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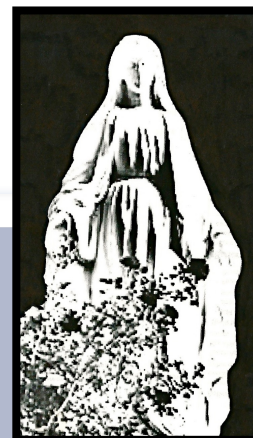
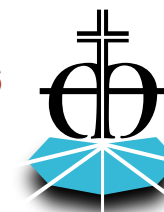
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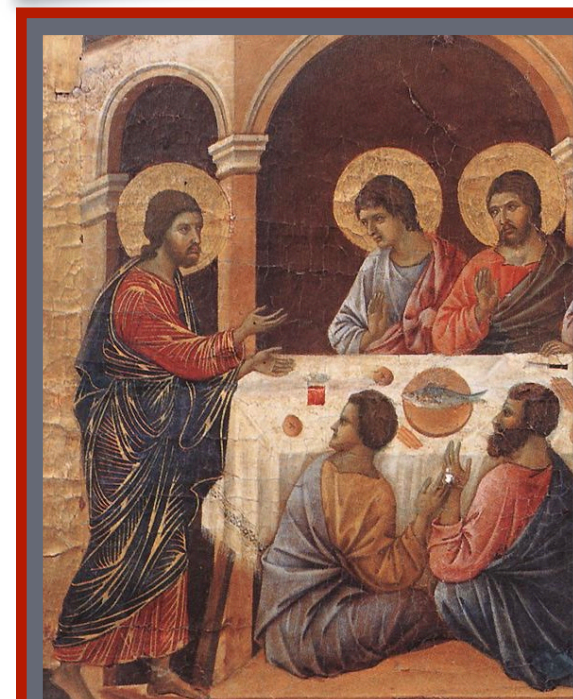
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Parish Office

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 Office Hours
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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.



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!



Mass Intentions

Arranging to have a Mass Intention for anyone is one of the most beautiful gifts given, and one of the most joyful to receive!

There are many openings available on the calendar. You may use the Mass Intention envelopes found in the Church pews.

Place your request in the collection basket during Mass or drop it in the Parish Hall mail slot.

Please include your contact information or contact **Robin Shull** at 619-971-8660 or rkshull54@gmail.com

Mass Intentions for This Week

Saturday, May 23	Vigil Mass 5:30 PM Tim Dirkes, RIP
Sunday, May 24	Pentecost Sunday 8:00 AM Sharon Gibbens, Healing 10:00 AM Parishioners & Benefactors
Monday, May 25	The Blessed Virgin Mary Mother of the Church 8:00 AM For the Protection of the Unborn
Tuesday, May 26	No Mass
Wednesday, May 27	St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop 8:00 AM For Persecuted Christians
Thursday, May 28	8:00 AM For the Most Holy Name of Jesus
Friday, May 29	St. Paul VI, Pope 8:00 AM For Charity



Pope's Intention: *That everyone might have food. Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.*

Organizations & Contact Info

Altar & Rosary Society	Meetings; 2nd Thursday of each Month Trish Rulenz trichrulenz@yahoo.com 619-871-2030
Prayer Circle	Pat Hansen hansenpat@msn.com 619-445-3822
Mass Intentions, Bulletin and Lectors	Robin Shull rkshull54@gmail.com 619-971-8660
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

What is Pentecost?

Pentecost marks one of the most important feasts in the Church's liturgical year. It is a Christian celebration that commemorates the day when the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles and the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is fifty days after Easter Sunday. Our Lord sent his Holy Spirit to empower them to preach the gospel to the whole world. It is often referred to as the "birthday of the church."

This wondrous day reminds us of how Jesus fully equips his Church to carry out her great commission to "make disciples of all nations."

