

PRIEST'S INTENTIONS FOR MASSES

Sun, May 26 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	† Victoria R. Azua	
(Vigil)		
8:00 am	† Burnell Skelton	
11:00 am	† Ralph Jacob Howlett, MD	
5:30 pm	For the People of the Parish	
Mon, May 27	Saint Augustine of Canterbury,	
•	Bishop	
9:00 am	† Paul Pitt	
Tue, May 28	WEEKDAY	
8:00 am	† Antonino Russo	
Wed, May 29	Saint Paul VI, Pope	
8:00 am	† Rita Wood	
Thu, May 30	WEEKDAY	
8:00 am	† Juanita Mancera Jaboli	
Fri, May 31	THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED	
	VIRGIN MARY	
8:00 am	† Charles McGhee	
Sat, Jun 1	Saint Justin, Martyr	
8:00 am	There will be no morning Mass	
	today due to the Permanent	
	Diaconate Ordination	

66 E very man gives his life for what he believes. Every woman gives her life for what she believes. Sometimes people believe in little or nothing, nevertheless they give up their lives to that little or nothing. One life is all we have, and we live it as we believe in living it, and then it's gone. But to surrender what you are, and live without belief, that's more terrible than dying young." -**St. Joan of Arc**



FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP IN THE PARISH CENTER

All are welcome Sunday mornings after Mass.

May 26 Bread Sunday

Sponsored by the CWC The types of bread available are: Cranberry Walnut, Guinness Bread, Irish Soda, Yeast Bread, Sprouted Quinoa Bread. Donuts, muffins, coffee, juice, and our ever so popular lox and bagels will also be available. Order forms are available in the Church.

Jun 2	ICF Food & Fellowship Sunday	
	Sponsored by the ICF	
	Enjoy a delicious breakfast and great company!	
	More info can be found on pg. 6.	

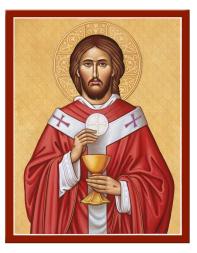
Jun 9 Summer Breakfast Sponsored by the Events Committee Enjoy buttery and super gooey cinnamon rolls for breakfast today! Donuts, coffee and juice will also be available. Donations will support special events for our Parish.

Welcome to OUR LADY of GRACE!

elcome to all members and visitors who are joining us for the celebration of 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 <u>olg-church.org</u>.

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 May 26 – June 2

Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20
1 Pt 1:3-9; Mk 10:17-27
1 Pt 1:10-16; Mk 10:28-31
1 Pt 1:18-25; Mk 10:32-45
1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12; Mk 10:46-52
Zep 3:14-18a; Lk 1:39-56
Jude 17, 20b-25; Mk 11:27-33
Ex 24:3-8; Heb 9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

GROW: Today is an opportunity to reflect on and celebrate the mystery of the Holy Trinity: One God, two natures (Jesus is fully human and fully divine), and three divine persons. Whenever I think about this feast. I am reminded of some wise words I heard once from a professor, although I am paraphrasing: It's not necessary to try to describe in theological terms what God is, for no matter what we say it will be inadequate to the reality of the ultimate grandeur of God. What is important, and what affects people day to day, is talking about who God is, and how God is. And so this Trinity Sunday is a day to reiterate that which is most fundamental to our understanding and belief: God is love. Not just God is loving, or God loves, but God is love itself. He is a

continual outpouring of selfless love – agape is the Greek word – which brought forth creation, and all creatures to share in it. It is a communion of love by which and for which we were created; we are meant

meant to

emulate and live that same relational communion of love with one another.

GO: As human beings, we simply do not have the ability to live our baptismal call perfectly – to love one another as God loves us. What we do have is our

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as in Christ, but who, in the

end, is the one who perfects

us in him. "[We] must keep

commandments," Moses has

said. And Paul gives us hope

"The Spirit himself bears

witness with our spirit that

we are children of God." The

Lord is here with us, helping

discipleship, we have the

promise from Jesus,

"Behold, I am with

you always, until the

end of the age." We

praise to the Father,

give thanks and

Son, and Holy Spirit

for all these gifts and so

PRAY: All Christian prayer is

Trinitarian in nature: we

pray to the Father, through

the Son, in/by the power of

the Spirit. Some prayers are

include the Trinity/Godhead

very specifically written to

by name. The most

recognizable one is this

Spirit. As it was in the

doxology, or the Glory Be:

Glory Be to the Father, and

to the Son, and to the Holy

beginning, is now, and ever

shall be, world without end.

Add it to your daily prayers.

us and advocating for us.

And in our mission of

much more.

in doing so as he tells us that

his statutes and

Our LADY OF GRACE CHURCH Founded 1954 CLERGY

> **PASTOR** *Rev. Lauro Minimo*

Associate Pastor *Rev. Marc Gandolfo*

PRIEST IN RESIDENCE *Rev. Celsius Offor, CH, LT, USN*

DEACON Dcn. John Sawaya

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.

