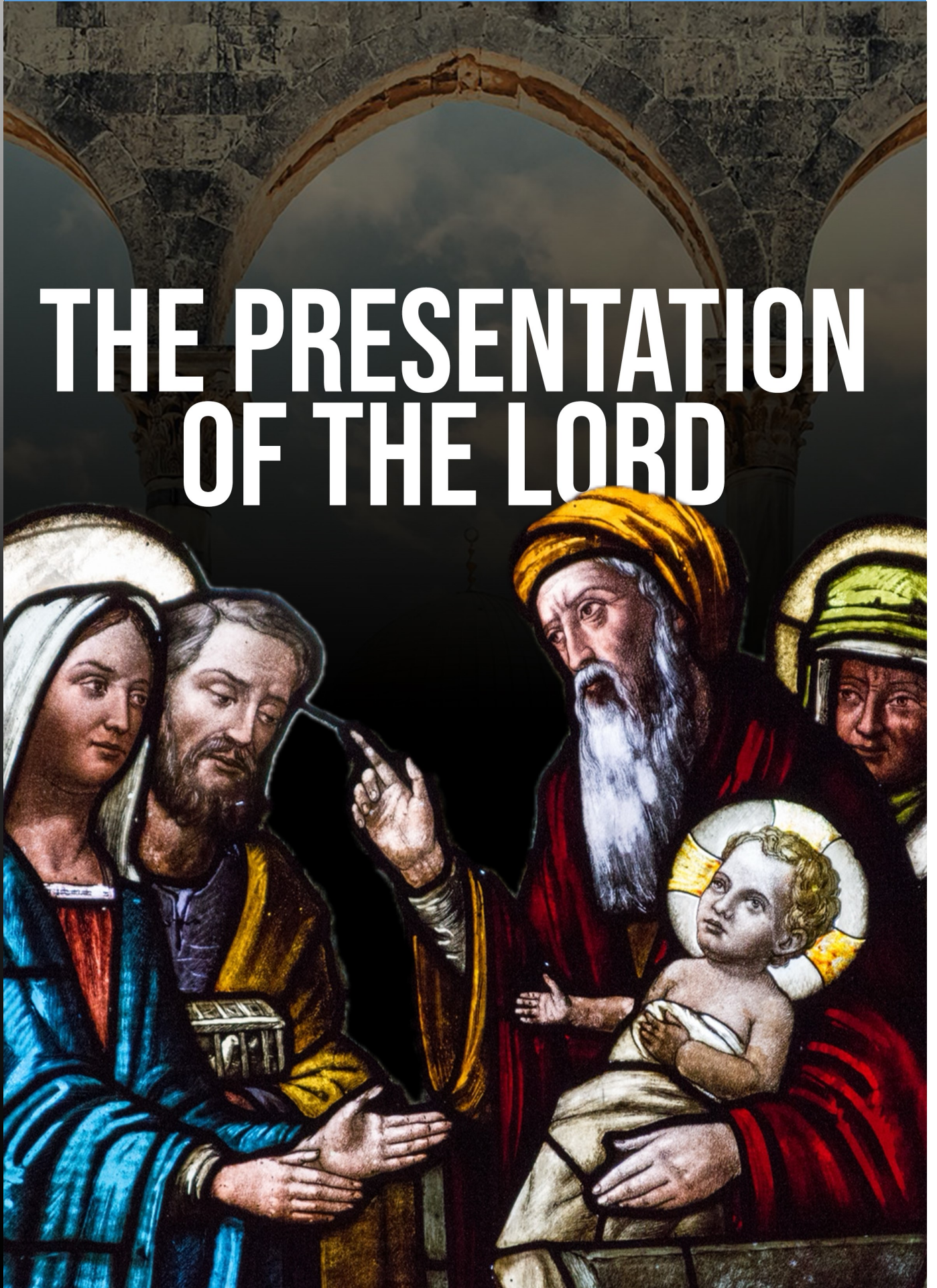


THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

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PRIEST'S INTENTIONS FOR MASSES

