



# Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

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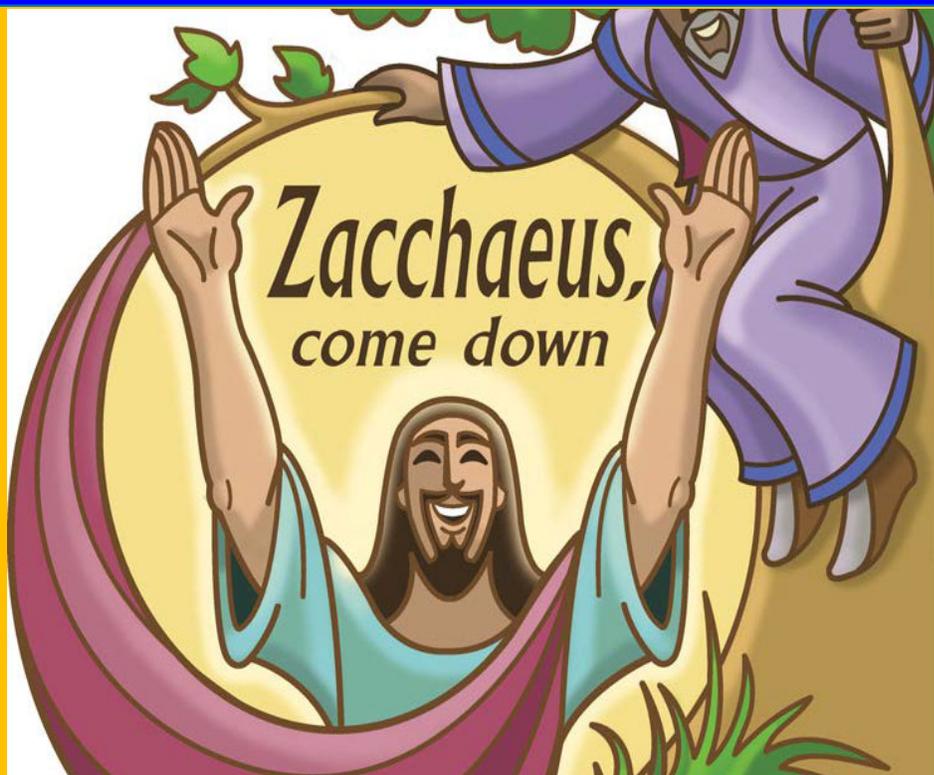
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## A GREAT AND GLORIOUS GOD

Our readings today ponder two powerful truths: God is infinitely greater than we are; and God provides every kind of help so we can discover and share in God's glory. The reading from Wisdom reminds us that we are tiny compared to "the LORD of the whole universe.

Nevertheless, God preserves and nurtures us out of perfect love. If we feel tiny, weak, and sinful compared to God, we are blessed! God's greatness sustains and strengthens us. Saint Paul encourages the Thessalonian Christians with the same message. He reminds them that God alone makes the Church holy. He prays that everything they undertake will be for the glory of God. Luke's Gospel shows us what this looks like in real life: Zacchaeus, feeling small and excluded, looks for Jesus. Jesus finds him and gives him the strength he needs to repent of his sins and glorify God.



## THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME— NOVEMBER 3, 2019

### 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

Call Rectory : (510) 969-7013

### 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: Lynne Evans - (510) 501-4894

### FAMILY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/ CCD

Sunday morning – All grades after 8:30 Mass



## NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK (November 3-9, 2019)

Every person is called to serve God and neighbor in some particular way; in the Church we call this our vocation. God calls some to marriage, some to ordained ministry, and some to consecrated life. It is important that we ask God how it is He wants us to receive His love, and how it is that He wants us to share that love with others.

God loves each one of us individually. How to respond to the love of God in my life? The best response is by loving God in return. This is a universal call to holiness. Holiness is nothing more than allowing the love of God to live in us and then through us to others. The more we allow God to love us, the more readily we will give of ourselves in loving and helping others. It leads to our ultimate happiness and fulfillment.

Today, we begin the National Vocation Awareness Week. It is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promote vocations to ordained ministry and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations.

The Church needs faithful families who will support their members in pursuing the ordained ministry and consecrated life. Yes, there is a lot negative news about the Church, but it is exactly why we need good priests, deacons, nuns and religious brothers so our Church can be totally renewed.

***“Good and gracious God,  
you have called us through Baptism  
to be the disciples of Your Son, Jesus.  
You want us to bring the Good News of  
salvation to all peoples.  
We pray that You grant us more  
dedicated priests,  
deacons and religious to renew  
Your Church.  
Inspire our young men and women  
to give themselves totally to the  
work of Christ.  
We ask this in Jesus’ name. Amen.”***

