

#### PRIEST'S INTENTIONS FOR MASSES

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Sun, Oct 13			
	ORDINARY TIME		
5:30 pm	† Michael & † Concetta Corso,		
(Vigil)	† Giuseppe Corso		
8:00 am	† Magdalene Shaw		
11:00 am	† Deceased Members of Cloward &		
	Bush Families		
5:30 pm	For the People of the Parish		
Mon, Oct 14	Saint Callistus I, Pope and Matyr		
8:00 am	Sp Int Mariano Demarchi		
Tue, Oct 15	Saint Teresa of Jesus,		
	Virgin & Doctor of the Church		
8:00 am	† Mark & † Mary Steckbauer		
Wed, Oct 16	Saint Hedwig, Religous; Saint		
	Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin		
8:00 am	Mass for Collective Intentions		
Thu, Oct 17	Saint Ignatius of Antioch,		
	Bishop and Martyr		
8:00 am	Sp Int Celia Guerrero		
Fri, Oct 18	SAINT LUKE, EVANGELIST		
8:00 am	† Brenda Hilgeman		
Sat, Oct 19	Saints John De Brebeuf and Isaac		
	Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs		
	maicyis		



† Frank & † Regina Fritz

#### FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP IN THE PARISH CENTER

All are welcome Sunday mornings after Mass

#### Oct 13 School Sunday

8:00 am

Sponsored by 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.

#### Oct 20 Knights Sunday

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Frances Cabrini Council 8879

Enjoy a delicious pancake breakfast along with coffee, donuts, and other delicious foods. The proceeds will support local charities.

#### Oct 27 CWC Bread Sunday

Sponsored by the Catholic Women's Club
The types of bread available are: Cranberry Walnut,
Guinness Bread, Irish Soda, Yeast bread, Sprouted
Quinoa Bread, Italian Herb, and Jalapeno Cheddar.
Donuts, muffins, coffee, juice, lox and bagels, and
freshly made blueberry muffins will also be available.
Order forms are available on the information tables
in the front of the Church.

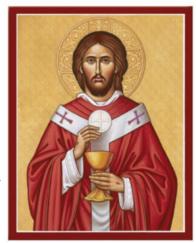
#### Welcome to Our Lady of Grace!

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 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 OCT 13 - OCT 20

**Sun:** Wis 7:7-11; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30

**Mon:** Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1; Lk 11:29-32

**Tue:** Gal 5:1-6; Lk 11:37-41

Wed: Gal 5:18-25; Lk 11:42-46

**Thu:** Eph 1:1-10; Lk 11:47-54

**Fri:** 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Lk 10:1-9

**Sat:** Eph 1:15-23; Lk 12:8-12

**Sun:** Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45

#### Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**GROW:** All this talk about wisdom in today's readings ... why should we care? Born of a familiarity with the heart of God. wisdom is a virtue that grants us discernment to know right from wrong and to follow God's plan. It is so important to the life of the disciple that it is a gift given to us by the Holy Spirit. In our first reading from – notice – the Book of Wisdom, the author, likely expressing the sentiments of King Solomon, praises and esteems wisdom above everything else. Prized over money, health, or beauty, wisdom brings together "all good things." If wisdom is so valuable, we must follow Solomon's lead and seek it. Where do we find wisdom? In the second reading from Hebrews, we learn that we can seek wisdom in the word of God. God's word penetrates "between soul

and spirit" and is "able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart." Therefore, immersing ourselves in God's word allows us to discern between right and wrong and choose the path most pleasing to God.

**GO:** We become familiar with God's word by reading Scripture and by turning to him in prayer. Prayer, Scripture, and the sacraments are living encounters with Jesus through which we get to know the wisdom of his heart. Still, we are faced with manv distractions along the way. What distracts us? Like the rich man in our Gospel, are we distracted by wealth? Or does our desire for health or beauty keep us from the wisdom of God? Although countless temptations in our world can draw us away from pursuing God's wisdom, if we remain close to God, we invite him to help us in our weakness. As Jesus assures his disciples in the Gospel, we can be confident in God's help: "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." If we seek him and place our trust in him, our lives will begin to reflect his wisdom and communicate it to the world.

**ACT:** Like Solomon, we, too, can pray for wisdom. Read Scripture

prayerfully, asking
God to help you
understand his
Word and grant
you the gift of
wisdom. When
you come across
Scripture verses
that are
especially
meaningful to
you, write
them out and
put them in

put them in prominent places in your home. This will help you keep God's word ever before you.

Written by: Faith Catholic

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**PASTOR**Rev. Lauro Minimo

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Rev. Marc Gandolfo

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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

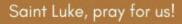
Monday 6:00 pm Wednesday 8:45 am Saturday 4:00 pm or by appointment.

#### ANOINTING of THE SICK

Call the parish office (619) 469-0133.

## Prayer of St. Luke The Evangelist

May St. Luke intercede for us that we may deepen our understanding of the gospel and grow in compassion of Jesus. May his intercession enable us to follow Your way and plan for us. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.