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Save the date! More info on purchasing tickets for Catholic Night at PETCO Park on **July 12** to follow. **Tickets are \$40.00, all in Section 319.**

Confirmed in the Holy Spirit!

n **May 9**, Bishop Felipe Pulido confirmed 26 confirmandi from OLG! We praise and thank God for filling them with the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

We also thank Henrieta Vyzinkar, our Coordinator of Catechetical Ministry, as well as all the Catechists who helped prepare, guide and teach our students. Please continue to pray for all those who have just received their Sacraments during this Easter Season. Here are some photos from that blessed day.





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.

Eddie Boy Albañez Heriberto Albañez Griselda Albañez Ron Aguinaldo Angie Arrayan Kali'a Arrayan Joni Allison Carly Barshear Cheryl Becker Lori Berry Iveta Belohorska Angie Biner John Bitler Walter Butcher Lesley Bradley Matt Bradley Alan Brown Cheryl Casey Mary Beth Caston Mark Castro Luzanne Covne Connie Clark David Convay Patricia Crean Gerry Cruz Mary Dahlheimer Chaz Decoteau Mary Downs Ceci Duggins Eric Edwards Mike Egan Lolita Elegado Katie Ellis Suzana Felix Christina Frantz Dawn Garofalo Stephen Gardella Anthony Gazzola Jenny Geb Patricia Gonzales Dottie Hall John Harshberger Susan Hori Ed Howell Angelina Jones

Susan Johnston **Richard Jiminez** Alice Lynn Ibarra Janet Kozakiewicz Joseph Lavorato Jason Laccone Rebecca Leyden Tessa Lizardi Charlotte Locy Jose A Lopez James Lothian Donald Marsh Chris MacLaird Theresa Martin Torri Martin Christina Martins Dawn MacNabb Mark Malovic Julio Cesar Mayorga Gladys Oleson Victoria Oxe Tom Pastore Phil Panuco **James Principato** Alice Redhead Irma Reves Charisse Rola Jack Roghair Danny Rubio Karen Scott Anna Smith Mark Smith Liz Swier Clifford Tabadisto Sally Ann Thomas Leslie Tonkinson Greg Trott Randall Turner Marlene Tuyay-Scott Christian Valdez Laurie Vanderslice Nina Vyzinkar Marilyn Winger Kesa Waddel

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.**

LG Loves Mary!

In this special month dedicated to Our Blessed Mother, the patroness of our church community, students from both Faith Formation and our OLG School participated in May crownings to express their love and devotion to Mary, the Mother of God and our Spiritual Mother. We encourage you to also honor Our Blessed Mother by offering her flowers in your own homes, especially in this month of May. Here are some photos capturing these beautiful events!



May Crowning Prayer

e gather today to crown this image of the Mother of Jesus. As we acclaim Mary, the Mother of God, as our Queen, and as the Mother of the Church, let us imitate her example and be attentive to the Word of God. As we honor Mary, who is higher than the cherubim and yet like us, let us pray that through her intercession we may achieve holiness of life, and a deepened faith, hope, and love, as we seek to do the will of God in all things.

Let us pray: Father, you have given us the Mother of your Son to be our Queen and Mother. With the support of her prayers may we come to share the glory of your children in the kingdom of heaven. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. Amen.

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WEEKLY OFFERING REPORT			
April 30, 2024 - May 06, 2024	\$19,524.98		
Plate	\$2,659.35		
Envelopes	\$12,679.13		
Easter Online Giving	\$4,186.50		
Breakdown of Gifts Received			
\$0.01 - \$5.00	42		
\$5.01 - \$10.00	40		
\$10.01 - \$25.00	125		
\$25.01 - \$50.00	64		
\$50.01 - \$100.00	35		
\$100.01 - \$150.00	7		
\$150.01 - \$500.00	19		
\$500.01- Over	2		
Total Contributing Households	334		

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Building Fund	\$5,292.00
Easter	\$455.00
Faith Formation & Youth	\$400.00
Food Pantry	\$290.00
Mother's Day	\$2,729.00
School, Tuition Assistance	\$200.00



The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, May 27 in observance of Memorial Day. We will re-open on Tuesday, May 28 at 8:30am. The Memorial Day Mass at OLG will be at 9am.

There will be a special Memorial Day Mass celebrated by Cardinal Robert McElroy followed by a procession to the Veterans Memorial. The Mass will take place at Holy Cross Cemetery on Monday, May 27 at 11:00am. All are invited!



OLG FAITH FORMATION REGISTRAT FOR THE 2024-25 CATECHETICAL YEAR







To enroll and pay for your children, please use the QR code above or visit:

https://olg-church.org/our-lady-grace-religious-education

If you have any questions, please e-mail: FaithFormation@olg-church.org



SUNDAY, JUNE 2

The International Catholic Families (ICF) is proud to announce the return of one of your favorite breakfasts! Homemade Turkey or Ham and Cheese Sliders with Hash Browns and fresh cut melon. As always, donuts, coffee, juice and milk will be available. Stop by today and together we can celebrate the end of spring and the beginning of summer!

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