

CAMP EMMAUS CLASS OF 2021

Meet the high school students who are youth leaders in the parishes of the Diocese of San Diego! Camp Emmaus is a five-day leadership institute designed to train youth leaders in Catholic Christian leadership skills by helping them reflect on their call to discipleship. The interactive learning process throughout the week helps them have the experience of hands-on learning and group sharing. The week also includes daily Mass and reconciliation. Our thanks for their ministry to the youth of our parishes!

PRIEST'S INTENTIONS FOR MASSES

Sun, Jul 25 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

5:30 pm † Hank Marcotte

8:00 am For the People of the Parish

11:00 am † Joan Boeman 5:30 pm † Maurine Hilgeman

Mon, Jul 26 Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 am † Tom & † Anna Stergios

Tue, Jul 27 Weekday

8:00 am † Joan Maucere

Wed, Jul 28 Weekday

8:00 am † Dorothy Schobert

Thu, Jul 29 Saint Martha

8:00 am † Joseph Di Lonardo

Fri, Jul 30 Weekday

No Mass

Sat, Jul 31 Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

8:00 am Spec Int Boris Rolando Ruiz

Sun, Aug 1 EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY

5:30 pm † Dominic LaRussa 8:00 am Spec Int Marie Smith

11:00 am For the People of the Parish

5:30 pm † Francesco Gagliano



We love having you as part of our flock! Get updates about Masses and parish life via email or text!

Sign up! Visit olg-church.org and scroll to the blue and white sheep.





Meet up in the Right Field seats! Your Petco Park Catholic Night Theme Game Package includes a limited-edition themed hat and a ticket to the Astros vs. Padres game. Get more info and buy tickets at sd-catholic.com/catholic-night-at-petco.

Welcome to Our Lady of Grace!

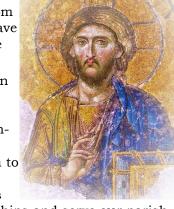
elcome to all members and visitors who are joining us for the celebration of the Eucharist.

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



that help you to build friendships and serve our parish along with the greater community. We also offer lifelong learning through our many faith formation opportunities for children and adults.

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 JUL 25 - AUG 1

Sun: 2 Kings 4:42-44; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

Mon: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Mt 13:31-35

Tue: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Mt 13:36-43

Wed: Ex 34:29-35; Mt 13:44-46

Thu: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Fri: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Mt 13:54-58

Sat: Lv 25:1, 8-17; Mt 14:1-12

Sun: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Readings:

2 Kings 4:42-44 Eph 4:1-6 Jn 6:1-15

GROW: I once saw Tony Melendez, a musician born without arms, play his guitar for the pope with his feet - and I knew I had witnessed something exceptional, something extraordinary. We may be feeling the same way about some of the Olympic performances taking place right now. But however amazed Tony Melendez or an Olympic medal performance might make us feel, it is hard to imagine what it must have been like to experience Jesus taking a few barley loaves and fish, blessing them, and somehow feeding more than 5,000 people. How Great Thou Art, indeed! Participating in this miracle was life-changing for those who realized what Jesus had done. They were convinced, on the spot, that Jesus was a prophet, and were ready

to carry him away as a king. But Jesus did not come to be an earthly



king, he came to give his life for us, that we might have life with him in abundance.

GO: One boy gives up his lunch and Jesus feeds thousands - and there were twelve wicker bas-

kets with fragments left over! Think of how God can multiply our gifts. Perhaps there are times we fail to share what we have, thinking it is too small to make a difference; thinking that what we bring to feed others can't possibly be worth anything. Sure, what usually happens with us isn't on a scale like today's Gospel passage, and our offering may not be "Olympic" in nature. But in sharing our gifts as Jesus calls us to - to love our neighbor and to do "small things with great love" as St. Teresa of Calcutta is purported to have said - there is no such thing as a gift or talent too small. Ask the Holy Spirit for fortitude as you strive to share your gifts.

ACTION: Perhaps it's time to contact someone who has been on your mind lately. A seemingly small gesture of concern may be just the support they need right now. With the help of the Holy Spirit, perhaps you may be a source of affirmation for them, providing a catalyst that helps them discern their path more clearly.

