

Welcome to Our Lady of the Rosary Church

Italian National Catholic Parish



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July 17, 2016

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Deacon

Stephen O'Riordan

Mass Times

Daily (Monday - Saturday)

7:30 am - 12:00 pm

Saturday Vigil

5:30 pm

Sunday

7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:00 pm

Italian Mass First Sunday 12:00 pm

Holy Days

7:30 am, 12:00 pm, 7:00 pm

2nd Sunday

Gregorian Chant Latin Mass 4:00 pm



SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Our Lady of the Rosary Mission Statement

We, the Parish of Our Lady of the Rosary, are a pilgrim church. Under the mantle of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we grow as a people of God following Jesus, celebrating the Eucharist, living apostolic service, continuing faith formation and Marian devotions. We strive to bring the joy of the gospel and imitate Jesus through compassion, mercy and love, especially for the poor and marginalized. We seek to be faithful stewards providing a heart and home for all.



Pope Francis

We Welcome All Visitors to Our Celebration

While Holy Communion may only be received by prepared Catholics, for our non-Catholic guests you are welcome to join the line to walk towards the priest or deacon to receive a special blessing: Simply cross your arms over your chest to receive a blessing.

Bishop Robert McElroy
Diocese of San Diego

Masses for the Week of July 17, 2016

Date for Mass request

Requested by

Saturday July 16

7:30 am Perpetual Membership
 12:00 pm Carmela & Antonino Tarantino Rosalie & Peter Tarantino
 5:30 pm Societa del Santo Rosario

Sunday July 17

7:30 am Flynn Levine
 9:00 am People of the Parish
 10:30 am Angie Giacalone Rosalie Tarantino
 12:00 pm Francesco Crivello † Anna Maria Buscemi

Monday July 18

7:30 am Mary Adamo † Mary Lou Terramagra
 12:00 pm Francesco Crivello † Mary McIlwee
 Mario Ingargiola † Paul & Giustina Crimi

Tuesday July 19

7:30 am Pietro & Jenny Tarantino & Family Granddaughter MaryAnn & Family
 12:00 pm Maria Sanfilippo Carlos Sanfilippo
 Tom Gibaldi † Mary McIlwee

Wednesday July 20

7:30 am Cate Kingston Laurie & Adeline Massa
 12:00 pm Thomas A. Corona Rosalie & Peter Tarantino
 Antoinette Guidi † Angie Crisci

Thursday July 21

7:30 am Angelo Scardina Sal & Maria Zizzo
 12:00 pm Margaret Conklin Son, Garry
 McKay Nelson † Dennis & Andrea Rainero

Friday July 22

7:30 am Calogero (Carlo) Sanfilippo Maria Navarra
 12:00 pm Frank Crivello † Frank & Suzann LoCoco
 Tom Gibaldi St. Joseph Society

Saturday July 23

5:00 pm Erika Sanfilippo Deacon Stephen & Vickie O'Riordan

Sunday July 24

7:30 am Dominic Franco Paul Franco
 9:00 am People of the Parish
 10:30 am Frank Piranio Peter & Donna Piranio
 12:00 pm Maria Sanfilippo Rosalie & Peter Tarantino

Pastor's Corner

Abraham is known as our father in faith. His unconditional obedience to God credits him to this title "father in faith." By his faith he never disobeys God's will for him. This Sunday's first reading from the Book of Genesis introduces to us that Abraham is not only the father of faith but also the father of hospitality and generosity. As the first reading tells us Abraham went and met the three stranger men who happened to pass near his tent. He showed unto them hospitality and generosity though they were strangers to him.

In reward, God gives blessing to Abraham, a blessing which he and his wife did not expect but they wanted for so long (i.e. having a child).

God looks and counts every good deed done by us in His sight to our neighbors. Let us imitate then Abraham our father and model of faith and hospitality. Be hospitable! Be generous! And God will reward us with his blessings when we don't expect them. Amen

Prayer Intentions

We are listing the names of those who are sick, and need prayers.

