

# Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 8, 2017

Our Lady of the Assumption Church

There was a landowner who planted a vineyard,  
put a hedge around it,  
dug a wine press in it, and built a tower.  
Then he leased it to tenants  
and went on a journey.

Matthew 21:33



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## Green Faith-Based Leader

This week, OLA was honored as the *2017 Green Faith-Based Leader* by Sustainable Claremont, a local non-profit organization that brings the community together to protect the planet in creative and collaborative ways. Six OLA representatives, including Father Charles, attended the gathering which also honored Girl Scout Troop 1924, students Riley and Ryan Fass of Sycamore Elementary School, the CHERP Home Challenge College Team, The Claremont Courier, homeowners Marty and Cam Hartford, Claremont Craft Ales and City of Claremont's Chris Veirs.

This weekend on the patio, you may review a poster which explains why OLA may be considered a model partner in striving toward responsible stewardship of our environment. It wasn't until a summary of OLA programs and events was compiled that the exceptional extent of our efforts was revealed.

Heading the list of accomplishments are the activities built around the study of Pope Francis' encyclical, *Laudato Si*, which included over 100 parishioners in small discussion groups in 2015. Led by Deacon John Tullius, our JustAct Ministry did not stop with talk, but moved forward with several workshops that addressed the question: What can we do? The most recent workshop in January 2017 featured a dynamic speaker from Sustainable Claremont who skillfully connected the ideals of faith with scientific data and practical applications. This workshop was followed in May by a highly successful *Laudato Si* Expo of 25 parish and local organizations serving the poor and preserving the environment.

In addition to this is the ongoing work by organizations connected to OLA which address the root causes of human and environmental degradation: Fair Trade Claremont, the Domond Foundation in Haiti (see Page 6), and others. The "cherry on top" for the award is our plan to make the upcoming renovation of our church and grounds more sustainable in terms of energy and water use.

We are proud of the multi-faceted efforts at OLA to "hear the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor" in response to Pope Francis. The hope is that our faith community will continue to be a beacon of education and action for the whole community.

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## Laudato Si

*A letter to the world from  
Pope Francis*

*"Saint Francis, faithful to Scripture, invites us to see nature as a magnificent book in which God speaks to us and grants us a glimpse of his infinite beauty and goodness."*

Pope Francis

### Rancho Santa Ana Garden

Outstanding Saturday programs at this botanic garden in Claremont include:

**Nov. 4:** How to Plant and Water Your Natives

**Nov. 18:** Planting Habitats in Small Spaces

**Dec. 2:** Understanding Your Soil

**Dec. 16:** Seed Bombs

Other highlights include family-friendly *Things that Go Bump in the Night* Friday and Saturday, Oct. 13-14, from 5:30 to 9 p.m., as well as the famous *Fall Planting Festival* from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21. See [www.rsabg.org](http://www.rsabg.org).

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## Liturgical events

**Mid-Week Adoration** begins at 7 p.m. in church Tuesday, Oct. 10. the opportunity for confession is also offered. Come into the presence of Christ in the Eucharist.

**Children's Liturgy of the Word** is now available to children ages 6 to 12 during the 9 a.m., 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Masses. Parents are always welcome to join this group as they read and study the Word of God in an age-appropriate liturgy.

## Meetings

- **Catholic high school** information night is Wednesday, Oct. 11, at 7 p.m. in church. See Page 5.
- **Protecting God's Children** adult awareness training is set for Thursday, Oct. 12, in Room 15 at 7 p.m. This class is required of all school and parish volunteers in contact with children. **Recertification** class is Thursday, Oct. 19, at 7 p.m. in Room 18.

## community life

### Join us at Village Venture!

OLA school and parish are co-sponsoring a booth at the annual Village Venture in Claremont on Saturday, Oct. 28 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Our booth is No. 726.

A children's costume parade begins at 9:30 a.m. and OLA families are encouraged to participate. Gather at 9:15 at the corner of Harvard and Bonita avenues. The parade will be led by El Roble Marching Band.

