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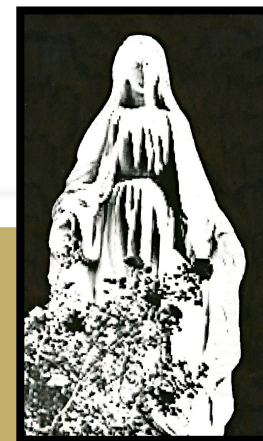
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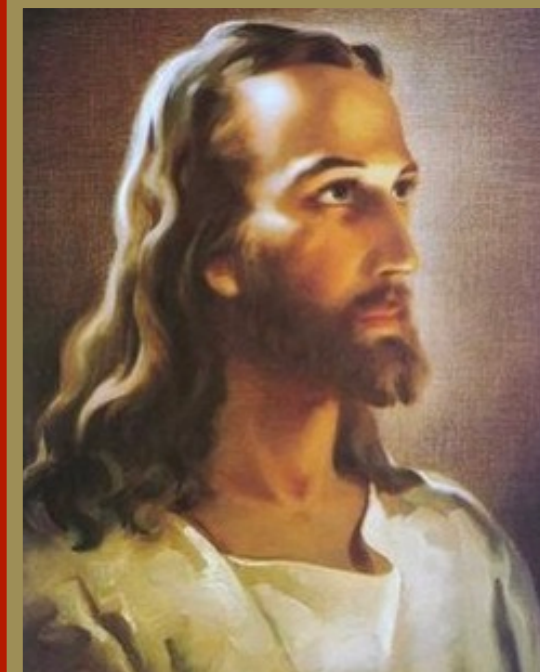

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May 25, 2025
Sixth Sunday
of Easter



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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!

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



Parish Office

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 office@ourladyoflight.church
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 ourladyoflight.church
 Office Hours
 The office is temporarily closed.

Our Pastor

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Baptism & Marriage

Contact Father Rick

R.C.I.A. and CYM

Contact Father Rick

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.

Unborn Memorial

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.



Please!

Remember in your prayers
Liz Sjoquist, Annette Musco, Paul Colwell, Jan Nasland, Pat Schumacher, Betty Ward, Mike Delvac, Fr. Rick, Linda F., Susan Lancaster, Lulu Garcia, Liz Williams, Buzz Thom, Lorena, Herman & Cecilia Martinez, Carmen Holt, Lou Ann Yelvington, Bobby Garbani, Closing of FPA, Richard Butler, Pope Leo XIV, Rose Costello, Richard Burns, Nancy Clark and the Bruder family.

Pray for the repose of these souls
Jay Lenore, Kevin Bruder, Holy Father Pope Francis, and Daniel Jacobsmeier.



Mass Intentions for This Week

Saturday, May 24 5:30 PM	Vigil Mass For Our Parish Family
Sunday, May 25 8:00 AM	Sixth Sunday of Easter Tom Kay, Healing & Recovery Uncle Paul, Birthday Blessings Parishioners & Benefactors
Monday, May 26 8:00 AM	Saint Philip Neri, Priest Memorial Day For All those who died serving Our Country
Tuesday, May 27	No Mass
Wednesday, May 28 8:00 AM	For the Protection of the Unborn For All Mothers,VIV/RIP
Thursday, May 29 8:00 AM	Saint Paul VI, Pope For Pope Leo XIV, Prayers
Friday, May 30 8:00 AM	For An Increase in Faith

Popes's Intention: For working conditions. Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfillment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized.

