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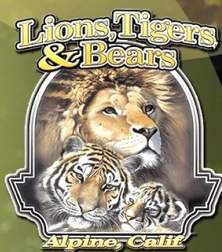
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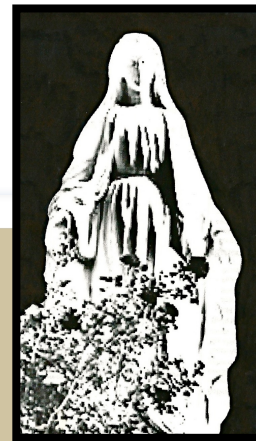
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September 3, 2023

Twenty-second Sunday
in Ordinary Time



"Christ on the Route to Calvary"

Detail c. 1415-1420

Andrea di Bartolo

Daily Mass

Weekdays at

8:00 AM

Vigil on Saturday

5:30 PM

Sunday Mass

8:00 AM and 10:00 AM

First Saturdays

8:00 AM

Reconciliation

Fridays following the
8:00 AM Mass,
Saturday, 4-5 PM,
or By Appointment

Benediction/ Exposition

Fridays following
8:00 AM Mass

Divine Mercy Devotion

Fridays following
8:00 AM Mass

Parish Office

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Office Hours

The office is temporarily closed
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Baptism & Marriage

Contact Father Rick

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CYM Classes

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There are many terrific
opportunities within our
family of faith, to Love,
Grow & Serve. Please
see our lists of Activities,
Organizations, & Events,
inside this bulletin!



The mission of
Our Lady of Light Church,
is to provide an amicable
environment of Catholic worship,
education, evangelization and
service, to all of God's people.
Together we strive to be
instruments of God's love,
peace, and joy,
following the example of
Our Lady of Light.

86th Annual BBQ

It's zero hour!

All hands on deck!

Thank you to everyone who has made this day come together.

It's not to late to volunteer to help.

Just ask around and we will find a place that needs you!

Mass Intentions for This Week		
Saturday, September 2	Vigil Mass	
5:30 PM	Parishioners and Benefactors	
Sunday, September 3	Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:00 AM	Anne Hamilton, Birthday blessings	
10:00 AM	Mitch & Judy Dashiell Prayers & Intentions	
Monday, September 4	Labor Day	
8:00 AM	For all Workers	
Tuesday, September 5		
8:00 AM	For all those in Need	
Wednesday, September 6		
8:00 AM	For the Sick	
Thursday, September 7		
8:00 AM	For Vocations to Holy Orders	
Friday, September 8	The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
8:00 AM	Matt & Bonnie Hansen, Prayers	

Organizations & Contact Info			
Altar & Rosary Society	Meetings; 2nd Thursday of each Month		
Charlene Phelps	9933char@gmail.com	619-659-0488	
Prayer Circle			
Pat Hansen	hansenpat@msn.com	619-445-3822	
Mass Intentions & Bulletin			
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Finance Council			
Mark Duda	mark@ourladyoflight.church	619-722-4300	

Parish Office Hours

Please note that the Parish Office is temporarily closed for scheduled hours. If you have an emergency and need a priest, please call Fr. Rick at 619-445-4972. Otherwise you may leave a message at 619-445-3620 or contact us by email at office@ourladyoflight.church. You may continue to use the mail slot up in the Parish Hall to the right of the main double doors, under the OFFICE sign.

A Message from Father Rick

Humility is a virtue we can only silently aspire for. The moment we begin to tell someone that we are humble, we lose it. Every day, the challenge to walk humbly presents us in various ways. The more we recognize the presence of the Lord in every situation and in every person, the more we become truly humble. St. Teresa of Avila once said that humility is the foundation of all virtues. Without humility it would be impossible to practice other virtues. Our Lord did not only preach about humility; he lived a life of humility to the point of offering his life. Humility is not only for the powerful and the influential people to practice. Everyone who wants to live a life of service in the Church or in society must strive to walk on the path of humbly. On a very important note, I wholeheartedly welcome everyone to our 86th Parish Barbecue event. And I am truly grateful to all of you who generously support and help this community event to be a success. This year we are so thankful to our chairpersons, Chelsie Green and Melanie Taylor, and to all of you who are faithfully working hard. I can only pray for the Lord to Bless you even more.

Parish Offerings August 27		
Plate Collections	\$	308
Envelope Tithes	\$	1,352
Donations (Restricted)	\$	150
Coffee & Donuts	\$	18
Building Fund (Restricted)	\$	825
Total	\$	2,653
Average Weekly Operating Expenses	\$	3,194
Please note that the Building Funds cannot be used towards Operating Expenses.		

The Latest Topics!

*eBay Gift Card Scam...beware!

Recently there has been an email sent out to parishioners, that is supposedly from Fr. Rick, requesting that you send him eBay gift cards. **This is a scam! Do not respond to it.** Fr. Rick is aware that it is out there and wants parishioners to know that it is not from him. Please pray for this to end.

*Religious Education...sign ups and help needed

Sign ups for next year's religious education classes, which begin in October, are available up in the back of the church. Please pray about how you might be able to help with this very important ministry.

*RCIA/Faith Formation...Catholic Chat

Every 4th Sunday it is time for Catholic Chat. Interested about becoming Catholic, or just wanting to learn more about the Catholic Faith? Please join us after the 10 AM Mass for an informal time of sharing of our Faith, in a small group casual setting. For more info contact Fr. Rick or Pat Hansen.

*Marriage Encounter

Worldwide Marriage Encounter celebrates the love you have for your spouse and helps you to build, expand, and deepen that relationship. Join us for the upcoming September 9-10 Weekend Experience at Green Oak Ranch in Vista. Sign up today at www.wvme-sandiego.org

*Five First Saturdays Devotion

Did you know that Our Lady of Fatima asked us to make the First Saturday Communion of Reparation to Her Immaculate Heart? Her promise:"I promise to assist at the moment of death, with all the graces necessary for salvation, all those who on the first Saturday of five consecutive months shall confess, receive Holy Communion, recite five decades of the Rosary and keep Me company for 15 minutes while meditating on the other 15 mysteries of the Rosary with the intention of making reparation to Me."

*40 Days for Life Fall Campaign

The fall campaign will begin with the Opening Ceremony on Tuesday, September 26 at 6 PM on East Main Street in El Cajon. Our Lady of Light and Queen of Angels Parish will be praying every Tuesday during the month of October. Please consider joining our Tuesday Team and support Moms and babies for **LIFE!** For more info contact Pat Hansen.

Mary's Corner

"If devotion to the Blessed Virgin is necessary for all men simply to work out their salvation, it is even more necessary for those who are called to a special perfection. I do not believe that anyone can acquire intimate union with our Lord and perfect fidelity to the Holy Spirit without a very close union with the most Blessed Virgin and an absolute dependence on her support."

Saint Louis Marie de Montfort