Written by The Faithful Disciple

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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.

Summer Boredom Settling In?

s it too hot to leave the house? Are fun funds low? Are your kids (and you) looking for something new to engage your mind and heart?

It's time to check out Formed.org!

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- Click "Sign-up; select "Sign up as a parishioner"
- Find Our Lady of Grace by Zip Code 92020.
- Enter your email and you are in!

Incense is Returning to the Sunday Mass

As an reminder to those with allergies—the first morning Mass of the Sunday or holy day will always be incense-free. The Sunday 11:00 am Mass will always include the use of incense.



Registration for OLG School of Religion

elping you pass on the fullness of the faith to your children is a labor of love for our certified catechists of religious education. During our Wednesday afternoon program they teach our parish public school children, kinder thru high school, to grow in the understanding of our Catholic faith, sacraments

school children, kinder thru high school, to grow in the understanding of our Catholic faith, sacraments, and the gifts of life-long learning, prayer, service and worship.

We are returning to indoor classes! Learn more and register your child/ren at <u>tinyurl.com/294h9af6</u> or call Lissa at (619) 466-5656.

Registration for Levels 1 & 2 Confirmation

The 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 pre-



pare 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.

55 Plus Club is Back in September

ark Tue, **Sep 14** on your calendar! The doors will open at 11:00 am for our first luncheon in 18 months! It's a patriotic theme so wear your red, white and blue. Reservation and membership forms will be available the weekend of Aug 21-22. Watch the bulletin for more info!

We Have Openings for Liturgical Ministers

We are in need of volunteers to serve the parish as Altar Servers, Ushers and Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist (Eucharistic Ministers). Please contact Rosa at the Parish Office (619) 469-0133 to learn more about qualifications and training.



Once trained, Liturgical Ministers are added to Ministry Scheduler Pro (MSP), our volunteer software. MSP allows the minister (or parent) to indicate a preferred Mass time, notifies of upcoming service commitments and allows the minister to volunteer as a substitute for another minister when needed.

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Please pray for the repose of the souls of

REV. MICHAEL RATAJCZAK PATRICIA ADAMS

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Opportunities for Adults

LG School of Religion is seeking Kindergarten and First Grade catechists for our 2021-22 afternoon program. If you enjoy sharing your love of Christ with children, please



pray and consider joining our team. The commitment to serve is on Wednesdays, Sep 1 through Jun 1 (holidays off), 3:30 to 5:30 pm. For more info visit tinyurl.com/ffdmtswe or call Lissa at (619) 466-5656.

LG School is actively seeking candidates for parttime employment opportunities in Art, Spanish, Physical Education, Instructional Aides and Extended Care. For more info please email Mrs. Mares, principal, at emares@olg.org.

YOUTH MINISTRY ACTIVITIES

Tue, Jul 27 - Movie Night

eet in the OLG Youth Room from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. Movie to be announced.

Keep Up with Our Youth Groups!

isit <u>olg-church.org/parish groups</u> and choose Youth Group, then **Escape** (Jr. High) or **New Life** (High School).

SAN DIEGO YOUNG ADULTS

The Young Adult Ministry (for ages 18-39) has kicked off it's summer activities!

Thu, **Jul 29** - Gather at St. Michael Parish, 2643 Homedale St, SD, 92139 from 7:00 to 9:30 pm for a Summer Theology on Tap event with special guest speaker and Catholic Creative artist Clare McCallan. Admission is \$15.00 and includes beverages and tacos.

Sat, **Aug 7** - Join friends for an 11:00 am Mission Trail hike followed by lunch. Meet up location to be determined.

Sun, **Aug 15** - We'll celebrate the Feast of the Assumption at the OLG 5:30 pm Mass.

For a complete list of spiritual development and social opportunities for Catholic young adults at OLG and the Diocese of San Diego follow Instagram @sd.ecya or visit sdcatholic.org/office-for/young-adult-ministry.

