

Our Lady Queen of the World Church

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THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 28, 2020

“Whoever receives you receives me ...”

(Matthew 10: 40)

Fr. Peter Dung Duc Ngo, Pastor
Deacon Loc Nguyen

Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 9:00AM - 1:00PM

Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00PM (English)
7:00PM (Spanish)
Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:00AM, 12:00 Noon
4:00PM (Vietnamese)
Weekdays: Mon-Fri. 7:30AM, Sat. 8:00AM
First Friday: 7:30PM

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 Hilda Avelar at 925-642-3058.

* **Vietnamese** baptisms, contact Fr. Peter Dung D. Ngo 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, June 29

7:30 am Mariamma Raphael

Tuesday, June 30

7:30 am Jake Uy

Wednesday, July 1

7:30 am Napoleon Villacorta

Thursday, July 2

7:30 am Lope & Felomina Mayola

Friday, July 3

7:30 am Mai Dinh & Ngan Vu

Saturday, July 4

8:00 am Francisco Xavier Tran &
Van Truong

5:00 pm Reschedule

7:00 pm (SP) Reschedule

Sunday, July 5

8:00 am Laureano Jr. & Dominiciana
Laguardia

10:00 am Natividad Garcia

12:00 pm Simona Aldas

4:00 pm (VN)

GOSPEL READING

MT 10: 37-42



Jesus said to his apostles:

“Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me,
and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me;
and whoever does not take up his cross
and follow after me is not worthy of me.
Whoever finds his life will lose it,
and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.
"Whoever receives you receives me,
and whoever receives me receives the one who sent me.
Whoever receives a prophet because he is a prophet
will receive a prophet's reward,
and whoever receives a righteous man
because he is a righteous man
will receive a righteous man's reward.
And whoever gives only a cup of cold water
to one of these little ones to drink
because the little one is a disciple—
amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward.”



PARISH ORGANIZATIONS & CONTACTS

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Legion of Mary: *Rick Belza (925-261-0283)*

Vietnamese Association: *Hiep David Vu, President*
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PRAY FOR THE SICK

Conception Huevo, Ray & Alice Conner, Connie Trias, Claire Luna-Fernandez, Mario & Emma Dolor, Bertha Baldauf, Amy Kueck, Jovita Domingo, Carol Wagner, Julian Martinez, Virginia Cabaddu, Nena Davi, Danny Muly, Michelle McLaughlin, Miguel Ortiz, Wesceslao C. Solomon Jr., 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.

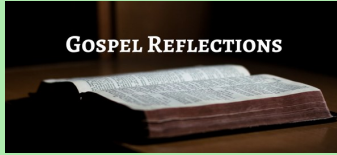
STEWARDSHIP/FINANCE

Amounts will be posted in a later date.

*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.

GOSPEL REFLECTIONS



Today's Gospel is the conclusion of the instructions and consolations that we have heard Jesus offering to his disciples during the past few weeks. In this passage, Jesus summarizes both the costs of discipleship and its rewards. Once again our understanding of the Gospel is strengthened by considering the context in which it was written and the perspective of Matthew's audience.

The conditions of discipleship outlined in Matthew's Gospel may appear harsh. Yet they underline for us a truth—choosing anything with one's whole heart has consequences. Choosing life with Christ means that every relationship we have must be understood from a new perspective. For many in Matthew's community, this choice brought division to their family.

Matthew also outlines the reward of hospitality offered to Jesus' followers. In today's Gospel, Jesus explains the difficulties of discipleship, yet reveals that those who welcome the disciples have also welcomed him.

Today's Gospel also highlights for us the importance of hospitality in the Christian life. To welcome another in Jesus' name is to extend hospitality to Jesus himself. We have many opportunities in our daily life to reach out to others, to be a welcoming presence and a sign of God's love.

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are truly present in the Holy Eucharist.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were
already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

O Sacrament Most Holy, O Sacrament Divine,
all praise and all thanksgiving be every moment Thine! (3 times)

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PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

O Jesus, I pray for your faithful and fervent priests; for your unfaithful and tepid priests; for your priests laboring at home or abroad in distant mission fields; for your tempted priests; for your lonely and desolate priests; for the souls of your priests in purgatory.

But above all, I pray for the priests dearest to me; the priest who baptized me; the priests who absolved me from my sins; the priests at whose Masses I assisted and who gave me Your Body and Blood in Holy Communion; the priests who taught and instructed me; all the priests to whom I am indebted in any other way.

O Jesus, keep them all close to your heart, and bless them abundantly on earth and in eternity. Amen!

