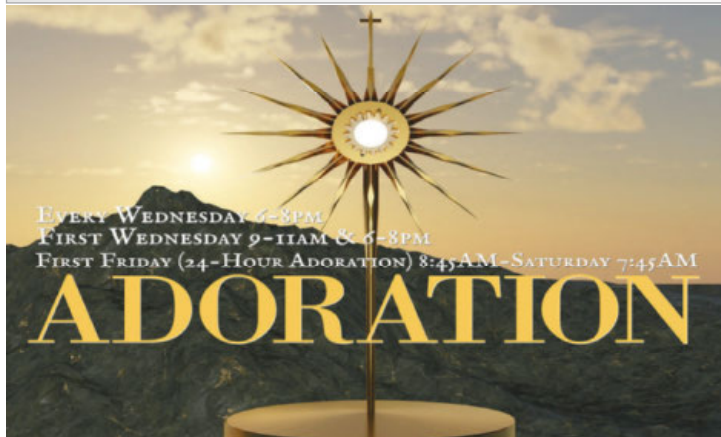


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PRIEST'S INTENTIONS FOR MASSES

Sun, Apr 27 **SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY)**
 5:30 pm *Sp Int* The Huynh Family (Vigil)
 8:00 am For the People of the Parish
 11:00 am † Olga Gallagher
 5:30 pm † Mark & † Mary Steckbauer
Mon, Apr 28 **Easter Weekday; Saint Peter Chanel, Priest, Martyr; Saint Louis Grignion de Monfort, Priest**
 8:00 am † James W. & † Ursula Dannemiller
Tue, Apr 29 **Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin, Doctor of the Church**
 8:00 am *Sp Int* Myra Stanley
Wed, Apr 30 **Easter Weekday; Saint Pius V, Pope**
 8:00 am † Ricardo H. Diaz
Thu, May 1 **Easter Weekday; Saint Joseph the Worker**
 8:00 am † Patrick Llamas
Fri, May 2 **Saint Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor of the Church**
 8:00 am † Joan Maucere
Sat, May 3 **SAINTS PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES**
 8:00 am † Minnie Hilgeman; † Demetrius Quidachay



A dorers are needed for our next 24-hour Adoration on Friday, May 2nd. To sign-up, please email Lesley Bradley at lesleybradley.lb@gmail.com or call the parish office.

FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP IN THE PARISH CENTER

All are welcome Sunday mornings after Mass

Apr 27 **Treasures Galore Plant & Bake Sale**
Sponsored by the Catholic Women's Club
 Come to CWC's huge treasure, plant, jewelry and bake sale!

May 4 **Breakfast Bowl Sunday**
Sponsored by the International Catholic Families
 The ICF will be serving the ever popular Breakfast Bowls with a Mexican twist (eggs, chorizo, cheese, tortilla) and donuts of course.

May 11 **Mother's Day**
No event in the Parish Center
 Celebrate all the mothers in your life today! More info to come on our special Novena of Masses for Mothers!

Welcome to OUR LADY of GRACE!

Welcome 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 offer ministries and service groups that help you to build friendships and serve our parish along with the greater community. We also offer life-long learning through our many faith formation opportunities for children and adults.

For baptized Catholics needing to complete their Sacraments of Initiation please contact Deacon John Sawaya at: jsawaya@olg-church.org. For those interested in joining the Catholic Church, please also contact Deacon John Sawaya. You can also contact him by using the "Contact us" link at olg-church.org.



Allergies

The first morning Mass of a holy day will always be incense-free.

Mindfulness of Others

Please silence all devices and refrain from using them during the liturgy to avoid distracting those around you.

