



Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

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Installation of OLG
Knights of Columbus Officers

TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - SEPTEMBER 3, 2017

MASSES:

Saturday Vigil : 5:00 pm

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

Weekdays: (Monday - Friday) 9:00 am

First Saturday—8:00 am

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

Second Sunday: 3:00 pm - El Shaddai

Third Sunday: 2:00 pm - Virgin of Penafrancia

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



**DIOCESAN-WIDE
PROMOTION OF
"CATHOLICS CARE"**

Bishop Michael Barber has designated September 9-10, 2017 as *CatholicCare* weekend. The intention is to call attention to the pressing need to better accompany people of our Diocese who are spiritually, mental-

ly and physically challenged.

While there is great concern about the growing cultural acceptance for doctor-assisted suicide, there is also the consistent need for our people to know they can find a living faith community who will support them and their families (and caregivers) in their personal time of need. This is commonly expressed in the Catholic Church through the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy.

Individuals, parish groups, private organizations, and public agencies are working throughout the Diocese, showing us that *CatholicCare* for each other and their fellow citizens throughout the life spectrum. We've seen it in bringing Claire's House to the East Bay, fighting for religious freedoms, helping our schools thrive, providing support to immigrants, contributing to the Bishop's Appeal—but maybe never more clearly than when our fellow parishioner or neighbor faces a crushing illness or challenging diagnosis, lives with a severe mental condition or addiction, loses a family member, or struggles with infertility.

To promote all kind of services available to those who are in great need, a special *CatholicCare* website is being developed and it will be open soon.

**The Catechism of the Catholic Church
about EUTHANASIA**

Those whose lives are diminished or weakened deserve special respect. Sick or handicapped persons should be helped to lead lives as normal as possible. (2276)

Whatever its motives and means, direct euthanasia consists in putting an end to the lives of handicapped, sick, or dying persons. It is morally unacceptable. (2277)

Discontinuing medical procedures that are burdensome, dangerous, extraordinary, or disproportionate to the expected outcome can be legitimate; it is the refusal of "over-zealous" treatment. Here one does not will to cause death; one's inability to impede it is merely accepted. The decisions should be made by the patient if he is competent and able or, if not, by those legally entitled to act for the patient, whose reasonable will and legitimate interests must always be respected. Thus an act or omission which, of itself or by intention, causes death in order to eliminate suffering constitutes a murder gravely contrary to the dignity of the human person and to the respect due to the living God, his Creator.

This week's Intentions

- Sat Sep 2 Toni Lesprance (Thanksgiving)
Anthony Antonio (BD)
Roario Bugnot +
- Sun Sep 3 **8:30 AM**
11:00 AM Oscar & Rose Orpiano
Zelko Daniel ((Special Intentions)
Leo & Isabel San Agustin (28th Wedding anniv)
Ricardo & Romualdo Mendoza ++
- Mon Sep 4 Eduardo Villanueva +
Alani Intengan (BD)
- Tue Sep 5 Theresa Cao +
- Wed Sep 6 Teri, Angelo, Christine Belenson
(Thanksgiving)
TJ Cabrales (BD)
- Thu Sep 7 Rodney Paes (BD)
Regina de Guzman (BD)
- Fri Sep 8 Luz Quinto +
Adriana Antonio (BD)
Thanksgiving to Mama Mary
Wilfredo Moral +
- Sat Sep 9 Silve Paes (BD)
- Sun Sep 10 **8:30 AM** GregorioArguero +
Felicisimo Gutierrez +
11:00 AM Gerardo & Perfecta Marquez ++

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Monday: Labor Day
- Friday: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- Saturday: St. Peter Claver

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 11-13;
Lk 4:16-30, or, for Labor Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Blessing of Human Labor," nos. 907-911
- Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14;
Lk 4:31-37
- Wednesday: Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10-11; Lk 4:38-44
- Thursday: Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-6; Lk 5:1-11
- Friday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6
Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 [18-23]
- Saturday: Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3-4, 6, 8; Lk 6:1-5
- Sunday: Ez 33:7-9; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 13:8-10;
Mt 18:15-20

The error of judgment into which one can fall in good faith does not change the nature of this murderous act, which must always be forbidden and excluded. (2278)

