WELCOME to OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH!

Thank you for joining us today. We welcome you to our faith family and look forward to growing in faith and friendship with you. If you are interested in formally joining our parish community and/or the Catholic Faith, you can do so on-line or by coming in to the parish office. If you are returning to an active Catholic life, we are happy to facilitate a smooth and joy filled transition. May you find fellowship, peace and serenity in our community. Sincerely in Christ, Fr. Eduino, Pastor

CONTACT US

Parish Office 8:30 – 4:30pm, M-F Closed 12:00 – 1:00pm, M-F (916) 481-5115

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm First Saturdays: 8:00am Sunday: 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 & 7:30pm Weekday: 8:00am, Monday - Friday <u>Holy Days:</u> 8:00am & 5:30pm

Our Mission Statement

The Mission of the parish community at Our Lady of the Assumption Church is to proclaim the Word of God more fully, to gain a more intimate knowledge of God through our Catholic traditions, and to serve the people of God, especially in our efforts to meet the needs of the poor in our community, and when possible around the world. We strive to build a sense of community among our parishioners, with the wider Diocesan community, and with the entire family of God.

Pastor

Rev. Eduino T. Silveira: pastor@olaparish.net Pastors Emeriti

Rev. Brendan McKeefry & Rev. Michael F. Kiernan **Deacons**

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SACRAMENTS:

Baptism:

Required baptismal classes & scheduling, Deacon Michael First Eucharist (child): Faith Formation Reconciliation (child): Faith Formation Confirmation (teen): Faith Formation Marriage: Contact office six months in advance. Reconciliation: Saturdays at 3:30pm or by appointment. Anointing of the Sick: Contact Pastor to request. Eucharist for Homebound Parishioners: Call office. Eucharistic Adoration: T/Th after 8:00am Mass until 7:00pm <u>RCIA - RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS</u> (unbaptized or uncatechized) If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, you are welcome to join this year-round process at any time by contacting Deacon Michael.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:

Provides assistance for those in need within our parish boundaries. Please call: 916-481-6352

THEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES: Ask Usher

OUR LADY of the WE WELCOME YOU HOME



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12 5:00pm Lizz Baca † Baca Family SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13 John Fuoco † Mary Jane Fuoco 8:00am Alvarado Family Diaz Family 9:30am (Sp. Int.) 11:00am Ray Anderson † Geo & Rosemarie Hodsdon 7:30pm OLA Parishioners **MONDAY, OCTOBER 14** Mary Margaret Naval † Alzona Naval 8:00am **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15** St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin, Doctor of the Church Anne Mitchell † Fernando & Peggy 8:00am Vellanoweth WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16 8:00am Souls in Purgatory † Anonymous THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17 St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr 8:00am Teresa Groth Hoffman † Kahren Family FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18 St. Luke, Evangelist 8:00am Gale Klein † Donald Mourse SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19 Sts. John DeBreuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, Martyrs 5:00pm Joey Cotton † Mom & Dad

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14 Rom 1:1-7; PS 98:1cde, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Lk 11:29-32 **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15** Rom 1:16-25; PS 19:2-3, 4-5; Lk 11:37-41 **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16** Rom 2:1-11; PS 62:2-3, 6-7, 9; Lk 11:42-46 **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17** Rom 3:21-30; PS 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab; Lk 11:47-54 **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18** 2 TM 4:10-17b; PS 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9 **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19** Rom 4:16-18; PS 105:6-7, 8-9, 42-43; Lk 12:8-12 **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20** Ex 17:8-13; PS 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; 2 Tm 3:14-4:2; Lk 18:1-8