A Carved Pumpkin contest will be sponsored by Claremont Sunrise Rotary Club. Bring your entry between 8:30 and 9:30 a.m. to their booth at Harvard and Bonita; judging is at 2 p.m.

Parking and more event information is available at [www.claremontchamber.org](http://www.claremontchamber.org).



It's El Rancho with the Knights Oct. 27

Calling all parishioners! Our Knights of Columbus are hosting a fundraiser in conjunction with El Rancho Restaurant Friday, Oct. 27, from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m.

No advance ticket purchase is needed – just give a voucher to your server when ordering. Vouchers are available on display case outside of the auditorium, at coffee 'n' donuts on Sundays, or outside the restaurant from a Knight during the event. Funds raised will be used for approved Columbian Charities.

## Highlights

**Confirmation Year One:** Final information sessions are Sunday, Oct. 8.

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**Baby shower** sponsored by OLA for Life is this Sunday on the patio. More events are planned for October, respect Life Month.

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**Walk for the Hungry** sign-ups continue this weekend on the patio after all Masses.

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**Fall calendar at OLA and Oktoberfest information**

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**MONDAY, October 9**

St. Denis and Companions

*Jon 1:1-2, 11; Jon 2:3-5, 8; Lk 10:25-37*

6:30am

5:30pm †Dcn. Dick Skok, Jessica Cable

**TUESDAY, October 10**

*Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8;*

*Lk 10:38-42*

6:30am The Sick the Unborn

†Abandoned Souls

5:30pm †John Vincent

**WEDNESDAY, October 11**

St. John XXIII

*Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4*

6:30am †John Dourley

5:30pm †Robert Paul Aguilar

**THURSDAY, October 12**

*Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:5-13*

6:30am †Robert Maya Vicense

5:30pm †Jose Eduardo Espinoza Castro

**FRIDAY, October 13**

*Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9;*

*Lk 11:15-26*

6:30am

8:00am Robert Boyens, Jr.

†Manuel Mancilla

5:30pm †Nestor & Emelia Tiano

**SATURDAY, October 14**

St. Callistus I

*Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12;*

*Lk 11:27-28*

8:00am †Jesus Maria Reyes, Jr.

†Phong Bui

Sacred Heart of Jesus

4:00pm †Robert Boyens, Jr.

†Laura Stella

†Christine Hatterman

5:30pm †Bruno Castelazo

†Dr. Manuel De Leon

†Nellie Perera

**SUNDAY, October 15**

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Phil 4:12-14,*

*19-20; Mt 22:1-14 [1-10]*

7:00am People of the Parish

9:00am Adeline, †Anton Do Van Duong

11:00am †Kenneth & Eleanor Kuchar

1:00pm †Guillermina Bautista

†Maria Sanchez

†Joanna Islas

3:00pm Giuse & Personal Intention

†Phero Vu Van Hupong

†Maria Nguyen Thi Tai

5:00pm †Maricruz Luna,

†Maria Ngo Thi Mon

7:00pm People of the Parish

†Deceased

# OLA Teen Ministry

## Time is running out to register for Confirmation Year One!

Parent only registration sessions which are one hour in length:

### Final dates! Confirmation Year One Registration

#### Sunday, Oct. 8

10:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m. in the Youth Room

#### Tuesday, Oct. 10

7 p.m. in the Youth Room

Parents do not need to bring anything, nor sign up on-the-spot.

### Sunday, Oct. 8 – 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

All high school teens are invited for dinner and a night led by Deacon Joe about Mary's role in Scripture, as well as a celebration of the Feast Day of Our Lady of the Rosary.

### Every Tuesday

Join the Heights Youth Ministry from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. at Sanctuary Coffee, 994 W. Foothill Blvd., in Claremont, for *Caffeine and Catholicism*. Join us for your favorite drink and

YOUTH MINISTRY

**Teresa Arredondo**

**Youth Ministry Coordinator**

**[tarredondo@olacclaremont.org](mailto:tarredondo@olacclaremont.org)**

**(909) 626-3596, ext. 4215**

## Young Adult Ministry

We invite each young adult age 18 to 35 to grow spiritually, form authentic friendships and have fun through our social, educational and prayer nights together. We'll be more than happy to see you at our regular weekly meetings from 7 to 9 p.m. NOTE: Convalescent visits are arranged every Sunday as a service project. Join our

*Young Adults of OLA* Facebook group. Or e-mail us anytime at [youngadultsola@gmail.com](mailto:youngadultsola@gmail.com) for details.

