



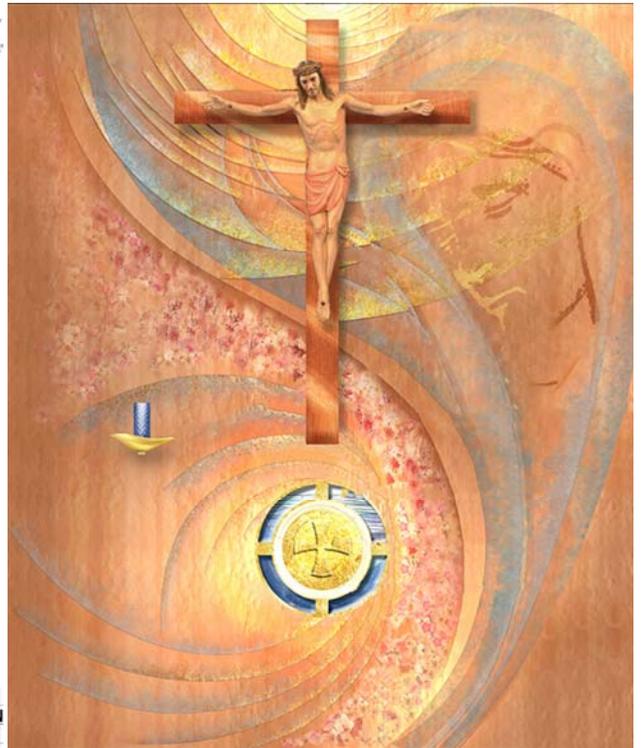
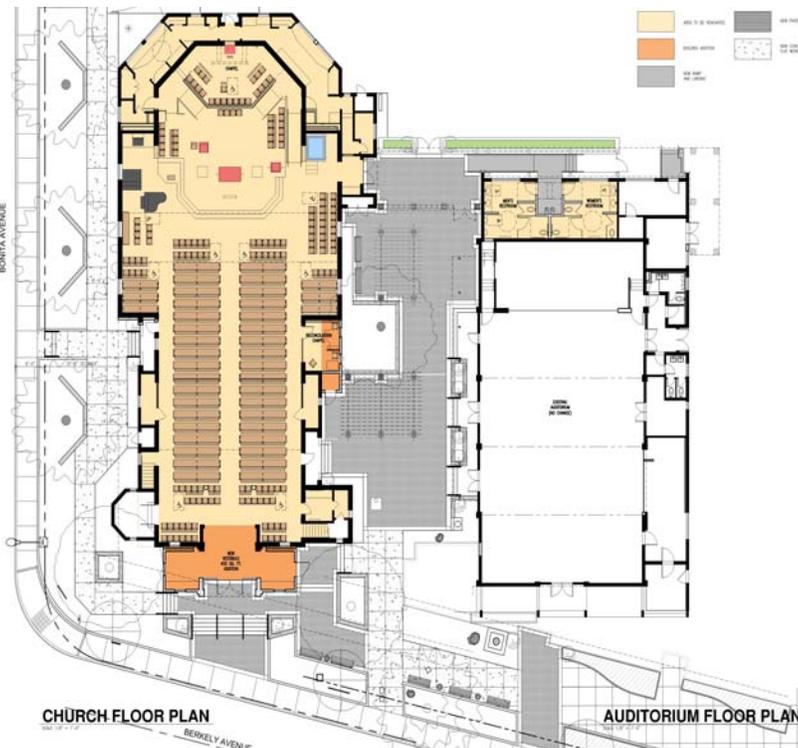
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A NEW HOME  
FOR A RENEWED COMMUNITY



# Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Community

Week of August 5, 2018



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## Church renovation to begin Oct. 1

*I would like to introduce Rick Lopez, Project Manager for the renovation of our church. He has over 30 years of construction management experience and specializes in projects for Catholic parishes in Southern California. The new parish hall at Holy Name of Mary is among the dozen renovations and new buildings he has successfully completed. I have every confidence in his ability to meet the challenges of our project with integrity and competence. He is the best!*

**Fr. Charles Ramirez**

Hi, I'm Rick Lopez, Project Manager for the church renovation. This will be the first of many project updates in the coming months. I want to give you an update regarding the project schedule.