PARISH CALENDAR

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12 9:30am Legion of Mary Curia, St. Paul's Room **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13** 7:30am OLA Men's Bball, Parish Hall 10:30am Flame Meeting, St. Paul's Room 10:45am Faith Formation, School 12:00pm Altar Server Training, Church **MONDAY, OCTOBER 14** 3:00pm Girl Scout Troop, St. John's Hall 4:00pm Christian Meditation, Church 4:30pm OLA Vball Practice, Parish Hall 6:00pm Catholic in Recovery, St. Anne's Room 6:30pm Women's Book Club, St. Paul's Room 6:30pm Boy Scouts Troop 328, Seton Hall 7:00pm Sacto. Choral Society, Church 7:15pm Gabriel Project Meeting, School Mtg. Rm. **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15** 11:00am P.E.R.T. Club, St. John's Hall 3:10pm Young Rembrandt's, St. Paul's Room 6:30pm Finance Council Meeting, St. Paul's Room WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16 8:45am Legion of Mary Meeting, St. Paul's Room 4:30pm OLA Vball Practice, Parish Hall 6:00pm Youth Music Rehearsal, Church 7:00pm Adult Music Rehearsal, Church **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17** 6:00pm Adult Bball (SP), Parish Hall 6:00pm Cub Scout Pack 225 Mtg., St. John's 7:00pm Living the Word, St. Paul's Room **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18** No events scheduled **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19** No events scheduled

Hearing Assistive Devices Available



OUR PARISH

Jesus's love heals all things



As Jesus continued His journey to Jerusalem ten people with leprosy cried out to Him to have mercy on them. Normally such people had to proclaim "unclean, unclean" when they saw someone, but, when these ten saw Jesus, they asked for mercy probably hoping that Jesus would give them a comforting word. Instead, Jesus healed them by restoring them to health, to their loved ones, and to the community. First of all, we learn from this that Jesus can heal all things and that love is the force that can heal all things. Let us cry out to Jesus, in faith, to heal us and, in gratitude, for His great love to reach out to all our hurting brothers and sisters in love.

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

Festival Dinner, 6pm, Parish Hall Saturday, November 2nd:

It's not quite October, but that's just a day! Come celebrate Oktoberfest anyway!

THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

Catholics in Recovery October 14th, 6pm - St. Paul's Room

These twice-monthly meetings are focused on the healing of addiction and unhealthy attachments. Confidentiality will be fully supported. Please join these joyful meetings full of honesty, openness, and gratefulness.

If you have any questions please contact **Jenny Teeters at <u>jennyteeters@gmail.com</u> or 916-265-3935**.



Love and Serve God • Love and Serve One Another

Parish Assembly "Becoming A More Vibrant Parish" Sunday, October 20 12:00 – 2:00 pm // Parish Hall (light lunch served)

Please RSVP by Wednesday, October 16: Joan Cotton (<u>faithformation@olaparish.net</u>) or Parish Office: 916.481.5115

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Christian Meditation Group. In an age of rush and noise, it is essential that we find time to be still and quiet. "Be still and know that I am God," says the Psalmist. In this prayer of silence called Christian Meditation we find God who dwells in our own heart. And, in finding Him, we find our own selves and thus, are renewed. A Christian Mediation Group regularly meets Mondays at 4:00pm in the Chapel. Please call Fran at 488-4229 to learn more about this program.

OUR MINISTRIES

P.E.R.T. Club Meeting October 15, 11 am, St. John's Hall

PERT Club members, guests and prospective members will gather again for the monthly meeting on Tuesday, October 15, 2019, in St. John's Hall, OLA, at 11:00 AM. The short meeting will discuss club business and news and upcoming events such as our annual daytrip to Apple Hill. Lotto drawings with cash prizes and door prize drawings before lunch. The Potluck lunch, will be served up at Noon. Bring your own place setting, coffee cup, wine glass and some non-perishable foods for the St. Vincent de Paul Food Locker. The kitchen crew is asked to arrive at 9:30. Dave Mitchell is scheduled to be the presider/ president for October. Questions? Please call Dave at 916-481-1607.

Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive October 26th/27th

On October 26th and 27th, Knights of Columbus

members will be outside the church doors after all Masses handing out free Tootsie Rolls and accepting donations for their annual Intellectual Disability Drive. All money raised by the



Knights helps send kids and adults with developmental disabilities to Camp ReCreation. Please assist the Knights by being as generous as you can in support of this worthy event.