"Tongues as of fire" came to rest on each of the apostles and they began to speak in various languages, proclaiming the gospel to Jews of every nation, who gathered in Jerusalem for the feast. This miraculous event marked the beginning of the apostles' public ministry and the beginning of the Church's "making disciples of all nations."

The Latest Topics!



*Mother's Day Novena

Our Mother's Day Novena continues through the month of May. Envelopes are available in the back of the church which may be filled out and placed in the collection basket during any Mass or dropped into the mail slot up at the Parish hall. Envelopes will then be placed on the altar and prayed over during the month of May.

*Coffee and Donuts...Help Still Needed!

The Hospitality Crew needs help with setting up the coffee bar and treats on Sundays from May 17-July. Contact Lori Schlumpberger at 619-445-1498 and leave a voice message.

*Altar and Rosary News...Education Grant

Applications may be picked up in the back of the church. Each qualified recipient will receive \$500. Completed applications need to be received by May 31, 2026.

*Our Lady of Light Prayer Request...

If you would like to become part of Our Lady of Light Prayer Family Prayer List, please email Pat Hansen. We have a very large and prayerful community that takes seriously the needs of others and the power of prayer. Also, if you have a request, for which you would like prayer, please contact Pat at hansenpat@msn.com

*Upcoming Events...mark your calendar

Sunday, May 24th...Pentecost Sunday Rosary at 9:30 AM and a potluck after the 10 AM Mass. Sign up sheets in the back of the church. A&R providing shredded beef and chicken with rolls and BBQ sauce. Also, our annual A&R registration promotion.

Sunday, May 31st...Farewell get together for the Williams Family in the Parish Hall following the 10 AM Mass. Please attend this special event to thank the Williams for all they have done for our Parish for so many years. They will be missed.

*BBQ Discussion

There will be a meeting to discuss the BBQ on Sunday, June 7, following the 8 AM Mass. All are welcome to attend.

*Fathers Day Novena

Now it is time for the Dads...Next weekend the envelopes for our Father's Day Novena will be in the back of the church. A wonderful way to remember all dads...both living and deceased.

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, Baby Gabriel, Todd M., Tony Vaca, Marianne Scott, Christine & Brian Yelvington, Abdo & Bishara Mouannes, Shirley Prieto, Steven Scherrer, Lee Ann Yette and Mary Hernandez

Pray for the Repose of these Souls

Elias Mkabari, Thomas Golding, Mary Jane McCutcheon, and Barbara Fallon.



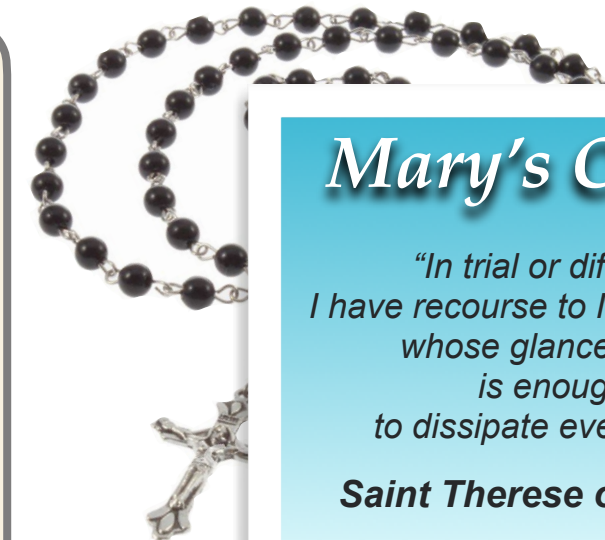
Parish Offerings May 17

Plate Collections	\$	462
Envelope Tithes	\$	1,290
Donations (Restricted)	\$	50
Novena	\$	45
Total	\$	1,847

Building Fund \$ 375

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

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



Mary's Corner

*"In trial or difficulty
I have recourse to Mother Mary,
whose glance alone
is enough
to dissipate every fear."*

Saint Therese of Lisieux