Currently, we are going through the building permit process with the City and County. I am happy to announce that the L.A. County Fire Department has approved our plan. However, we still have a few hurdles to surmount in the City of Claremont Building Department approval process. We are hoping that this process will be completed soon, and that we will be able to pull building permits within the next several weeks. In the meantime, we are continually moving forward with the planning and scheduling of the project.

Ninety-nine percent of the design issues have been resolved. The project color boards and material samples are on display in the parish office, if you would like to review them.

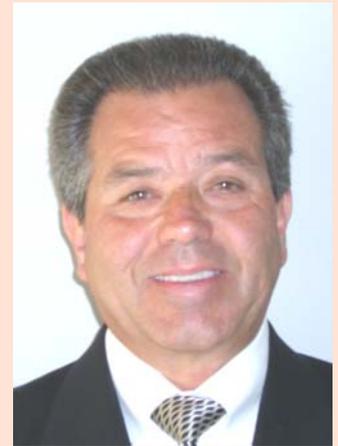
Barring any unexpected requests from the City of Claremont Building Department, our project start date is scheduled for October 1st. We have asked two different general contractors to give us their preliminary timeline for the project, and they both have indicated a nine-month project schedule.

Two weeks prior to start of construction, we will be assembling a 60' x 100' tent structure that will have a seating capacity of approximately 350 for parish services. In my next update I will insert the drawings of the tent structure, flooring and seating for your convenience.

I hope this gives you a better idea about where we are on this project. God bless,

**Rick Lopez, Project Manager**

**P.S.** Questions may be addressed to Neomi Torres, Director of Parish Administration in the OLA office, at (909) 626-3596 or [ntorres@olacclaremont.org](mailto:ntorres@olacclaremont.org).



**Project Manager  
Rick Lopez**



### OLA Mission Statement

Our Lady of the Assumption welcomes all people to grow in the Catholic faith as we celebrate our diverse community, nurture the Gospel message, and exemplify our love of Christ by serving others.

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## OLA School

The school office is closed for a summer break until July 30 when it opens from 8 a.m. to noon. You may leave a message for Vice-Principal Cindy Corrales at (909) 626-7135, ext. 4239, or email her at [mrs.corrales@ola-ca.org](mailto:mrs.corrales@ola-ca.org). She is also available by appointment during the break.

## Summertime Schedule

Now – Aug. 13

### Parish Office Hours

Monday through Friday  
9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Saturday and Sunday  
8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Closed for lunch from  
12:30 to 1:00 p.m.

## Highlights

**Street evangelization** is the mission of a budding ministry at OLA which will be on the patio this weekend.

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**Register for Liturgy Day** hosted by the Office for Worship on Aug. 25.

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**Comunidad Habla Español**  
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**Annual call to leadership** councils is an invitation to the Open House set for Thursday, Aug. 16. Come see our councils in action!

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## community life



## Enjoy dinner with Knights & Ladies at El Rancho

Calling all parishioners! Our Knights of Columbus are hosting a fundraiser in conjunction with El Rancho Restaurant on Friday, Aug. 17, from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Dine in or order carry-out.

No advance ticket purchase is needed – just give a voucher to your server when ordering. Vouchers are available on the display case outside of the auditorium, at the parish office, or from a Knight during the event.

Funds raised will be used for approved Columbian Charities.

## WOW! Dinner Out

OLA's **W**idows **O**r **W**idowers and other singles will gather for dinner Thursday, Aug. 23, at 5 p.m. at Olive Garden, 9251 Monte Vista (Montclair Place).

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!

Chili's has requested a reservation to better serve the group. For questions or to reserve a seat, please call Jo Pearring at (909) 626-0489 or Jean O'Donnell (909) 624-3392 by Wednesday, August 22.

## Parish-School Picnic planning

Mark your calendar for the annual Parish-School Picnic on Saturday, Sept. 8.