SCHOOL NEWS & EVENTS

The Vice Principal's Corner

Red Ribbon Week

As a way to encourage children to make healthy choices, and to be aware of the variety of health care professions, OLA will hold its first Health Professionals Fair on Wednesday, October 30, from 11:00am-12:30pm. We realize your time is valuable and your schedules packed but wanted to reach out to the health care professionals within the OLA Community. If you or someone in your family is interested in participating, please contact Amy Kuzmich at <u>ackuzmich@gmail.com</u>. Can't make it this year but would like to help with future events? Please email Amy.

Respectfully, Mr. Jeff Moore

SAVE THE DATE! Saturday, October 26th



Bring your friends and family for games, prizes, and a spooktacular time!

OTHER CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Join us at Jesuit High School for Open House on Sunday, October 20 from 12 noon to 3:00 p.m.

Explore the campus; visit classrooms to talk with

teachers, coaches and students firsthand; hear from our President and Principal; discover our college prep curriculum; get information on tuition assistance; enjoy a BBQ and more! There will be band and



choir performances; Robotics and STEAM exhibitions, club representations, and great gift giveaways Visit <u>www.jesuithighschool.org</u> to register and learn more about Jesuit High School — a foundation for life!

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

Meetings are held in the Youth Room

Grades 7 & 8: Wednesdays, 7:00pm-8:30pm



Grades 9 - 12: OLA's Life Teen Mass every Sunday at 11am followed by group meeting from 12-1:30pm

For more information about Youth Groups, please contact OLA's Youth Minister, Johann Rubia-Miller at (916) 481-5115 or Email: <u>vouth@olaparish.net</u>

YOUTH CHOIR & ENSEMBLE

Do you like to sing? Do you play an instrument? Please consider joining the OLA Youth Choir and Ensemble! This group is open to all OLA school and parish students grades 3-8.

Questions? Please email Casey Oliver, Music Director, at worship@olaparish.net. Thank you!

POPE'S TALKS TO YOUTH

Jesus, himself eternally young, wants to give us hearts that are ever young. God's word asks us to "cast out the old leaven that you may be fresh dough" (1 Cor 5:7). Saint Paul invites us to strip ourselves of the "old self" and to put on a "young" self (Col 3:9-10). In explaining what it means to put on that youthfulness "which is being renewed" (v. 10), he mentions "compassion, kindness, humility, meekness and patience, bearing with one another and forgiving each other if anyone has a complaint against another" (Col 3:12-13). In a word, true youth means having a heart capable of loving, whereas everything that separates us from others makes the soul grow old. And so he concludes: "above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony" (Col 3:14). Let us also keep in mind that Jesus had no use for adults who looked down on the young or lorded it over them. On the contrary, he insisted that "the greatest among you must become like the youngest" (Lk 22:26). For him age did not establish privileges, and being young did not imply lesser worth or dignity.

~ Christus Vivit of Holy Father Pope Francis

SOMETHING TO PONDER ON

A Civilization of Love

A civilization of love is everyone's dream. It is also the dream of God. It was the dream of Jesus, who commanded us to love one another as he loves us. It is the task of the Holy Spirit – with our participation – to bring about this civilization of love. God's dream cannot be otherwise, since God is love, and all relationships emanating from God are relationships of love. We are invited to enter into the divine vision of a world in harmony, where everyone is at home with one another, where all feel wanted and included, where everything is shared and each rejoices in the uniqueness of those around them. This vision would transfigure economics, politics, social life. But it demands that we move way beyond personal concerns. 'This pool of private charity must flow as a world-embracing sea.' Like God, we are to be committed to the common good, we are to be resolutely for our neighbors and our planet, even at personal cost. We live as one family in a common home, of which both the members and the contents are entrusted to us by God. This is Laudato Si's mystical way of seeing the world. There is a generosity all around us: we are caught into 'a universal fraternity that inspires us to love and accept the wind, the sun and the clouds' (228) Laudato Si'). Nature herself is filled with words of love'. We are to reciprocate that love.