**Thursday, Oct. 12** Field event at St. Dorothy

**Saturday, Oct. 21** Mass on the beach with Bishop O'Connell

**Oct. 26-Oct. 31** Haunted House set-up/fundraiser at St Dorothy



## Regional congress is for everyone!

Bishop Amat High School is host to the San Gabriel Regional Congress Saturday, Oct. 28. Theme for the day is *Discipleship: Witness to God's Love*. Ninety sessions in English and Spanish will cover a wide variety of timely, Catholic topics for teens, young adults and adults. A special family track invites parents and children to learn about *Living the Faith at Home*. Featured are morning prayer, Mass, live music, food trucks and more. Young adults are invited to *After Hours*, a special night of witness, encounter and worship until 10 p.m. Booklets are available at the OLA parish office or Faith Formation Center. You may register also online at <http://store.la-archdiocese.org/sgrc2017>.



## Chaucer Mass is Oct. 21

Msgr. Tom Welbers will preside at the annual Chaucer Mass Saturday, Oct. 21, at 5:30 p.m. *Musica Ficta* will provide music of Chaucer's time before during and after the Mass using wind, string and percussion instruments of the period.

This is a unique opportunity to experience a bit of Church history and pray for the famous author who wrote *The Canterbury Tales* (1387-1400). Chaucer requested prayers for his soul at the end of that English masterpiece.

The Chaucer Mass originated at OLA with parishioner Dolores Cullen, a Chaucer scholar and author of five books who says that Chaucer's Catholic faith is evident in his works.

## Men's Retreat at HNM

*Be All That You Can Be* is the theme of a retreat for men at Holy Name of Mary Parish on Saturday, Oct. 14, in San Dimas. OLA parishioners are invited to come.

Presenter is Deacon Scott Palmer, assistant to Bishop Ed Clark of the LA Archdiocese.

The event begins with Mass at 8:30 a.m. and includes breakfast, music, and fellowship until 1 p.m. Suggested donation is only \$5 to cover food expense. RSVP to Tom Nolan at (818) 298-1360 or Jerry Stephens at (909) 702-6694

## El Camino with Phil

For years, Phil Volker dreamed of walking El Camino de Santiago, but cancer treatments made this impossible. So he built a *camino* in the forest behind his house and walked in his own backyard. That's how he discovered the healing benefits of walking and meditating. Finally, he walked El Camino in Spain and learned the power of prayer and trust in God.

Come hear his message of hope, acceptance and freedom at Holy Name of Mary Parish on Nov. 1 at 9:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. All are invited.

## Catholic high information night

OLA will host a Catholic high school information night Wednesday, Oct. 11, from 7 to 9 p.m., beginning with an introductory session in church.

Families pick three 25-minute sessions to be offered by the following schools: Alverno, Bishop Amat, Damien, Pomona Catholic, Rosary, Sacred Heart-LA, Servite, St. Lucy's and Villanova (co-ed boarding school). Refreshments in the auditorium conclude the night. All are welcome.!

# 6 outreach

Celebrity Walkers\*

## Walk for the Hungry is coming!

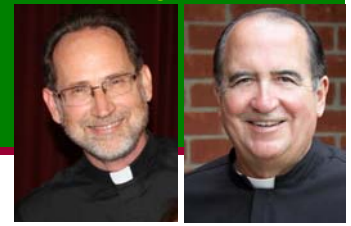
Sign-ups for donors and walkers for the 44th Annual Walk for the Hungry are on the patio this weekend and next after all Masses. Forms are also available at the parish office. OLA fields the largest contingent of walkers each year.

