



FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JANUARY 29, 2017

Our Lady Of Good Counsel Church

2500 Bermuda Ave., San Leandro, CA

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Administrator: FR. JAN RUDZEWICZ Deacon Thomas Martin

Parish Office hour : 9:30 AM—2:30 PM Monday to Friday

Secretary: LINO POBLETE

MASSES:

Saturday Vigil : 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:30am, 11:00am & 12:30 pm (in Polish)

Second Sunday: 3:00 pm - El Shaddai

Third Sunday: 2:00 pm - Virgin of Penafrancia

Holy Days: 9:00 am & 7:30 pm

Weekdays: (Monday - Friday) 9:00 am

First Saturday—8:00 am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 4:00 –4:45 pm

First Friday— 8 pm

BAPTISMS AND WEDDING

By appointment : (510) 614-2765

ADORATION IN THE CHAPEL

Monday—Saturday—9:30am—7 pm

First Friday— 8pm-9pm—at the Church

9pm-12mn—at the Chapel

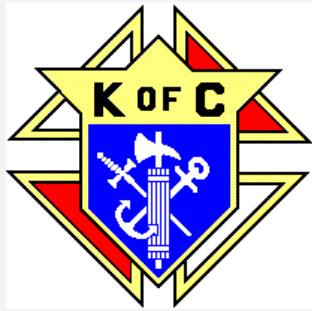
PARISH HALL INFORMATION

Call: (510) 501-4894 -Tuesday & Thursday

FAMILY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/ CCD

Sunday morning – All grades after 8:30 Mass





WHY TO JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS?

If you are interested in
- helping those in need
- serving our parish
- growing in your faith or
- having exclusive access to
top-rated insurance protec-

tion for your family—then the Knights of Columbus is the organization for you.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

Columbia Magazine - Free subscription to the Order's award-winning magazine examining issues of concern to Knights, Catholics and families

Knights of Columbus rosary - Blessed by the supreme chaplain, presented during the Admission Degree to each new member

Daily Mass of Remembrance at St. Mary's Church, New Haven, Conn. - Mass for deceased members and their wives at the birthplace of the Order

Insurance - Access to a portfolio of top-quality life insurance, long-term care and annuity products exclusive for members and their families

Family Fraternal Benefit - For eligible families: a) pays \$1,500 for the child who dies before the age of 61 days; b) pays \$750 for the child who is stillborn at least 20 weeks after conception; c) offers guaranteed-issue insurance - up to \$5,000 - to any child under age 18

Orphan Benefit - \$80 monthly allotment for orphans of eligible families; up to \$7,000 in college scholarships available Member/Spouse Fraternal Benefit - Accidental death coverage for member and spouse at no cost

Widow Benefits - a) continues to be covered under the Member/Spouse Fraternal Benefit; b) may purchase life insurance, long-term care insurance or annuities up to one year after insured member's death; c) receives a free lifetime subscription to Columbia; d) eligible with her children for scholarships, student loans, etc.

Scholarships - Scholarship programs for higher education available to members, their spouses and children

Leadership Development - Opportunity to build personal leadership skills, public speaking ability, organizational skills, etc.

Fourth Degree - Eligibility to join the Patriotic Degree.

THIS WEEKS MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	Jan 28	Rose Orpiano & Pacita Malapira ++ Felix Camarillo + Herminio Dizon+ Elena Ayson + Mercy Rule +
Sun	Jan 29	8:30 AM Raymond Rosario (Intentions) 11:00 AM Jeusa Exevea + Christine Belenson (BD) Curtis Krankalla + Ricardo Torres +
Mon	Jan 30	Christine Belenson (BD) All Souls in Purgatory
Tue	Jan 31	Narcisa & Urbano Estrellas + Cornelio Moral (40th death anniv) Tita Roble (Thanksgiving)
Wed	Feb 1	Andy Dangca + (40th)
Thu	Feb 2	Jimmy Cruz (BD)
Fri	Feb 3	
Sat	Feb 4	Lourdes Dijamco +
Sun	Feb 5	8:30 AM 11:00 AM Leonaro Endaya + Loretta Endaya + Salud Adsuara (BD)

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week
Tuesday:	St. John Bosco
Thursday:	The Presentation of the Lord; Groundhog Day
Friday:	St. Blase; St. Ansgar; First Friday; Blessing of throats
Saturday:	Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

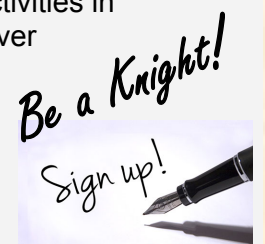
Monday:	Heb 11:32-40; Ps 31:20-24; Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	Heb 12:1-4; Ps 22:26b-28, 30-32; Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a; Mk 6:1-6
Thursday:	Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]
Friday:	Heb 13:1-8; Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9; Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Ps 23:1-6; Mk 6:30-34
Sunday:	Is 58:7-10; Ps 112:4-9; 1 Cor 2:1-5; Mt 5:13-16

(Why to join the Knights continued)

Honorary Life Membership - At age 70 with 25 years of membership

Membership Card - Entitles participation in all Catholic, fraternal and social activities in member's council and also in over 15,000 councils throughout the world.

