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February 11, 2024  
Sixth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
  
  
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**8:00 AM**  
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**Sunday Mass**  
**8:00 AM and 10:00 AM**  
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 Saturday, 4-5 PM,  
 or By Appointment  
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 Fridays following  
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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*.





## Spring Campaign

February 14 - March 24

7 AM - 7 PM

Our Lady of Light Parish

has adopted

**TUESDAYS**

as our day to pray and stand in Peaceful Vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood located at 1685 E. Main St., El Cajon

If you are interested in participating, please sign up in the back of the church.

Donating an hour of your time and presence during the Lenten Season will help promote a Culture of Life.

Contact Pat Hansen  
hansenpat@msn.com  
for more information.

## Please!

### Remember in your prayers

Liz Sjoquist, Annette Musco, Paul Colwell, Jan Nasland, Pat Schumacher, Betty Ward, Fr. Rick, Mike Delvac, Dorsey, Jamie Lenore, Dorothy Lenore, Bernadette Shackelford, Jim Davis, Aidan, Bruce Mayer, Carmen Dale, Pat Brown, Suzette Robinson, Dennis Murphy, Dee Upham, Gary Benefield, Judy Dashiell, and Lincoln Grunow.

### Pray for the repose of these souls

Gena Eanni  
Jim Mercer  
Mary Jo Smith  
and Monia Jones.



## Mass Intentions for This Week

<b>Saturday, February 10</b> 5:30 PM	<b>Vigil Mass</b> Parishioners and Benefactors
<b>Sunday, February 11</b> 8:00 AM 10:00 AM	<b>Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> For the terminally ill For Gus and Gary Nystrom, RIP
<b>Monday, February 12</b> 8:00 AM	For the Church
<b>Tuesday, February 13</b> 8:00 AM	For those Suffering from Hunger
<b>Wednesday, February 14</b> 8:00 AM	<b>Ash Wednesday</b> (Ash distribution at Mass) For the Reconciliation of Souls
<b>Thursday, February 15</b> 8:00 AM	<b>Thursday after Ash Wednesday</b> For the Evangelization of Peoples
<b>Friday, February 16</b> 8:00 AM 12 noon	<b>Friday after Ash Wednesday</b> For the Progress of Peoples <b>Stations of the Cross</b>

*Popes Intention: For the terminally ill. We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment.*

## Organizations & Contact Info

<b>Altar &amp; Rosary Society</b> Charlene Phelps	Meetings; 2nd Thursday of each Month <a href="mailto:9933char@gmail.com">9933char@gmail.com</a>	619-659-0488
<b>Prayer Circle</b> Pat Hansen	<a href="mailto:hansenpat@msn.com">hansenpat@msn.com</a>	619-445-3822
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<b>Pro-Life Ministry "40 Days for Life"</b> Pat Hansen	<a href="mailto:hansenpat@msn.com">hansenpat@msn.com</a>	619-445-3822
<b>Finance Council</b> Mark Duda	<a href="mailto:mark@ourladyoflight.church">mark@ourladyoflight.church</a>	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](mailto: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



Out of Jesus' overflowing compassion for humanity, He continues to bring people to wholeness. Healing, preaching, driving out demons and forgiving sins were manifestations of His love in order to restore the wholeness human person. He was aware he did not have much time. In the Gospel of Mark, Jesus was always on the move from one village to another and his disciples must follow him. All his wonderings would ultimately lead him to Jerusalem. Along the way he was hoping that by what he was doing and teaching those who were following him would know that he was not just any other healer or teacher --- He is the Son of the Living God, the anointed one or the Messiah. Jesus did everything according to will of the Father. The Father did not spare His son from suffering. In the same manner the world is not being spared from sickness and eventually death. That is why the work of Jesus is never ending. The Church takes on the challenge of bringing the compassionate love of God to those who are seriously ill and those who are suffering. Through the Church and through each one of us, Jesus continues to offer His mercy, forgiveness and compassion to humanity.

### Parish Offerings February 4

Plate Collections	\$	212
Envelope Tithes	\$	2,244
Donations (Restricted)	\$	100
Coffee and Donuts	\$	18
Building Fund (Restricted)	\$	808
Total	\$	3,382

Average Weekly  
Operating Expenses \$ 3,215

Please note that the Building Funds cannot be used towards Operating Expenses.

## The Latest Topics!



### \*Lenten Soup Kitchens

These annual Saturday Soup Kitchens begin next Saturday, February 17 following the 5:30 Mass. Join your fellow parishioners while dining on homemade soups and breads. These gatherings will continue each Saturday throughout Lent culminating in the Men's Chili Cook-off!



Hope to see you there!

### \*OLOL Finance Council

A big thank you to Michelle Lenore for stepping up and volunteering of her time to help with the bookkeeping duties. Again, a huge thank you to Cathy Williams who has been in charge of this for the past few years. The giving of her time has been greatly appreciated by all of us here at Our Lady of Light!

### \*Little Black Books for Lent

The Little Black Books are now available for the Lenten Season. These booklets are provided courtesy of the Altar and Rosary and are a nice addition to our Lenten prayers. They also offer an interesting history of this season of the year.

### \*Income Tax Information

As part of the Diocesan audit this past fall, all parishioners who have donated \$250 or more will automatically be sent a letter signed by Fr. Rick to include in their 2023 taxes. These letters were mailed out on February 5.

### \*Queen of Angels Youth Group

Meeting on the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month

What: Middle and High School Youth Group

Where: Queen of Angels in Alpine, St. Philomena Hall

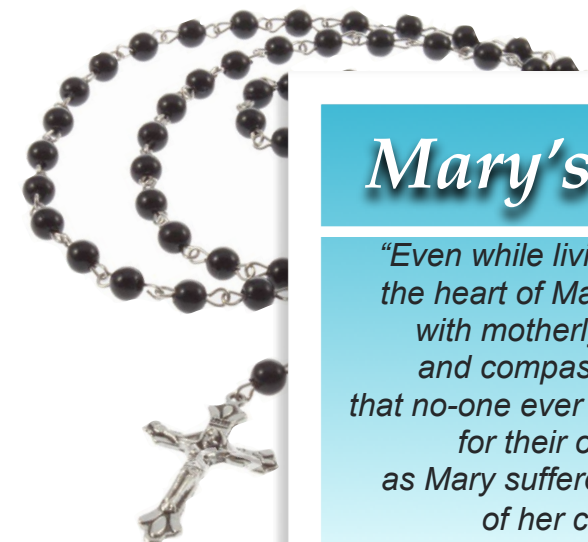
When: 7-8:30 PM

### \*Tithing Envelopes

The new envelopes have arrived. They will be made available for pick up in the back of the church in the next couple of weeks.

### \*Food Handlers Workshop

In preparation for our annual BBQ, our own Susan Lancaster will be teaching a food handlers workshop at the town hall on Sunday, February 18 from 11-12 noon. The more folks we get to be certified the better. Once certified it is good for 5 years. Please plan on attending...the more the merrier.



## Mary's Corner

"Even while living in the world, the heart of Mary was so filled with motherly tenderness and compassion for men that no-one ever suffered so much for their own pains, as Mary suffered for the pains of her children."

Saint Jerome