Welcome to the Christian Family

Baptized at OLG on Sun, Jul 25



Iker Alessandro Banuelos Bahena Xander Lee Hartman Grayson Glenn Lonero

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





PRAYER REQUESTS

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

Griselda Albanez Heriberto Albanez Gabriela Alvarenga Marvin Alvarenga Angie Arrayan Patrick Attardo Gary Barker Leslie Betzer Angie Biner Mark Bonebright Anita Branch Stephanie Butcher Janice Butterfield Pam Carlson Tim Clasemen Mark Anthony Colonna Rosemary Cosgrove Barbara Cyr Stephanie Gonzales Korty Mark Habina Kevin Healy Philip Hessling Dawn Hoope Susan Hori

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

Gently-used Medical Equipment Available (and Needed)

Parishioners in need of free, gently-used medical equipment and/or who would like to donate items please the *Contact Us* link at olg-church.org and use the drop down box to choose "K of C - Medical Equipment Donation Program." Wheel chairs are especially needed at this time.

This is an initiative of the Knights of Columbus Frances Cabrini Council 8879.

SAN DIEGO ADULT COMMUNITY

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!

Why are Catholics required to fast before Communion?

ow we prepare for an important event helps us with the intentionality of our actions and raises our aware-

ness. We prepare our house for guests. We wash our car before an important trip. We create a nursery for a newborn child. All of these actions heighten our senses for what is about to come.

The fast required by canon law before holy Communion has its roots in Jewish spiritual practices. We fast for cleansing and to demonstrate our reliance of God. Catholics used to fast for much longer periods of time, but it was Pope Paul VI in 1964 who set the time at

> one hour to encourage people to receive the holy Eucharist more frequently. That one-hour observance allows us to pause and reflect on what we will participate in in the very near future. We deny our bodies so

that we can focus more clearly on the Body of Christ that we consume.





Celebrate Mom-and-Pop Operations

are, parents make them stretch until payday. However uncertain the way ahead, they shoulder the decision-making for their brood. However dark the night and scary the storm, parents hug their little ones through it.

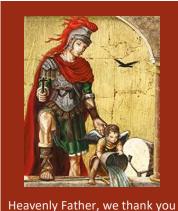
Today our nation celebrates

Parents' Day, honoring the grownups who make children's lives safer, happier, and healthier. While they may not multiply loaves and fishes quite like Jesus, parents do perform minor miracles of sufficiency every day across this country. They take imperfect human love and weave a blanket of protection and possibility for their tribe. Support your local parents!

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Interested in Cub Scouting? Join Today! Cub Scouting is a year-round family-oriented program for boys and girls in kindergarten through 5th grade. Pack 951 is hosting a Welcome Back and New Member Info Meeting on Mon, **Jul 26** at 6:00 pm in the Parish Center. For more details contact Crystal Carr at miscrys00@hotmail.com.





for the life of your servant and Martyr, St. Florian. He courageously gave his life rather than betray the name of your Son, Jesus. Grant that we too may imitate his unwavering faith and come to share in the glory of heaven. May St. Florian, patron of firefighters, protect all who help extinguish the destructive flames that threaten lives and property by his holy intercession may every home be kept safe from fire and every should be spared the flames of hell. Amen.

~ Pedro de la Cruz

WEEKLY OFFERING REPORT

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July 13 - 19, 2021	,	\$14,444.06
Plate	\$	1,959.06
Envelopes	\$	8,559.50
Online Giving	\$	3,925.50
Breakdown of Gifts Received		
\$0.01 - \$5.00		22
\$5.01 - \$10.00		35
\$10.01 - \$25.00		92
\$25.01 - \$50.00		63
\$50.01 - \$100.00		29
\$100.01 - \$150.00		14
\$150.01 - \$500.00		10
\$500.00 - Over		1
Total Contributing Households		266
Building Fund	\$	723.00
Food Pantry	\$	1,624.00
Missionary Coop Plan	\$	465.00
Peter's Pence	\$	885.00
Retirement for Religious	\$	255.00

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If any of your personal information has changed please call the Parish Office to let us know. We strive to keep our family records up-to-date.



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To email members of the parish staff or the ministry leaders listed below please visit our website at:

olg-church.org - click on the "Contact Us" link in the upper right corner of the browser window.

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

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