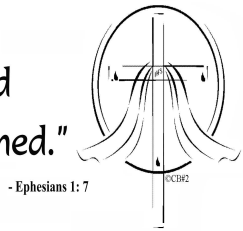


"It is in Christ
& through His blood
that we have been redeemed."



July 11, 2021

15th Sunday
in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Week of July 11 - 16, 2021

Live-stream Sunday Mass online West Sac OLG YouTube Channel or westsacolg.org/live
8:30 AM Daily Mass join Zoom: Meeting ID 828 7609 4045 Passcode OLG

SATURDAY	Jul 10	5:30 PM	For All Members in our Parish +
SUNDAY	Jul 11	9 AM	For Perla Soliven (Birthday) and Rosalinda Sherwood +
		11 AM	For Rebecca Aluyen +
MONDAY	Jul 12	8:30 AM	FOR SPECIAL INTENTIONS Shirley Ching (Birthday)
TUESDAY	Jul 13	8:30 AM	FOR DEPARTED SOULS John Campbell + Nashtika Gunasekara + Lawrence Vattathil + Angelina McCann +
WEDNESDAY	Jul 14	8:30 AM	FOR THE SICK
		6 PM	OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP
THURSDAY	Jul 15	No Mass	
FRIDAY	Jul 16	8:30 AM	For Father Mathew's Intentions

PASTOR'S CORNER

Sharing the Blessing of the Good News - The theme of today's readings is evangelization. Hence, in the First Reading, we find God selecting and sending forth the humble Amos to prophesy to His people. This is the precursor to the evangelization in today's Gospel. The Responsorial, Psalm 85, defines the Good News and its fruits. The Good News is a proclamation of God as our deliverer and savior. The psalmist describes a world in which the people are saved from alienation and sin, a world at peace, where profound goodness and righteousness reign and people no longer live in fear and confusion. In this world we are at home in God's presence. In the Second Reading, St Paul clarifies the Christian concept of predestination. This does not mean that everything is pre-ordained, and we have no free will. Predestination means that God always invites us to His love, and with our free will we can accept or reject His invitation. All are chosen and on the list of invited guests to the Lord's banquet, but all are free to choose otherwise, hate over love, sin over virtue. Predestination means not that we must choose God, but that we can choose Him, since He chose us first. God created us for love; obeying His will and loving as Christ. Again, we hear that the Holy Spirit is God's down payment on our eternal inheritance as God's possession. Even in this life we begin to experience a foretaste of Heaven's joy. In today's Gospel, Jesus passes on His authority and sends out His disciples to proclaim the Good News, to evangelize the world. This commissioning carries great weight. The disciples were to take very little with them, trusting in Divine Providence. If welcomed, a blessing falls to their hosts. If their listeners reject them, then they are rejecting the Good News and so will be cursed; for their lives will lack the grace, guidance, and consolation of the Good News. (CBCo)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

CFF REGISTRATION is now OPEN!



Do your children know who Jesus really is? The **2021-22 Children's Faith Formation (CFF)** program includes on-campus faith formation and distance learning family catechesis for children grades Kindergarten thru 8th. Register (online) now until July 31 on the parish website: westsacolg.org/cff Register your children today!

Thank You to all who contributed to the success of BUNDLE SUNDAY and to all of those who helped out. SVdP was able to fill the big thrift store truck two times!



Joint Meeting for PASTORAL COUNCIL,
FINANCE COMMITTEE and PROJECT GROW OLG
on Wednesday, July 14, 2021 at 7 PM in the Church.



LITURGY TRAINING - Lector class on Thursday, August 19 at 7 PM in Church. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC) class on Thursday, August 26 at 7 PM in Church. Deacon Dave will facilitate both training classes. Commissioning of ministers to follow.



Quo Vadis Virtual Retreat for Boys Ages 13 to 17: **The Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations invites young men ages 13 to 17 to the upcoming virtual retreat for boys.** The retreat will offer the opportunity for the boys to ponder on God's call for their life, whether it be marriage, priesthood or religious life. **The retreat will be from August 5-8, 2021.** Each day will consist of a morning session and an afternoon session. Registrations accepted online at www.scd.org/quovadis. The cost for the retreat is \$20. If you have further questions, call (916) 733-0258 or email msmith@scd.org.

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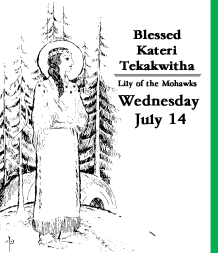
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July 11 - hosted by Commentator & Lector Ministry
July 18 - Knights of Columbus Council No. 9469
July 25 - Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion

You belong! Let's welcome one another and engage in hospitality after Mass. Learn about ministry groups and thank countless individuals who work to develop fellowship and love within the Church.

