

OUR LADY OF THE Assumption

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Sunday, July 9, 2023 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

LOOK AT THIS CROSS; OH! HOW BEAUTIFUL IT IS! IT HAS BEEN MY WHOLE HAPPINESS DURING MY LIFE, AND I ADVISE YOU ALSO TO MAKE IT YOURS.

-ST. KATERI TEKAKWITHA

Regular Mass Schedule

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.

Please check our website for current MASS SCHEDULE information.

www.olaparish.net

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Pastors Emeriti Rev. Brendan McKeefry & Rev. Michael F. Kiernan

Deacon Paul Friedrich deaconpaul@olaparish.net

OLA PARISH SCHOOL PRESCHOOL - EIGHTH GRADE (916) 489-8958 School Website: school.olaparish.net Principal: Robert Love Vice Principal: Steven Vidal Admissions: Elisabeth Gustorf advancement@olaparish.net General Questions: Donna Eaddy eaddy@olaparish.net

OLA ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Provides assistance for those in need within our parish boundaries. Please call: (916) 481-6352 Monday - Friday | 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Food Locker hours of operation

are Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

> Parish Office Hours Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

GOSPEL MEDITATION

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Do you ever feel restless? I certainly do. Daily tasks and challenges, but also the more basic demand of simply existing sooner or later, this can all feel crushing and tire us out.

Which is why Jesus' words are such stunningly good news: "Come to me all you who labor and are burdened and I will give you rest" (Matthew 11:28). How vastly weird that this man speaks as though he is capable of giving us the deep repose we desire. Is his claim the height of absurd grandiosity? No, because next he immediately proclaims that he is "meek and humble of heart." We here touch a mystery: Jesus is capable of giving us rest because he is the one who forever reposes in the heart of God the Father. He is "yoked" to the Father in his divinity. But he is humbly "yoked" to us, sharing in our humanity.

The good news, my fellow tiredout friends: we don't have to despair in our burdens and exhaustion, no matter how heavy they feel. This week, join me in opening our hearts to hear him say to us, "Come! I will give you rest." We come to him in the Church, Eucharist, the Scriptures, prayer, in the poor. There he will give us rest.

-Father John Muir ©LPi



For those in our community who have passed away...

John Fuoco

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



PRAY FOR OUR SICK BROTHERS & SISTERS

Jonathan Rassmussen **Stacie Higginbotham Shirley Ward J. Richard Heintz Richard McClintock Debbie McGee Tom Hickman Denny Colleran Petra Morales** Amanda Young Salvador Beltran **Annette Megie** Maria Bosker **Diva Orsolini Nancy Colleran** Loretta Taylor **Sandy Berumen Evelyn Jensen** John Tenerio Sarah Maya

Charles Kesmodel MD Lisa Berumen Cox Elsie & Mona Berumen Ericka Mora **Junior Mora** Adam Peters Maureen Baker Salvador Morales **Joan Cotton** Wayne Stone **Sharon DeLeonardis Crystal Weeks** Lisa Coffman **Christine Jensen** Malachi Rex-Pentacost Lila McHugh **Pete Weir** Theda Lord Maria De Silva **Robert De Anda**

Cole Miller Whitney (baby) Ann Weldy **Robert de Anda Felix Reves Tomasa Washington Ryan Daniels Cindy Blecha Michael Taijeron** Wyatt Chan (baby) Kamille Peter-Lienert **Brian Blaschke** Donna Blaschke (wife) Donna Blaschke (mother) **Cheryl Doornenbal Doreen Lukowicz Alice Mayer Govaars** (baby) **Rachel Carrasco Esther Paulos**

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

	OLA Communicati Information	ons
	BULLETIN WEEKEND DATES	ARTICLE DUE
DE/	Jul 22-Jul 23	Jul 14
DEADLINES	Jul 29-Jul 30	Jul 21
ES	Aug 5-Aug 6	Jul 28

If you have an event to promote or news to share, please fill out the Communications Request Form on our parish website at <u>https://</u> <u>olaparish.net/communications-</u> <u>committee</u>. 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.

PARISH STAFF

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OLA SCHOOL

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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.

