



# Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**July 16, 2017**

A sower went out to sow.  
Some seed fell on the path . . . some fell on rocky ground.  
. . . Some seed fell among thorns.  
. . . But some fell on rich soil, and produced fruit.

Matthew 13:3, 4, 5, 7, 8

**Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Community**

## 2 Be open to the Lord's teachings

In today's Gospel Reading from St. Matthew, Christ is asked why he speaks in parables. His response in part is the statement, "To anyone who has, more will be given and he will grow rich; from anyone who has not, even what he has will be taken away." Christ's parables, of which there are many, may not always make sense to us, unless we consider them carefully.

Christ's speaking in and relating to parables has everything to do with what we call The Word. If we listen conscientiously to the Word (represented by our readings at Masses and to the homily we hear), we may, and perhaps even should, grasp the meaning. The Word is filled with the deeper truths of the Bible. God opens our eyes and ears to these truths, but we must be amenable to them and must be willing to try to understand them. Too often we merely listen and do not hear. We go through the motions, when our total concentration should be on what we are being told. First of all we need to appreciate that only God can open the eyes and ears of each of us.

One of the popular phrases about stewardship is "an attitude of gratitude." That is so important. On a bad day, even the most hardened of us can find one thing for which to be grateful, and that can adjust everything in our thought processes. Are we closed to the teachings of Jesus? If we open our minds and concentrate, the Lord's teachings may unfold to us like nothing we have ever experienced previously.

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### Update on our strategic planning process

To accomplish our mission of building up God's Church and the OLA faith community, we must continually evaluate our current approach to ensure we are making progress toward our goals. The last parish-wide strategic planning process took place in 2012. This plan's five-year timeline has concluded. As a result of this process, the parish created a design for updating our church, launched a successful capital campaign, initiated a new program of family-based faith formation, hired a new outreach coordinator, expanded our teen and young adult ministries, grew participation in outreach ministries, and strengthened our leadership councils. We want to thank everyone whose contribution of time and talent helped our parish establish and achieve goals not otherwise possible.

Our 2018 strategic planning process launched last weekend with 35 parishioners and staff led by Deacon Jim Allgaier and a team of five parish volunteers proficient in the strategic planning process: Margaret Atwood, Chris and Lucia Robles, Maggie Grosjean and Estella Villegas. Participants were asked to identify parish Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats. This SWOT analysis, along with the Gallup survey, will provide a snapshot of what's working in our parish and where we can make improvements.

Sound interesting? It's not too late to join and contribute your unique perspective. Our next meeting is Sunday, Aug. 13, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Alexander Hughes Community Center. RSVP to Deacon Jim at (909) 626-3596, ext. 4216.

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## Liturgical events

### Midweek Adoration

with confession will return Wednesday, July 19, from 7 to 8 p.m. in the church. Come and spend an hour in the presence of the real Body of Christ, and offer your prayers for the needs of this world – around the globe, throughout our nation, in our community or across your kitchen table.



## Summer campus

**The parish office closes** one hour earlier on the weekend beginning this month. New hours are Saturday and Sunday from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Summer weekday office hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. until Aug. 18.

**During the week of July 17-21,** the following rooms will not be available for meetings: School offices, Sapienza Room, Computer Lab.

**The annual campus shut down** for maintenance is July 31 – Aug. 18. Groups may use the auditorium and convent on weekends.

## Highlights

**Young adults** are invited to join Bishop O'Connell at a regional conference July 22.  
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**CHAP** is in need of volunteers to fill positions at its nightly shelter for the homeless in Claremont. Many hands make light work!  
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## community life

### Survey deadline is July 17

Many thanks to everyone who has completed a parish survey. If not, forms may be found at church entrances, at the parish office and online at [www.olaclaremont.org](http://www.olaclaremont.org).

This survey will give us a collective view of the spiritual health of our parish. The data will show us where we are doing well and help us see the areas that need our attention to make us a stronger parish.

The surveys will be tabulated by the renowned Gallup organization in strict confidentiality. Results will be communicated to the parish-at-large as soon as they are available.

Results of the survey will also form the foundation for the strategic planning process which has just begun. The OLA Pastoral Council will be joined by a core group of parish leaders at several key planning meetings during the summer. In the fall, the parish coordinating councils will continue writing a new mission statement, new strategic goals and action plans for the next three years. (See Page 2.)



## WOW summer

OLA's **W**idows **O**r **W**idowers and other singles will meet for dinner on Thursday, July 27, at 5:30 p.m. at Fu Lin Chinese Restaurant, 9645 Central Ave, Montclair. Easy parking and entrance is behind the building.



