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April 20, 2025
Easter Sunday
of the Resurrection
of the Lord


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 "The Disciples Peter & John Running to the Sepulchre"
 Detail c. 1898
 Eugene Burnand

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!

Daily Mass
 Mondays and Wed.-Fri.
8:00 AM

Vigil on Saturday
5:30 PM

Sunday Mass
8:00 AM and 10:00 AM

First Saturdays
8:00 AM

Reconciliation

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

Adoration/Exposition
 Thursdays following
 8:00 AM Mass

Divine Mercy Devotion
 Fridays following
 8:00 AM Mass



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 Office Hours
 The office is temporarily closed.

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 Contact Father Rick

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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.

A Big Thank You!!!

Thank you to our
40 Days for Life Tuesday Team!
It is all because
of the Grace of God,
and your willingness to say "Yes",
that we again had every hour
covered in prayer
from 7 AM-7 PM
on the sidewalk in front of the
abortion facility.
Thank you so much!
May each of you
be abundantly blessed, especially
during this Easter season.

Please!

Remember in your prayers

Liz Sjoquist, Annette Musco,
Paul Colwell, Jan Nasland,
Pat Schumacher, Betty Ward,
Mike Delvac, Fr. Rick, Carmen Dale,
Susan Lancaster, Lulu Garcia,
Michael Sterns, Dan Martin,
Beth Donovan, Sarah Egler, Linda F.,
David Costello, Sartis, Renee Head,
Grace Elizabeth Ennis, Terri Horreid,
Carlos & Kelly, Bob & Mary Moreau,
Tom Green & Patty, Carmen Holt,
and Jay Lenore.

Pray for the repose of these souls

Mary Lutz,
Ernie Franks,
Phyllis Kubiak,
Craig Richwine,
and Daniel Jacobsmeier.



Mass Intentions for This Week

Saturday, April 19 7:00 PM	Holy Saturday/Vigil Mass Tonya Brewer, Healing
Sunday, April 20 8:00 AM 10:00 AM	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord Tony Vaca, Birthday Blessings Deacon William Clark, RIP
Monday, April 21 8:00 AM	For the Protection of the Unborn
Tuesday, April 22	No Mass
Wednesday, April 23 8:00 AM	Donna Mercada & Family Prayers
Thursday, April 24 8:00 AM	Parishioners & Benefactors
Friday, April 25 8:00 AM	For Our Parish Family, VIV/RIP

Pope's Intention: For the use of the new technologies. Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help to face the crises of our times.



Organizations & Contact Info

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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



Christ has risen! Alleluia! The tomb could not be the end of everything. The darkness of the tomb served only as the passage through which the glorious resurrection was to be revealed. Now, we know that there is more to life than pain and suffering and even death. We are also assured that death is not our final destiny. Where our Lord has gone, we will also follow. We too will rise and be freed from the darkness of death. By the grace of God, we have all responded to the call and have persevered in preparing ourselves to receive wholeheartedly Christ into our lives and become true sons and daughters of the Church as we all renew our baptismal promises this Easter. On this Easter Sunday, and during the Easter season, let our hearts be filled with gratitude to the Father for the tremendous and immeasurable love he has given to us in Jesus. Jesus' obedience to the Will of the Father brought about the greatest victory of all, victory of the Sin and Death. This is our Hope. This is the meaning of Easter. We never give up in our struggle to get rid of sin and evil. Christ's resurrection has given us the power and the grace so we too can rise to a new life.
Happy Easter to everyone!

Parish Offerings April 13

Plate Collections	\$	708
Envelope Tithes	\$	1,389
Donations (Restricted)	\$	550
Flowers	\$	25
Coffee and Donuts	\$	19
Candles	\$	20
Total	\$	2,711
Building Fund (Restricted)	\$	0
Unborn Memorial	\$	1,025

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

Avg. Wkly. Oper. Expenses \$ 2,817

The Latest Topics!



*Divine Mercy Sunday...April 27

Next Sunday, April 27, is the Sunday of Divine Mercy. The celebration of Eucharistic Adoration will begin at 11 AM, following the 10 AM Mass. All parishioners are welcome to attend and be part of this very special celebration.

*Labor Day BBQ...

We have been underway for a few weeks now on the upcoming 2025 Labor Day BBQ. **The first meeting took place at the April 5 Soup Kitchen, which was the Mens' Chili Cook-off.** Here are some important items from that meeting... **We have a band... The Big City Hillbillies.** This year sign-ups are online. To receive a link email Daniel Nagle at danieldescanso91916@gmail.com. You can sign yourself and others up. Daniel can also sign you up if you like. A hardcopy of the sign-ups has been posted in the hall, and you may sign-up that way as well. **Without you, the volunteers, this BBQ fundraiser cannot happen.** Tax tip...keep track of your mileage to BBQ meetings, you can write them off!

*Mary Ann Webb Education Grant...

Attention high school seniors! Once again this grant is being made available, by the Altar & Rosary Society, to high school seniors. Please check the back of the church for all information about this grant and the application requirements.

*Memorial for the Unborn

We are in the process of placing on our church grounds, a beautiful memorial to honor the innocent victims of abortion. Our hope is to collect \$3,000 to cover anticipated costs. If you wish to donate, please write a check to [Our Lady of Light Parish](#) with the memo on the bottom specifying that it is to be designated for the memorial.

Thank you and God Bless.



Mary's Corner

"The servants of Mary
are as sure of getting to Paradise
as though they were already there.
Who are they who are saved
and who reign in Heaven?
Surely those for whom
the queen of Mercy intercedes.
The clients of Mary
will necessarily be saved."

St. Alphonsus Maria Liguori