	<u>Observances for the week of</u> July 9, 2023
Sunday:	14 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	
Tuesday:	St. Benedict, Abbot
Wednesday:	
Thursday:	St. Henry
Friday:	St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin
Saturday:	St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Next Sunday:	15 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
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Weekly Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, JUL 8 5:00 PM (Sp) Tomasa Washington (healing) by Anne Perez

SUNDAY, JUL 9 7:30 AM (Sp) Joan Cotton (thanksgiving) by Cathy Apker

9:00 AM † Mark Millard by Tom and Celeste Depner

11:00 AM (Sp) Doud Family by the Doud family

7:30 PM All Parishioners (Missa Pro Populo)

MONDAY, JUL 10

8:00 AM † Ryan Whorley by the Sweeney family

TUESDAY, JUL 11

8:00 AM † Thomas J. Carbon (father/husband) by Paulina Carbon and the Leighton-Armah family

WEDNESDAY, JUL 12

8:00 AM †† Amelia and Juan San Miguel † Bill Portillo by Ernest and Linda Portillo

THURSDAY, JUL 13 8:00 AM † Margaret Mook by Theda Lord

FRIDAY, JUL 14 8:00 AM (Sp) Tijeron Family (healing) by Anne Perez

SATURDAY, JUL 15 5:00 PM † Fred Baca

by Carmy and Tina Baca



JOIN OUR OLA COMMUNITY

Are you attending Mass regularly at Our Lady of the Assumption Church but not registered? Register today as a parishioner! Go online to <u>https://olaparish.net/community/register-us</u> or scan the QR code.



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

Thank you!

FOR THESE GIFTS WE ARE GRATEFUL

Collection numbers will be posted next week due to early bulletin publication deadline for this weekend.



We encourage our 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 <u>Donate</u>. This will take you to our "<u>Contribute</u>" page, where you will find the **WeShare** link to enroll and donate.

Current WeShare customers with questions about their account can access customer support.

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

Help OLA continue its mission by making a special gift today!

CASH + CHECK

Checks payable to Our Lady of the Assumption Parish *or* Our Lady of the Assumption School

ONLINE Please visit <u>https://olaparish.net/contribute</u>

or scan our QR Code.



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. All gifts are tax deductible as allowed by the law. Tax ID number is #45-3954215

PARISH CALENDAR

<u>Sunday, Jul 9</u>

Masses: 7:30 am - 9:00 am - 11:00 am - 7:30 pm

Fr. Kiernan Jubilee Receptions after all morning Masses – Affinito Hall **10:15 am** Faith Formation Second Sunday Program – Bannon Hall **12:00 pm** Baptisms – Church **12:30 pm** Girl Scouts Troop 103 – Affinito Hall Rm. 3

<u>Monday, Jul 10</u>

8:00 am Mass 10:00 am OLA Women's Book Club – Church 6:30 pm Boy Scouts Troop 328 – St. John's Hall 7:00 pm Gabriel Project – Affinito Hall Rm. 3

<u>Tuesday, Jul 11</u>

8:00 am Mass 8:30 am - 7:00 pm Adoration in the Church 6:30 pm Knights of Columbus mtg. – St. John's Hall

<u>Wednesday, Jul 12</u>

8:00 am Mass 11:00 am St. Vincent de Paul District mtg. – St. John's Hall 6:00 pm Catholics in Recovery – St. Anne's Rm.



Thursday, Jul 13

8:00 am Mass 8:30 am - 7:00 pm Adoration in the Church 3:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul 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

Friday, Jul 14 8:00 am Mass

Saturday, Jul 15 10:30 am Alanon Meeting -Affinito Hall Rm. 3 1:00 pm Funeral Mass for John Fuoco - Church 1:30 pm Bible Study -Affinito Hall Rm. 3 2:00 pm Funeral Reception - St. John's Hall 3:30 pm Confessions -Church 5:00 pm vigil Mass

PARISH & SCHOOL NEWS

Receptions This Weekend for Fr. Michael Kiernan's 50th Ordination Anniversary

To celebrate Fr. Michael Kiernan's 50 years of Priesthood, you are warmly invited to join him in the celebration of Mass followed by a simple reception in the Affinto Hall foyer. This is a joyous opportunity for Fr. Kiernan and friends who have journeyed with him over all the years to enjoy time together.

On Saturday, July 8th there will be a light reception after the 5:00 p.m. Mass and also Sunday, July 9th, after the 7:30, 9:00, and 11:00 a.m. Masses.

