

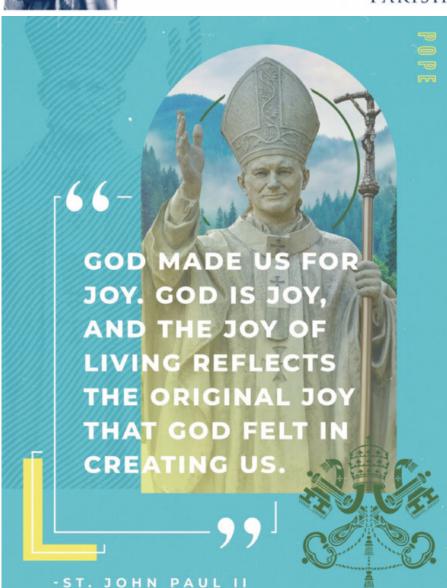
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Sunday, May 5, 2024

Bulletin for the

Sixth Sunday of Easter

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8:00 a.m. daily Masses (Monday-Friday and first Saturday)

Saturday vigil Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses at 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., and 7:30 p.m.

Holy Days of Obligation: 8:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Confessions are heard inside the church on Saturday afternoons at 3:30 p.m.

You may also call the parish office to schedule an appointment.

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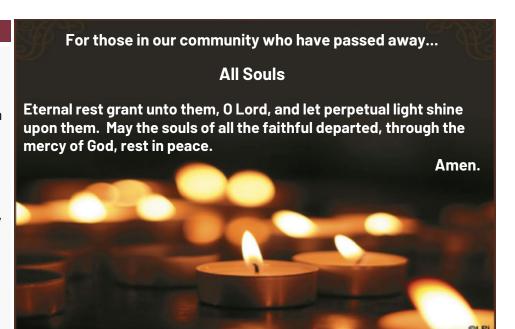
Sixth Sunday of Easter

Once a man came to the Vatican and asked to see Pope John Paul II, claiming that they had been friends in Poland. When told of the man, the Pope said, "He is mistaken about our friendship. I don't recall ever having suffered with him." As it turned out, the man had never known the Pope. Now, I'm not sure if the story is totally factual. But doesn't the juxtaposition of suffering with friendship sound exactly like JPII? He understood that the deepest and most lasting friendships are forged in the fires of shared suffering. No suffering, no friendship. Amazing.

This week we hear Jesus say to the apostles and to us, "You are my friends if you do what I command you" (John 15:14). In Jesus' life, death, and resurrection, God entered the world of human suffering and transformed it into an avenue of friendship with Himself. Following His command – to love, to lay down our lives for others will always entail suffering. But this suffering only deepens our friendship with Him. His suffering is ours; ours is His. We have become friends of God.

This week, how might you share your suffering with the Risen Jesus? How might he be sharing his suffering with you, in the lives of those around you? Be attentive to that, and you'll find that you are indeed a friend of God, because you've suffered together a great deal.

-Father John Muir ©LPi



PRAY FOR OUR SICK BROTHERS & SISTERS

Bulletin Sick List Policy

To ensure the privacy of people who are sick, please make sure you have their permission before submitting their name to the list.

Once a name is added, it will be removed either when requested OR after six months. Names will then be removed unless there is a specific request to keep the name on the list for longer.

To add a name, remove a name, or If a name has been removed that needs to be added back, you may call the parish office at (916) 481-5115 or email parish@olaparish.net. Thank you.

Lisa Coffman

Theda Lord **Tomasa Washington**

Ryan Daniels

Donna Blaschke (wife)

Donna Blaschke (mother)

Alice Mayer Govaars

(baby)

Esther Paulos

Cole Miller Whitney (baby)

Jonathan Whitfield

Weslev Villariza

Charlie Wetherall

Lawrence Wilhelm

Camille Peter

Donna Deterding Parks Yolande De Forge

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Call the parish office to add a name or to remove a name from this list.



OLA Communications Information

BULLETIN WEEKEND DATES

May 18-May 19

May 25-May 26

June 1-June 2

ARTICLE

May 10

May 17

May 24

If you have an event to promote or news to share, please fill out the Communications Request Form on our parish website at https:// olaparish.net/communications**committee**. All communications requests are subject to approval by Father Eduino. For general questions or bulletin requests, you may also send an email to communications@olaparish.net.

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PARISH 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 entire family of God.