The event on Saturday, Oct. 14, winds through the campus of the Claremont Colleges beginning at 101 S. Mills Ave. (off First Street). The event features farmer's market showcase, a food drive, free popcorn and family fun before the walk starts at 10 a.m.

Mark your calendar and collect donations from family, friends and neighbors on behalf of the poor and hungry. If you cannot walk, sponsor one of our "celebrity walkers" at the table on the patio. Remember that \$1 in donations can be converted into five pounds of nutritious food by Inland Valley Hope Partners, a consortium of local churches and organizations that serves over 5,000 individuals each month at food pantries throughout region. *\*Not pictured: Avery Villanueva and Elizabeth Preciado*

## October is Respect Life Month

- Asterik Bennet Gutierrez of *The Catholic View for Women* on EWTN will speak at a volunteer luncheon Saturday Oct. 14, from 1 to 3 p.m. Invited are **all who have supported OLA for Life** through the year by contributing either money or baby clothing or prayer at vigils at local abortion facilities. RSVP to Terry Moore of OLA for Life at (909) 297-9302.
- **Donations to this Sunday's baby shower on the patio** will benefit The Women's Resource Pregnancy Centers in Los Angeles under the direction of Mrs. Bennet Gutierrez (see above).
- The current **Forty Days for Life** National Campaign runs through Nov. 5. All are invited to the Planned Parenthood (abortion facility) at Garey Ave. just south of the 10 Fwy to join daily prayer vigils from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.
- **Come and Walk for Life Sundays, Oct. 21 and Oct. 28**, from 10 a.m. to noon. Wear your "I Am the Pro-Life Generation" tee-shirt or purchase one through Terry Moore (see above). Youth under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. The groups walks from OLA to Yogurtland on Indian Hill Blvd. Oct. 21 and to the park at Harrison/Indian Hill for a picnic Oct. 28.



Clockwise, top left: Fr. Ron Clark, Fr. Charles, Fr. Thuan Nguyen, Bernadette Boyle, Neomi Torres, Victor Hernandez, Pinky Reymundo, and Susan Villanueva



Deacon John & Joyce Tullius

Deacon Jim & Karen Allgaier



## Matching challenge for Domond Foundation fundraiser

An anonymous donor is willing to match 25% of any donation made to the Jeff C. Domond Foundation between now and the date of its annual fundraising gala – Saturday, Nov. 11. If \$40,000 is raised, the donor will give an additional \$10,000!

What is it all about? For ten years, Deacon Joe Domond has organized an annual medical mission to Haiti, one of the poorest countries in the world, beset by poverty and natural disasters. He will be taking doctors, dentists, physical therapists, ophthalmologists and others in 2018 to people who may never have seen a professional. At this time he is raising funds to build a medical clinic so that the rural community can have year-round medical care. The foundation also supports a school and clean water systems.

For more information, and to RSVP for the gala, visit [www.jeffcdomondfoundation.org](http://www.jeffcdomondfoundation.org).

# Comunidad Habla Hispana

Esta semana

## **Miércoles, 11 de Octubre**

Grupo de Dios (Oración)

4 p.m. en el Salón Sapienza

## **Jueves, 12 de Octubre**

Cristo Vive (Oración)

6:45p.m. en la Auditorio

## **Viernes, 13 de Octubre**

Hola Ángeles (Jóvenes)

7 p.m. en el Salón  
de Jóvenes (Junction)

Encuentro Matrimonial

7 p.m. en el convento

Coro

7 p.m. en el Salón Felician  
(Biblioteca)

## **Mañanitas**

Ultimo domingo del mes

## **Bodas**

Se requiere un mínimo de seis meses de anticipación. Favor de comunicarse a la oficina parroquial.

## **Quinceañeras**

Celebraciones comunitarias cada segundo sábado del mes a las 12 p.m. o una bendición durante la Misa dominical. Favor de comunicarse a la oficina parroquial con un mínimo de tres meses de anticipación.

## **Bautizos**

Cada segundo sábado del mes a las 10 a.m. Se requiere una orientación y una clase de preparación. Favor de comunicarse a la oficina parroquial.