PARISH EVENTS

CONFESSIONS:

**Father Peter will be offering
Outdoor Confessions on
Saturdays from 4:00 pm at the
Divine Mercy Statue until July 4th.
After July 4th, Father will continue
with Outdoor confessions on Satur-
days from 330pm at the Divine
Mercy Statue.**

MESSAGE FROM FATHER PETER: REOPENING FOR INDOOR MASSES:

**We are planning on reopening our
church for indoor masses on July
11th. There will be two indoor
masses: Saturdays at 5:00 pm and
Sundays @ 12:00 noon. There will
be limited spaces available for the
indoor masses. To register to at-
tend our indoor masses, please
visit our website at [http://
olqw.org](http://olqw.org).**

**We will still have our outdoor
parking lot mass on
Sundays @ 9:00 am . The outdoor
mass will also be LiveStream on
our Facebook page.**

SOLAR SYSTEM

The Maintenance Fund 2nd collection will be for the Solar System. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

FOOD DRIVE



We will maintain a donation barrel for non-perishable foods in the church foyer; please be generous. Our groups of volunteers are here every Monday, and they always need groceries to help the needy in our community. The demand has been much greater!

CCD PARENTS & STUDENTS

Please be aware of announcements and required attendance for First Holy Communion Students. If a student misses class they can not receive their sacrament.

Please come by the CCD office to pick up your certificates for this school year.



Sno Cones for Teachers

Come join us in supporting local teachers

We will be selling SNO CONES

To raise funds to support local teachers

SUNDAY July 12th

Drop by after Mass and

enjoy summer with a SNO CONE

The Columbiettes will be selling

Sno cones in front of the hall



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> .



RESOURCES FOR FAMILIES DURING COVID-19 PANDEMIC

For Parents, Teens, Young Adults (and family):

<https://vencuentro.org/resources-for-ministry-during-covid-19-outbreak/>

This is an EXCELLENT comprehensive resource with inspiration, activities, enrichment and prayers with something for everyone

www.pastoralcenter.com

A wide assortment of downloadable resources and activities for growing in faith together as a family

www.Formed.org

Access to over 600 videos, movies and resources from over 50 Catholic contributors. There are movies, short clips and programs for all ages, including many resources for Lent and Holy Week. (This is free if your parish has subscribed or an individual family subscription is \$9.99 per month)

www.usccb.org

Official site of the US Bishops with daily mass readings, prayers, information and links to resources for all ages during the Corona Virus

www.catholicdoors.com

Explore prayer, catholic traditions, learn about patron saints and much more.

For Children:

www.Catholicicing.com

Activities and resources for families with young children. Currently featuring Lenten activities to engage in at home.

www.cgsusa.org/discovercgs-approach/cgs-in-the-home-parent-resources/

Great resource with info and activities for parents of children ages 3-6 years.

For Teens:

www.lifeteen.com

Resources and inspiration including a link to a series of global Life Nights starting this Sunday

www.youcat.org

Has an app of daily 5 minute faith talk with activities

CATHOLICSCARE SUPPORT OPPORTUNITIES

During this time of uncertainty and anxiety, CatholicsCare provides opportunities for Caregivers to receive support and spiritual nourishment.

To learn more and join the daily LIVE Zoom calls, please visit <https://oakdiocese.org/catholics-care>.



2020 BISHOP'S APPEAL



REBUILD MY CHURCH
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The 2020 Bishop's Appeal has begun. Bishop Michael C. Barber, S.J. decided to continue with the theme, *Rebuild My Church*, a phrase inspired by St.

Francis of Assisi. By sharing our talent and treasure with our sisters and brothers, we are making a sacrifice and returning to God a small portion of the many gifts he has given to us.

By embracing *Rebuild My Church*, you are contributing greatly to building up the Kingdom of God here in the East Bay. We are asked to pray for our fellow parishioners, clergy, leadership, and those served by the ministries offered by the Church, and for the success of the 2020 Bishop's Appeal. All gifts to the Appeal are equally important. As stewards of our faith we are asked to make a sacrificial, proportionate and thoughtful gift. Those who are blessed with more are challenged to give more, but everyone is asked to respond.

Imagine what can be done in the name of our local faith community if every parishioner were inspired by *Rebuild My Church* and participated in our annual Bishop's Appeal. While parishes rely on the financial support of parishioners through weekly offertory collections, the diocese also relies on these same parishioners to make possible the many services it provides to literally thousands of individuals each year.

The Bishop's Appeal provides funds to help offset some of the following programmatic expenses:

- Parishes & Schools in Need
- Clergy Formation & Support
- Religious Education & Faith Formation
- Pastoral Ministries & Services
- Priest Retirement & Care

Jesus Christ promised us at His Ascension: "I will be with you all days until the end of the ages." If Christ has helped you and your family, if He has been generous to you, will you consider sharing some of the blessings you have received with Christ and His Church?

Thank you for your prayers and gifts!