Sun, Jan 28	FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
5:30 pm	† Myrtle Paul Berthelotte (Vigil)
8:00 am	For the People of the Parish
11:00 am	† Nicholas Joseph
5:30 pm	† Hilario Torio
Mon, Jan 29	WEEKDAY
8:00 am	† Antonio Diaz Hernandez
Tue, Jan 30	WEEKDAY
8:00 am	† Patrick Llamas
Wed, Jan 31	Saint John Bosco, Priest
8:00 am	<i>Sp Int</i> Lucas Wilsterman
Thu, Feb 1	WEEKDAY
8:00 am	† Joseph Arroyo
Fri, Feb 2	THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD
8:00 am	Mass for Collective Intentions
Sat, Feb 3	St. Blaise, Bishop, & Martyr
8:00 am	<i>Sp Int</i> Larry Raben & <i>Sp Int</i> David Engel



Welcome to OUR LADY of GRACE!

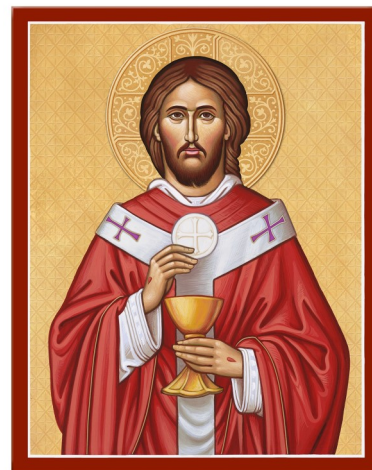
Welcome to all members and visitors who are joining us for the celebration of the Eucharist.

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 invite you to enrich your life through joining our parish family. In addition to our liturgies there are many 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.



FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP IN THE PARISH CENTER

All are welcome Sunday mornings after Mass.

Jan 28	Bread Sunday <i>Sponsored by the CWC</i> The types of bread available are: Cranberry Walnut, Guinness Bread, Irish Soda, Yeast Bread and Sprouted Quinoa Bread. Donuts, muffins, coffee and juice and our ever so popular lox and bagels are also available.
Feb 4	Filipino Food Sunday <i>Sponsored by the ICF</i> Join us for a delicious menu of your Filipino food favorites including Pancit, Lumpia, Chicken Adobo and more!
Feb 11	School Sunday <i>Sponsored by OLG School Families</i> Complimentary coffee and refreshments. Contributions not necessary but gratefully accepted. Proceeds benefit OLG's Tuition Assistance Fund, the Gerard Family Endowment for Education.

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 JAN 28 – FEB 4

Sun:	Dt 18:15-20; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mk 1:21-28
Mon:	2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Mk 5:1-20
Tue:	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3; Mk 5:21-43
Wed:	2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Mk 6:1-6
Thu:	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; Mk 6:7-13
Fri:	Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40
Sat:	1 Kgs 3:4-13; Mk 6:30-34
Sun:	Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39



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Revival Seminar

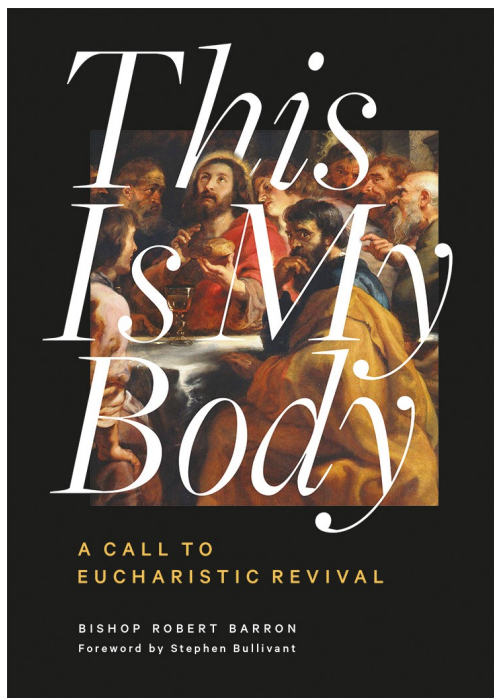
FEBRUARY 17, 24 & MARCH 2 / 9-10:45am
OLG PARISH CENTER