## Apoyemos a la Caminata por el Hambre Sábado, 14 de Octubre en Claremont

Apoye a nuestras celebridades que caminaran por el hambre poniendo su nombre en las hojas del patrocinador en el patio que comienza este fin de semana después de las Misa en inglés. Regístrese para caminar y pídele a su familia y amigos que lo apoyen. Entre las comunidades de fe locales, nuestra parroquia es la que tiene más participantes.

Apunte la fecha del sábado, 14 de octubre, para el 44 Aniversario de la Caminata para el Hambre, organizado por Inland Valley Hope Partners. El evento ha cambiado a un sábado y comienza a las 10 a.m. para reducir los problemas con el clima caliente.

La caminata de este año incluirá una exhibición del mercado de los agricultores, recaudación de comida para los necesitados, palomitas de maíz gratis y diversión familiar. Para más detalles, visite el sitio web [inlandvalleyhopepartners.org](http://inlandvalleyhopepartners.org).



## Encuentro Matrimonial

Dense el regalo de vivir el fin de semana del Encuentro Matrimonial. Para mas información favor de comunicarse con Armando y Lucrecia López al (909) 236-8606.

## Village Venture

La escuela y la parroquia de Nuestra Señora de la Asunción están copatrocinando un puesto en el Village Venture anual en el centro de Claremont el sábado, 28 de octubre de 9am a 5pm. Un desfile de disfraces para niños comienza a las 9:30 am. Se les invita a todas las familias a participar y gozar de un día familiar. Para mas información visite la pagina [VillageVentureCraftsFaire.org](http://VillageVentureCraftsFaire.org).



## Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos



RICA, es un proceso de preparación para adultos\* para recibir los sacramentos en la Iglesia Católica. ¡Este año se ofrece un proceso de habla hispana para adultos!

Para mas información comuníquese con Magali Amezcua al 909-626-3596 para más información.



# 8 Administration

Parish Offertory Collection	
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	\$ 21,674
Online	\$ 3,161
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$24,835</b>
<u>Budget</u>	<u>\$22,972</u>
Over Budget	\$ 1,863



## OLA is 2017 Green Faith-Based Leader

Receiving the award from Sustainable Claremont are Jean McKenna, bulletin editor who writes the weekly *Laudato Si* feature, Deacon John Tullius who initiated the *Laudato Si* study, workshops and expo, Chris Shaner of JustAct Ministry's core team, Father Charles, and Linda and Joe Michon who founded and energize OLA Fair Trade Ministry/Fair Trade Claremont. Others instrumental in moving OLA forward include JustAct Ministry leaders, *Laudato Si* participants, and our Facilities Master Plan Committee which is creating plans for a sustainable renovation of our church in 2018 under the direction of Fr. Charles and Neomi Torres.



## Prayer Requests



### ***For our sick and suffering...***

**Recent:** Roberto Aguilar, Maureen Coleman, Deacon art Escovedo, Sarah Ibarra, Michael Anthony Marcus, Luis Meneses, and Richard Nunez

**Previously:** Abigail Aguilar, Linda Almaraz, Helena Alvarez, Antonio Anabo, Elena Bass, Michael Berrett, Boyens-Borgstahl Family, Dana Bran, Jose Luis Diaz, Aby Juanita Duffy, Avery Dunn, Jr., Noah Edgington, Alice Egue, Brian Elwell, Alejandra Escobar, Manuel Espinoza, Paulina Estrada, Julieta Fajardo, George Fitzpatrick, Sylvia Leon Flores, Eusevia "Cheva" Garcia, Martha Ho Thi Giao, Sr. Feliz Gil-Jimenez, Anna Gonzalez, Candida Gonzalez, Manuel Gonzalez, Sabina Guadarrama, Dolores Hart, Martha Hiraeta, Rose Ianno, Pauline Johnston, Carol Kelley, Elizabeth Landeros, Kate-Linn McGarry, Sandra Morales, Hope Moreno, Hue Nguyen, Leticia Nimith, Richard Nuñez, Vicente Ortiz, Marguerite O'Tolle-Frontaine, Carmen Pacheco, Theresa Paris, Richard Patterson, Shirley Patton, Kristyn Phoebe, Elvia Ponce, Michael Portolesi, Pauline Regalado, Manuel Rillera, Mary Lou Roblin, Alberto Rodriguez, Maria Rodriguez, Emma I. Romero, Juan Romero, Maria Salazar, Alicia Sambrano, David Speidel, Monica Stephenson, Sylvia Stephens, Thiem Tran, Gloria Trejo, Vince Ventura, Matthew Viencek, Roberta Vincente and Gary Zarate

