PRIEST'S INTENTIONS FOR MASSES

Sun, Apr 25	FOURTH SUNDAY of EASTER
5:30 pm	† Timothy Stanton
8:00 am	† Mark Steckbauer
11:00 am	† Carmen Heffler
5:30 pm	For the People of the Parish
Mon, Apr 26	Easter Weekday
8:00 am	† Kyle Cearly
Tue, Apr 27	Easter Weekday
8:00 am	† Frank & † Magdalene Shaw
10:00 am	† Michael Macke (Funeral Mass)
Wed, Apr 28	Easter Weekday
8:00 am	Sp Int the Huynh family
Thu, Apr 29	Saint Catherine of Sienna, Virgin,
	Doctor of the Church
8:00 am	Mass for Collective Intentions
11:00 am	† Hibernia Thornton (Funeral Mass)
Fri, Apr 30	Easter Weekday
	No Mass
Sat, May 1	Saint Joseph the Worker
8:00 am	† Minnie Hilgman; † Jose Q. Cruz
Sun, May 2	FIFTH SUNDAY of EASTER

5:30 pm For the People of the Parish

8:00 am † Joan Maucere

11:00 am † Jack Cloward 5:30 pm † Marco Villavicencio



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Public Mass Update

ishop McElroy has approved the celebration of Mass indoors. We now have a "hybrid" of indoor and outdoor Masses—daily Mass is inside and weekend Masses are outside. Outdoor Mass will be moved indoors during inclement weather. Visit olg-church.org for current info.

When Mass is celebrated outside in front of the church, bring a blanket or lawn chair to sit on. At all Masses face coverings are required, as is physical distancing. Our Ambassadors will be present to assist you.

The obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation continues to be dispensed by Bishop McElroy.

This schedule is considered temporary and may change at any time.

Streamed Online Mass Information Available

isit <u>olg-church.org</u> homepage and click on the gold "Online Mass Info and Other Sustaining Faith Resources in the Time of Pandemic" bar. Scroll to Mass links.

Where do sheep go to shop? Woolmart!

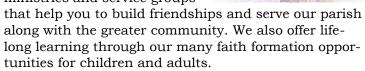
Welcome to Our Lady of Grace!

elcome to all members and visitors who are joining us for the celebration of the Eucharist.

If you have been away from the Church for a little while or for quite some time, but now feel a tug at your heart calling you back to the Catholic Church, welcome home!

If you feel drawn to the Catholic Church yet come from another faith tradition - or have no faith experience at all - we are glad you are here!

The Catholic Church has been teaching truth since she was founded by Christ over 2,000 years ago. We invite you to enrich your life through joining our parish family. In addition to our liturgies there are many ministries and service groups



For baptized Catholics needing to complete their Sacraments of Initiation please contact our Director of Catechetical Ministry, Lissa Hutcheson, at (619) 466-5656. For those interested in joining the Catholic Church, please contact Deacon John Sawaya at (858) 869-5079. You can also contact them by using the "Contact us" link at olg-church.org.

To register at Our Lady of Grace

Registration forms are available on the table in the main entry of the church or the parish office. Registration allows us to communicate and effectively provide for your needs. It is necessary for baptism, marriage, and godparent or sponsor certification.

Mindfulness of Others—Please silence all devices and refrain from using them during the liturgy.

READINGS FOR APR 25 - MAY 2

Sun: Acts 4:8-12; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

Mon: Acts 11:1-18; Jn 10:1-10

Tue: Acts 11:19-26; Jn 10:22-30

Wed: Acts 12:24—13:5a; Jn 12:44-50

Thu: Acts 13:13-25; Jn 13:16-20

Fri: Acts 13:26-33; Jn 14:1-6

Sat: Acts 13:44-52; Jn 14:7-14

Sun: Acts 9:26-31; 1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

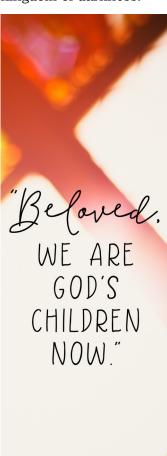
Fourth Sunday of Easter

Mass Readings:

Acts 4:8-12 1 Jn 3:1-2 Jn 10:11-18

GROW: I really feel for teenagers these days. It seems that today's kids face - if not more challenges than I did - at least many more ways those challenges can present themselves. The usual adolescent pressures present themselves in person, as always, but also now on the many forms of social media. For young people, and all of us, living as "children of God" is certainly not for the faint of heart! As our Psalm today says, we should place our trust in God - take refuge in him – rather than in what others may think of us. Why? Because living as disciples of Jesus can fly in the face of cultural norms. After all, Jesus was the stone the builders rejected - who became the cornerstone! He and the apostles challenged the status quo and faced ridicule and rejection, and even death because of it. Still, they always did the right thing. That's hard, for sure. But Jesus, the Good Shepherd, laid down

his life for us, and that requires a response. Discipleship calls us to serve others by doing the right thing so that God's kingdom will triumph over the kingdom of darkness.