Remember in your prayers

Pat Land, Lauren Nicole, Steve G.

To submit a name of a relative or friend, you may call the office with the name, or send an e-mail to parish@olrsd.org. Names will remain on the list for three weeks, unless otherwise requested. Newly added names are bold.



Sanctuary Candle
Dedication for the
Week of July 17th In
Memory of

Antoinette Guidi

From Jerry & Julie
Giacalone

Sacrificial Giving for July 10

Plate \$ 3,096

Envelopes \$ 2,709

Online \$1,200

Total Sunday Collection \$ 7,005

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY ICF BRANCH #230

Invites you to join us for our **ANNUAL PICNIC**
Sunday July 17, 2016; 10 AM - Early Evening

Spanish Landing Park
(Harbor Drive across from the Airport)

Fun...Family...Friends...Fellowship and Relaxation
Enjoy a fun time in beautiful San Diego with
Our Lady of the Rosary Parishioners and guests!

Bocce Ball Courts ~ Croquet ~ Games

For more information contact Del Centanni by
phone (619) 313-3142 or
email delfinacentanni@gmail.com.

Bring your own picnic lunch and beach
equipment, games, balls, boom box, instrument,
canopies, umbrellas tables, chairs, grill. etc...

Enjoy a day with family, bring friends
or make new ones. Come and join us!

Join Bishop McElroy
for the 2nd Annual
Catholic Night at Petco

Friday August 5, 2016

To buy discounted
tickets go to:
www.padres.com/events

Scroll to locate
Catholic Night

Password is Mercy



Sunday, July 31st
Society of Maria Santissima
Lauretana Presents
Mostaccioli and Homemade
Sausage Dinner.

See Calendar for more details.

CALENDAR



Sunday July 17 - ICF Picnic at Spanish Landing. Come for an Italian picnic hosted by the ICF from 10:00 am to early evening.

Monday July 18 - OLR Festa Meeting
Meets in the upper church hall at 7:00 pm.

Monday July 18 - ICF District Meeting
Meets in the lower church hall.

Wednesday July 20 - Bible Study
Bible study on the Life of Jesus conducted by
Fr. Louis Solcia.

Sunday July 31 - Society Lauretana Hosts Parish Dinner
Mostaccioli and homemade sausage (Salad and
dessert included. Adults \$15, Children \$6.

Visit the parish's website for the complete calendar.

Divine Mercy Pilgrimage

Warsaw • Czestochowa • Krakow • Prague



November 7–17, 2016

Fr. Joseph M. Tabigue, C.R.S.P. Spiritual Director,
Our Lady of the Rosary Parish

- Round Trip air fare from San Diego
- Buffet Breakfast Daily
- 8 Dinners
- Sightseeing and entrance fees per itinerary
- Professional Tour Escort
- Licensed Guides
- Luggage handling / Transfers
- Daily Mass

Czestochowa – Shrine of the Black Madonna
Lagiewniki Divine Mercy Shrine
Infant Jesus of Prague
Sites of St. John Paul II, and St. Faustina
Auschwitz
And more

\$3,218 Land and Air from San Diego (per person, double occupancy)

Contact: Best Catholic Pilgrimages 800-908-2378



Our Lady of the Rosary Church Adopt a Dream Project

The Our Lady of the Rosary Stewardship Committee is inviting each parishioner to join us in partnering with Father Joe's Villages to adopt a family or adopt a teen this summer.

The Stewardship Committee strives to develop and sustain a culture of actively engaged disciples of Jesus Christ, committed to a stewardship way of life. We are continually striving to build a vibrant community in which every parishioner is invited to play an active role. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we believe that together we can make a difference

in this community and in the world.

Adopt a Family

Some of the homeless who have gone through the program at Fathers Joe's are offered supportive permanent housing at the end of their stay. Coming off the street they often have very little when moving in to their new homes. By adopting a family we can help them furnish their new homes, room by room.

Adopt a Teen

The Toussaint Academy for Homeless Teens supports homeless and runaway children, ages 14 to 18. Toussaint prepares young people to develop a sense of self-worth and a connection to the community. In addition The Academy trains teen's skills towards future employment.