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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Religious Education Coordinator	
Irma Nystrom	irmanystrom177@gmail.com 619-466-1230
Pro-Life Ministry "40 Days for Life"	
Pat Hansen	hansenpat@msn.com 619-445-3822
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



In the Gospel of John, during the last supper, Jesus bestowed two precious gifts to his disciples; first, the gift of the seed of the indwelling presence of the Holy Spirit, the advocate; and second, the gift of peace. The coming of the gift of the Holy Spirit would complete the indwelling presence of the Divine Trinity with those who love the Lord and keep his word. This would be fulfilled at the moment of Pentecost. The peace that Jesus promised to his disciples is the fruit of the inner harmony and communion with the Divine Trinity; the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. The peace or Shalom in Hebrew that Jesus gave was more than just an absence of war or conflict; but a completeness and harmony in every dimension of life. Such gift of peace would give the disciples strength and courage when faced with persecutions and adversities. Christian peace is peace of the heart that would enable the disciples to face any persecutions and even death with courage and tranquility. Jesus did not just wish "peace" to his disciples. Jesus said, "I give you, 'Peace.'" He gave peace as something real and concrete. This is because, Jesus was giving himself, his very "self"; body and blood to his disciples. Today Let us allow the peace of Jesus to conquer our troubles and fears. Let us humbly receive Him in the Eucharist.

**Parish Offerings
May 18**

Plate Collections	\$	500
Envelope Tithes	\$	1,023
Coffee & Donuts	\$	0
Donations (Restricted)	\$	100
Total	\$	1,623
Building Fund (Restricted)	\$	220
Unborn Memorial	\$	25

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

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

The Latest Topics!



***Baked Goods needed and some help!!!**

The Altar and Rosary Society is once again selling their delicious cobbler and brownies at the Descanso Fair on Saturday, June 7. Besides cobbler and brownies, we are asking parishioners to donate baked goods that can be sold as well. Baked goods may be dropped off at the church hall on Friday June 6 between 9 AM and noon, or brought to the Town Hall on Saturday anytime after 9 AM. Please see the flyer in this week's bulletin for more information. We thank you in advance for any baked goodies you are able to donate or time you are able to give to help in the dessert booth. Please see the sign up sheets in the back of the church.

***Labor Day BBQ...help needed!**

Things are shaping up for the **88th Annual BBQ on Sunday, August 31**. We are in need of volunteers for the afternoon shift in the kitchen. This year sign-ups are online, or you can still sign up in the Parish hall. 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. As previously mentioned 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.

***Mother's Day Novena**

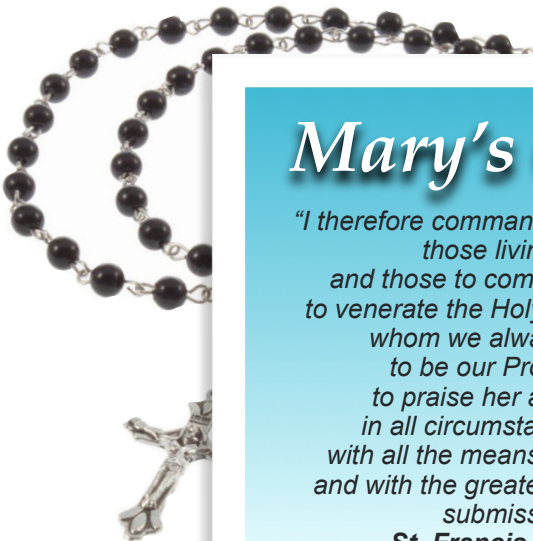
There are envelopes in the back of the church for you to remember women in your life either living or deceased. Envelopes will be placed on the Altar and prayed over during the entire month of May. Next month we will be celebrating our Fathers!

***Catholic Chat...Change of date**

Due to the holiday weekend Catholic Chat is canceled this Sunday, May 25. Please continue to check the weekly bulletin for the next date. Thank you and God bless!

***Descanso Fair and Parade**

Don't forget that annual fair and parade is Saturday, June 7 at the town hall. The Parade is from 9-10 AM followed by the fair from 10 AM to 4 PM. Everyone is encouraged to attend this annual event and help support our local town hall.



Mary's Corner

"I therefore command all my Brothers, those living now and those to come in the future, to venerate the Holy Mother of God, whom we always implore to be our Protectress, to praise her at all times, in all circumstances of life, with all the means in their power and with the greatest devotion and submission."
St. Francis of Assisi