GO: St. John told his community that "the reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him." The key to being a

loving force for good in the world is humility, and looking to God, rather than how we are perceived on social media or the car we drive, for our identity and worth. Tackling our ego begins by taking stock of what we value and whose opinion (rightly or wrongly) matters to us. Once we have explored those troubled waters, we can absorb St. Teresa of Calcutta's advice: "Accept being slighted, forgotten and disliked. Be kind and gentle even under provocation." Our slow steady witness shines light into darkness. The consistent challenge of our Christian behavior, offered without judgment, will promote God's values in our families, schools, work, and neighborhoods. Our faithful witness allows God to work, Remember, God uses the stones that are rejected to become the cornerstone.

PRAY: Pray for the Holy Spirit to strengthen you to live humbly. Then ask the Spirit to open the door for you to invite others to know the joy of living according to God's ways. In the meantime, pray the *Litany of Humility*. It will help train your ego to seek God's approval only.

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SCHEDULE of MASSES

SUNDAY VIGIL

(Saturday) 5:30 pm

SUNDAY

8:00 am, 11:00 am, 5:30 pm

MONDAY-THURSDAY AND SATURDAY

8:00 am

Holy days and holidays listed separately in bulletin.

SACRAMENTS

INFANT BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the second and fourth Sundays of each month at 12:30 pm. Preparation packet is available in the parish office.

RITE of CHRISTIAN INITIATION of ADULTS

Contact Deacon Sawaya (858) 869-5079.

HOLY MATRIMONY

Marriage preparation begins nine months in advance. Please contact

Fr. Peter McGuine or Deacon Sawaya.

PENANCE AND RECONCILIATION

Monday 6:00 pm Thursday 8:45 am Saturday 4:00 pm

Anointing of the Sick

Call the parish office (619) 469-0133.



"I will go anywhere and do anything in order to communicate the love of Jesus to those who do not know Him or have forgotten Him." *Frances Xavier Cabrini M.S.C.*

The CWC Spring Bake Sale Today!



n Sun, Apr 25 after the 8:00 and 11:00 am Masses Bread Sunday makes way for cookies, brownies, lemon bars, mini-breads and the special Irish Guinness Spice cake! The Catholic Women's Club hosts a sale of delicious offerings of handmade baked

goods. Thank you for your support!

Registration for Levels 1 & 2 Confirmation

he sacrament of Confirmation is the completion of Baptism and increases the Gifts of the Holy Spirit in you! Registration is now open for high school youth who wish to prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation and enjoy the graces of drawing closer to Christ and the



greater Catholic community. Our sessions meet biweekly on Sundays from 6:45 to 8:30 pm beginning **Sep 19**. For more info visit tinyurl.com/5zpfumf7.

Congratulations Msgr. Mark Campbell!



ather Mark will be celebrating his 50th anniversary of Ordination on **May 1**. There will not be a reception but you are welcome to send cards to Father at Mary, Star of the Sea Church, 7713 Girard Ave, La Jolla, 92037.

Mothers Day Mass Cards

special Triduum of Masses will be celebrated at OLG on May 11-13 for mothers, living and deceased. Mass cards are available on the publications table in the main entry of the church. Completed envelopes may be returned



to the parish by way of the collection basket, US Mail or the "black drop slot" located to the right of the front door to the parish office.

FUNERAL LITURGIES AT OUR LADY of GRACE



MICHAEL DAVID MACKE

10:00 am, Tue, Apr 27

Followed inurnment at Holy Cross Cemetery at noon

HIBERNIA "HIBE" THORNTON

11:00 am, Thu, Apr 29

Followed by burial at Ft. Rosecrans National Cemetery at 1:30 pm

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed,

through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.