How to Help:

Visit the display in the back of the church and pick up a pre-printed donation slip. Return your donation to the same

Where to leave donations:

Donations will be collected through Sunday, August 14, 2016.

Sunday: Please leave donations at the back of the church by the baptismal font.

Monday - Friday: Please leave donations at the OLR pastoral office which is open 9:00 AM - 12:00 and 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM.

Stewardship Directory

Over the next few weeks, we will be working on setting up new advertisements for businesses in our new Stewardship Directory. If you are interested in learning more about placing an ad in our Directory, please contact Travis Lawmaster at 619.512.5977, or by email at tlawmaster@4Lpi.com. Placing an ad in our Directory raises visibility for your business in the community, and doubles as a charitable donation to the parish, which helps us tremendously. We thank all of our current and future advertisers for their support, and encourage our parish members to patronize their businesses."

BACKGROUND OF THE LITURGY Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

While the general theme of today's readings concerns the obligation of charity in the form of hospitality, one would be remiss not to take into account the final saying of Jesus in the Gospel passage: "Mary has chosen the better part."

It is not what we do for God that is most important, but what God does for us. We can become so obsessed with what we are doing for God, the Church, the parish and the family, and fail to allow God to take care of us. This is what can cause many in ministry to experience burn out.

The life of grace, as well as the life of stewardship, requires our humble acknowledgement that we are always, dependent on God. Therefore, we shall live always trusting in him and his word.

The first reading from Genesis recounts the story of Abraham's generous hospitality. Hospitality was one of the fundamental virtues of the ancient nomadic cultures. If a stranger were to come to your home, you were

expected to treat him as if he were a great noble.

This was an important virtue for nomads for practical reasons. Travel at the time of Abraham was much more dangerous than it is today; travelers were exposed not only to the dangers of nature (wild beasts, the elements, lack of food and water) but also to the evil intentions of other men. Those who were on a journey, especially long ones, were therefore dependent upon the goodness (and dispositions) of others.

Three strangers pass by Abraham's tent. He persuades them to stop, to bathe their feet, and to enjoy a banquet which Sarah prepares. We can imagine how much time it took to slaughter and butcher the steer and to cook it. Hospitality was no "quick and easy" virtue.

At the end of the story, the three strangers promise that in the following year Sarah would have a son. In context, the hospitality of Abraham and Sarah is rewarded with the supernatural promise of a son. The simple lesson here is that Abraham and Sarah cannot outdo God's goodness to them.

In the Bible, angels often announce the births of great and important figures in salvation history. Sometimes the birth has a supernatural, quality to it. The supernatural quality of Isaac's birth is the same as that of John the Baptist—their parents were beyond normal childbearing age.

The supernatural quality of Jesus' birth was just the opposite—Mary was too young and she did not "know man." The function of the annunciation story is to make clear that the birth of the promised child is not simply the product of normal human history; his birth is the result of an extraordinary intervention by God in history to save us. We see these aspects in the stories of the birth of Isaac, Samson, Samuel, John the Baptist and Jesus.

The gospel story seems to contrast with the first reading: there is something more important than hospitality. Martha shows the typical Middle Eastern hospitality to Jesus. She goes out of her way to make everything perfect. But the Lord tells her that it is more important to pay attention to what he has to say than to stew and fret over details of hospitality.

In the Anchor Bible Series, Father Joseph Fitzmeyer remarks that Martha was the perfect hostess, but Mary was the perfect disciple. She knew that her dependence on Jesus was much

more than his dependence on them.

Being in God's presence comes before doing things for God. There is an element of the mystical life represented in the example of Mary. Jesus teaches that hospitality is of lesser importance than paying attention to him who comes to heal, save, teach, and reconcile. We are called to seek first and foremost the kingdom of God. Listening and learning is more important than cooking and doing busy work.

