

October 6, 2019 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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CLERGY	SACRAMENTS	SCHEDULES
<p><u>Rev. Jhay Galeon</u> Pastor fr.jhay@olmredding.net</p> <p><u>Rev. Ashok Stephen</u> Parochial Vicar</p> <p><u>Deacon Ray Hemenway</u> deaconrayh@att.net</p> <p><u>Deacon Raymond Arnold</u> deacon.raymond@olmredding.net</p> <p><u>Deacon José Ceja</u> deacon.jose@olmredding.net</p>	<p><u>Sacrament of Reconciliation</u> Saturday, 3:00 - 4:30PM or by appointment</p> <p><u>Anointing of the Sick</u> This Sacrament should be celebrated when someone is acutely ill or preparing for surgery or in danger of death.</p> <p><u>Baptism</u> This Sacrament is celebrated after the parents and godparents have reflected on their commitment to live the faith, and participated in a preparation process that is offered on the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00PM in the Parish Hall.</p> <p><u>Marriage</u> Notice is needed at least six months in advance. Please contact the office to start the preparation process.</p>	<p><u>Parish Office Hours - Parish Hall</u> Monday - Friday 8:00AM - 4:00PM</p> <p><u>Sunday Masses</u> Our Lady of Mercy—Saturday, 5:00PM Sunday, 8:30AM, 11:00AM, 1:00PM (Spanish) Mary Queen of Peace—Sunday, 10:30AM</p> <p><u>Daily Masses</u> Our Lady of Mercy, Monday–Friday 7:30AM</p> <p><u>Rosary and Morning Prayer</u> <u>(Liturgy of the Hours)</u> 6:55AM - Mon-Fri, prior to daily Mass</p>

Welcome Father Ashok Stephen as Our Lady of Mercy's new Parochial Vicar. Please welcome Fr. Ashok to our parish by making him feel welcome and comfortable. A native to Sir Lanka but transplanted in Redding we get to enjoy his help within our parish.

REFLECTION

LORD INCREASE OUR FAITH

Faith is the language of our soul in connection with God. Faith is necessary in order to please God in the context of our prayers. Faith is mentioned many times in the Bible so people will not be discouraged if trials come. Faith is our weapon against temptation and Satan. Faith is the theme of Jesus' preaching concerning the Kingdom God. We all live by faith and without faith it is impossible to proclaim God's message to all people.

This is the request of the disciples to Jesus to increase their faith. Jesus gave them assurance, if their faith is like a size of a mustard seed anything can happen. God will always intervene in moments that we are in extreme need and even if our faith is just little and we try our best to express it, He will answer our prayers. There are times in our lives that we say, I cannot pray or I lost my faith but deep within our hearts, faith still exist. God's presence will always be with us if faith will be in every people's heart.

SPIRITUALITY

Adoration: Can you spend an hour with Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament? Please consider taking one of the following available hours: Sundays: 2AM, 3AM, 4AM; Wednesdays: 2AM, 11PM, Thursdays: 1AM, 2AM, 1PM, Fridays: 3AM, 10PM, 11PM; Saturdays: 12AM, 2AM, 3AM. For additional information, contact Mary Grady 222-2715.

MINISTRIES

Vincentian Parish Mission is like a spiritual revival during which a speaker preaches the Gospel and inspires people to greater spiritual growth. It is designed for busy people; an opportunity to step back a bit, to slow down and simply reconnect with God; a time of spiritual refreshment and invigoration. Please join Fr. Ron Hoyer October 13th-15th at 6:30pm in the Chapel. Fr. Ron will also be available during office hours while he's here for those who would like counseling and/or reconciliation.

Food Donations Needed: The Pantry needs non-perishable items for our daily food bags which are distributed M-F 8am-10am in the parish hall. We have been especially busy lately and find it hard to keep up with the demand. We are also gearing up for our Thanksgiving Bag give away. We are planning to prepare 100 bags and can really use items for a Thanksgiving meal. Please bring items to the Parish Office. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

40 Days for Life Fall Campaign will begin September 24th – November 3rd from 7am – 7pm at Woman's Health Specialist Abortion Clinic, 1901 Victor Avenue Redding. Prayerfully consider signing up for a weekly hour or just drop by if you are around the area to pray. Sign up on our online calendar to see where coverage remains. 40 Days for Life is not a protest, rather we emphasize:

***Prayer and fasting to save lives and end abortion
 ***Peaceful, positive presence
 ***Community outreach

Please join us and pray for the unborn, mothers and fathers, clinic workers and most of all to end abortion. For more information, email Paul Henke at Redding40Days@yahoo.com or sign up at 40daysfor-life.com/Redding

Catholic Daughters Monthly Meeting is next Saturday October 12th at 9:30am in the Knights Building behind the Parish Hall. Come see what we are all about!