Observances for the week of May 5, 2024

Sunday: 6th Sunday of Easter

Monday: Tuesday: Wednesday: Thursday:

Friday: St. John of Avila, Priest and Doctor of the

Church; St. Damien de Veuster, Priest

Saturday:

Next Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord; World

Communications Day; Mother's Day



SATURDAY, MAY 4
8:00 AM † Helen Gregorio
5:00 PM † Lizz Baca
by Carmy and Tina Baca

SUNDAY, MAY 5
7:30 AM † Jim Rolf
9:00 AM †† Fernando and Mary Garcia
11:00 AM † Steve Oxarart (birthday)
by the Oliver family
7:30 PM All Parishioners (Missa Pro Populo)

MONDAY, MAY 6 8:00 AM † Darlene Kotey by the Albers family

TUESDAY, MAY 7 8:00 AM † Michael Campos by Bryan and Karen Hobsen

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8
8:00 AM †† Dale and Arlene Fuller
†† Juan and Amelia San Miguel
† Bill Portillo
by the Portillo family

THURSDAY, MAY 9 8:00 AM (Sp) Joan Cotton by Cathy Apker

FRIDAY, MAY 10 8:00 AM (Sp) Sally Leatherby by Cathy Apker

SATURDAY, MAY 11
5:00 PM † Barbara Jones
† Maureen McNamee
by Judith Malone
† Thomas Melody
by Kate Walsh



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Aren't signed up for OLA Parish Flocknote yet?
We can help you! We can assist you in the parish office and via email. Call the parish office or email Casey Oliver at worship@olaparish.net.

Are you attending Mass regularly at Our Lady of the Assumption Church but not registered?

Register today as a parishioner! Go online to https://olaparish.net/community/register-us or scan the QR code.



You may also call or visit the parish office for assistance.

Thank you!

FOR THESE GIFTS WE ARE GRATEFUL

Weekend Offertory 4/28/24 E-Giving 4/22/24 to 4/28/24 \$ 7,475.05 \$ 3,298.45

Total:

\$10,773.50

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STOCK or PLANNED GIFTS

Please contact Elisabeth Gustorf, Advancement Director, at <u>advancement@olaparish.net</u> or at (916) 489-8958 ext. 170.

Our Lady of the Assumption is a 501(c)(3) organization.
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PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, May 5

*11:00 am - 7:30 pm

*First Eucharist taking
place at the 11:00 am Mass.

Monday, May 6

8:00 am Mass 4:00 pm OLA Meditation Group - Church

Tuesday, May 7

8:00 am Mass 8:30 am - 7:00 pm Exposition of the Blessed

Sacrament – Church
7:30 pm Neocatechetical
Way Ministry – Affinito Hall
Rm. 3

Wednesday, May 8

8:00 am Mass 4:00 pm PAL Gold and

Silver Championship Games
- Affinito Hall Gym

6:00 pm Catholics in Recovery – St. Anne's Rm. **7:00 pm** Jesuit Spring

Choral Concert - Church

Thursday, May 9

Masses: 7:30 am - 9:00 am - 8:00 am Mass *11:00 am - 7:30 pm 8:30 am - 7:00 pm

Sacrament - Church

3:00 pm SVdP mtg. Affinito Hall Rm. 3

6:30 pm Rosary in the
Presence of the Blessed
Sacrament - Church

7:00 pm Living the Word Affinito Hall Rm. 3

Exposition of the Blessed

Friday, May 10

8:00 am Mass

3:00 pm Funeral Mass for Patricia Seberg – Church

4:00 pm Funeral

Reception – St. John's Hall 7:30 pm Neocatechetical Way Ministry – Affinito Hall Rm 3

Saturday, May 11

11:00 am Baptism - Church **3:30 pm** Confessions - Church

5:00 pm vigil Mass

Special Collection Information

Thank you for your generosity towards the **Catholic Home Missions Appeal** (shared w/**Black & Indian Missions**). OLA collected a total of **\$2,427.07**.

Next week our special collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects Catholics with Christ in the United States and developing countries using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the money collected remains here in the Diocese of Sacramento to fund local communications efforts. Learn more at www.usccb.org/ccc.



We encourage parishioners to enroll in our automated donation program called WeShare.

This program provides a convenient way to make your donations to our church from the comfort of your home. To enroll please follow these simple steps: Go to https://olaparish.net and click on Donate.

