

PRIEST'S INTENTIONS FOR MASSES

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Sun, Mar 2	EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDIANRY TIME
5:30 pm	† Richard Harriss
(Vigil)	
8:00 am	† George Roehrich
11:00 am	1 8
5:30 pm	For the People of the Parish
Mon, Mar 3	Weekday; Saint Katharine Drexel,
	Virgin
8:00 am	† Rylan O'Neal; † Mark Habina
Tue, Mar 4	•
8:00 am	† Ester Balelo De Sousa
Wed, Mar 5	ASH WEDNESDAY
8:00 am	† Arlene Devall
10:00 am	1 5
5:00 pm	
	Eileen Ingco; Sp Int Ingco Family and
	Friends
7:00 pm	
Thu, Mar 6	Thursday after Ash Wednesday
8:00 am	1
5:30 pm	•
Fri, Mar 7	Friday after Ash Wednesday;
	Saints Perpetua and Felicity,
	Martyrs
8:00 am	The state of the s
5:30 pm	•
Sat, Mar 8	The state of the s
	Saint John of God, Religious
8:00 am	† Renee Gokenbach



FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP IN THE PARISH CENTER

All are welcome Sunday mornings after Mass

Mar 2 No Food and Fellowship

Mar 9 **School Sunday**

Sponsored by the OLG School Families Complimentary coffee and refreshments. Contributions not necessary but gratefully accepted. Proceeds benefit OLG's Tuition Assistance Fund, the Gerard Family Endowment for Education.

Mar 16 St. Joseph's Table

Sponsored by the International Catholic **Families**

Come witness the beautiful table filled with bread, fruit, flowers and statue of St Joseph. Learn the history of this commemorative event while you enjoy complimentary food and an opportunity drawing for homemade bread.

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

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 MAR 2 - MAR 9

Sun: Sir 27:4-7; 1 Cor 15:54-58; Lk 6:39-45

Mon: Sir 17:20-24; Mk 10:17-27

Tue: Sir 35:1-12; Mk 10:28-31

Wed: J1 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20—6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thu: Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25

Fri: Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15

Sat: Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32

Sun: Dt 26:4-10; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

GROW: It can be uncomfortable to admit. but our speech habits can truly reveal our interior life. Too often, I've fallen prey to the temptation of gossip or other alluring but unbecoming forms of conversation. Perhaps we all have to some degree, which is why today's words from Sirach capture our attention: "When a sieve is shaken, the husks appear; so do one's faults when one speaks." This theme of speech being connected to our hearts is woven throughout Scripture, and it both challenges and encourages us. Before God came to us in the flesh, he came to us as the Word. Our words carry eternal weight; they have the power to bless or to curse. For this reason, the Scriptures today challenge us to seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit, our Advocate, in order to grow in virtue so

that our speech may reflect his glory and our words echo his truth.

GO: In today's parable from Luke's Gospel, Jesus asks, "Why do you notice the splinter in your brother's eye, but



wooden beam in your own?" Ouch. Am I the only one who shifts uncomfortably when reading this? How often and how easily do we fixate on the way others have caused us frustration, discomfort, or hurt? While those things may (or may not) be true, it feels so easy to dismiss personal

responsibility. In this passage, Jesus lovingly teaches us that when we live this way, we remain stuck in our patterns of sin. But he also gives us another option: "Remove the wooden beam from your eve first; then you will see clearly." It is through this honest examination of conscience and cleansing of our own sin that we come to know God more fully, and as our vision is cleared, become more aware of how his beauty and mercy surround us.

REFLECT: Today, let us pray for a deeper personal conversion through an honest examination of conscience, so that as we empty ourselves from our sinful ways, we may become more tethered to God's holy will, speaking his truth and living in his light. Commit to praying an Act of Contrition each day this week and ask the Holy Spirit to help you grow in virtue.

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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.

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.





Adoration on Friday, March 7th. To sign-up, please email Lesley Bradley at lesleybradley.lb@gmail.com or call the parish office.











IMPORTANT

ontribution Statements for 2024 have been mailed. If you did not receive a statement and would like one mailed or emailed to you, please call the OLG Parish Office at (619) 469-0133 or send an email to OLGParishOffice@olg-church.org.

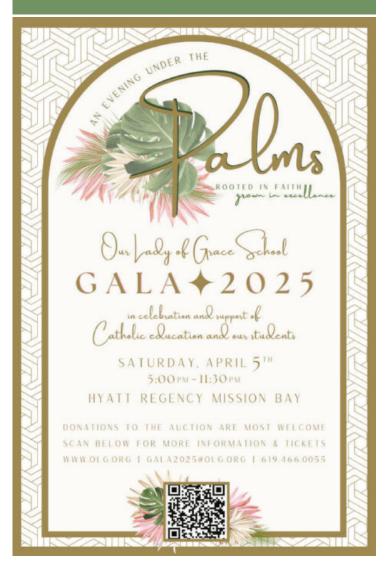
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t the Diocese of San Diego, St. Joseph Cathedral has been designated as the pilgrimage church for local faithful during the Jubilee Year. Catholics are encouraged to make a symbolic pilgrimage from Waterfront Park through Beech Street or another appropriate point.

Visit https://sdcatholic.org/jubilee-year-2025/







Parish Finance Council Announcement

ur current weekly reporting of financial contributions to the parish is being suspended due to Business Office staffing limitations. The Parish Finance Council will continue to review and monitor the financial performance of the parish. Thank you for your understanding.



Food Pantr

Syrup: 24 oz Peanut Butter: 10-16.3 oz Rice Bags: 9 oz-1 lb Boxed Mac and Cheese: 7.25 oz Spaghetti Noodles: 20 oz Boxed Cereal: 12-16.5 oz Canned Vegetables: 14.5 oz Canned Fruit: 15 oz Canned Tuna: 5 oz Canned Pasta Sauce: 24 oz Canned Baked Beans: 15 oz Canned Sphagetti O's: 15.6 oz Canned Soup: 13.8 Cup Noodles: 2.5 Top Ramen: 83 grams Sliced Bologna: 10 oz Hot Dogs: 10 oz Margarine: 4 Sticks

> For more info, please call the Food Pantry at: (619) 469-0061



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

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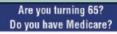
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