Beat the heat and treat yourself to an evening out. Enjoy friendly company and a delicious meal (on your own). Bring a friend! All are welcome!

Fu Lin has requested a reservation to better serve the group. Please reserve a seat by calling Jo Pearring at (909) 626-0489 or Jean O'Donnell (909) 624-3392 by Wednesday, July 26.

**MONDAY, July 17**

*Ex 1:8-14, 22; Ps 124:1b-8;*

*Mt 10:34 — 11:1*

**6:30am** Rev. Luis Alberto Guido  
✠Maria Lam Thi Nu, ✠Anna,  
**5:30pm** ✠Angelita Heredia  
Gloria Nido, Herbert Younger

**TUESDAY, July 18**

*St. Camillus de Lellis*

*Ex 2:1-15a; Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34;*

*Mt 11:20-24*

**6:30am** ✠Doris S. K. Morishita  
Mary Ellen Moylan  
Lyla Newcomb

**WEDNESDAY, July 19**

*Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Ps 103:1b-4, 6-7;*

*Mt 11:25-27*

**6:30am** ✠Maria, ✠Maria Hien Tran  
✠Craig Keenan  
**5:30pm** ✠Pat Dyer, ✠Guadalupe  
Daniel Ayala, ✠Peggy Shindo

**THURSDAY, July 20**

*St. Apollinaris*

*Ex 3:13-20; Ps 105:1, 5, 8-9, 24-27;*

*Mt 11:28-30*

**6:30am** In Thanksgiving, For Peace,  
✠All Souls

**FRIDAY, July 21**

*St. Lawrence of Brindisi*

*Ex 11:10 — 12:14; Ps 116:12-13, 15,  
16bc, 17-18; Mt 12:1-8*

**8:15am** ✠Giuse,  
✠Mable & Stanley Costner  
✠Maria del Carmen Sifuentes  
**5:30pm** Mileng Leyble, ✠Joanna  
For Family Members

**SATURDAY, July 22**

*St. Mary Magdalene*

*Ex 12:37-42; Ps 136:1, 23-24, 10-15;  
Jn 20:1-2, 11-18*

**4:00pm** In Thanksgiving to God  
✠Dominico Vicente  
**5:30pm** ✠Mary Ellen Moylan

**SUNDAY, July 23**

*16th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-  
16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 [24-30]*

**7:00am** ✠Daminh, ✠Vicente  
**9:00am** For the People of the Parish  
**11:00am** ✠George W. Shearer  
✠Frank Mondello  
**1:00pm** Juan Quesada,  
✠Maria Graciela Belmont  
**3:00pm** In Thanksgiving, ✠Giuse,  
✠Micae Dang The Cuong  
**5:00pm** Fr. Chris Troxell  
**7:00pm** ✠Steve Kay, ✠Brian Bueno

✠Deceased

Young  
Adult  
Ministry

We invite  
each young  
adult age 18  
to 35 to  
grow spiritu-  
ally, form

authentic friendships and have fun  
through our social, educational and  
prayer nights together. Will you rest  
your heart in Him? We'll be more  
than happy to see you at regular meetings Thursdays from 7 to 9 p.m. in  
the convent. Join our *Young Adults of OLA* Facebook group. Or you  
may e-mail us anytime at [youngadultsola@gmail.com](mailto:youngadultsola@gmail.com) for details.

Thursday, July 20

Ladies and Gentlemen Session No. 4

Saturday, July 22

Men attend field event at Holy Name of Mary  
Young Adult Conference in Azusa with Bishop  
David O'Connell (See Page 5)



OLA Teen Ministry



*OLA's first-ever Junior High Summer Mission Trip got a rousing send-off to Sacramento for five days of service at the Ronald McDonald House. Group of five was led by Enrique and Alicia Cerrillos.*

**Sunday, July 16**

All high school teens are invited to join us for dinner and a second night of our Legacy Series led by Mariela and Max.

**Every Tuesday**

Join the Heights Youth Ministry from 3 to 5:30 p.m. at the Starbucks in the Claremont Village for Caffeine and Catechism. Join us for your favorite drink and time together as a community.