### THIS WEEK’S INTENTIONS

Sat	Nov 2	<b>5:00 PM</b> Giovanna Amezcua (BD) Julia Kelly + Valerie Go-Oco + Maria Alegardis + Socorro Go-Oco + Dely Webelhardt + Marc Rettig + Natalia Mariano + Novena for the Dead
Sun	Nov 3	<b>8:30 AM</b> Novena for the Dead Arnold, Baby, Angel, & Allan Sanchez ++++ Narciso & Adna Dizon ++ <b>11:00 AM</b> Adolfo Casanas Sr. + Oscar & Rose Orpiano ++ Henry & Yolanda Shirek ++ Trinidad Cruz + Francisco & Emiliana Hidalgo ++ Jules & Mary Jane Wilson ++ <b>12:30</b> Mass for Parishioners
Mon`	Nov 4	Novena for the Dead Doroteo Elicot + Benigna Elicot +
Tue	Nov 5	Novena for the Dead Roberto Sibal Sr. + Theresa Da Luz +
Wed	Nov 6	Novena for the Dead Antonio Castro + Raymond Corip + Maria Corip + Juan Galimaso +
Thu	Nov 7	Novena for the Dead
Fri	Nov 8	Novena for the Dead
Sat	Nov 9	<b>5:00 PM</b> Novena for the Dead Jun Casanas (BD) Valera Family (Thanksgiving)
Sun	Nov 10	<b>8:30 AM</b> Novena for the Dead Pat Ocasion (BD) Adelina Camarillo + <b>11:00 AM</b> Luis Enriquez Adelina & Feliciano Camarillo ++

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time; National Vocation Awareness Week; Daylight Saving Time ends
Monday:	St. Charles Borromeo
Tuesday:	Election Day
Saturday:	The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Rom 11:29-36; Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36; Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday:	Rom 12:5-16b; Ps 131:1bcde-3; Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday:	Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33
Thursday:	Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14; Lk 15:1-10
Friday:	Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 16:1-8
Saturday:	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
Sunday:	2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15; 2 Thes 2:16 — 3:5; Lk 20:27-38 [27, 34-38]

# LAST WEEK'S CONTRIBUTIONS

**Sunday collection** (for general operating expenses)  
Collected **\$2,239.00**

**Restricted donations for:** (Grounds Maintenance)  
**\$898.00**

El-Shaddai Mass	126.00
Catholic Voice	50.00
Votive candles	107.00
Adoration Chapel	88.00
St. Anne (donation box)	18.00

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUOUS SUPPORT!**  
**Next Week's 2nd Collection: LIABILITY INSURANCE**

## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Every week, some treasures from our tradition are shared here. Where does all this history come from? The history of God's people of prayer is always coming to light, mostly because scholars have dedicated their lives to research. They translate and ponder prayers and songs; explore the places used for worship; look at the vessels, books, and vestments; and read works from legal documents to letters and diaries. In the 1930s, Hitler's rush to arm Germany closed seminaries as priests and seminarians alike were drafted into service.

One professor, Father Josef Jungman, forced from his classroom, spent the war years in an Austrian library. His careful work disclosed much of what we know of the history of the Mass. His great work, *The Mass of the Roman Rite*, describes the evolution of Eucharistic celebration and inspired generations of scholars to explore a tradition surprisingly rich and varied. It was said of him that he had a command of the past that cast new light on the present, and opened up a clear direction to the future. His contributions to the Second Vatican Council helped shape the way that we worship today. At the end of his life, in 1975, his studies completed, he told a friend that he was waiting patiently for the Lord's knock at the door to take him to the heavenly banquet.



For Wedding and Baptism appointment & schedules please call (510) 969 -7013



**BEGIN WITH ARDOR** If we wish to make any progress in the service of God we must begin every day of our life with new ardor.

—St. Charles Borromeo

**Q.** "Would it be sinful for a Catholic to leave the faith and join a non-Catholic church

**A** Doing something contrary to God's will 'is always objectively wrong. The *Catechism* reminds us that God calls everyone to the "catholic unity of the People of God" found in the Catholic Church (CCC 836, 845), This is because the Church possesses the fullness of truth and the ordinary means of grace necessary for growth in holiness. However, this does not mean that everyone who leaves the Catholic Church is necessarily guilty of sin. It depends on whether the person knows-or should know-that God wills the person to belong to the Catholic Church (CCC 846-848)'

Some people who leave the Catholic Church may not realize what they are doing is wrong, hence they may not be held accountable. On the other hand, someone who knows in his heart that God wills him to belong to Christ's Church and rejects it-may very well be held accountable. However, we ourselves cannot judge such people. Only God can truly know the heart of a person. We should always pray for these people in the hope that they will come to see the truth and return to the loving embrace of God's holy family, the Church.

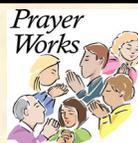


**Catholic Answers**

**MANY THANKS TO ALL WHO SUPPORTED THE OLCG KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS' WESTERN DINNER & DANCE LAST OCTOBER 26. ALL PROCEEDS GOES TO PARISH HALL UPGRADING OF AUDIO VISUAL SYSTEM**



**Requesting Your Prayers**



Virgilio Abar, Gary Anderson, Cesar & Ester Eugenio, Mercedes Go-Oco, Carmen Bryant, Corazon Belisario, Dulce Bufete, Jack Camantigue, Ed & Eliz Coyne, Burns, Romeo Priscilla Da Rosa, Elisa Ducusin, Belen Escondo, Cora Estanislao, Arnel Flores, Avelino Gapasin, Willie Orpiano, Mary Moniz, Geri Murchison, Ruben Misleng, Edward Mejia, Gail Ocasion, Frances Pangelinan, Rosy Pereira, Pratima Prasad, Mercedes Querubin, Josephine Redard, Dan Sanchez, Maritess Sanchez, Ursula Santos, Jane Spivey, Augusto Uy, George Ybanez. Let us thank God for what doesn't need healing.



## Welcome New Parishioners !

If you are not currently registered, please take a moment to to the parish office, or you may drop it in the collection

fill this out and return it basket.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ New Parishioner

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_ New Address \_\_\_\_\_

# OLGC THROUGH THE YEARS