Even if death is thought imminent, the ordinary care owed to a sick person cannot be legitimately interrupted. The use of painkillers to alleviate the sufferings of the dying, even at the risk of shortening their days, can be morally in conformity with human dignity if death is not willed as either an end or a means, but only foreseen and tolerated as inevitable Palliative care is a special form of disinterested charity. As such it should be encouraged. (2279)

LAST WEEK'S CONTRIBUTIONS

Sunday collection (for general operating expenses)
Collected **\$2,442.00**

Restricted donations for: (Grounds Maintenance)
\$856.00

Votive candles 137.00
Adoration Chapel 104.00
St. Anne (donation box) 53.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUOUS SUPPORT!
Next week's 2nd collection: Liability Insurance

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

It's interesting to imagine the scene when the changes in our liturgy were first tested. Choices for prayer texts were one thing, but responses from the people were another. In early 1967, secret test-drives of the new Mass were conducted in the Vatican. Pope Paul VI was present, and there was a handful of bishops, priests, a few laypeople and two sisters making up the assembly. Everyone had a booklet with every word of the songs, rubrics, and prayers, blank paper, and a pencil for notes. After each Mass, the ordained men in the group met in the pope's library to share their experiences. The laypeople and sisters met separately.

Over a week's time they tested what they called a "read Mass with singing," a "Mass entirely recited," and a "Sung Mass." While the ordained were generally in favor, the lay comments were very clear and insightful, and had great impact on the final result. This was a brilliant plan on the part of the pope, who got to see how the reform was going, and to recognize in this small trial run a growing consensus that reform was needed and welcome. Based on his observation, Pope Paul VI called for specific innovations, such as beginning the Mass with the sign of the cross. It's amazing that some of our most familiar rites are really quite new treasures of our tradition!



KNIGHT'S CORNER

Be a part of greater involvement in the renewal of parish and family life. Be a member of over a million Catholic fraternal brotherhood. Be a Knight of Columbus. Call the Parish Office for more information.

OLGC's K of C is sponsoring E-Waste program. If you have any electronic items to contribute to the program; TV's, computer monitors, PCs, printers, fax machines, cell phones, old phones, tape decks, boom boxes, stereos, video game consoles, etc. please call the parish office at 510-614-2765



Q. Is it wrong to pray to statues of Jesus and Mary?

I unfortunately stumbled upon a video of a Protestant saying that it is wrong that Catholics are praying to statues or in his case he called it idol and that it said in the bible not to do that and all this other stuff. Then that kind of shook me a little but then I remembered that in the Ten Commandments God said thou shall honor no false idol and a statue of Jesus and Mary are not false idols so it's okay but now I think I just need reassurance that it's fine because I really love the artwork of statues.



Catholic
Answers 29

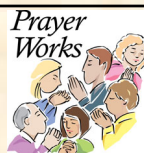
A. We do not pray to statues, we pray to the person that the statue represents. When we pray to a saint, we are imploring them to pray on our behalf similar to when we ask our neighbor to pray for us.

Statues are important because they are powerful reminders of the saint(s) and the power of faith and prayer. As Catholics our faith appeals to all the senses and statues evoke our visual senses and our natural response to beauty and inspiration of the works of the saints.

REGISTER YOUR CHILD NOW FOR FIRST COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION & RCIA

HARD-EARNED LUCK

I'm a great believer in luck, and I find the harder I work, the more I have of it. Thomas Jefferson



Requesting Your Prayers

Gary Anderson, Erlinda Arrieta, Ed & Eliz Coyne, Leonor Yracheta, Erlinda Dizon, Priscilla Da Rosa, Belen Escondo, Mitchell Estrellas, Eddie Exevea, Nilda Falero, Arnel Flores, Mercy Gallardo, Arlene Goldsborough, Avelino Gapsin, Maria Perpetua Que-rubin, Erlinda Howard, Willie Orpiano, Pacita Macasieb, Geri Murchison, Tina Shaeffer, Bibiana Magat, Edward Mejia, Susan Nacu, Gail Ocasion, Frances Pangelinan, Rosy Pereira, Aida Pineda, Romeo Camantigue, Loreta Ramin, Peter Rosario, Maritess Sanchez, Rosa Maria Santos, Minda Santos, Ursula 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 _____
Address _____
 Updating Parish Information

Phone _____
City _____ ZIP Code _____
 Send Sunday Envelopes

New Parishioner
 New Address
 Put on mailing list

OLGC THROUGH THE YEARS

