

“Let your lamps
be burning ready.”



- Luke 12:35

19th Sunday
in Ordinary Time
August 7, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS

Week of August 7 — 12, 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	Aug 6	5:30 PM Vigil	For Sarah Longduriyang (Healing)
SUNDAY	Aug 7	9 AM 11 AM	For All Parishioners For Marianne Talani Robles + & Elsi Frugoli ++
MONDAY	Aug 8	8:30 AM	For Lawrence + & Rosary Vattathil ++ For Johnny Regadio +
TUESDAY	Aug 9	8:30 AM	For Anthony Hacinto +
WEDNESDAY	Aug 10	8:30 AM 6 PM	For Michael Vilhauer (Healing) For Nathaniel Fua (Healing) For Jim & Charlene Brumfield (Healing) Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena
THURSDAY	Aug 11	No Mass	
FRIDAY	Aug 12	8:30 AM	For Father's Intentions



GOD BLESSES THOSE WHO TRUST HIM

The First reading speaks of our trust in God, even when it isn't easy. This excerpt from the Book of Wisdom speaks of God rewarding those who trust in Him, while punishing those who do evil. We are reminded of God's blessings and His faithfulness to His people. So, we can trust that He will surely continue to bless His people now as well. The Responsorial continues the wisdom teaching that God will bless those who trust in Him. God has been wonderful to us and blessed us innumerable. These words of praise remind us of our dependence on God and so we have confidence that He will respond to our every need. The Second Reading is a beautiful presentation on the meaning of faith. Faith is not just intellectual, it is an act of trust. When we say, "We believe in God", we are telling God that we trust in Him. The example of Abraham and Sarah is a reminder that we will not receive our full reward until after death. There will be disappointments in this life; which is not to say that God does not love us, but this is a call to keep things in perspective, i.e., our true home is in Heaven. To find out how much our faith could be tested we need only look to the story of Abraham's call to sacrifice his only son, Isaac. This request seemed absurd, yet Abraham risked everything and trusted God even when trust seemed totally impossible. We pray that God will grant us all the wisdom and courage to trust Him when any of us is so tested. The Gospel continues the theme of trust in God, not one's possessions. This means trusting in things we can't see. We all know the uselessness of trying to be self-sufficient here on earth. Jesus reminds us of the futility of depending on our wealth, be it spiritual or material. We are called to view things from an eschatological (end things) perspective, with the next life in mind. Sometimes the knowledge of the world to come is the only thing that gives us the courage to do what is right. As good as this world is, there is one beyond it that is worth sacrificing for. This truth is God's gift to us, to sustain us. (CBCo)

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Missionary Cooperative Appeal Message from Sr. Helen Murage, Sisters of Immaculate Nyeri (msomi.org)

Dear Parishioners of Our Lady of Grace,

Greetings and God's blessings to you all. On behalf of the Sisters of Mary Immaculate of Nyeri, I am deeply grateful for your prayers and financial support which you gave us last weekend in support of Christ's Mission entrusted to us. Your generosity is a great witness of the good news. I assure you that the donation so kindly given and warmly received will continue to help us make a difference in the lives of those in great need, and in turn witness to the great love God has for them. Please rest assured of the support of our prayers for you, your family and friends.

Yours, in the Mission of Christ;
Sr. Helen Murage

Graced Youth Ministry SUMMER WELCOME BBQ on Sunday, August 7, 2022, 4 PM - 6 PM at OLG School. All youth and their families are welcome!

LECTOR & COMMENTATOR training on Tuesday, August 9, 2022, at 7 PM in the Church.

EMHC & homebound training on Friday, August 12, 2022, at 7 PM in the Rectory.

Graced Youth Ministry ANNUAL CAR WASH FUNDRAISER on Saturday, August 13, 2022, 9 AM - 12 PM at Whitey's Jolly Kone on Jefferson Blvd.

All YOUTH going back to school, and YOUNG ADULTS who are going away for college will receive a special blessing on Sunday, August 14, 2022 at the 11 AM Mass. Start the school year with God!