**Teresa Arredondo**  
Youth Ministry Coordinator  
[tarredondo@olacclaremont.org](mailto:tarredondo@olacclaremont.org)  
(909) 626-3596, ext. 4215

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## **Recent Rite of Acceptance and Welcome**

brought new faces into our Christian Initiation (RCIA) community. Pictured are (Top row) Shannon Gidley, Elizabeth Eubanks, Desiree Magnano, Fr. Thuan, Debbie Jara, Jose Trujillo, Deacon Bob; (Bottom row) Sharon Lopez-Zamora, Lisa Trejo, Steve Alas, Jackie Hernandez-Trujillo, Jason Cordova. Not picture as those yet to participate in this rite: Jenna De Partee, Paul De Partee and Sam Worzka. Please pray for their progress in preparing to join the Catholic Church and celebrate the Sacraments of Initiation.

## OLA School

Applications for new students are now being accepted at OLA School for the academic year 2017-2018. Call weekdays for more information or to arrange a personal tour at (909) 626-7135.

### Summer School

Experienced educators staff OLA Summer School in final session July 3 to July 14. Offered are Reading and Writing (K-7), Math (K-5) and Study Skills (4-7), in addition to Algebra Review (6-7). Students may register for up to three one-hour classes per session at \$100 per class plus \$50 registration fee.

### Summer Camp

Summer Camp is open June 19 to July 28 for kids ages four to thirteen, Monday to Friday, 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Weekly, daily or minimum day rates are available. The fun comes to OLA for art, drama, dance, gardening, cooking, sports, water fun, science and raffles. Call (909) 626-7135.

## Vacation Bible School

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church welcomes children to its summer program July 17-21 in Claremont (1700 N. Town Ave.). Theme is *Passport to Peru: Discovering God's Good Gifts*.

Hours are 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Snack and lunch are served daily. Included are music, games, crafts and Bible stories.

Registration will be accepted on the first day (Monday) for \$15 per child or \$30 per family.

For more information, call (909) 626-2714 or visit

[www.egoodshepherd.org](http://www.egoodshepherd.org)



Featuring Bishop David O'Connell along with a variety of speakers and liturgies for ages 18 to 35. Cost is \$35 per person or \$55 per couple. To obtain tickets, visit the website <http://www.1witness.org>.

# 6 Outreach

## Help CHAP and change lives

Claremont Homeless Advocacy Program (CHAP), part of Inland Valley Hope Partners, provides overnight accommodations at the Friends Meeting House on Harrison Avenue for our homeless neighbors. Our participants are offered meals, showers, a safe place to sleep and the support of a dedicated Advocate as they work towards more sustainable living situations. Since CHAP was established four years ago, our volunteers have helped 15 of persons move from the street to employment and sustainable housing. CHAP currently needs help for the following assignments:

**Opening Hosts** – On duty from 8:00 PM to 10:00 PM to welcome participants as they check in for the night.

**Overnight Hosts** – on duty from 10:00 PM to 6:00 AM to ensure a safe and quiet night at the Meeting House.

**Closing Hosts** – on duty from 6:00 AM to 8:00 AM to supervise breakfast activities and to ensure that the Meeting House is in good order by the 8:00 AM departure deadline.

**Laundry Volunteers** – to launder towels one day each week to provide bath linens to help keep our participants clean and healthy.

If you're interested in joining us, please call or text Bruce Dane at (423)754-0135, [brucedane16@gmail.com](mailto:brucedane16@gmail.com) or call Pati Weaver at (909) 946-5447. Thank you!

## Bread Angels

Last week, an OLA tradition came to an end. In the spring of 2008, a handful of volunteers began picking up surplus baked goods from Costco of San Dimas and delivering them to food banks throughout our area. Over the years, tons of precious food were taken, five days a week, to a wide variety of organizations dedicated to food security for all people.

This food was brought to OLA and Holy Name of Mary on the weekends where it was converted into your cash donations which were, in turn, given to Hope Partners. Now we encourage you to continue supporting our local food banks with a cash donation. The blue box (formerly on the "bread table") will now be at the end of the donut line; please do not put your donut money in it but reach a little deeper and see what you can do to help those in need. P.S. Costco will continue its surplus donation program through another agency.

## 'Stop Poverty' to visit OLA patio

The Stop Poverty Foundation will be on the patio next Sunday, July 23, with information about its *Love and Peace Awakening* inspirational concert Saturday, Sept. 16, at 5 p.m. The venue is the California Educational Performing Arts Center, 11255 Central Ave., Ontario. Its goal is to reach at least \$30,000 from the sale of tickets at \$25 and \$50 (VIP seats) and sponsorships from businesses and private donors who will be listed in its printed program.

You can support this network that provides financial aid to deserving students, funding to start a small business, grants to improve housing and living conditions, as well as mass feeding and basic relief to the homeless, low-income families, abandoned and neglected elders and families affected by disaster.