Join Tim's family and friends for a memorial fundraiser in honor of the 10th anniversary of his passing.



## Tim Hilgeman

March 22, 1963 - October 22, 2014

#### Saturday October 19, 2024

Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church 2766 Navajo Rd, El Cajon, CA 92020 5:30pm Mass

Reception in the Church Hall to follow with food, music & shared memories



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YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY (AGES 18-39)



Saturday October 26th!

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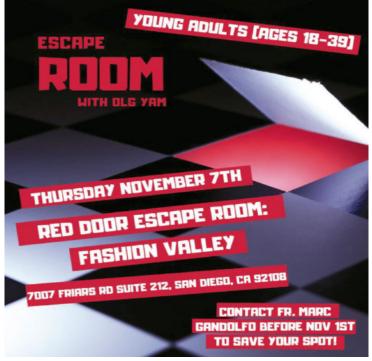
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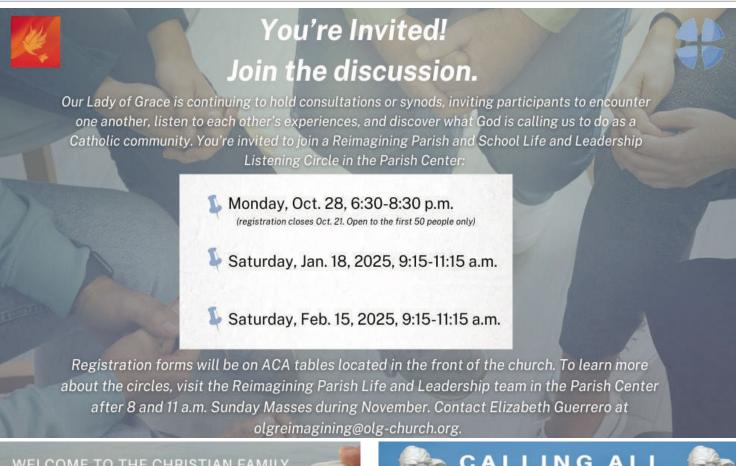
Join Our Lady of Grace Young Adult Ministry for this monthly meet up!

This is a drop in style event so come by if /when you can and stay as long as you'd like. No need to RSVP!



h Lord, I entrust today's challenges, fears, and uncertainties to You. I don't know how I will do them. I don't know that I can. But I know that You fill the gaps in my ability at every turn. And so, today, I turn to You again. Amen.













The holidays are almost here, and with them comes the OLG Holiday Angel Program, a cherished tradition started over 35 years ago by Tony and Helena Vidgeon. Although the Vidgeons are no longer with us, the program continues to support families and seniors in crisis. Since the pandemic you have very generously made monetary donations to provide meals and pantry items at Thanksgiving and Christmas, as well as gifts for the children at Christmas. Last year, we took a step toward our pre-pandemic tradition by allowing parishioners to adopt children and fill stockings with small gifts, in addition to the gift cards provided through your monetary donations.

The Holiday Angel program is now accepting monetary donations for Thanksgiving and Christmas. Any donation is helpful: we will help as many families as possible with the donations we receive. Please use the online portal or place an envelope in the donation basket (be sure to designate your gift as Holiday Angel Program).

Most importantly, keep the Angel Program in your prayers. With faith and community support, we can make this holiday season special for many families, children and seniors in crisis. If you have any questions about donations, please contact Angel Coordinator Lesley Bradley at: (619) 878-0278.

#### **Knights of Columbus ID Drive**

The Knights will be kicking off the 2024 Intellectual Disabilities Campaign Drive with a Special Olympics Pancake Breakfast fundraiser inside the Parish Center on October 20 after all morning Masses. This year's drive will send all monetary donations to the Southern California Special Olympics. For those unable to attend the breakfast fundraiser, the Knights will be outside all Masses on October 26th and 27th and November 2nd and 3rd collecting monetary donations for Special Olympics. The Knights will be wearing their customary yellow and red vests. The traditional Knights of Columbus tootsie roll will be offered to all as a token of appreciation.

Donors can write checks to the Columbian Foundation. Hand the check to a Knight or drop it into the collection basket or mail it to Knights of Columbus Council 8879, PO Box 19004, San Diego, CA 92159-0004. Please support this worthwhile cause.

Ayala has joined Our Lady of Grace Parish as our new Media Coordinator! Jocelyn is eager to begin this journey to continue enhancing our communication and engagement within the parish. Happily married to Mario Ayala, Jocelyn has been a member of our community since January of 2024, attending Mass and actively participating in the OCIA program. We look forward to her innovative ideas and creative contributions as she helps us connect more deeply with our community. As we welcome Jocelyn, we also want to take a moment to express our gratitude to Mike Sibal, our former

Media Coordinator.
Mike's dedication
and creativity have
greatly enriched our
community, and he
will be deeply
missed. Please join
us in wishing Mike
Sibal all the best
and welcoming
Jocelyn to our
parish family!





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.

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

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