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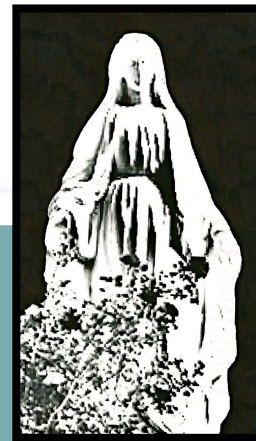
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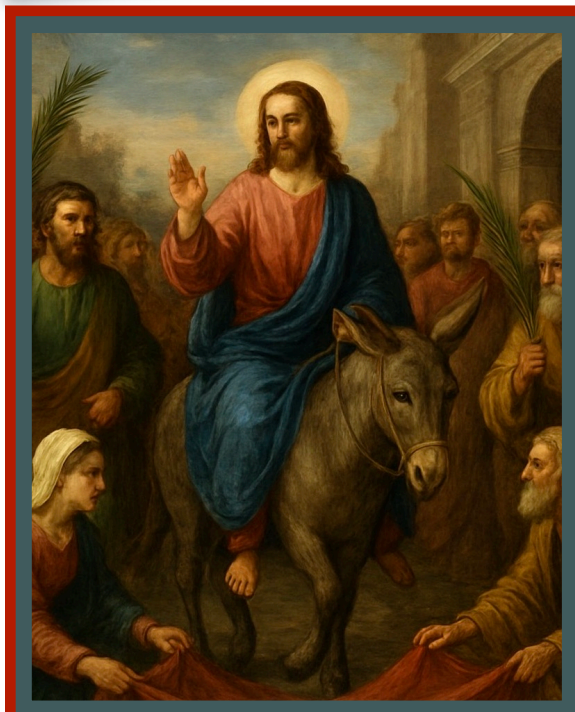
March 29, 2026
Palm Sunday
 of the Passion of the Lord



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"Jesus Entering Jerusalem"
 Date Unknown
 Artist Unknown

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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 Website 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*.



Spring Campaign

February 18 - March 29

Tuesdays are Our Day to

Pray

Please join us in our Peaceful Prayer Presence as we stand to defend Unborn Life and help prevent the regret of abortion.

The vigil location is on the sidewalk in front of the Planned Parenthood located at:

1685 E. Main St., El Cajon

For more information contact

Pat Hansen
hansenpat@msn.com

Mass Intentions for This Week

Saturday, March 28	Vigil Mass
5:30 PM	Dorothy Lenore, RIP Ernie Franks, RIP
Sunday, March 29	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
8:00 AM	Mike Delvac, RIP
10:00 AM	Parishioners & Benefactors
Monday, March 30	
8:00 AM	For the Protection of the Unborn
Tuesday, March 31	No Mass
Wednesday, April 1	
8:00 AM	For the Holy Spirit
Thursday, April 2	Holy Thursday
8:00 AM	No AM Mass
5:30 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Friday, April 3	Good Friday
8:00 AM	No AM Mass
12 Noon	Stations of the Cross
5:30 PM	The Passion of the Lord
Saturday, April 4	Easter Vigil
8:00 AM	No AM Mass
7:00 PM	Vigil Mass



A Message from Father Rick

We begin our commemoration of the Passion of the Lord with the procession and blessings of Palms. We will be hearing in the Gospel accounts that people were shouting Hosanna, Hosanna... as they welcomed Jesus to Jerusalem. Hosanna is a joyful Aramaic exclamation of praise which was commonly used to express joy and praise for a victory won or expected. The Gospel to be read or proclaimed this Sunday is the account of the Passion and death of the Lord according to St. Matthew. Matthew presented Jesus as the second Moses coming down from the Mountain giving the disciples, not the Ten Commandments as Moses did, but a New Commandment, "Love one another as I love you." When we listen to the account of Jesus judgement and death, let us not become silent spectators, but rather active witnesses of the Gospel. While some of Jesus' friends left and others watched him from a distance, let us take our stand and stay close to Jesus and take responsibility so that we too can stand with the Lord in his Resurrection and glory. Let us pray that humanity becomes one in the Lord of Jesus, Our Lord.

The Latest Topics!