Although this organization started with a Catholic prayer group, it now encompasses a variety of organizations concentrated in Southern California. For more information, visit [www.stoppovertyfoundation.org](http://www.stoppovertyfoundation.org).

# Laudato Si

*A letter to the world  
from Pope Francis*

***"Our insistence that each human being is an image of God should not make us overlook the fact that each creature has its own purpose. None is superfluous. The entire material universe speaks of God's love, his boundless affection for us. Soil, water, mountains: everything is, as it were, a caress of God." (Paragraph 84)***

## Esta semana

**Debido a la limpieza de los salones, les pedimos hablar a la oficina parroquial para saber en que salón se llevarán acabo las reuniones.**

**Martes, 18 de julio**

Servidores Cristo Vive

7 p.m.

**Miércoles, 19 de julio**

Grupo de Dios (Oración)

4 p.m.

Cristo Vive (Coro)

7 p.m.

**Jueves, 20 de julio**

Cristo Vive (Oración)

6:45p.m.

**Viernes, 21 de julio**

Hola Ángeles (Jóvenes)

7 p.m.

Encuentro Matrimonial

7 p.m.

Coro ensayos los viernes

Estarán en receso durante el verano.

**Mañanitas**

Ultimo domingo del mes

**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.

## Actualización de nuestro proceso de planificación estratégica

Para cumplir nuestra misión de edificar la Iglesia de Dios y nuestra comunidad de fe, debemos evaluar continuamente nuestro enfoque actual para asegurar que estamos progresando hacia nuestros objetivos. El último proceso de planificación estratégica de toda la parroquia tuvo lugar en el 2012. Este plan de cinco años ha concluido. Como resultado de este proceso, la parroquia creó un diseño para actualizar nuestra iglesia, lanzó una campaña capital exitosa, inició un nuevo programa de formación religiosa basada en la familia, amplió nuestros ministerios de adolescentes y jóvenes adultos y fortaleció nuestros consejos de liderazgo. Queremos agradecer a todos aquellos cuya contribución de tiempo y talento ayudó a nuestra parroquia a establecer y alcanzar metas que no son posibles de otra manera.

Nuestro proceso de planificación estratégica del 2018 se inició el pasado fin de semana con 35 feligreses y personal dirigido por el Diácono Jim Allgaier y un equipo de cinco voluntarios parroquiales competentes en el proceso de planificación estratégica: Margaret Atwood, Chris y Lucia Robles, Maggie Grosjean y Estella Villegas. Se pidió a los participantes que identificaran las Fortalezas, Debilidades, Oportunidades y Amenazas de la parroquia. Este análisis junto con la encuesta Gallup, proporcionará una informes de lo que está funcionando en nuestra parroquia y donde podemos mejorar.

¿Suena interesante? No es demasiado tarde para unirse y contribuir con su perspectiva única. Nuestra próxima reunión es el domingo, 13 de agosto, de 11:30 am a 1 p.m. En el Centro Comunitario Alexander Hughes. Si esta interesado/a, favor de comunicarse a la oficina parroquial con Sandra Leonor al (909) 626-3596, ext. 4231.



## Grupo de Jóvenes Hola Ángeles

Nuestro objetivo es motivar a los adolescentes de Nuestra Señora de la Asunción y crear una comunidad ayudando, aprendiendo, inspirando, conociendo y poniendo en práctica el servicio. Crear un ambiente divertido, cómodo, animador y espiritual entre los adolescentes a fin de apoyar en los problemas que

la juventud vive diariamente, guiándonos con El Espíritu Santo y dejándonos llevar por Dios. Todos están invitados a reunirse con nosotros todos los viernes de 7:00 a 9:00 p.m. Durante el verano se reunirán fuera de la Iglesia. Para mas informes favor de hablar a la oficina parroquial.

¡Te Esperamos!

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# Administration

## Update on our capital campaign and church renovation:

Here is a summary of last week's message from Fr. Charles. Thank you for your continued contributions and prayers for the success of our church renovation project. We expect to have final approval from the Archdiocese in September, with a start of construction in late spring of 2018.