The planning committee will convene just a month ahead on Wednesday, Aug. 8, at 7 p.m. in the Rectory Dining Room.

You are invited to join representatives of our leadership councils, the school, and Knights of Columbus in planning this fun-for-all-ages event.

Questions may be directed to Jean McKenna or Cindy Corrales, staff liaisons for Community Life Council, through the parish office – (909) 626-3596.

Mass Intentions/Readings  
18th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Week of August 5, 2018

**MONDAY, August 6**

The Transfiguration of the Lord

*Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9;  
2 Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10*

6:30am

5:30pm †Olivia Valencia Pardo

†Bob Eagleton

**TUESDAY, August 7**

St. Sixtus II and Companions,  
St. Cajetan

*Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-23,  
Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14*

6:30am

†Quirino & Natividad Magistrado

5:30pm Enrique Lopez Cortes

Mary Brunasso Smith

**WEDNESDAY, August 8**

St. Dominic

*Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13;  
Mt 15:21-28*

6:30am

†Jesus Aguas & Gabriel Magistrado

5:30pm †Maria de la Asuncion Guzman

**THURSDAY, August 9**

St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

*Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19;  
Mt 16:13-23*

6:30am

†Rosemary & Carl White

Lourdes Magistrado

†Gloria Corado

5:30pm †Luz Bazulto

**FRIDAY, August 10**

St. Lawrence

*2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9;  
Jn 12:24-26*

6:30am

The Beldon Family

Constantine Magistrado Menon

5:30pm

**SATURDAY, August 11**

St. Clare

*Hb 1:12 -2:4; Ps 9:8-13; Mt 17:14-20*

8:00am †Marian Stewart

4:00pm †Mary Boyens

5:30pm †Olivia Valencia Pardo

**SUNDAY, August 12**

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-9;*

*Eph 4:30 - 5:2; Jn 6:41-51*

7:00am

Allison Rohrer, †Tom Vento,

Christopher Magistrado

Menon & Family

9:00am

Knights & Ladies of Columbus

11:00am

People of the Parish

1:00pm

†Rogelio Chavez Alfaro

Maximiano Jimenez

†Adolfo Lopez Trujillo

3:00pm

5:00pm

7:00pm

†Deceased

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For information please contact  
Jesus Rodriguez,  
Coordinator of Youth Ministry  
909-626-3596 ext. 4215  
[jrodriguez@olaclaremont.org](mailto:jrodriguez@olaclaremont.org)



This weekend, Aug. 3-5, our teens and youth leaders are at the annual City of Saints conference hosted by Archbishop Jose Gomez on the UCLA campus. Offered are dynamic speakers, diverse liturgical experiences, music, interactive exhibits, and opportunities to receive the Sacraments of Eucharist and Penance, in an atmosphere where teens can experience the beauty of the Catholic faith with its rich symbols and traditions.

Follow us on Instagram @TheHeightsOLA  
for the latest news and updates

*“Ah, Lord God,” I said. “I know not how to speak, I am too young.” But the Lord answered me: “Say not ‘I am too young’... See, I place my words in your mouth.” – Jeremiah 1:5-9*

**YOUNG  
ADULTS  
UNITED**

We invite young adult ages 18 to 35 to grow spiritually, form authentic friendships and have fun through our social, educational and prayer nights. Join us at our weekly meetings from 7 to 9 p.m. NOTE: Convalescent home visits are arranged every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. as a service project. Join our *Young Adults of OLA* Facebook group. Or e-mail [youngadultsola@gmail.com](mailto:youngadultsola@gmail.com).

**Thursday, Aug. 9**

Field event at OLA at 7 p.m. featuring  
Fr. Samuel Ward, vocation director of the  
Archdiocese of Los Angeles

# faith formation

## Office for Worship presents liturgy day

*Rooted in Diversity, We Grow in Unity* is the theme of the day of reflection for liturgical ministers and other parish leaders Saturday, Aug. 25, at American Martyrs Church in Manhattan Beach.