~Excerpted from Finding God in a Leaf – The Mysticism of Laudato Si' by Brian Grogan SJ

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

Question for Children: Make up a prayer which tells God you are thankful for everything you have, even if it's not all you want.

Question for Youth: Only one of the lepers returned to give thanks. This past week, when have you stopped to thank someone for something good they have done for you? When have you thanked God this week? Question for Adults: What are some ways you can think of to show gratitude to God? Make them concrete and real.

SUNDAY READINGS SYNOPSIS

The Lord has revealed his saving power to all the nations (Ps)! Naaman, a Syrian, is healed (1), and lepers are made whole, but only the Samaritan returns to give thanks (3). Let us remain steadfast in faith (2), and thankful for the Lord's blessings (Ps).

OPPORTUNITIES TO PRAY

"Pray without ceasing."

Prayers for Peace

The Legion of Mary has a statue of Our Lady of Fatima for parishioners to host her at their homes, and commit to pray for peace in her presence.

For information, please call Maggie Mongeau at 483-5807 or the Parish office 481-5115. We will deliver it so you can offer your prayers in this time of great need.

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesdays and Thursdays, following the 8 a.m. mass, and continuing until 7 p.m. First Saturday of the month following the 8 a.m. mass until 1 p.m. For additional infor-

For additional information please call Joan at 335-3532.

Living the Word

Every Thursday 7:00 pm St. Paul's Room

Lectio Divina & Taizé Prayer

Typically the 4th Thursday of every month, during our regular "Living the Word" meeting time. Please check calendar.









PRAYER INTENTIONS



Please hold in your prayers our parishioners and friends:

- * Joan Cotton
- * Molly Garcia
- * Tom Bogetich
- * Kierston Cash
- * Deb Giglio
- * Larry Nelson
- * Patrick John Harris
- * George Peres
- * Mary Jane Fuoco

Note: Please call the parish office to add a name.

COMMUNITY

NOURISH

A Day of Reflection for Eucharistic Ministers and Parishioners: "Eucharist: The Evidence of God's Love" // Thursday, October, 24, 2019, 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. // Christ the King Retreat Center, Citrus Heights.

Speakers will be Hai Tran, DMin, and Deacon Omar Bardales. Cost \$50.00/ person. Contact Dr. Tran at the St. Francis Development Institute at <u>sfdinsti-</u> <u>tute@gmail.com</u>, or (916) 203-0150.



WORD OF LIFE

40 Days for Life Novena

Prayer of Saint John Paul II for Life prayer cards were distributed the weekend of September 28 & 29 after all masses. Help save lives by praying for an end to abortion from now through November 3. Don't forget to use your prayer cards to complete a nine day Novena. Just use the prayer card for nine days in a row to make the Novena. If you did not receive a prayer card, there are extra cards in the OLA parish office.

A Prayer for Life

O Mary, bright dawn of the new world, Mother of the living, to you do we entrust the cause of life

Look down, O Mother, upon the vast numbers of babies not allowed to be born, of the poor whose lives are made difficult, of men and women who are victims of brutal violence, of the elderly and the sick killed by indifference or out of misguided mercy. Grant that all who believe in your Son may proclaim the Gospel of life with honesty and love to the people of our time.

Obtain for them the grace to accept that Gospel as a gift ever new, the joy of celebrating it with gratitude throughout their lives and the courage to bear witness to it resolutely, in order to build, together with all people of good will, the civilization of truth and love, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life. ~*Pope John Paul II*

INVITE

Annual gala Knight or Life November.02.19

Mark your calendars for the event of the year; it will be one to remember.

> For more information, please go to <u>www.saclife.org</u> or call (916) 451-4357.

Shrines of Northern Italy & Rome

Take your FAITH ON A JOURNEY, to Northern Italy and Rome on this 9 night experience. April 9th, 2020 - April 17th, 2020.

Your included destinations while on this Journey: Milan, Italy – Turin – Pavia - Sirmione – Padua – Pomposa – Ravenna – PAPAL AUDIENCE - Rome, Italy.