This will take you to our "Contribute" page, where you will find the **WeShare** link to enroll and donate.

WeShare Donor Support Phone: **(877) 316 0260** or go to https://www.wesharegiving.com/support/.

PARISH AND SCHOOL NEWS

Fr. Eduino Ordination Anniversary

Congratulations to Fr. Eduino Silveira! Last week he celebrated his 37th anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood. Fr. Eduino was ordained in the Diocese of Sacramento on May 2, 1987. Thank you Fr. Eduino for your ministry and dedication to OLA!

2024 OLA Country Fair Information



Friday, May 17th from 6 p.m. – 9 p.m. Saturday, May 18th from 11 a.m. – 9 p.m.

What can you expect at the fair?

All your favorites and more – midway games, BBQ dinner, OLA jail, dunk tank, professional face painters and balloon artists!

Use the GiveSmart link below or the QR code to purchase dinner tickets, punch cards, and more.



http://e.givesmart.com/events/Cod

The BBQ dinner is Saturday, May 18th from 5-7. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$12 for kids, and \$50 for a family (including 2 kids and 2 adults.) **\$10 and \$20 punch cards** can be used for snack shack, bar, games, cake walk, dunk tank, face painting, and balloon artist.

Buildings and Grounds News

A follow up to our solar panels. OLA received a generous donation from a parishioner to purchase and install the inverter to get our solar panels working. We are hopeful we will get up and running in the next month or two, in time to take advantage of our beautiful California sun. Beach Boys anybody?

The refrigerator in St John's Hall is broken down. We will be purchasing a new one (the original one was a donated secondhand refrigerator over 20 years old). Anyone who might wish to donate towards the purchase of our new refrigerator is welcome.

Over the summer we plan to purchase a washer and dryer and place it in Bannon Hall. This will be used to wash numerous items such as tablecloths used in St John's for our funeral receptions, liturgical linens, towels used in our gym to wipe up spills, etc. Donations towards this purchase is also welcome.

Stay tuned for more news in next weekend's bulletin.Contact Deacon Michael if you have any questions. You may contact him at deacon@olaparish.net.

Capital Campaign Update



The History

In 2018, the parish initiated a \$7M campaign to build a new hall and preschool. Our incredible community came together to raise the needed funds. Although we were in the midst of a shut-down due to the pandemic, the construction of Affinito Hall symbolized our remarkable commitment to the future of our church. But our work is not finished yet. We must now reduce our debt from the last phase, update Bannon Hall (the old hall), and complete other projects as mandated by the county.

The Need

1) REDUCE OUR DEBT

As with all construction projects, costs increased during the build of Affinito Hall, and OLA incurred a \$2.9M debt. Reducing the debt will help keep OLA financially sound as interest rates increase.

2) BANNON HALL UPDATES

This project is required by Sacramento County. It includes demolition of the kitchen, building a new closure wall, installing a sprinkler system, and updating the bathrooms to make them ADA compliant.

3) WALNUT PARKING LOT

This is a more extensive project that is also required by the county. It will add much needed parking and improve our curb appeal. The projects include, but not limited to, the following: extending fire water line around the entire campus; electrical and landscaping; new sound wall on the residential property line; and paving and striping the reconfigured lot.

Let's Connect! If you have any questions, please contact Elisabeth Gustorf, Advancement Director via email at advancement@olaparish.net, or you may reach her by phone at (916) 489-8958 ext. 170.

TOTAL NEED: \$5.9M \$2.9M Debt \$3M Construction Costs

"Brick by Brick" OLA School is Building Our Faith

Students: Please cut out the brick and bring it to school on Monday to add to your class board and help your class "build" their faith!



PRAYER AND FORMATION AT OLA

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

All are invited to come pray in the church on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.



Make time to pray this Easter season in the peaceful presence of our Lord.

To sign up for an Adoration time slot, please contact Don Thamer at don.nprz6@gmail.com or (916) 549-7195 mobile/text.

OLA Live Events in the Presence of the Blessed Sacrament

At OLA, in addition to weekly Adoration, twice a month we host prayer services in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Each month we pray the rosary and have a Lectio Divina and Taizé Prayer service. Both services are livestreamed.

<u>Upcoming OLA Live Events</u> Thursday, May 9th at 6:30 p.m.

Rosary (Glorious Mysteries) in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, May 23rd at 6:30 p.m.