Dear Parishioners of Our Lady of Grace, as we continue this year of Eucharistic Revival, I would like to invite you to grow closer to Jesus alongside Fr. Lauro, Fr. Marc, myself, and one another through a three part examination of "This Is My Body: A Call To Eucharistic Revival." This book was specifically chosen as a Christmas gift for OLG parishioners and is designed to accompany the National Eucharistic Revival's efforts for the Year of Parish Revival! Each of the three sessions will reflect the three chapters of the book and will be full of theological content, powerful testimonies, and unique and timely messages from individuals within the parish. This is a great opportunity to dive more deeply into the richness of our Eucharistic faith!

This series will be a special time to grow in community within the parish as we walk this sacred year together, and we really desire you to join us! Beginning on Saturday, February 17 from 9:00am to 10:45am, we will hold the first of three consecutive weekly meetings in the Parish Center. Please bring your copy of "This Is My Body: A Call To Eucharistic Revival." We hope to see you there!

Blessings, Jesse Lopez - Seminarian in Residence

*Registration forms are required and can be found in the back of the church or at the Parish Office and must be submitted by Monday, February 12, 2024. If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at: (619) 469-0133.



EVENING WEEKDAY MASSES ARE BACK!

(This Lenten Season)

February 15 - March 27

5:30 pm (in addition to the daily 8 am Mass)

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Dcn. John Sawaya

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Jesse Lopez

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 Deacon Sawaya
(858) 869-5079.

HOLY MATRIMONY

Marriage preparation begins nine months in advance.

Please contact Fr. Lauro Minimo or Deacon Sawaya.

PENANCE AND RECONCILIATION

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.



PRAYER REQUESTS

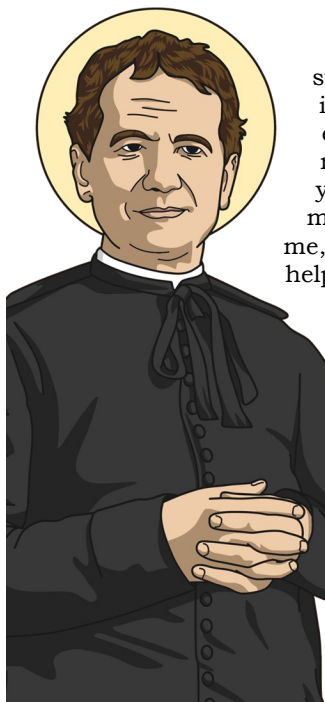
Please pray for those who have requested prayer and for the special intentions written in the Book of Intentions in the Baptistry of our Church.

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| Ron Aguinaldo | Josh Lee |
| Heriberto Albanez | Rebecca Leyden |
| Griselda Albanez | Tessa Lizardi |
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| Patricia Gonzales | Mary Steckbauer |
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| Alice Lynn Ibarra | Lillian P. Woods |
| Aida Inocencio | |
| Behnam Kazemi | |
| Janet Kozakiewicz | |

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 Mike Sibal at: msibal@olg-church.org

On January 13, Fr. Lauro, Fr. Marc, Jesse Lopez (Seminarist in residence) and several parishioners from OLG participated in the annual Walk for Life in Downtown, San Diego! Here are some photos from the event.

Prayer of St. John Bosco



Most Holy Virgin Mary, Help of Christians, how sweet it is to come to your feet imploring your perpetual help. If earthly mothers cease not to remember their children, how can you, the most loving of all mothers forget me? Grant then to me, I implore you, your perpetual help in all my necessities, in every sorrow, and especially in all my temptations. I ask for your unceasing help for all who are now suffering. Help the weak, cure the sick, convert sinners. Grant through your intercessions many vocations to the religious life. Obtain for us, O Mary, Help of Christians, that having invoked you on earth we may love and eternally thank you in heaven. Amen.