Plus, Mass and Rosary will be offered throughout your journey. Land prices begin at \$1999 per person, based on double occupancy. Deposits of only \$400 per person will reserve your space. Space is VERY LIMITED. For further info or to register, contact Doug or Eileen at 860-399-1785/ Eileen@CatholicCruisesandTours.com.

DIOCESAN NEWS

Father Son Program (English & Spanish) // Saturday, October 26, 2019 // St. Clare Parish, 1950 Junction Boulevard, Roseville

The Father-Son Program explores God's special gift of human sexuality and fertility as well as the goodness and wonder of his plan for growing up and becoming a man. It is designed for fathers* and their 12-15 year old sons. All content is pure, light-hearted and affirming. Cost is \$20 per family and includes snacks. To register online, contact a site coordinator, or to review program content, visit: <u>www.scd.org/fatherson</u>. For questions, please contact Janese Ramirez at (916) 733-0177 or jramirez@scd.org.

PLEASE NOTE: All articles for bulletin must be submitted **two Fridays prior to the bulletin you want your information in** to the Parish Bulletin Email: <u>parishbulletin@olaparish.net</u>, with copy to our secretary, Shannon Langer <u>ministrycoordina-</u> tor@olaparish.net</u>. Thank you!

OFFERING

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Weekend Offertory: \$12	2,254.96
Electronic Giving: \$ 7,	,300.58
Total: \$19	9,555.54
Average Weekly Budget Amount: \$12,	,500.00

SECOND COLLECTIONS

Please gently take note of the upcoming second collections:

November 2/3 Youth Ministry

November 9/10 Archdiocese of the Military Collection November 23/24 Catholic Campaign for Human Development

December 7/8 Retirement Fund for the Religious December 28/29 St. Vincent de Paul Society

Baptised and sent

World Mission Sunday Collection October 19th/20th, 2019

We are Baptized and Sent! Next week is World Mission Sunday, in a special

Extraordinary Missionary Month. We are called through our baptism to be part of the Church's missionary efforts, through prayer, self-sacrifice and support of missionary vocations through material aid. Remembering that we are baptized and sent as a Universal Church of Christ on mission in the world, we can...

PRAY for the Church's worldwide missionary work OFFER financial HELP and CHARITY through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith for vulnerable communities throughout Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands.

STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Bulletin Preparation

We are looking for an industrious person who can help with bulletin preparation! Our bulletin is designed through Publisher, so a working knowledge of Publisher would be good. You would work in conjunction with another person who takes care of

all the preparation and with our secretary, Shannon Langer. Please call or email Shannon for further information. Shannon can be reached at 916-481-5115 ext. 203 or <u>ministrycoordinator@olaparish.net</u>.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

<u>28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> Thankful Stewardship

"Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" LUKE 17:18

Most of us live "easy" lives. We have food, shelter and clothing. We go on vacation every year and own a car or two. Most of us take this all for granted. Did you ever notice that people with the least amount of possessions are usually the most grateful? Shouldn't *Stewardship* be the other way around? Take time every day and thank God for all He has given you.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Called to Compassion



What does a homeless person need? That may seem like an odd question since being homeless would indicate they certainly need a home. Beyond that though, what does a homeless person need? Most would guess the person needs food, money, clothing, medical care, and toiletries. Many parishes put together drives for those items. Is that all the person needs? It is easy to get caught up in all the things that easily come to mind so that we miss a key thing needed by someone homeless as well as all human beings: to be seen.

How many of us pass by homeless people and pretend they are not even there. We don't have money in our pocket, we don't have food to give, and we don't have material items that they need, so we offer them nothing. We don't even offer ourselves.

Welcoming someone with a kind word is free. Amazingly, we act like it costs us more than anything else. It is easier to hand someone \$5 than it is to engage in a 15-second exchange of words. We talk about being generous, but we need to remember that sometimes the greatest gift we have to give is simply ourselves. The Jesus in me meets the Jesus in you. One day, you or I may find ourselves in a tough spot, and we will be looking for compassion. Let's hope that all those who profess to know Jesus don't simply pass on by pretending not to see us.

~Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