The Archdiocesan Office for Worship will host Carmen Florez-Mansi, vocal artist, choral director and liturgy specialist. She will examine the challenges of ministry and the ways we can unite our communities in worship while honoring the diversity among us.

Register online at

<http://archla.org/ofwliturgyday>

Register by Aug. 15 for \$25; the group rate is \$20 per person for five or more registered at the same time.

Time of the event is 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

## Who me? A catechist?

We welcome individuals to become part of our active ministry of the Word. A catechist is a teacher of religious education, a person who facilitates the process of faith formation. This is done first by echoing the Word of God in his or her own life, and second by helping others to do so. You will become an integral part of the OLA community; dedicated to sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ in formal and informal settings. In your work with adults, families, adolescents and children, you are passing on a living faith. Contact Victor Hernandez, Director of Faith Formation, for more information at (909) 626-3596,, ext. 4212.

OLA is committed to providing a safe environment for all members of our faith community, especially youth and the vulnerable. In accordance with the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, all parish volunteers must be compliant with *Safeguard the Children* before they may participate in parish ministry.

## Evangelization ministry

At the end of the Mass, many in our congregation may feel the desire and calling to go and literally share the Good News of the Gospel with others in the community outside our parish.

Mark Patton is seeking to begin a chapter of St. Paul Street Evangelization at OLA. This ministry, founded in 2012, is organized to facilitate and train Catholic Christian individuals and groups to go out into the community to share the reasons for their faith and invite others into our Church. It is international, offering hand-outs, brochures, CDs, rosaries, learning aids and support.

Can we offer to pray with someone who seems a little down? Could we carry an extra rosary to give away and brighten someone's day? As with most experiences, the first time we are nervous. The second and third times become more comfortable and enjoyable. Those interested may contact Mark Patton at (909) 282-5977 or [popster103@aol.com](mailto:popster103@aol.com).

St. Paul's website is fairly extensive and helpful for anyone interested in getting started – [www.streetevangelization.com](http://www.streetevangelization.com).

### REGISTRATION OPEN

for all fall programs in  
Faith Formation

Register online at  
[www.olaclaremont.org](http://www.olaclaremont.org)  
or come to the  
Faith Formation Center  
(See Page 9 for hours)

### FALL PROGRAMS OPEN FOR...

Sunday Preschool  
(Age 3 to K)  
First Communion I and II  
(Grades 1 and 2)  
Post-Communion (Grades 3 to 5)  
Middle School (Grades 6 to 8)  
PLUS other options!

## JustAct Ministry

JustAct is a ministry that provides opportunities for education, spiritual growth and action in service to others based on the Church's social teachings. An information table will be set up on the patio beginning the weekend of Aug. 18-19. for fall programs. Details are also available through Chris Shaner at (714) 299-9939.

### WHAT IS GOOD NEWS PEOPLE?

This program is a dynamic, parish-wide, faith formation program for adults. It offers an introduction to Catholic Social Teaching in a shorter format: 7 weeks in fall and 7 weeks in spring. The goals of Good News People are to explore the call to discipleship and the power of community through prayer, reflection, and action, and find renewed hope in living the Gospel and putting faith into action;

### WHAT IS JUSTFAITH?

JustFaith is an extended justice education process that meets weekly, employing books, videos, guest speakers, discussion, prayer, retreats and hands-on experiences. This is a 30-week formation process. There are two retreats – one to open and one to close the program. Four dates are dedicated to group projects.

### WHAT IS ENGAGING SPIRITUALITY?

Engaging Spirituality is the next step for those who have completed JustFaith. It focuses on the practical challenges of following Jesus into the broken heart of our world, inspired by the urgency and spirit of the Gospel message to our lives, to our relationships, and to our times. Participants practice "the undivided life" of Christian discipleship—engaging in contemplation while immersing ourselves in the heart of our fragmented world. This is a 20-week program.

## Marriage Encounter

On a Marriage Encounter weekend, couples learn five tools for better communication. The next weekend date is Aug. 24-26. Call now to reserve your spot through Mike & Veronica Sasaki at (626) 765-4305

## Open House, anniversary for Hope Partners

Inland Valley Hope Partners has been serving the poor for 50 years in our local area with food security programs, transitional housing for the homeless, and staff to help match community resources to individual needs and generate hope.