READINGS FOR APR 27 – MAY 4

Sun: Acts 5:12-16; Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31

Mon: Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8

Tue: Acts 4:32-37; Jn 3:7b-15

Wed: Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21

Thu: Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36

Fri: Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15

Sat: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Jn 14:6-14

Sun: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Rv 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19

Second Sunday of Easter (Sunday of Divine Mercy)

GROW: On this Easter Octave, we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday. As Jesus revealed to the Polish nun St. Faustina Kowalska, the blood and water that gushed forth from his side during his crucifixion would become a “fountain of mercy” for all of us. In today’s first reading, we witness what happens now that the Apostles have received that mercy flowing from the foot of the cross. Motivated by the mystery of Jesus’ resurrection and ascension and emboldened by the gift of the Holy Spirit, these men are now continuing his ministry of healing. Just as the ill and possessed flocked to Christ, so now those sick in body or spirit see the power of Christ working through the Apostles. The beauty of receiving God’s mercy is that it doesn’t stop once it’s been poured into us – his mercy compels us, inspiring us to become

living fountains of mercy to those we encounter.

GO: In a somewhat confusing chronology, today’s Gospel takes place in time before the events in our first reading. So we go with the disciples back to “the evening of that first day of the week.” They have been through a lot over the past weeks. They have watched their community turn on Jesus and give him over to be brutally killed. They have walked with him through his agonizing passion and bitter death, and they have witnessed his glorious resurrection from the dead. “Overwhelming” seems too small a word. Can you imagine the weight of their experience on a physical, emotional, and spiritual level? Now, in today’s Gospel, we see them gathered together behind locked doors, shaken from the recent events, and fearing for their own lives. Somehow, mysteriously,

Jesus enters the room and says, “Peace be with you.” Three times, Jesus repeats this phrase to his disciples in this reading. Untethered by space and time and in the wake of grief and glory, the Savior of the world extends himself in an intimate encounter, radically present to those who love him.

REFLECT: Throughout today’s Scriptures, we see the Lord’s relentless pursuit of the human heart. We see a God who loves us so passionately that he pours himself into us, inviting us to partake in his mission by the outpouring of his mercy and the power of his Holy Spirit. Today, pause to reflect on the mercy of God. In what areas of your life can you see God’s mercy at work? How can you be an instrument of his mercy for others?



Weekday Mass Announcement

Our weekday Mass schedule has returned to the 8am Mass only. Rest assured, we will return the additional evening 5:30pm Mass during the Advent season. God bless!

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SCHEDULE of MASSES

SUNDAY VIGIL

(Saturday) 5:30 pm

SUNDAY

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

MONDAY–SATURDAY

8:00 am

Holy days and holidays listed separately in bulletin.

SACRAMENTS

INFANT BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays at 12:30 pm. Preparation packet is available in the parish office.

ORDER of CHRISTIAN INITIATION of ADULTS

Contact Dcn. John Sawaya
(858) 869-5079.

HOLY MATRIMONY

Marriage preparation begins nine months in advance. Please contact Fr. Lauro Minimo, Fr. Marc Gandolfo or Dcn. John Sawaya.

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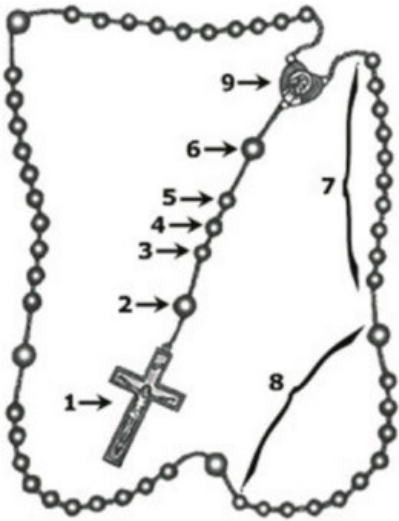
Monday 6:00 pm
Wednesday 8:45 am
Saturday 4:00 pm
or by appointment.

ANointing of the Sick

Call the parish office
(619) 469-0133.



How to pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy



1. Make the Sign of the Cross

2. **Opening Prayer:** You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.

