotros para una cena inolvidable con una  
presentación de Grupo Tiempo Libre. Tómate un tiempo  
para relajarte y disfrutar de conversaciones con amigos y  
familiares.

Boletos cuestan: \$30/adultos - \$12/niños (5-10 años)

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Para boletos: Consulte a la Comunidad Hispana  
Miembros de OLQW o llame al  
(925) 759-1298

# Sto. Nino Festival

January 17, 2026



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