WEEKLY OFFERING REPORT

January 02, 2024 - January 08, 2024 **\$21,741.57**

Plate	\$2,944.55
Envelopes	\$13,898.52
Online Giving	\$4,898.50

Breakdown of Gifts Received

\$0.01 - \$5.00	34
\$5.01 - \$10.00	43
\$10.01 - \$25.00	124
\$25.01 - \$50.00	72
\$50.01 - \$100.00	48
\$100.01 - \$150.00	6
\$150.01 - \$500.00	21
\$500.01 - Over	2

Total Contributing Households **350**

Building Fund	\$224.00
Food Pantry	\$1,098.00
Mary, Mother of God	\$540.00
Retirement for Religious	\$225.00
School General	\$592.50
School Tuition Assistance	\$240.00

January 09, 2024 - January 15, 2024 **\$16,517.64**

Plate	\$2,187.14
Envelopes	\$10,844.00
Online Giving	\$3,486.50

Breakdown of Gifts Received

\$0.01 - \$5.00	42
\$5.01 - \$10.00	34
\$10.01 - \$25.00	117
\$25.01 - \$50.00	68
\$50.01 - \$100.00	41
\$100.01 - \$150.00	8
\$150.01 - \$500.00	9
\$500.01 - Over	1

Total Contributing Households **320**

Building Fund	\$357.00
Faith Formation & Youth	\$542.50
Food Pantry	\$270.00
Prayer Quilt	\$275.00
School Tuition Assistance	\$285.00

“Father of mercy and God of all consolation, graciously look upon me...overshadow me with your living kindness.” **-St. Blaise**

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Training

**MONDAY, JANUARY 29/6:00pm
IN THE CHURCH**

Would you like to serve the OLG Parish Community as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (E.M.)? Come to our E.M. training on January 29 to learn more about how you can assist in bringing the Body and Blood of Christ to our parish community.

Requirements: In order to be an E.M., you will need to be confirmed in the Catholic Church, practicing your Catholic Faith and registered at OLG.

For more info, please contact Rosa at: rhlgeman@olg-church.org



SPECIAL BLESSING OF CANDLES & THROATS

FEBRUARY 2 - BLESSING OF CANDLES

In honor of the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, also known as Candlemas, you are encouraged to bring your candles from home to be blessed at the 8am Mass.

*A table will be set up for you to place your candles to be blessed.

FEBRUARY 3 - BLESSING OF THROATS

In honor of the Feast of St. Blaise, we will be having a special blessing of throats at the 8am Mass. The following blessing is given:

“Through the intercession of Saint Blaise, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from every disease of the throat and from every other illness: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.”



FILIPINO FOOD SUNDAY FEBRUARY 4

The ICF is offering their famous Filipino Food Sunday after the morning Masses on February 4. Join us for a delicious menu of Chicken Adobo, Pancit (Rice Noodles), Vegetarian and Meat Lumpia (Fried Spring Rolls) all made fresh in the OLG Kitchen. Donuts and Coffee are also available. See you there!

For more information, please contact Deb Renick at: (619) 947-9272.




Please pray for the eternal repose of the soul of
DEAN NUGENT
 May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace!