The next anniversary event is an open house at its transitional shelter (called Our House) at 1753 N. Park Ave., Pomona, Saturday, Aug. 11, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Take a tour and learn about its plans for renovation and expansion. Hope Partners has announced its 45th annual Walk for the Hungry Saturday, Sept. 22, in Claremont. Amy's Farm in Ontario is featured Oct. 15, and the final gala celebration is Nov. 3 at Kellogg West, Pomona.

## St. Vincent de Paul Society

Do have a heart for the poor among us? Are you a good listener? Are you interested in a ministry that offers flexible hours? The Society of St. Vincent de Paul at OLA may be right for you! This group collects donations from our parishioners once a month at the church doors and allocates the funds according to need. It's members seek out those who are impoverished, materially and spiritually, and help where they can. No need is too great or too small. Messages may be left for the St. Vincent de Paul Society at (909) 626-3596, ext. 333.

## Fiesta for Crossroads

Crossroads, Inc., the program for women in transition from prison, will celebrate a graduation for its residents Saturday, Aug. 18, with a taco truck, sundae bar and refreshments.

All are invited to join in celebrating the success of the Crossroads women from 1 to 4 p.m. at 1269 Harvard Ave., Claremont. To RSVP or for details, you may email [vicki@crossroadswomen.org](mailto:vicki@crossroadswomen.org).

## Healing of loss due to suicide

A program for families who have lost a loved one to suicide is offered twice a year at Holy Name of Mary Parish in San Dimas. The program, called The Journey, is offered weekly for ten weeks beginning Wednesday, Aug. 22. Additional information will be printed next week; or you may contact Brenda McAllaster at HNM, at (909) 599-1243 or [brenda@hnmeparish.org](mailto:brenda@hnmeparish.org).

# OLA Coordinating Councils 7

**Administration Council:** Members bring to the table an understanding of organization, management, finance, and communications. They are dedicated to the support of parish ministries through responsible stewardship. A current goal is modernizing the OLA campus.

**Community Life Council:** Members help build a deeper sense of Christian community for all ages and interest groups in our parish through parish events, hospitality and the stewardship of time and talent. A current goal is promoting events for families with young children.

**Faith Formation Council:** Members promote faith, spirituality, and family life at OLA through multi-generational formation programs. These include Religious Education, Adult Formation, Sacramental Preparation, Christian Initiation, and OLA School.

**Outreach Council:** Members have compassion for those in need along with a passion for justice and peace. Outreach includes areas of pastoral care to the sick and homebound; services to the handicapped, bereaved and imprisoned; emergency assistance programs for the poor and homeless; programs that promote respect for life; as well as programs for justice and peace.

**Worship Council:** Members are charged with fostering the spiritual growth of all parishioners and providing opportunities for personal and communal prayer, in addition to our Eucharistic celebrations. Worship Council also coordinates the work of all liturgical ministries and prayer groups.

**Spanish Speaking Council:** Discerns the needs of the Spanish-Speaking Community, planning, coordinating and evaluating its programs and events. This includes the full range of parish life - spiritual and liturgical ministries, social and cultural enrichment, educational and sacramental preparation, and outreach services. Also meet on the fourth Tuesday of the month.

**Vietnamese Council:** Discerns the needs of the Vietnamese-Speaking Community, planning, coordinating and evaluating its programs and events. This includes the full range of parish life - spiritual and liturgical ministries, social and cultural enrichment, educational and sacramental preparation, and outreach services.