The second reading summarizes our Catholic outlook of sharing in the cross of Christ. Since our earliest days, we have heard about "offering it up." Intrinsically, there is nothing lacking in the sufferings of Christ for the salvation of all mankind. But the Lord desires us to share in his work of redemption.

What is lacking is not the atoning power of the cross but its manifestation in the Church as a present reality. So St. Paul says, "I fill up...what is lacking in the sufferings of Christ..." In the context of the Church, which is the Mystical Body of Christ, our sacrificial acts are united with Christ in his redemptive act on the cross. They therefore take on an infinite value when offered in, with and through him.

Today begins the national observance of Natural Family Planning Awareness Week. (See the USCCB website for resource materials for the parish.) The homilist may find it appropriate to relate the obligation of generous hospitality in the story of Abraham and Sarah and its relationship to the birth of their son Isaac. Openness to new life can be difficult for some, even a sacrifice, but God cannot be outdone by our generosity.



Our Lady's Gifts

Located in the
Pastoral Center building.
Enter from parking lot.

Monday - Wednesday: 10:00 am - 3:00 pm
Thursday: 10:00 am - 4:00 pm
Friday: 10:00 am - 8:00 pm
Saturday: 10:00 am - 5:30 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

(619) 234-0162 ~ shop@olrsd.org

Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturdays 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm,
Weekdays 11:30 am to 12:00 pm
30 minutes prior to each Mass (approach the altar and ask the priest).

Devotions

Sacred Heart Devotion

1st Friday at 7:30 am

Blessed Mother Devotion

1st Saturday at 7:30 am

Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion

Tuesday at 7:30 pm

Goretti Mass & Devotion

1st Friday at 6:30 pm

St. Padre Pio Devotion

1st Monday of the month at 6:30 pm

Baptism

For registered parishioners. Parents and godparents must attend a Baptism class, held on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the Month, 6:30 - 8:00 pm. Baptisms are done on the 1st Sunday of the month. Register online.

Matrimony

Notice is required nine months in advance and before any other arrangements are made (i.e. hall rental, invitation printing, etc). Contact the office.

Eucharist for the Homebound/Sick

Contact the office to schedule receipt of Eucharist at home.

CCD/Children's Faith Formation

K - 7th Grade Classes are held Sundays, 9 – 11 AM. First Holy Communion is 1st and 2nd grades Confirmation is 8th and 9th grades. (Please consult Pastor about special circumstances.)

R.C.I.A (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Instructions for Adults desiring to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist meet Tuesdays at 7:00 pm in the Downstairs Hall from *September to Pentecost*.

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For bulletin announcements, accounting, Mass requests, funerals, or general information: Call the office or email *parish@olrds.org*

To Register as a Parishioner

The easiest way is to go to our website and fill out the form found in the New to OLR tab. You may also copy the form and mail it to the office at 1629 Columbia St., San Diego 92101.

Readings for the Week of July 17, 2016

Sunday: GN 18:1-10a; COL 1:24-38; LK 10:38-42

Monday: MI 6:1-4, 6-8; MT 12:38-42

Tuesday: MI 7:14-15, 18-20; MT 12:46-50

Wednesday: JER 1:1, 4-10; MT 13:1-9

Thursday: JER 2: 1-3, 7-8, 12-13; MT 13:10-17

Friday: JER 3:14-17; JN 20:1-2, 11-18

Saturday: JER 7:1-11; MT: 13:24-30

Next Sunday: GN 18:20-32; COL 2:12-14; LK 11:1-13

Please, Come to Church Dressed Appropriately!

To be modestly and tastefully dressed is a sign of respect for God, for our selves, and for others. It's a false assumption that God does not care how we dress. Jesus told us, "Whatever you do to the least of my brothers, you do it to me." If our attire is indecently provocative (short shorts, strapless, backless, spaghetti strap dresses/tops, or displaying cleavage), displaying unwholesome graphics (skulls, advertisements, scantily clad people) or tattered, it becomes offensive to our brothers and sisters who are worshipping the Lord and therefore offensive to God's Majesty. Ask this question: "Would you dress this way before God?" You are! He sees everything and you are in His house.