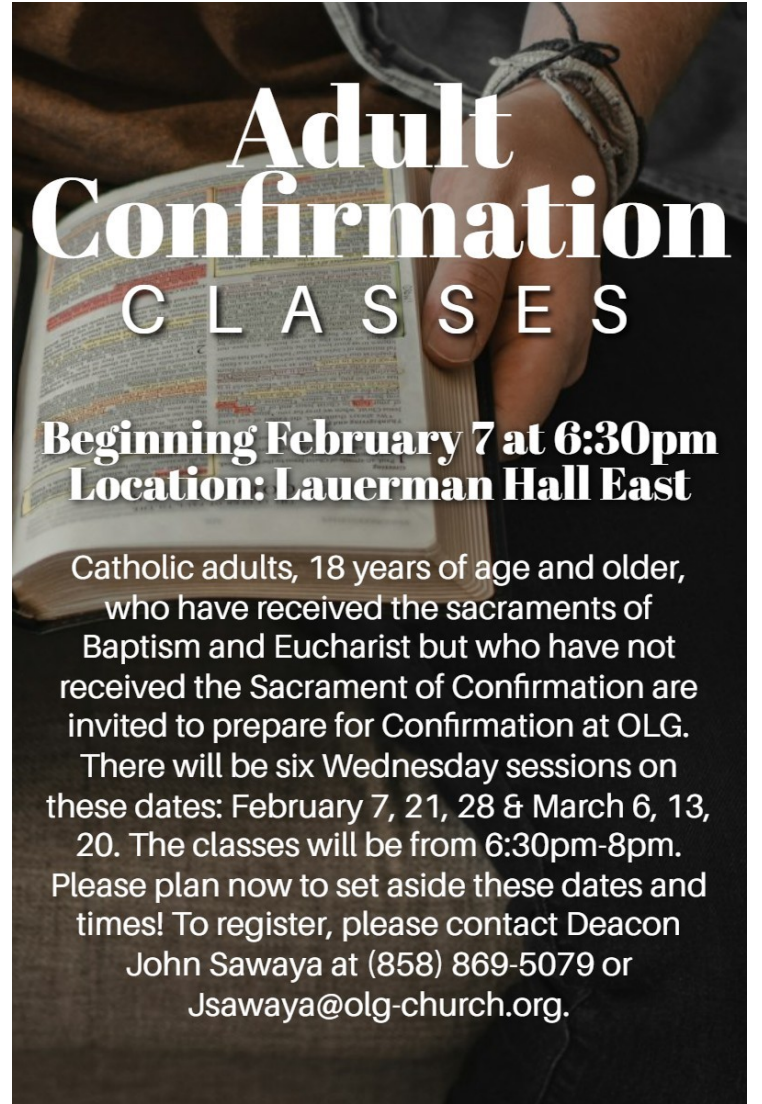


55 Plus Club Lunch FEBRUARY 6

The 55 Plus Club invites you to join us at our Tuesday, February 6, 2024 lunch. The doors open at 10:30 am and announcements and door prizes begin promptly at 11:30 am. Lunch will be a surprise but absolutely delicious as all of the lunches have been. As a member you are eligible for the door prize drawing and 14 lucky winners will receive a gift card, eight guests will win money from the cash opportunity drawing if participating, and of course, fun at Bingo time. Lunch is \$14 per person but it will be \$17 after Thursday, February 1.

*The theme of the lunch is Valentine's Day. Wear something Red!

For any questions, please contact Mary Cloward at (619) 463-1129



Adult Confirmation CLASSES

Beginning February 7 at 6:30pm
Location: Lauerman Hall East

Catholic adults, 18 years of age and older, who have received the sacraments of Baptism and Eucharist but who have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation are invited to prepare for Confirmation at OLG. There will be six Wednesday sessions on these dates: February 7, 21, 28 & March 6, 13, 20. The classes will be from 6:30pm-8pm. Please plan now to set aside these dates and times! To register, please contact Deacon John Sawaya at (858) 869-5079 or Jsawaya@olg-church.org.



MASS FOR THE SICK

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10 9:30 AM

Join us for a special Mass with Anointing of the sick as the Church celebrates the World Day of the Sick and the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes.

*"Great care and concern should be taken to see that those of the faithful whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or old age receive this sacrament."
 (Pastoral Care of the Sick §8)*

*Please park in the upper level Parish Center parking lot.

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For a ministry leader phone number please call the Parish Office at (619) 469-0133.

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 Craft Fair — Kathy Porterfield



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 Doug Perl M-F, 9:30-11:00 am

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