## Prayer Requests



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

**Recent:** Aguela Anaya, Victor O'Brien, Jox Sox, and Hector Zamora; **Previously:** Aaron Acosta, Mary Adams, Kitty Briones, Mary Brunasso, Maria Elena Cardena, Amelia Chacon, Deacon Don Gath, Charles "Chuck" Gianini, Anna Ruano Gomez, Angelyn Gustasson, Madge Elizabeth Hammond, Enrique Juarez, Doris Maldonado, Jesse Lopez, Margarita Lopez, Mary Christina Morand-Merlino, Manuel Muinos, Cecilia Munoz, Emerenciana Orozco, Jose Luis Ortega, Arthur H. Osborne, Esperanza Paz, William Putney, Robert Reyes, Madlyn Richer, Barbara Rodriguez, Maria Rodriguez, Zenaida Romo, Isaac Ruiz, Soledad Sarmiento, Mary Simko, Mark Stagner, Monica Stephenson, Sylvia Stephens, Tess Turla, Mihael Uribe, and Carol Wiese

### ***For our beloved deceased...***

Georgeann Beck, mother of Jason (Bethany) Beck; Jimmy Francisco Carias, husband of Lorena Contreras; and the for the family and friends who mourn their loss

### Oficina de Liturgia: Un día de liturgia

El tema del día de reflexión es “Arrraigados en la diversidad, Creemos Juntos”, para los ministros litúrgicos y otros líderes de la parroquia, será el 25 de agosto en la Iglesia de los Mártires Estadounidenses en Manhattan Beach.

La Oficina Arquidiocesana de Adoración será la anfitriona de Carmen Floréz-Mansi, vocalista, directora de coro y especialista en liturgia. Ella examinará de los desafíos del ministerio y explicará las formas en que podemos unir a nuestras comunidades en el culto mientras honramos la diversidad entre nosotros.

Favor de regístrate en línea:

<http://archla.org/ofwliturgyday>

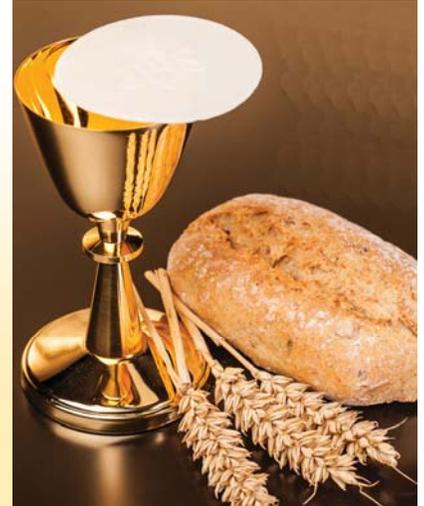
Inscríbese antes del sábado, 25 de Agosto por \$25 dls.; la tarifa de grupo es de \$20 dls. Para cinco o más personas registradas de la misma parroquia. La hora del evento es de 8 a.m. a 1:30 p.m.

### Reflexionemos sobre la Palabra de Dios

#### EL TRABAJO QUE DIOS QUIERE

¡Estamos tan ocupados! Muchos de nosotros tenemos más de un trabajo y parecería que nunca tenemos suficiente tiempo. Somos trabajadores, voluntarios, padres, amigos y la mayoría es más de una cosa a la vez. Pero, ¿cuál de estos es el trabajo que Dios quiere?

Rara vez vemos nuestro trabajo común como el trabajo que Dios quiere. Quizás pensamos que debemos ser ministros o sacerdotes, misioneros o benefactores, que debemos realizar trabajos de tiempo completo que se consideran como “las obras de Dios”. Pero todo lo que hacemos con un corazón fiel y con amor por el prójimo es una obra de Dios. Cada uno tiene un papel que cumplir en el mundo y muchos dones son necesarios. No siempre podemos ver la relación directa que existe entre nuestro trabajo diario y los designios de Dios. Pero confiamos y tenemos fe en que Dios nos guía a hacer lo que es necesario, cuando es necesario. ¿Cuál es “la obra de Dios?” “La obra de Dios consiste en que crean en aquél a quien él ha enviado” (Juan 6:29). – J. S. Paluch Co.



## Tradiciones de Nuestra Fe

Y el día 6 de agosto de 1726, Fray Antonio Margil de Jesús, el fundador de las misiones en Texas dijo “Ya es hora de ir a ver a Dios” y tomó su último paso. Desde su llegada a América en 1683 el indomable Hermano Menor trazó caminos para llevar el Evangelio de Jesucristo a los nativos.