~Psalm 118:22

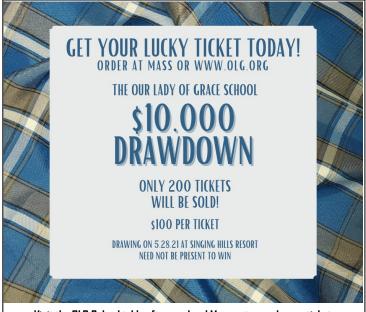


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A Thought to Ponder

have decided that I am not old. I'm 25 plus shipping and handling.

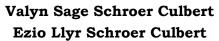




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Welcome to the Christian Family

Baptized at OLG on Sun, Apr 25



"You have become a new creation, and clothed yourself in Christ..."

I know God has the wheel, but sometimes I think we are off-roading!





Congratulations to

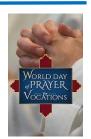
Julio & Sujeyly Loera

Who celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary on Feb 11 and received a marriage blessing this weekend!

May the Lord bless you with his life and love!

Live with Purpose

ollecting a paycheck may be important to make a living, but will it alone make a life? Some Catholics hear the invitation to choose a different path. They're nudged by family members, religion teachers, and homilists. They have opportunities to learn about priesthood



and apostolic life, about missions and monasteries and cloisters. They'll encounter members of Third Orders and engage in service projects that put them in touch with those consecrated to spreading the Good News. On this World Day of Prayer for Vocations, let's be sure to issue the invitation—and to receive it.

"No one takes [my life] from me, but I lay it down on my own." ~John 10:18a

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Names remain listed for four weeks and can be renewed by contacting Marie Pospichal at mpospichal@olg-church.org.

YOUTH MINISTRY

wisit olg-church.org to get Jr. High and/or High School event details. Click "Serve" then "Parish Groups" and under "Youth Groups" choose ESCAPE (Jr. High) or New Life (High School).

SAN DIEGO YOUNG ADULTS

or a complete list of spiritual development and social opportunities for Catholic adults in their 20s & 30s follow Instagram @sd.ecya or visit sdcatholic.org/office-for/young-adult-ministry.

SAN DIEGO ADULT COMMUNITY

A ctivities and a social network for adult Catholics: College Age, Young Adults (20s & 30s), Adult (40s & 50s), Active 60s+. Learn more at sandiegocac.org.



Visit olg-church.org and scroll to the "Annual Catholic Appeal" ad. Click the "2021 ACA video" link to see how funds raised will support diocesan and local efforts to announce the Gospel and serve God's people. Click the "Renewing Hope" image to make a pledge and/or gift to this year's Appeal. Thank you!



How do you repair a broken tomato?
Use tomato paste!

Confirmation Candidate Prayer Support

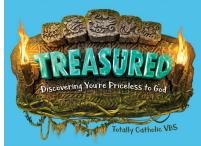
Parishioners are invited to continue to encourage those preparing for Confirmation at OLG on **Jun 9** at 7:00 pm. We have a new and innovative way for you to com-

municate with our Candidates. Leave your note on our electronic message board at <u>tinyurl.com/54devawn</u> or drop a card at the Parish Office for us to forward.

Royce Acosido Alexis Bauers Heather Becker Crystal Castro Calvin Eden Carlos Gamino Maeve Hagerty Michael Landry Kalea Lantz James Neddersen John Sousa Jenna Villanueva

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Confidence in Princes

ave you ever confided your problems to a friend, only to get the answer, "have you prayed about it as much as you've talked about it?"

Like all good advice, it can really irritate the recipient at first. Here I am, vulnerable and wounded, unloading my problems, and this joker tried to load them right back up and ship them off to Someone with a higher pay grade.

But, again, like all good and irritating advice, it rings true if you sit and think about it.

Sure, venting is helpful. We all need that friend or family member who can listen to our problems. But if we ever start to think that person can solve them, it's a good sign that we're losing perspective.

Are you looking to the world for an answer? Are you looking in the mirror expecting to find a solution to your problems? Are you expecting happiness, peace, contentment or justice to come from any place other than God?

It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to put confidence in princes," the Psalms tell us. Well, I've never put much confidence in princes. But when it comes to problems, I often find myself telling God to take a step back—"I've got this."

It's tough to pray about any problem as much as you talk about it. We want so badly to tackle the issue ourselves. But I'll let you in on a secret: it doesn't matter what the question is, we don't have the answer. Take it to the one that does.

~Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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