Father Michael, Pastor Emeritus who is now in residence here with us at OLA, would be happy to have you join him! **All are welcome!**

July PERT Club Meeting

PERT will be grillin and chilln for our 4th of July celebration potluck on Tuesday, July 18th. Yes, the POTLUCK is back this month! We'll have grilled hot dogs and buns and potato salad. You bring the other sides or desserts. Drinks, plates, utensils, and condiments will be provided. Plan on playing cards after the luncheon. And bring your SVDP food items. Set up and visiting will start at 10:30 with short meeting at 11:00. For any questions or suggestions on what to bring, please call Mary Ellen Hofmann at (916) 489-1424. See you there!



St. Vincent de Paul Society -OLA Conference

Thank you for your generosity to St. Vincent de Paul! During the month of June, we served 1,089 at our parish Food Locker.

Keep us in mind when you have extra vegetables from your garden. Our families love fresh vegetables, and most live in apartments that have no planting areas.

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 give enough food for each member of the family to have 3 days of meals, breakfast, lunch, and dinner. We can also help with utility and rent payments. For more information, call SVdP at (916) 481-6352.

Interested in volunteering for SVdP? We currently need shoppers and client visitation members. If you can help, please call (916) 481-6352 and leave a message, or email SVdP president Marylee Johnson at jmjohn@surewest.net.

Faith Formation "Second Sunday" Summer Program This Weekend



The OLA Faith Formation Program will be hosting children focused faith-based development and community building events this summer for all ages.

<u>When</u>:

July 9 (Theme: St. Benedict)

August 13 (Theme: Building the Body of Christ)

Where:

Bannon Hall

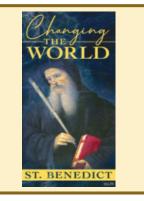
<u>Time</u>:

10:15-11:30 am

Activities will include stories, crafts, games, snacks, and more. Join us after the 9 am Mass this Sunday!

Please reach out to Tracy Urban at faithformation@olaparish.net with questions. Registration information for the 2023-2024 OLA Faith Formation Program will be available later this summer.

Feast of St. Benedict – July 11



Have you ever wanted to change the world? 5th century Europe was a dark place. The Roman Empire had fallen, and barbarian tribes were picking over the scraps of what remained. Faith hung on, but there was no consistent, coherent Christian culture in the world around.

Young Benedict began his life with education and privilege but became disillusioned by a life pursuing material success. He withdrew to a monastery and spent much time in solitude. He began attracting followers, whom he organized over time into 12 monasteries, with a 13th established to train young monks. He wrote a rule of life including basic principles for living as Christ. His monks took three vows: conversion to Christ, obedience to the local abbot, and stability to remain with the community. Benedictine monasteries became lights in the darkness, secure centers of Christian culture enlivening the faithful beyond their walls. When the world around us seems complicated and contrary to the Gospel, how will you be a light? ©LPi

Adoration at OLA

All are invited to come pray during Adoration in the church on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30 am - 7:00 pm.



Make time to pray 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.

After Adoration on Thursdays, we have **Living the Word scripture study at 7:00 pm** in Affinito Hall Meeting Room 3. All are welcome!

OLA Live Events in the Presence of the Blessed Sacrament

On June 11th, 2023, the Year of Parish Revival began as part of the three-year National Eucharistic Revival.

At OLA, in addition to weekly Adoration, we host prayer services twice a month 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 for those who cannot attend in person. All are welcome to attend.

Upcoming OLA Live Events Thursday, July 13th at 6:30 pm

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

Thursday, July 27th at 6:30 pm

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

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

Catholic in Recovery

Join Catholic in Recovery at Our Lady of the Assumption on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. in St. Anne's

Room. Meetings combine the spiritual principles of 12step 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.

For more information about Catholic in Recovery, visit <u>www.catholicinrecovery.com</u>, or email Bill B. at <u>bbefort@bellsouth.net</u> or call (561) 827-0624.

Upcoming Training for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion



There will be a training for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion on Monday, July 24th at 6:00 pm in the church. This training is for current ministers as well as those who are interested in becoming extraordinary ministers. We need more people who are trained to serve in this essential ministry.

As an extraordinary minister, you are integral to the sacramental sharing that is the highlight of the Mass. You assist the priest and deacon (the Ordinary Ministers) in the distribution of Holy Communion. Extraordinary ministers take their spiritual growth seriously. They have a rich prayer life and a deep reverence for the Blessed Sacrament.