Él emprendía sus caminos al estilo de los primeros misioneros seráficos de dos en dos, a pie, descalzo, alimentado sólo por virtud de la generosidad de los fieles, pasando las noches donde pudiera, armado sólo de un crucifijo, un bastón y su libro de oraciones y cantando mientras caminaba. De esta manera propagó la fe caminando hacia el norte llegando a la Bahía del Espíritu Santo en el Misisipí; y hacia el sur, llegando al istmo de Panamá.

A pesar del éxito de sus esfuerzos misioneros, Margil fue un hombre humilde que nunca quiso enorgullecerse de sus victorias. Solía firmar sus cartas “la misma nada” recordando así que Dios es todo y uno no es nada, porque la misión, en fin, es de Dios, uno es sólo un instrumento. – J. S. Paluch Co.

# Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Church

435 Berkeley Avenue – Claremont, CA 91711

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

Interested in the Catholic Church? We invite you to one of our Inquiry sessions. Call Victor Hernandez at 626-3596, ext. 4213, 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. Traditional 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  
5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday  
8:00 a.m. Saturday

## Saturday Confessions

3:00 – 3:45 p.m. English/Spanish  
6:30 – 7:30 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

Summer hours until Aug. 13:

Open 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday – Friday,

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. Paul Phan, Associate Pastor

Rev. Chris Troxell, Associate Pastor

Deacon Jim and Karen Allgaier

Deacon Joe and Rita Domond

Deacon Bob and Kathy Steighner

Deacon Art and Nadine Escovedo, retired

Neomi Torres, Director of Parish Administration (x4203)

Victor Hernandez, Director of Faith Formation (x4213)

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

Jesus Rodriguez, Youth Ministry Coordinator (x4215)

Mary Muñoz, Coordinator of Music Ministry (x4263)

Jean McKenna, Communications Coordinator (x4217)

Bing Macavinta, Bookkeeper (x4232)

Katy Salisbury, Administrative Assistant (x4268)

Karina Pardo, Laura Aguilera, Melly Grigolla and

Elizabeth Preciado, Receptionists (x0)

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.

No Sunday hours during the summer

## OLA Catholic School

611 W. Bonita Ave., Claremont, CA 91711

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

Closed for summer break until July 30, 8 a.m. to Noon

Vice-Principal Cindy Corrales, ext. 4239, is available by email at [mrs.corrales@ola-ca.org](mailto:mrs.corrales@ola-ca.org) or appointment

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



**In the spotlight**

# Annual Leadership Renewal

*“Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of service, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of working, but it is the same God who inspires them all in every one. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good.” 1 Corinthians 12:4-7*

**Do you ever wonder how OLA does so much?  
Come and see at our Leadership Open House!**

**You are invited to attend our  
Annual Leadership Open House  
Thursday, August 16, at 7 p.m.  
in the auditorium.**

Come and learn about how our parish Leadership Model works, and meet the people involved. Explore the possibility of becoming a member of one of our coordinating councils. All parishioners are welcome to come and see our councils in action. If you cannot attend, but are interested in serving the OLA community on a coordinating council (see Page 7), email Deacon Jim Allgaier at [jallgaier@olaclaremont.org](mailto:jallgaier@olaclaremont.org). We look forward to seeing you there!

**Find nomination forms at the parish office  
and at entrances to the church.**

**[Complete a nomination form online at olaclaremont.org](http://olaclaremont.org)**

## **Is membership on a council right for you?**



### **Qualities of a council member include...**

- An excitement about the parish
- A willingness to listen
- A desire for spiritual growth
- An openness to study and reflection
- An eagerness to see a vision or direction
- An ease in working with groups
- An ability to animate others' gifts
- A freedom to delegate responsibilities
- A resolve to make needed decisions
- A willingness to be a liaison to a given group

- Administration • Community Life**
- Formation • Outreach • Worship**
- Spanish-Speaking • Vietnamese**

**See Page 7  
for  
Description  
of Councils**