Activities - participation in a variety of programs and activities conducted by your council.



LAST WEEK'S CONTRIBUTIONS

Sunday collection (for general operating expenses)
Collected **\$2,043.00**

Restricted donations for: (Grounds Maintenance)
\$859.00

Black Nazarene (Additional donations)	35.00
Votive candles	147.00
Adoration Chapel	196.00
St. Anne (donation box)	18.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUOUS SUPPORT!
Next week's 2nd collections: DIOCESAN ASSESMENT

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Until very recent decades "Holy Thursday" and "Good Friday" were centered on personal pious devotions, not public liturgy. In urban America, at least in cities with a significant Catholic population, Holy Thursday was about veneration of the Blessed Sacrament. People were encouraged to walk to seven churches for a "visit" to each parish's repository, a kind of temporary tabernacle on a side altar, closer in proximity to the faithful than the usual tabernacle on the distant high altar. On Good Friday, the most popular form of devotion was the Stations of the Cross, or a three-hour program of word and preaching beginning at noon.

The Holy Thursday seven-church hike was a way of participating in a custom of the city of Rome. Traditionally, each day in Lent was assigned to a particular parish church or basilica in the city. Each week of Lent thus had seven churches, and pious people tried to get to each one of them. The pilgrimage was a symbol of unity and also the journey of faith. Originally, the pope would go to each place for a liturgy, but political strife removed the pope from Rome in 1305. With the papacy relocated in France, the custom ceased until Pope Leo XIII expressed interest in restoring it in 1900, and Blessed John XXIII fully restored the custom in 1959. By the time Pope Leo began to revive the custom, many American cities had enough parishes and monasteries that the faithful could vicariously participate in the revived tradition of stationary liturgies by a very long walk!

Join our OLGC Weekday Devotions after 9AM Masses



St. Anthony - Tuesdays
Mother of Perpetual Help Wednesdays
St. Jude - Thursdays
La Pieta—Every Friday
Divine Mercy Chaplet In Song every second Saturday of the month at 3:00 PM at the Church.

Q. I am Catholic; should I marry my Baptist boy friend?

I'm a practicing Catholic and my boyfriend is Baptist. He was originally Catholic; however, his parents did not regularly practice the faith. As such, he did not learn much about the Catholic faith. When he moved, he made friends with Baptists, got to know Jesus in their community and was baptized into the Baptist church.

He does not want to learn about the Catholic faith to see if it is for him or not. I have learned about the Baptist faith and cannot see myself converting.

I love him, but I know there will be so many issues if we get married (child-rearing, which church to attend, etc). Is it enough to trust Jesus that our love and care for each other will overcome these religious issues? Should I stay with him, pray for him, and wait to see if he converts? Or should I let him go just because he is not Catholic? If he doesn't even try to learn about the Catholic faith, does that mean he does not really love me? Or is there another reason? Like fear?

These questions seem foolish and childish, but they keep running through my mind and I seriously don't have answers. I just want to try to understand.

A. His negative attitude is a big red flag. Your concerns are valid. I suggest you look elsewhere for the father of your children. You are in our prayers.

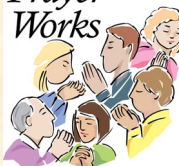


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Your contribution statement for 2016 will be prepared upon request. Please call the Parish Office first to prepare them.



Prayer Works



Requesting Your Prayers

Gary Anderson, Erlinda Arieta, Leonor Yracheta, Priscilla Da Rosa, Belen Escondo, Annie Estrella, Mitchell Estrellas, Eddie Exevea, Nilda Falero, Mercy Gallardo, Arlene Goldsborough, Avelino Gapsin, Bill Haggerty, Erlinda Howard, Willie Orpiano, Pacita Macasieb, Bibiana Magat, Edward Mejia, Susan Nacu, Gail Ocasion, Frances Pangelinan, Aida Pineda, Romeo Camantigue, Loreta Ramin, Peter Rosario, Maritess Sanchez, Rosa Maria Santos, Minda Santos, Linda Silverio, Augusto Uy, George Ybanez. Let us thank God for what doesn't need healing. Let us know if somebody wishes to receive Holy Communion at home or call Beth Mayor 510-483-1078.

Welcome New Parishioners !

If you are not currently registered, please take a moment to fill this out and return it to the parish office, or you may drop it in the collection basket.



Name _____ Phone _____ New Parishioner
Address _____ City _____ ZIP Code _____ New Address
 Updating Parish Information Send Sunday Envelopes Put on mailing list

OLGC THROUGH THE YEARS