PRAYER

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, teach me to be devoted to my Crucified Savior as You were that I may cheerfully bear my daily crosses for love of Him who suffered so much for me. Amen. (katerisyracuse.com)



Remember the Sick: Leonila Arucan-Sonja Craighton-Eileen Mosley-Susanne Shunk-Auma Jayamanne-Gregory Valencia
Please call the Parish Office to add, remove or extend names on the list.

FORMATION

SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE - Sr. Michael Henry Moulin, DHS has offered to help anyone interested in spiritual guidance. Please call (916) 371-4814.

FORMED - Our Parish has acquired a subscription for FORMED. Let's make the most of this time at home to better understand, live, and share our faith! You will enjoy the movies, books, talks, cartoons, radio theater, Bible studies, devotionals, and much more on formed.org. Go ahead and register yourself to access FORMED with these 4 easy steps:

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2. Select your parish: Enter zip code 95691 and select Our Lady of Grace Church from the dropdown menu;
3. Register your name & email address (you may need to check your email inbox for a verification email); and
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2021-2022 CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION (CFF) - Registration is OPEN for Grades Kinder thru 8th (post confirmation) Registration and payments accepted online <https://westsacolg.org/cff/> Fees: \$70 one child, \$85 two children, \$100 three or more children. Additional Sacrament Fees (for Year 2 Candidates): \$10 First Holy Communion and \$25 Confirmation. Sacrament preparation for special needs children available. **Volunteer Adult/Youth Catechists needed.** Safe Environment training required. Contact Dena Serrano, DRE (916) 371-4814 for more information.

SERVICE

Together, we can help reach our Weekly Budget Goal of \$4,271.00
Collection for June 27: \$3,005.00

CHURCH OFFERINGS Bring your offerings on Sunday and drop in the collection basket during Mass. You can also mail or drop off your contributions to OLG CHURCH, 911 Park Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691. If you are attending Mass virtually consider donating online by Visa, Mastercard, American Express, Discover and debit cards securely at westsacolg.org/donate. Thank you for your continued loving support!



2021 MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE APPEAL On July 17/18, there will be a Second Collection to support missions in our Diocese. To give online visit www.scd.org/mca. May God bless you for your generosity.



Anointing of the Sick - Persons who are sick or who are going to have surgery may request the Sacrament of the Sick by calling the Parish office. One need not be in immediate danger of death.

St Vincent de Paul (SVDP) - If anyone in our Parish or greater community needs assistance, or if anyone would like to volunteer their time to work with our Parish SVDP program please call 916-371-5264.

Mission Statement – We are a welcoming Eucharistic community nourished by the Word of God, committed to extend Christ's unconditional love to ALL.

Life Long Catholic Faith Formation

Baptism - Mandatory class for parents and godparents is scheduled for the first Wednesday of the month at 7pm in the rectory. Baptisms will be scheduled for the First Saturday at 11:30 am after completion of the class and all required paperwork. Please call the Parish Office to register for the class or to schedule the Baptism.

Children's Religious Education/Catholic Faith Formation (CFF), K-8th - Tuesdays from 5:30 to 6:45 pm at the school. Includes preparation in the 2nd grade to receive the First Eucharist; and preparation in the 7th grade for Confirmation. Both sacraments require 2-year attendance in CFF. Classes for high school students that need the sacraments are held on an as-needed basis. Call the Parish Office at (916) 371-4814.

Matrimony - Engaged couples should contact the Pastor to begin preparation a minimum of six months prior to the time you would like to be married. Please do not make any other arrangements before meeting with the Pastor.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) - Sessions for anyone wishing to learn more about the Catholic faith, especially the unbaptized, baptized Christians who want to join the Catholic Church, and baptized Catholics who wish to complete initiation with Eucharist and Confirmation. Classes in the Parish Center on Thursday nights 7-8:30 pm.


Youth Ministry - Graced Youth Ministry, the youth ministry program for our high school students meets alternating Sundays at 6:00 pm in the OLG School gym.

Welcome to Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church!

New to the parish? Like to register?
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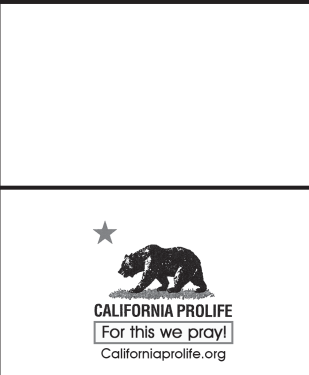
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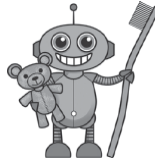



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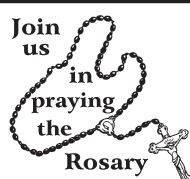
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Dena Serrano, Director of Religious Education
westsacolg@gmail.com

Mass Schedule

Daily: 8:30am
Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm
Sunday: 9am and 11am
First Saturday: 8:30am
(Immaculate Heart of Mary)



Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:45 to 5:15 or by appointment

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