*Coffee and Donuts...Help Needed!

The Hospitality Crew needs a couple of volunteers to help with setting up the coffee bar and treats on Sundays. If this is something you could help with please contact Lori Schlumpberger at 619-445-1498 and leave a voice message. Thank you in advance with your help.

*Keep in your prayers...

Please continue to pray for those who will be entering the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil Mass at Our Lady of Light. Also, please remember to pray for the young people of our parish who will be receiving the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion during this Easter season. May the Holy Spirit strengthen their faith at these important times in their lives.

*Altar and Rosary News...Education Grant

The Altar and Rosary Society is once again offering, to those who qualify, the Mary Ann Webb Spring 2026 Education Grant. Applications may be picked up in the back of the church. Each grant recipient will receive \$500. Completed applications need to be received by May 31, 2026.

*In Mission, We Are One

This is the theme of the 2026 Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA). Donations raised through this annual appeal help to fund Diocese ministry offices and programs that help our community members to live their faith. Envelopes available in the back of the church.

*Annual Lenten Collection

This is the Catholic Relief Services Collection which funds six agencies working to reveal Christ's love to those in need overseas and here in the United States. Envelopes for this annual collection may be found in the back of the church. If donating by check please make sure that it is made out to Our Lady of Light.

*Divine Mercy Sunday...April 12

Please plan on attending Divine Mercy Sunday after the 10 AM Mass. We will be celebrating this great feast day with Benediction, Adoration and Divine Mercy Prayers. This is the greatest day of God's mercy which promised to remit all of our sins and the punishment of those sins by meeting a few simple requirements. You don't want to miss this gracious and merciful opportunity.

Please!

Remember in your prayers

Liz Sjoquist, Annette Musco, Paul Colwell, Jan Nasland, Pat Schumacher, Betty Ward, Vicki Delvac, Fr. Rick, Bill Upham, Susan Lancaster, Liz Williams, Susan Bender, Claire Donivan, Petra, LeeAnn, Mark Mussen, Barbara Fallon, Peggy Pinciotti, Zackary Shelton, Larry Olson, Debbie Ek & Family, Eleanor, Terry & Roger Seeman, Gabriele, Phyllis Deutsch, Rose C., Justin, Margie Beltran & Joe, and Jennifer Ward-Williams.



Pray for the Repose of these Souls

Brent Bender, Elias Mkabari, Garrison Zella, Mike Delvac, Andrew Cerdo and Vera Barnes.

Organizations & Contact Info

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Pro-Life Ministry "40 Days for Life"	
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Finance Council	
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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.

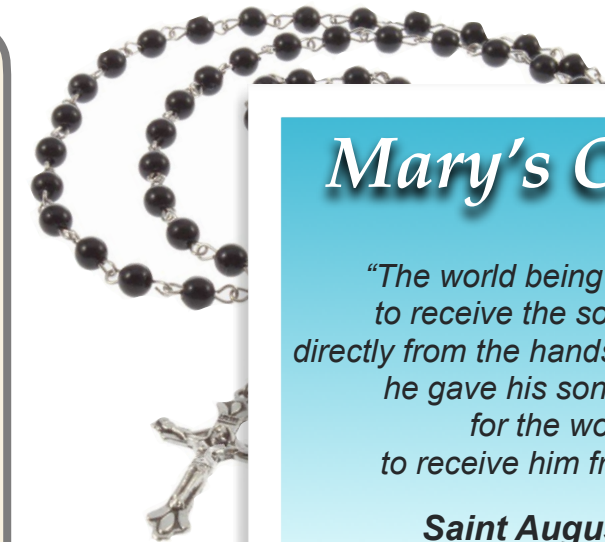
Parish Offerings March 22

Plate Collections	\$ 683
Envelope Tithes	\$ 1,504
Donations (Restricted)	\$ 200
Flowers	\$ 30
Coffee and Donuts	\$ 20
Total	\$ 2,437

Building Fund (Donation) \$ 0

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

Avg. Wkly. Oper. Expenses \$ 3,151



Mary's Corner

"The world being unworthy to receive the son of God directly from the hands of the Father, he gave his son to Mary for the world to receive him from her."

Saint Augustine