1. Our Capital Campaign raised \$5.1 Million in commitments from our generous parishioners; to date \$2.2 Million has been paid.
2. We had hoped to begin construction this summer, but we have not received approval of our plans from the Archdiocesan Liturgical and Building Commissions. The final approval from these entities is still pending, and we cannot move on to the next phase without their permission. The Archdiocese does not meet in July and August so the earliest date to present our revised plan is in September.
3. Once we have been approved, we can begin with working blueprints, the bidding process, and signing of contracts. Realistically, the start of construction will be in late spring of 2018.
4. We have exposed cracks in the brick walls of the church, and some of the rebar has been deteriorating. We are in the process of hiring a company to visit the site and scan sections of the exterior wall with a Ground Penetrating Radar.
5. In the interim, we will be finalizing our landscape master plan. This will include drought tolerant landscaping, a drip irrigation and sensor watering system. Every effort will be made to retain all existing trees as part of our plan!
6. Our ongoing commitment to conservation and preservation during the project is very important to us.
7. The new roofing system will provide increased insulation and energy savings.
8. Skylights and side windows will provide natural lighting.
9. The church will use an LED efficient light system
10. New energy-efficient air-conditioning and heating system will increase comfort and cost savings.
11. You are invited to view the drawings on the parish website at [www.olaclaremont.org](http://www.olaclaremont.org).



## Prayer Requests



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

**Recent:** Alex Caballero, Sophie Peltz and Corrine Ybarra

**Previously:** Abigail Aguilar, Esther Aguirre, Maria Alcala, Linda Almaraz, Helena Alvarez, Antonio Anabo, Elena Bass, Michael Berrett, Dana Bran, Marcia Brunner, 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, Martha Ho Thi Giao, Sr. Feliz Gil-Jimenez, Manuel Gonzalez, Anna Gonzalez, Francis Gorge, Sabina Guadarrama, Dolores Hart, Juan Manuel Hernandez, Martha Hiraeta, Rose Ianno, Pauline Johnston, Carol Kelley, Gregorio Maravilla, Gladys Mayorga, Kate-Linn McGarry, Sandra Morales, Hope Moreno, Leticia Nimith, Richard Nuñez, Vicente Ortiz, Marguerite O'Tolle-Frontaine, Carmen Pacheco, Theresa Paris, Richard Patterson, Kristyn Phoebe, Michael Portolesi, Pauline Regalado, Valentina Repetti, Alberto Rodriguez, Emma I. Romero, Juan Romero, Maria Salazar, Alicia Sambrano, David Speidel, Monica Stephenson, Sylvia Stephens, Thang Truong, Marie Vancek, and Ngan Thi Vu

***For our beloved deceased...*** James Thomas Henry, son of David and Wendi Henri, brother of Kelli and Bridget; Frank Mondello, father of Angela Jacob; 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 Welcome Cart on the patio after weekend Masses, as well as 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, contact Elena Cardeña at 626-3596, ext. 4213.

Weddings Congratulations! Please call Fr. Chris Troxell, associate pastor (ext. 272), at least six months ahead for preparation and scheduling. 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 Thursday  
8:15 a.m. Weekly on Fridays only, and  
First Saturday following First Friday  
5:30 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday

## 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. Chris Troxell, Associate Pastor

Rev. Thuan Nguyen, 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

Dcn. Bob Steighner, Liturgy Coordinator (x4234)

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

Neomi Torres, Dir. of Administration (x4203)

Bing Macavinta, Bookkeeper (x4232)

Jean McKenna, Communications Coord. (x4217)

Katy Salisbury, Administrative Assistant (x4268)

Sandra Rojas Leonor, Administrative Secretary (x4231)

Teresa Arredondo, Youth Ministry Coordinator (x4215)

Kathy Steighner, Christian Initiation Coordinator (x4221)

Mary Robles, Coordinator of Music Ministry (x4263)

Roberto Roman, Spanish Choir

Dong Le, Vietnamese Choir

## Faith Formation and Religious Education

Faith Formation Center (909) 624-1360

Elena Cardeña, Director of Faith Formation (x4213)

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

## OLA Catholic School

611 W. Bonita Ave., Claremont, CA 91711

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

Principal Bernadette Boyle

Office is open Mon-Thurs 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).



**In the spotlight...**

**At Claremont's Memorial Park**

# An OLA Fourth of July



*Knights of Columbus were the "go to" guys at the Food Court.*



*Joyce Sokolowski displayed a spirit of unity on our nation's birthday.*



*The Fair Trade table, staffed by OLA members, reported that more people recognize the cause of Fair Trade and are eager to learn more.*



*Ladies of Columbus showed up in force to serve a hungry crowd. (Sorry, the group photo was too shady, but who wanted to pose in the hot sun?)*

*Lady of Columbus Marie Assman reported that the recent USO collection to support military personnel traveling through Ontario Airport netted \$1,000 from OLA parishioners. Large numbers are served in summertime while they wait for connections in a special terminal.*



*RIGHT: Tony Federico poses for his annual patriotic photo.*