Lectio Divina and Taizé Prayer in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament

Join us in prayer inside the church or online! https://olaparish.net/ola-live

OLA Meditation Group

This group gathers weekly on Monday afternoons at 4:00 p.m. and follows guided meditations to help participants grow in relationship with Christ.

Meetings are in the church on the first Monday of the month and then on Zoom for the rest of the month. Email Fran Rider at billrider2808@sbcglobal.net for more information.



Living the Word Scripture Study

All are welcome for the Living the Word Scripture Study on Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in Affinito Hall Meeting Room 3. We discuss the Sunday scripture readings and how they apply to our daily lives.

Neocatechumenal Way

COME AND LISTEN!



IF you are Suffering...
If you can't Forgive...
If you can't Love...

CHRIST IS COMING!

Free talks for youth and adults (12 and up) Babysitting and translation provided.

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REV. Eduino Silveira More info: 720-470-9950 (Nathaniel)

Tuesdays & Fridays

at 7:30 p.m.



Join the Knights of Columbus

The Knights are a brotherhood with a purpose that celebrate our Catholic faith.

For the brotherhood, we have ice cream socials, attend basketball (Kings) and baseball (Rivercats) games and sponsor corn hole tournaments.

For purpose, we raised \$33,000 and then hosted a dinner for Camp ReCreation. We sold fireworks to provide tuition assistance to students attending Catholic high schools. We give donations to seminarians and special projects around the council. We host fish fries, led stations on Fridays, and we even hosted a half dozen pancake breakfasts.

We provide gifts for our altar servers and host free throw events for the students at Catholic schools. We hosted 24 rosaries and 24 bible studies each year. We celebrate life during the life chain and we hosted a widow's lunch and provide honor guards at funerals on the other end of life.

If you are a man over the age of 18 that wishes to share your Catholic faith with other Catholic men, scan the QR code or visit https://kofc4970.com/ and click on the link in the upper right hand corner to let us know who you are.



God Bless, Grand Knight Will Friesen

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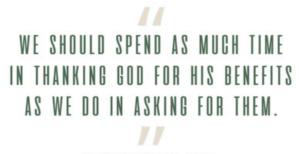
St. Vincent de Paul Society OLA Conference

Thank you for your continued support! We had a very successful Shred Day and raised a little over \$4,000 dollars, thanks to several hard-working Vincentians and Shred Day chair Frank Huntington. Our next Shred Day is October 12th. In other news, the Dinner for the Poor netted us \$3,600 dollars in raffle ticket sales.

We need tuna, soup, canned green beans, and macaroni and cheese for the Food Locker. We also need grocery bags, especially paper bags. Drop donations off at the parish office or in the church SVdP collection boxes.

For those who need assistance and live within our parish boundaries, the food locker is open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 A.M.-12 P.M. We can also help with utility and rent payments. Call (916) 481-6352 for more information.

Interested in volunteering for SVdP? Call (916) 481-6352 to leave a message, or email Marylee Johnson at jmjohn@surewest.net.







Weekly Meetings at OLA

Join Catholic in Recovery at OLA on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. in St. Anne's Room. Meetings combine the spiritual principles of 12-step recovery and the sacraments of the Catholic Church. Join others in recovery as we overlap scripture from Sunday's Mass readings, liturgical themes, and recovery topics with honest discussion and prayer.

Confidentiality is protected. We welcome those recovering from any addiction, compulsion, or unhealthy attachment: alcoholism; drug addiction; compulsive overeating; restricted eating; lust/pornography addiction; gambling addiction; technology addiction; compulsive spending/debting; codependency; control, fear, resentment, and grief. For more information, visit our website www.catholicinrecovery.com, or contact Bill B. at bbefort@bellsouth.net or at (561) 827-0624.



National Eucharistic Pilgrimage

Tuesday – Friday, May 21-24, 2024
Consider joining us for part of this four-day procession across the Diocese from Vallejo to South Lake Tahoe, with stops in Vallejo, Benicia, Rio Vista, Clarksburg, West

Sacramento, Sacramento, Folsom, El Dorado Hills, Placerville and South Lake Tahoe.

These four days are part of a national procession to Indianapolis for the National Eucharistic Congress in July.

More information at https://scd.org/celebrate.

Find healing at Rachel's Vineyard



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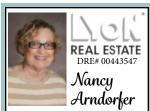
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