Men and women (at least 16 years of age) who are fully initiated Catholics (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist) are invited to participate as extraordinary ministers of holy communion for the community.

For more information or to volunteer for service, please contact Deacon Paul Friedrich at 481-5115 or deaconpaul@olaparish.net.

Parish and Diocesan Vocations News

Are you interested in supporting vocations in our parish and diocese? Join our parish Vocations Committee! If you are interested, please contact the parish office at parish@olaparish.net or (916) 481-5115.

Deus Vocat Retreat (God is Calling) Boys ages 13 to 17 can learn more about the various vocations: marriage, diaconate, religious life, or priesthood. The weekend has time for prayer, fellowship, and games. July 28 - 30, 2023 at Trinity Pines Catholic Center in Colfax, CA. Reserve a spot for your son at www.scd.rog/quovadis.

OLA Vocations Prayer: Loving God, You speak to us and nourish us through the life of this church community. In the name of Jesus, we ask you to send your Spirit to us so that men and women among us, young and old, will respond to your call to service and leadership in the church. We pray, especially in our day, for those who hear your invitation to be a priest, sister, brother, or deacon; and also for those called to be a spouse or single person. May those who are opening their hearts and minds to your call be encouraged and strengthened through our enthusiasm in your service.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

COMMUNITY





Sign up for our parish Flocknote emails and Flocknote Engage educational resources at <u>https://olaparish.flocknote.com/</u>, or by scanning the QR code.



Thank you to everyone who has signed up for

Flocknote! If you are regularly receiving emails from OLA, you are automatically a member of the OLA Parish Carmichael Flocknote group. This group is for all general communications from OLA, including the weekly Mass information and bulletin email, as well as emails regarding parish events, **volunteer opportunities (including special event volunteer opportunities)**, and other important information.

Have you signed up for Flocknote but not receiving emails? There are a few different reasons why you may not be receiving emails, and we can help you resolve these issues.

If you have any questions or problems with Flocknote, or if you need help signing up or accessing the Flocknote Engage resources, contact Casey Oliver at <u>worship@olaparish.net</u>.



Pregnant? Worried? Need Help? Call (800) 910-0191 The Gabriel Project

Interested in supporting the OLA Gabriel Project? Contact the parish office for more information.

Find healing at Rachel's Vineyard



Call (916) 733-0161 or email projectrachel@scd.org. All messages are confidential.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023 STATESIDE

Not attending World Youth Day in Lisbon? Join us for World Youth Day Stateside!

World Youth Day is a call to all Catholic young adults to renew their faith in Christ and prepare themselves for the work of the new evangelization and we are celebrating World Youth Day here in the Diocese of Sacramento.

When: August 5 & 6, 2023

Where: Trinity Pines Retreat Center, Colfax, CA Who: Young Adults ages 18-39 Cost: 125

Join our diocesan pilgrims in celebrating World Youth Day as they are in Lisbon celebrating this jovifilled moment!



Worldwide Marriage Encounter Workshops "Save the Date"



A Great Marriage...

The Journey begins in: Turlock, CA - September 23-24 Reno, NV - October 14-15 Sacramento, CA - November 11-12

This is just two days, just for the two of you, that you'll never forget.

Apply at wwme.org or contact: Terry and Janet Doane 916-489-3464

916-489-3464 applications@sacramentowwme.



Restore Restore the communication in your relationship.

Rekindle Find the romance again.

Renew Find a new commitment to yo spouse and your relationship.

A Marriage Encounter Weekend is a wonderful opportunity to focus on each other without distraction and learn more about your relationship!

Live your best life in love

Save the Date for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend this Fall!

Turlock, CA September 23-24; Reno, NV October 14-15; and Sacramento, CA November 11-12.

Check the WME website <u>wwme.org</u> for more information!

Respect Life Workshops "Save the Date"

October 13-15, 2023 Join us! The Respect Life Workshops is a great opportunity to learn more about the Culture of Life and how to address some concerns in the family and respect life ministries. The workshops are free, donations accepted. Food will be provided on all days. For more information, visit our webpage: <u>https://www.scd.org/respectlife</u>. Contact Moises De Leon at Mdeleon@scd.org or 916-733-0133.

