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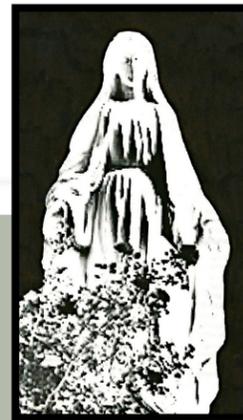
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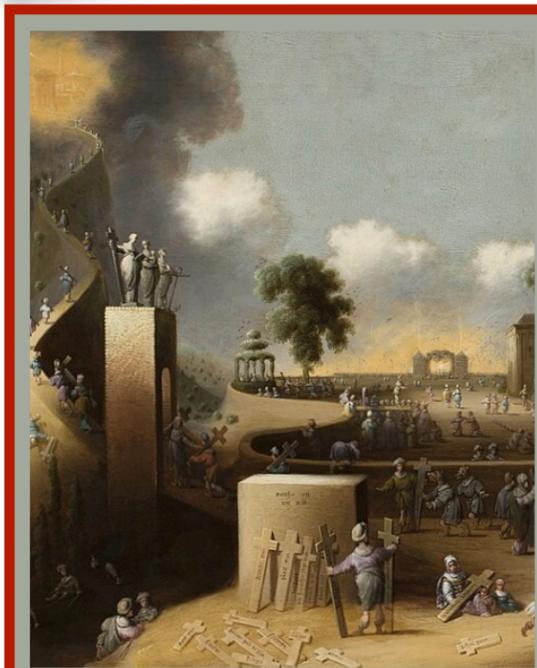
August 24, 2025
 Twenty-first Sunday
 in Ordinary Time



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"Narrow Road of Virtue and Wide Road of Sin"
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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 Hours
 The office is temporarily closed.

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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.



88th Annual BBQ Sunday, August 31

Set Up Schedule

Please check the work party schedule posted around the church. Set up begins on Tuesday, Aug. 26 @ 4:30. Many hands needed to get this done.

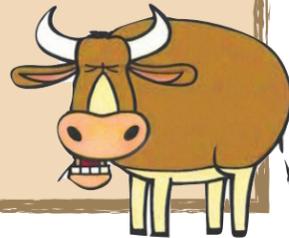
Pit Crew Needed...

In need of bundle runners, pit diggers and meat buriers.

Booth Leaders

Please be at the work party on Saturday the 30th to get your booth set up. On BBQ day please be to your booth NO LATER than 9 AM.

You will need to make sure you have everything plus you'll need to come up to the bank for your start up money.



Please!

Remember in your prayers

Liz Sjoquist, Annette Musco, Paul Colwell, Jan Nasland, Pat Schumacher, Betty Ward, Mike Delvac, Fr. Rick, Scott, Susan Lancaster, Liz Williams, Don Little, Therese Riedel, Kris Sheddy, Katie Clark, and Cathy Begora.



Pray for the repose of these souls

Julia Prado, Baby Vivienne, John Costello, and Cheryl Tompkins.

Mass Intentions for This Week

Saturday, August 23 5:30 PM	Vigil Mass Marlene Ninteman Birthday Blessings
Sunday, August 24 8:00 AM 10:00 AM	Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time Doris Bence. RIP Dolly Opel. RIP
Monday, August 25 8:00 AM	St. Louis & St. Joseph Calasanz Priests Parishioners & Benefactors
Tuesday, August 26	No Mass
Wednesday, August 27 8:00 AM	St. Monica For Our Parish Family
Thursday, August 28 8:00 AM	St. Augustine Bishop & Doctor of the Church For a Successful 88th BBQ
Friday, August 29 8:00 AM	The Passion of St. John the Baptist For all Prayer Intentions that we hold in our hearts.



Pope's Intention: For mutual coexistence. Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethic, political, religious or ideological reasons.

Organizations & Contact Info

Altar & Rosary Society Charlene Phelps	Meetings; 2nd Thursday of each Month 9933char@gmail.com	619-318-4721
Prayer Circle Pat Hansen	hansenpat@msn.com	619-445-3822
Mass Intentions & Bulletin Robin Shull	rkshull54@gmail.com	619-473-1086
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



My dear Brothers and Sisters, next Sunday, August 31st, our most anticipated event will be happening; the 88th BBQ. Once again our parish will be hosting a gathering not only for our own parishioners but for everyone in our community and everywhere even beyond San Diego County. This annual event is a tremendous gift that has been handed down to us from previous generations and hopefully we are also able to pass it down to the younger ones. Let me enjoin you to PRAY and to THANK those who have made this great event possible. Many of them have already joined our Creator. We can never thank them enough. We would like to specially thank and pray for the Garbani family who started this beautiful tradition back in the 1930's. In the same manner, let me express my wholehearted gratitude to our present team of volunteers. Thank you for sharing your talents, precious time, and valuable resources. Our Lady of Light looks down from Heaven with a big smile, for like her, you too have traveled the country road of Descanso to make our annual BBQ a success. For many of us the road leading to our service to Church and our brothers and sisters is difficult and narrow. We only hope that all our humble love and service will bring us closer to God who in the end will say to us, "Welcome my trusted and faithful servant."

Parish Offerings August 15 & 17

Plate Collections	\$	245
Envelope Tithes	\$	2,354
Coffee & Donuts	\$	19
Donations (Restricted)	\$	0
Total	\$	2,618
Building Fund (Restricted)	\$	0
Unborn Memorial	\$	50

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

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

The Latest Topics!



*CCD Classes begin Sunday, Sept. 21

Religious education classes begin in less than a month. Registration forms may be found in the back of the church or up in the Parish hall. We will have classes for First Communion, Confirmation, and all in between. Classes begin Sunday, September 21 at 9AM. Hope to see you there!

*Cobbler Making

Our famous peach cobbler is being made this Friday, August 29 from 8AM to noon. Come learn how it is done!

*Weed Whacking...your help needed!

The bank area between the street and the pit area needs to be weed whacked. If you can help with this please contact Fr. Rick or Chelsie Green. We thank you in advance for helping with this.

*Office help needed...

If you have a few hours to give to the church and have knowledge in using Quickbooks please contact Mark Duda. This is a wonderful way to help your Parish which is an organization of volunteers!

*Grandpa's Attic...last day for drop-off is Sunday

Sunday, August 24 is the final day to drop off items for Grandpa's Attic. This allows the Attic workers to get things boxed up for transport to the grotto on Saturday, August 30. Any questions... please contact Charlene Phelps @ 619-318-4721.

*Catholic Chat...this Sunday, August 24th

Catholic Chat takes place up in the parish hall following the 10 AM Mass...bring your questions, thoughts and insights as we discuss aspects of our beautiful Catholic faith.

*Raffle Tickets...sell, sell, sell!

Tickets for the 88th Annual Labor Day BBQ are available in the back of the church. Take some and sell them to friends and family. After selling place stubs with \$ in the collection basket or mail slot.

*Final Words

A huge thank you to everyone who has given of their time to help make this BBQ happen. People are always amazed at how a small parish such as ours pulls off something this big. It is because we are blessed with a group of selfless people...always willing to pitch in and go the extra yard. All of you are a blessing!

Mary's Corner

"A man
is no true Christian
if he has no devotion to the
Mother of Jesus Christ."

Saint John Eudes

