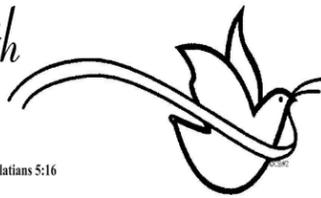


“Live in accord with
the Spirit.”

- Galatians 5:16



13th Sunday
in Ordinary Time
June 26, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS

Week of June 26 — July 2, 2022

Live-stream All Masses on the West Sac OLG YouTube Channel or Daily Mass join Zoom Meeting ID 828 7609 4045 Passcode OLG

SATURDAY	June 25	5:30 PM Vigil	For All Parishioners
SUNDAY	June 26	9 AM 11 AM	For Janet Scopesi + For Cletus Dominic (Healing)
MONDAY	June 27	8:30 AM	For Zoila Albano + For Janet Scopesi + For Eugene Ronquier +
TUESDAY	June 28	8:30 AM	For Leonila Arucan (Birthday) For Matthias Mendoza (Newborn Blessing) For Manuel & Pearla Soliven (53rd Wed Ann)
WEDNESDAY	June 29	8:30 AM 6 PM	For Diaconate Class of 2018 Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena
THURSDAY	June 30	No Mass	
FRIDAY	July 1	8:30 AM 7 PM	For Father's Intentions Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
SATURDAY	July 2	8:30 AM	For Sunny Sebastian & Fr. Sebastian + +



THE CHALLENGE OF DISCIPLESHIP

As is almost always the case, the First Reading and the Gospel have the same theme; and today's theme is the cost of discipleship, i.e., leaving everything to follow the Lord. The First Reading is on the call of Elisha. The Lord told the Prophet Elijah that his successor would be Elisha. But Elisha had 12 yoke of oxen, indicating great wealth. Elisha did not seem ready to leave it all behind. Elijah asked him to renounce everything to become the next Prophet. To show his renunciation of all, Elisha performed a great sacrifice, slaughtering his oxen and cooking their flesh with the wood of his plow, a clear sign he was abandoning his former life and beginning a new one. (Both the First Reading and the Gospel invite the disciples and all of us to trust the Lord.) The Responsorial is a psalm of trust. God is our portion and our refuge. Even night is safe, for God is always with us revealing His love for us. In the Second Reading, St Paul warns the Galatians about becoming slaves to the law, for God created us free, not to be slaves. Freedom is not license to do whatever we want, and sin is not freedom, but rather sin is another form of slavery (slavery to our passions). We must reject the things that drag us down and choose true freedom, that of the Holy Spirit, the freedom to choose to love as Jesus would. In the Alleluia Verse we find the Samuel's response to God's call during the night. May we always be ready to respond to Our Lord whenever He calls us. In the Gospel, the Samaritans rejected Jesus and the disciples so they want to see them punished, thinking Jesus' ministry was an earthly reign. Jesus came to heal hearts and invite all to love, He did not come to punish. Discipleship is a journey at whose destination we arrive only when we meet Jesus. This is the reason why Jesus mentions that He has no dwelling place. Discipleship is total trust in God. This surrender is different for each of us. It involves leaving behind certain harmful things, such as an unhealthy attachment to some selfish behavior or attitude. Sometimes the greatest challenge may be accepting life's daily annoyances and uniting them to Christ's suffering. We cannot follow Jesus on the way if we don't let go of the things that trip us up on the way. To follow Our Lord to the end, our enthusiasm must be supported by our will, and the humble acceptance of God's love and grace in our daily endeavors. (CBCo)

Welcome to **OUR LADY OF GRACE** Catholic Church

ANNOUNCEMENTS



JULY CELEBRANTS — Please call the Parish Office if you are celebrating a birthday or anniversary in July.

OLG TNT FIREWORKS STAND will open on June 28 until July 4, from 12 PM to 9 PM located at the usual spot by Papa Murphy's, 2455 Jefferson Boulevard. The fundraiser is a three way partnership between the Knights of Columbus, OLG parish and school.



CONGRATULATIONS Dave Campbell on the 4th anniversary of your ordination as a Deacon. Best Wishes from Fr. Mathew, Staff & Parishioners.