***For our beloved deceased...*** Timothy Greenman, son of Ruth Greenman; Maria Lopez Gonzalez, mother of Julie Huezco; and for the family and friends who mourn their loss



# Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Church

435 Berkeley Avenue – Claremont, CA 91711

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Interested in the Catholic Church? We invite you to one of our Inquiry sessions. Call Kathy Steighner at 626-3596, ext. 4221, for more information.

Baptisms Brochures about the Sacrament of Baptism are available at the display case on the patio, or the parish and Faith Formation offices. Please call 4-6 weeks before the date of Baptism. For English Baptisms, please contact the parish office at 626-3596, ext. 0. For Spanish Baptisms, please contact Magali Amezcua at 626-3596, ext. 4211

Weddings Congratulations! Please call the parish office at least six months ahead for preparation, scheduling, and an appointment with a priest. Weddings are scheduled Saturdays at 10 a.m., noon, and 2 p.m. Visit the display case on the patio for more information.

Anointing of the Sick Please call the parish office day or night.

Hospital/Home Visits For distribution of Holy Communion, please contact the parish office.

Funeral Arrangements Please contact the parish office for help with services and special needs.

Stephen Ministry This one-on-one care-giving ministry at OLA is available upon request to those seeking emotional and spiritual support through a life challenge such as loss of a job, personal illness, separation or divorce, illness or the death of a loved one. Please call 626-3596, ext. 4332 to leave a confidential message.

St. Vincent de Paul Society Hotline One-time emergency assistance for individuals and families. Call (909) 626-3596, ext. 4333, to leave a message. Your call will be returned by a volunteer case manager.

## Sunday Mass Schedule

7:00 a.m. Cantor-led song  
9:00 a.m. Contemporary ensemble  
11:00 a.m. Contemporary ensemble  
1:00 p.m. Spanish Mass  
3:00 p.m. Vietnamese Mass  
5:00 p.m. Teen/Contemporary  
7:00 p.m. Cantor-led song

## Saturday Vigil Masses

4:00 p.m. Cantor-led song  
5:30 p.m. Contemporary ensemble  
or cantor-led song

## Weekday Mass Schedule

6:30 a.m. Monday through Friday  
8:00 a.m. Friday (School Mass)  
5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday  
8:00 a.m. Saturday

## Saturday Confessions

3:00 – 3:45 p.m. English/Spanish  
6:30 p.m. English

## How to Reach Us

Parish Office (909) 626-3596

Fax (909) 624-3680

Website: [www.olaclaremont.org](http://www.olaclaremont.org)

email Address: [reception@olaclaremont.org](mailto:reception@olaclaremont.org)

## Parish Office Hours

Open 8:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Monday – Thursday,

Open Friday 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Open Saturday and Sunday 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Lunch break from 12:30 to 1 p.m.)

## Parish Staff

Rev. Charles J. Ramirez, Pastor

Rev. Ron Clark, Associate Pastor

Rev. Thuan Nguyen, Associate Pastor

Rev. Chris Troxell, Associate Pastor

Deacon Jim and Karen Allgaier

Deacon Joe and Rita Domond

Deacon Bob and Kathy Steighner

Deacon John and Joyce Tullius

Deacon Art and Nadine Escovedo, retired

Neomi Torres, Director of Parish Administration (x4203)

Victor Hernandez, Director of Faith Formation (x4213)

Dcn. Bob Steighner, Liturgy Coordinator (x4234)

Dcn. Jim Allgaier, Outreach/Stewardship Coord. (x4216)

Teresa Arredondo, Youth Ministry Coordinator (x4215)