O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You! (3x)

3-5. Pray the Our Father. Hail Mary, Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; He descended into hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

6. **On the Our Father Beads, Pray:** Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your Dearly Beloved Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ...in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

7. **On the Ten Small Beads of Each Decade Pray:** For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

8. **Conclude with: Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world. (3x)**

9. **Closing Prayer:** Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself. Amen



THE EVENTS MINISTRY PROUDLY PRESENTS

Cinco de Mayo Fiesta!

A family friendly get together - as a tribute to Cinco de Mayo. Let's come together to share a meal of tacos, Mexican corn, churros, nachos and margaritas! Live music! After dinner join us in a game of complimentary Bingo (children are welcome!). Prizes and desserts!

FRIDAY, MAY 2
5:30PM - PARISH CENTER



Price: Taco plate (taco, rice & beans)
Adult: \$10, Child \$5 Additional food items sold separately at (\$1.00 - \$3.00 ea).
Family Deal Ticket: \$25 (family of 4 or more in the same house).

For Tickets: Deborah (619) 947-9272 (RSVP)

Breakfast Bowls

May 4th

SPONSORED BY THE ICF

We will be serving the ever popular Breakfast Bowls with a Mexican twist (eggs, chorizo, cheese, tortilla) and donuts of course. Come join us after Sunday morning Masses.




TRUE NORTH

Vacation Bible School

June 23-27 - 9AM-Noon

Participant Registration



Deadline for registration is May 25, 2025 or 100 participants, whichever comes first!
VBS needs at least 50 participants signed up by April 20, 2025, to move forward!

\$90 REGISTRATION FEE PER CHILD

Whispering Winds Women's Auxiliary

Women's Retreat

May 16-18, 2025

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Featuring  Jenene Francis

Experience familiar and new ways of praying as we ask for the grace to recognize encounters with the Risen Christ. There will be time for individual prayer and small group conversation, as well as opportunities for rest, refreshment, and sharing Easter joy.




QUESTIONS? CONTACT KESA: KESA1@COX.NET | 619.504.7620

Father Dave's Blessing of the Bikes

Saturday May 3rd
10am - 12pm

St. Adelaide Catholic Church
1347 Dewey Pl, Campo, CA 91906
Assembly 10:00 AM
Blessing: 11:00 AM
Lunch provided at noon - suggested donation \$10.

Group Riders
Meet-up at Our Lady of Grace
2766 Navajo Road El Cajon 92020
9:00 AM Kick Stands Up!



All are welcome!

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Pray for us!



WEEKLY OFFERING REPORT

April 8, 2025 - April 14, 2025	\$22,938.31
Plate	\$4,030.26
Envelopes	\$12,283.25
Online Giving	\$6,624.80

Breakdown of Gifts Received

\$0.01 - \$5.00	58
\$5.01 - \$10.00	46
\$10.01 - \$25.00	130
\$25.01 - \$50.00	84
\$50.01 - \$100.00	35
\$100.01 - \$150.00	12
\$150.01 - \$500.00	13
\$500.01 - Over	3

Total Contributing Households 381

Building Fund	\$5,386.00
Easter Sunday	\$545.00
Faith Formation & Youth	\$642.00
Food Pantry	\$361.00
School - Tuition Assistance	\$620.00

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Please pray for those who have requested prayer and for the special intentions written in the Book of Intentions in the Baptistry of our Church.

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Names will remain listed in the bulletin for 4 weeks. If you would like to add a name to the list, or have names removed/renewed, please contact Jocelyn Ayala at: jayala@olg-church.org.

55 Plus Club Lunch
TUESDAY, MAY 6

The next 55 Plus Club lunch is Tuesday, May 6, 2025. The theme is: Spring Rains, bring May Flowers. Please turn in your reservation before Thursday, May 8 by 3PM for the lunch fee of \$15. After that day and time the lunch fee is \$20. The food is always delicious and the atmosphere is spirited with conversation. Next, you can take a chance on our Cash Opportunity drawing where 12 guests are lucky to win cash and of course we end the lunch with BINGO! Reservation forms are on the information table across from the baptismal font.

*For more info, please call Mary Cloward at 619-463-1129.

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