

# Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

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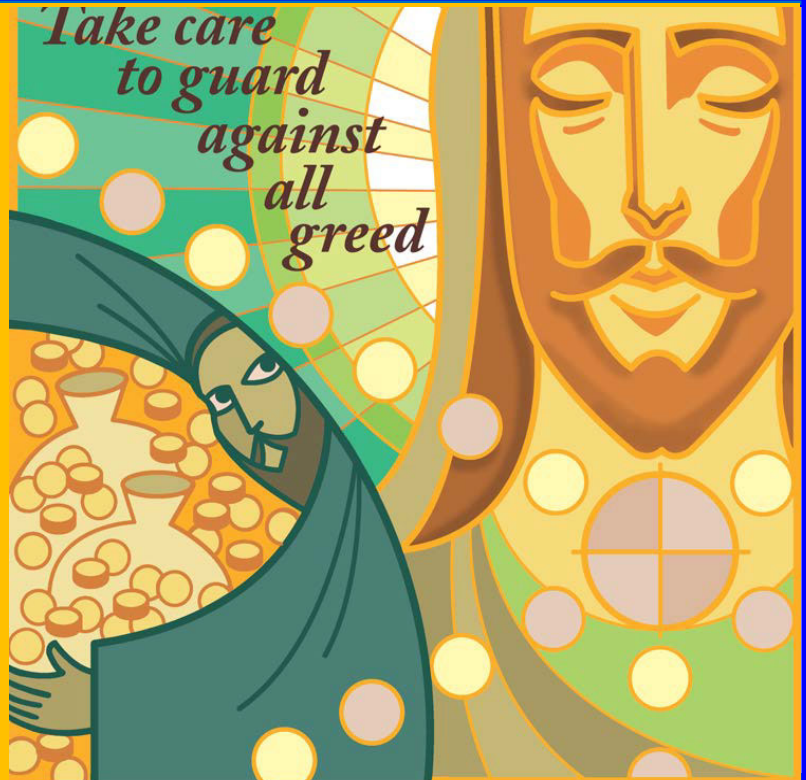
## USING OUR TIME WISELY

A jar of honey lasts practically forever.

The oldest jar of honey ever discovered was over five thousand years old. Honey is quite different from market-fresh produce, then; because most fruits and vegetables last only a few days, we treat them carefully.

At this time of summer, we rush to find recipes for cherries and cucumbers so we won't waste a single one. We wouldn't feel that same urgency about honey.

In our own way, we are as delightful and fragile as ripe produce. Today's readings urge us not to spoil, but to make good use of our limited time on earth. Ecclesiastes reminds us that because God provides for us now and always, we can manage our daily affairs without anxiety. Saint Paul encourages the Colossians to keep thoughts of heaven in everything they do, and Jesus himself asks us to treasure not earthly wealth, but God alone.



*Take care  
to guard  
against  
all  
greed*

## EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME— AUGUST 4, 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



Stewardship  
Bulletin Reflection  
**August 4, 2019 -  
Eighteenth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**  
Catholic Stewardship  
Consultants, Inc.

**ECC 1:2, 2:21-23; PS 90:3-6, 12-13, 17; COL  
3: 1-5, 9-11; LK 12:13-21**

In the gospel passage for this weekend, Jesus makes it clear that life is not about “stuff” as He tells the parable of the wealthy businessman who thought he had everything figured out. The man had such an abundance of stuff that he didn’t have room to store it all. So, thinking of earthly things and not on what is above, he decided to build a bigger place to store all that stuff. Patting himself on the back, he thought about what good times he would have in the years ahead. But, Jesus tells us that day would turn out to be the man’s last day on the earth. And he had spent it thinking only of himself. How foolish!

We live in a society that places great emphasis on possessions — the car we drive, the house we live in, the latest technological advancements. This attitude has been prevalent to humankind for thousands of years. The way the Lord addressed it in His time is still quite applicable today. He cautions us that the measure of our life is not found there as He closes the parable saying, *“Thus will it be for all who store up treasures for themselves, but are not rich in what matters to God”* (Lk 12:21).

We are challenged to get our priorities correct and to understand that what may seem important in this life is not important in the next. Pope Francis once said, *“True joy does not come from things or from possessing. It is born from the relationship with others; it is born from feeling accepted, understood, and loved, and from accepting, understanding, and loving. It is saying to one another, ‘You are important to me,’ not ‘what you have is important to me.’ Possessions are nothing but an illusion.”*