Mary Muñoz, Coordinator of Music Ministry (x4263)

Kathy Steighner, Christian Initiation Coordinator (x4221)

Jean McKenna, Communications Coordinator (x4217)

Bing Macavinta, Bookkeeper (x4232)

Katy Salisbury, Administrative Assistant (x4268)

Sandra Rojas Leonor, Administrative Secretary (x4231)

Roberto Roman, Spanish Choir

Dong Le, Vietnamese Choir

## Faith Formation and Religious Education

Faith Formation Center (909) 624-1360

Victor Hernandez, Director of Faith Formation (x4213)

Monday through Thursday from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Sundays 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

## OLA Catholic School

611 W. Bonita Ave., Claremont, CA 91711

Tel. (909) 626-7135 Fax (909) 398-1395

Principal Bernadette Boyle

Monday - Thursday 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Fridays 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Website: [www.ola-ca.org](http://www.ola-ca.org)

Bulletin deadline is **Sunday** for the following weekend. Bring copy to the parish office or email [bulletin@olaclaremont.org](mailto:bulletin@olaclaremont.org).

# OLA Fall Calendar

Tuesday, Oct. 10	Mid-Week Adoration at 7 p.m. in church with confessions available
Wednesday, Oct. 11	Catholic High School Info Night begins at 7 p.m. in church (See Pg. 5)
Saturday, Oct. 14	44th Annual Walk for the Hungry in Claremont begins at 10 a.m. (See Pg. 6)
Saturday, Oct. 21	Annual Chaucer Memorial Mass at 5:30 p.m. with medieval ensemble
Saturday, Oct. 21	Oktoberfest at OLA from 6 to 10 p.m.; sign up starting Oct. 1 (See below)
Sunday, Oct. 22	Presentation in the auditorium by the Jeff Domond Foundation (Haiti)
Saturday, Oct. 28	Village Venture in Claremont with OLA Booth No. 726 (See Pg. 3)
Friday, Oct. 27	Knights' fundraiser at El Rancharo Restaurant from 4 to 10 p.m. (See Pg.3)
Oct. 28-29	Stewardship Renewal Announcement Weekend
Tuesday, Oct. 31	Vigil Mass at 5:30 p.m. for All Saints, a holy day of obligation
Wednesday, Nov. 1	Feast of All Saints, a holy day of obligation, Masses at 6:30 and 8 a.m., 5:30 (English/Spanish) and 7:30 p.m. (Vietnamese)
Thursday, Nov. 9	Annual Memorial Mass at 7 p.m. for our beloved deceased
Fri/Sat, Nov. 10 & 11	Festival at Pilgrim Place from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., food, crafts, fun for kids
Saturday, Nov. 11	Annual Gala Fundraiser for Domond Foundation in Claremont
Tuesday, Nov. 14	Mid-Week Adoration in the church at 7 p.m., with confession available
Sunday, Nov. 19	32nd Annual Alternative Gift Christmas Market from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 26	OLA Blood Drive from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the auditorium (Rescheduled)

## Sign up now for Oktoberfest!

It's the time of year for celebrating cooler temperatures, donning our *lederhosen*, raising a *stein*, yodeling our hearts out, digging into sausages and sauerkraut, and dancing it off! All of this is possible at OLA's *Oktoberfest* planned Saturday, Oct. 21, from 6 to 10 p.m., courtesy of the Ladies of Columbus. This year a new formula opens the fun to all adults: Bring a salad or dessert to share and the Ladies will provide the main course. Sign up at the information table on the patio, and join the fun!



**Gift and 50/50 raffles will raise funds for worthy local causes:**

<i>Crossroads</i>	<i>House of Ruth</i>
<i>Shoes That Fit</i>	<i>OLA School</i>
<i>OLA Priests</i>	<i>Youth Ministry</i>
<i>Summer Mission Trip and more</i>	



Beer and wine will be available at a no-host bar. This year, Upland's Rök House Brewing Company will be serving its craft beer on tap. It's the perfect complement with sausage and sauerkraut, *nein?*