ROCKY RAILWAY VBS 2022 — Thank you to everyone who helped make this year's Vacation Bible School such a success. We had 78 children registered and 60 volunteers, both youth and adult. We could not hold this worthwhile program without the help of volunteers! Special thanks to our master builders — John Di Re, Rodney a& Claire Guidry, and Glenn & Stella Mochel, and the youth volunteers who hung in there to help with the building of the train, tunnel, waterfall, water tower, and ticket booth. And many thanks to those who loaned Christmas trees (and Judie Martinez for letting us prune some of her trees!) and ordered supplies from the Amazon wish list and donated other needed items from the list provided. It takes a village to have successful programs such as this and the OLG Village is truly appreciated for your participation! Thanks also to all those who so generously donated money, because of those donations, we were able to pay for all the needed supplies, offer it free of charge and have enough left over to order basics for next year! We look forward to next year when we'll have an out-of-this-world experience with a space theme - Stellar - Shine Jesus' Light!



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A STEWARD MAKES GOD'S LOVE VISIBLE BY IMITATING JESUS.

SERVICE

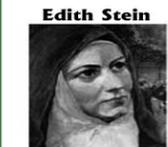


St Dominic
August 8th • Monday

Please help reach our Weekly Budget Goal: \$4,271.00
Collection on July 24: \$2,394.00
Missionary Cooperative Appeal: \$1,796.00

Hope is one of the most important gifts that we can share with the next generation. This is the work of all of us. We must share hope in God with the children in our lives. One way to share hope is to become a Catechist in CFF. Call 916 371-4814 to sign up.

PRAYER



Edith Stein
St Teresa
Benedicta
August 9th
• Tuesday •

Pray for the Sick: Leonila Arucan—Martha Dismukes
Lauren Gomez—Bill Murphy—Magdalena Chua
Joe Villanueva—Suzanne Shunk—Sonja Craighton
Cletus Lawrence—Michael Vilhauer—Romelia Lindros
Amelia Bates —Tim Westlake—Palmyra Tobias
Pray for the Dead: Stephen McFeely+Helen Kozlowski+
Manuel Adolfo+Keith Smith+Mary Jane Luscutoff+ Joyce
Marine+Virginia Bryan +Wilson Babby+ William
Chua+Jeanette Jablonsky+Monique Manley+
Maria Armendariz+Pat Coughlin+
Guise Dinh Van Hahn+Johnny Regadio+

Pray for our Military, for the safety and protection of our soldiers.
Please call the Parish Office to add, or remove persons on the list.

FORMATION

BAPTISM CLASS on Wednesday, September 7, at 7 PM in the Rectory.
Call the Parish Office (916) 371-4814 to sign up.

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

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

CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION— CFF 1st day of Class on September 20, 2022 at 5:30 PM at OLG School. Registration is open for children in grades Kinder through 8th on the parish website: www.westsacolg.org/cff

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 hospitality and Spirit of God, light refreshments will be served after all of the weekend Masses. Make an effort to get to know one another, and let the light in you shine. Thank You to our ministries for creating a hospitable environment for all. Hospitality Schedule: August 6/7: Women's Council & Mom's Ministry; August 13/14: Lector & Commentator Ministry; and August 20/21: Knights of Columbus.



St Clare
of
Assisi
August 11
Thursday



ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL
Friday
August 12



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: _____

Phone: _____

 <p>We meet @ 6:00pm starting with Hospitality 2nd Thursday of each month For details call: 916-371-5264</p>		<p>MARY KAY Isabelle Cammarota Beauty Consultant 916-247-6279 try before you buy (virtual / in-person) www.marykay.com/isabellec</p> 
		
<p>“Shop us first & Save!”</p> <p>GROCERY OUTLET bargain market</p> <p>\$3 off any \$30 or more purchase</p>  <p>845 Harbor Blvd • 916-372-6575 Matt & Jennifer Engstrom</p>		
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<p>Paul A. Johnson, D.D.S., M.S. Board Certified Pediatric Dentist Proudly serving the community since 2015! 916-277-8055 Pediatric Dentistry of West Sacramento 2101 Stone Blvd., Suite 130, West Sacramento www.pdows.com</p> 		
<p>916-372-8484</p> 		
<p>Join us!</p>  <p>www.PrayforPriests.xyz</p>		
		
<p>Our Lady of Grace Council #9469</p>  <p>Knights of Columbus Meets 2nd Wednesdays at 7pm in the Convent Building, Our Lady of Grace School. For membership information contact Byron Paige, Membership Chairman: (916) 995-4570</p>	<p>—Orthodontic Specialists— Creating beautiful smiles for children and adults</p> <p>Giannetti & Booms www.sacortho.com (916) 452-3584 info@sacortho.com</p>	 <p>invisalign DAMON SYSTEM</p>

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Mass Schedule

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



Sacrament of Reconciliation

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

Our Lady of Grace School
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