**THIS WEEK’S INTENTIONS**

- Sat Aug 3 **5:00 PM** Bruno Sibal Jr. +  
Jessie, Jojo & Nelia Silo +++
- Sun Aug 4 **8:30 AM** Nieves Gregorio +  
Marita Rito +  
Gerald Eusebio +  
Arturo Sanchez Jr. (BD)  
Pura de la Vega & Romeo de la Vega Sr. ++  
Bruno Sibal Jr. +  
Felix Marimla +  
**11:00 AM** Henry & Yolanda Shirek ++  
Trinidad Cruz +  
Francisco & Emiliana Hidalgo ++  
Jules & Mary Jane Wilson ++  
Oscar & Rose Orpiano ++  
Henry Sanchez  
**12:30** Mass for Parishioners
- Mon Aug 5 Jose Francisco Guevarra
- Tue Aug 6 Jonathan Dong (BD)  
Jules Smid +
- Wed Aug 7
- Thu Aug 8 Alfonsa Canlas (BD)
- Fri Aug 9
- Sat Aug 10 **5:00 PM**
- Sun Aug 11 **8:30 AM** Nina Ricci Valdez +  
Gerald Eusebio +  
**11:00 AM** Dominadora Ramos +  
Walter & Julia Macek ++

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

- Sunday: Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Monday: Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major  
Tuesday: The Transfiguration of the Lord  
Wednesday: St. Sixtus II and Companions; St. Cajetan  
Thursday: St. Dominic  
Friday: St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross  
Saturday: St. Lawrence

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Monday: Nm 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-17; Mt 14:13-21  
Tuesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;  
2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36  
Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25 — 14:1, 26-29a, 34-35;  
Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-23; Mt 15:21-28  
Thursday: Nm 20:1-13; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Mt 16:13-23  
Friday: Dt 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-16, 21; Mt 16:24-28  
Saturday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26  
Sunday: Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22; Heb 11:1-2,  
8-19 [1-2, 8-12]; Lk 12:32-48 [35-40]

**The best time spent is time spent in prayer**

**Join our OLGC Weekday Devotions after 9AM Masses**

Tuesdays: **St. Anthony**

Wednesdays **Mother of Perpetual Help**

Thursdays **St. Jude** / Fridays: **La Pieta**

First Friday of the month **Sacred Heart of Jesus**

**Divine Mercy Chaplet** In Song every First Friday of the month  
at 3:00 PM at the Church.

**Healing Prayer in Scriptural Rosary**—Every Fourth Monday of the  
month at 3:00 PM at the Church. Everyone is Welcome

# LAST WEEK'S CONTRIBUTIONS

**Sunday collection** (for general operating expenses)  
Collected **\$2,617.00**

**Restricted donations for:** (Grounds Maintenance)  
**\$1,173.00**

El Shaddai (monthly donation)	700.00
Votive candles	122.00
Adoration Chapel	129.00
St. Anne (donation box)	19.00

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



Knights from St. Joachim (Hayward), Our Lady of Grace (Castro Valley) and Our Lady of Good Counsel teamed up last Saturday, July 27, for St. Joachim's parish BBQ picnic at San Lorenzo Park

Upcoming events for August are:

Friday, August 23 – Blood drive at the OLGK parish hall from 10:00 am to 3:00 PM

Sunday, August 25 – Welcoming Our Lady of Fatima

Saturday, August 24 and Sunday, August 25 – We will help prepare lunch for special needs children at the Special Olympics Softball Regional Competition at Heather Farm Park in Walnut Creek.

Tax deductible donations to Knights of Columbus are welcome. Please make checks payable to "Knights of Columbus" and submit them to Fr. Jan or Deacon Tom.

Join the OLGK Knights in their works of charity. Please approach Bro Lino at the parish office, Fr. Jan or Deacon Tom. You can also send an email to [mikenario@aol.com](mailto:mikenario@aol.com) or text to (510) 520-5602.

**JOIN US !!!**

IN WELCOMING

**THE  
INTERNATIONAL  
PILGRIM VIRGIN  
STATUE  
OUR LADY OF FATIMA**



WHICH IS COMING TO  
**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL CHURCH**  
HERE IN SAN LEANDRO.

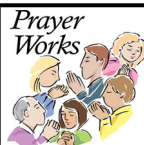
THE STATUE WILL ARRIVE on  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 25 AT 7:30 AM  
Welcoming and Coronation  
before the 8:30 AM Mass

THE STATUE WILL STAY WITH US WITH  
ROSARY, PRAYING, BLESSING AND  
VENERATION IN BETWEEN MASSES.

The Statue will leave at 3:30 PM



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**.  
**JOIN US !**



**Requesting  
Your  
Prayers**

Virgilio Abar, Gary Anderson, Corazon Ariosa, Carmen Bryant, Corazon Belisario, Dulce Bufete, Jack Burns, Romeo Camantigue, Ed &

Eliz Coyne, Priscilla Da Rosa, Elisa Ducusin, Belen Escondo, Cora Estanislao, Arnel Flores, Avelino Gapasin, Carmelita Joseph, Irma Lobitana, Ellie Lezama, Willie Orpiano, Pacita Macasieb, Mary Moniz, Geri Murchison, Ruben Mislant, Edward Mejia, Gail Ocasion, Frances Pangelinan, Rosy Pereira, Merceditas Querubin, Dan Sanchez, Maritess Sanchez, Ursula Santos, Joe & Pat Sparks, Augusto Uy, George Ybanez. Let us thank God for what doesn't need healing.

## DECEPTION

Indeed, it is not in human nature to deceive others for any long time, without in a measure deceiving ourselves, too.—John Henry Newman



## 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