Our Lady Queen of the World's 2020 goal is \$19, 600.

***Pope Francis' Prayer to Mary during Coronavirus
Pandemic***

**O Mary,
you always shine on our path
as a sign of salvation and of hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick,
who at the cross took part in Jesus' pain, keeping your faith firm.
You, Salvation of the Roman People,
know what we need,
and we are sure you will provide
so that, as in Cana of Galilee,
we may return to joy and to feasting
after this time of trial.
Help us, Mother of Divine Love,
to conform to the will of the Father
and to do as we are told by Jesus,
who has taken upon himself our sufferings
and carried our sorrows
to lead us, through the cross,
to the joy of the resurrection. Amen.**

**Under your protection, we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God. Do not
disdain the entreaties of we who are in trial, but deliver us from every
danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin.**

DIOCESE OF OAKLAND ESTABLISHES PROTOCOL FOR RESUMING PUBLIC MASSES

In collaboration with the other Catholic dioceses of Oakland, and following the directives of the public officials of Alameda and Contra Costa counties, Bishop Michael C. Barber, SJ, has issued protocols for the resumption of public Masses in the Diocese of Oakland. Alameda County will allow indoor, public religious services on June 19 and Contra Costa County provisionally on July 1.

However, before resuming public worship, parishes must submit a Parish Reopening Plan for Bishop Barber's approval, specific to the parish's facilities. Upon receiving the bishop's permission, parishes may resume daily Masses, baptisms, funerals and other sacraments and liturgies. Bishop Barber has provided a set of guidelines developed by pastors and the diocesan Office of Worship for parishes to use.



The introduction of the diocesan guidelines, which were distributed to parishes on June 13, follows.

“As people of faith, we must always be aware of the importance of acting in a socially responsible way, to give good example to others, and to act with charity toward all. Everything possible should be done to provide the church's sacramental life in a timely and reasonable way. The current situation remains dangerous and fragile, and civil law varies within our two counties. While much has been achieved, there remains the potential that the gains could be lost by a second more virulent wave.

“Our first consideration is the spiritual and physical health of the faithful and those whom they encounter, especially the most vulnerable—the elderly and those with chronic illness. We must rely on medical professionals and governmental standards to inform our decisions.

“General Guidelines/Recommendations:

“The dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday and Holy Day Masses continues until further notice. Although the faithful are dispensed from their obligation to attend Mass, they are encouraged to spend time in prayer on Sunday (such as following a livestream Mass or participating in a spiritual or corporal act of mercy). The obligation to receive Holy Communion in the Easter Season is dispensed in this diocese, this year. Out of an abundance of caution for those at high risk, the dispensation from attending Sunday Mass continues even after public Masses resume.

“The faithful might be encouraged to attend a weekday Mass with smaller crowds. Priests are encouraged to use Sunday Mass texts on weekdays, when permissible. When the calendar permits, priests may continue using the Mass in the Time of Pandemic with the Eucharistic Prayer for Various Needs and Occasions IV: Jesus Who Went About Doing Good.

“Those who are at higher risk of COVID-19 (e.g., those who are sixty-five and older or who have underlying health conditions) are advised to continue staying at home. Likewise, anyone with a temperature, a cough of any sort, and anyone feeling ill, should not come to the church for a visit or for any ceremonies. As circumstances allow, a visit from a priest, deacon, or extraordinary minister of Holy Communion to bring them the Eucharist may be possible.”

“Clergy and lay ministers are encouraged to be tested for COVID-19 where this is possible.

“A priest, deacon, or other minister with a respiratory infection of any kind should not distribute Communion. Priests who are not comfortable distributing communion, by reason of age or health, should feel free to delegate that to another minister.

“At this time, the number of Extraordinary Ministers should be kept to a minimum to assure strict adherence to required protocol.

“Parishes should continue to livestream Masses if feasible or direct parishioners to a website listing of livestream links, even after public Masses resume. We need to include people who stay home.

“Written parental permission is required if minors are serving at a Mass that is being live streamed.

Parishes are not to hold events before or after Mass. Areas that might attract gatherings (e.g. where ‘coffee hour’ would normally take place) should be locked.

“In order to resume public Masses, each parish is required to prepare a **Parish Reopening Plan** and submit it to the Office of the Bishop. Then, continued robust communication is essential to keep parishioners apprised of the evolving conditions.

“Ushers are critical for social distancing to work and need to be thoroughly trained in crowd management. They will be the ones to assure people are seated and dismissed properly, guide the communion process, and determine when capacity has been reached. Parishioners are to follow directions of ushers before and during Mass. If the usher pool is limited, perhaps high school students, confirmandi, and groups like the Knights of Columbus could be trained and called into service.”

Bishop Michael C. Barber, SJ