Thanks to all who shopped on amazon supporting our parish on Amazon smile. In May, we received \$159.27 from amazon smile. When shopping, support Our Lady of Grace - West Sacramento through Amazon smile.



NOW accepting enrollment for **CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION (CFF)** for grades TK4 through 8th for the upcoming 2022-23 school year.

Online registrations accepted www.westsacolg.org \$70 donation per child. Discounts available for siblings. Catechists & youth volunteers needed. Adult volunteers must be DOJ fingerprinted and complete Safe Haven training as required by the Diocese. Call the Parish Office for assistance.



Coming this August! Deacon Dave will facilitate a training/refresher for **LECTORS, COMMENTATORS and EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**. Call the Parish Office (916) 371-4814 to sign up for the training/refresher or if interested in serving in these liturgical roles.

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SERVICE

Please help reach our Weekly Budget Goal: \$4,271.00
Peter's Pence Second Collection on June 25/26.
Thank you for your loving support.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL — Together as Catholics, we can help families on the brink of homelessness stay in their homes. We can also support our parish outreach to neighbors in need. Please give generously to the Annual Catholic Appeal. 25% comes back to our parish. Give online at <https://www.scd.org/acagive>. Watch the Appeal video at <https://www.scd.org/annual-catholic-appeal>



PRAYER

Pray for the Sick: Leonila Arucan—Martha Dismukes
Lauren Gomez—John Gabri—Magdalena Chua—Bill Murphy
Joe Villanueva—Suzanne Shunk—Sonja Craighton
Cletus Lawrence—Michael Vilhauer—Francine Fua
Amelia Bates—Tim Westlake—Palmyra Tobias—Baby Katelyn
Pray for the Dead: Stephen McFeely+Helen Kozlowski+
Manuel Adolfo+Keith Smith+Mary Jane Luscutoff+Joyce Marine+
Virginia Bryan +Wilson Babby+ Jeanette Jablonsky+
William Chua+Monique Manley+Maria Armendariz+

Pray for our Military: for the safety & protection of our soldiers.

Please call the Parish Office to add, or remove persons on the list .

FORMATION

BAPTISM CLASS for parents and godparents on Wednesday, August 3, at 7 PM in the Rectory. Call the Parish Office (916) 371-4814 to sign up.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS on Tuesday, at 7 PM at the Parish Center.

SUMMER BIBLE SERIES on Thursday, at 6:30 PM in the Rectory.

FORMED — Our parish now has a subscription to FORMED, a premier online platform filled with over 4,000 Catholic studies, movies, audio dramas, talks, e-books, and even cartoons for our children. FORMED has content from over 60 apostolates, including Augustine Institute, Ignatius Press, and the Knights of Columbus, with material that is professionally produced, engaging, and solid in its catechism. Best of all, this material is free to you. Our parish will be using the material on FORMED to support our ministries and provide continuing education for staff members and parishioners, as well as outreach for our sick and homebound members. Much of FORMED's content is available in both English and Spanish. To gain access to all of FORMED's content, follow these simple steps:

- Go to <https://signup.formed.org/>
- Enter our parish's zip code
- Enter your name and your email address

Now you can get the free FORMED app for your spiritual needs.

HOSPITALITY

In the Spirit of God, and the spirit of HOSPITALITY know that you are welcomed, and that you belong. This summer, join us for light refreshments and fellowship after Mass. Thanks to our ministry groups that volunteered to create a hospitable environment for all. Hospitality schedule:

June 25/26 - St. Vincent de Paul

July 9/10 - Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

July 16/17 - Knights of Columbus

July 30/31 - Respect Life Ministry

August 6/7 - Women's Council & Mom's Ministry

August 13/14 - Commentator/Lector Ministry

August 20/21 - Knights of Columbus

Hospitality is not available on July 2/3 and July 23/24.



Communion for the Homebound - Please call the Parish office if you wish a Eucharistic Minister to visit.

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 (Hybrid CFF), K-8th - Tuesdays from 5:30 to 6:45 pm. Includes preparation in the 2nd grade to receive 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 4:00 pm in the Parish Center.

Welcome to Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church!

New to the parish? Like to register?
Please fill in & tear this off & drop in the offertory basket.

Name: _____
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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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