November Is All Souls Remembrance Month: Brothers and sisters the month of November is the commemoration of All the Faithful Departed. It is a Catholic tradition to offer Mass for them and to remember them in the Sacrifice of the Mass. The All Souls envelopes will be available soon and please write the names of your departed loved ones and friends with your love offering. Their names will be placed in the sanctuary throughout the whole month of November.

In Remembrance of the Faithful Departed: You are invited to bring a picture of your deceased loved one to the parish office starting next week to be displayed on a special altar in the church for the month of November. Please make certain your picture is in a frame, is 8" x 10" or smaller, and your name and phone number is on the back. Thank you.

What does \$32,798 mean? That is the amount our Parish Festival made this year thanks to you!! We broke record and couldn't have done it without the help from those who volunteered, donated, cooked, or helped in anyway. I am continuously reminded how blessed I am to have a wonderful and giving congregation. May we become closer to Christ and have many more happy memories together. Fr. Jhay Galeon, Pastor.

PARISH ACTIVITIES/EVENTS

Baby Bottle Drive Kickoff starts this Sunday, October 6, 2019. Care Net Pregnancy Center of Northern California offers the following services FREE of charge: Pregnancy Tests, Advocacy, Community Referrals: Learning for Life Incentive Program, On Site Classes: Off Site Classes: car seats, help with breastfeeding, parenting help, anger management, post abortion and miscarriage/pregnancy loss counseling, Sonograms and so much more. Come pick up a Baby Bottle and fill it with loose change and return it to us at 2460 Athens Avenue or in the church foyer. Help us help moms and dads choose life.

No Mass: All Priests in the Sacramento Diocese will be attending a week-long retreat Monday October 7th through Friday October 11th. Mass will be canceled in the Chapel during those days. Please keep our clergy in prayers for safe travels while they are away.

Shepherds Field Olive Wood Handcrafts will be visiting our parish this weekend to sell religious articles after each Mass. Sales will be used to help and support the Catholics in the Holy Land and encourage them not to immigrate. Please show your support. Thank You.

Join the 2019 Fatima Rosary Crusade! Public prayer is powerful; bring your Rosary and pray with us. At OLM, October 12th at 6:00 PM after Mass in the Church. For more information please contact Marilyn at 243-5860.

Filipino Mass: Will take place on Saturday October 12th at 7pm in the Chapel. Please join us.

Join us in wishing Deacon Raymond Arnold a hearty happy birthday. As you celebrate your special day on Monday October 7, may God shower you with grace and more blessings!

50 Plus Club will meet Tuesday October 8 at 11:30 at St. Joseph Parish in the basement. Come and meet new friends and see what we are all about. For more information, contact Geri at 242-6285.

The Sacramento Diocese is holding a weeklong Priest Study Retreat beginning Monday, October 7th through Friday, October 11th. All Diocese priests must attend. With the absence of Fr. Jhay and other local clergy, there will be no daily Masses this coming week. Please pray for all our Priests this week during their retreat time.

The Gabriel Project Needs You! Many women faced with crisis pregnancies are abandoned by their families, the fathers of their babies and their communities. For too many reasons, abortion seems the only answer. Churches and pro-life service groups have sought ways to expand their embrace of women in crisis pregnancies. Now comes a way they can do so together ... a way to combine the special power of prayer with a commitment to service - The Gabriel Project! The Gabriel Project is a church-based outreach whose volunteers help women and families facing difficult or crisis pregnancies. Participating churches will "advertise" this commitment by placing a "Sign of Hope", with its "800" number Helpline, which assures any woman that the local Christian community cares for her and is prepared to offer immediate and practical help with her pregnancy. Callers to the Helpline are referred to the nearest appropriate church coordinator. The coordinator and the church volunteers - "Angels"- work with local community resources to meet the mother's needs.

Mass Intentions				
Saturday	10/5	5:00 PM	Mary Toth +	
Sunday	10/6	8:30 AM	Dr. William Bill Baker + / Hays Family Baby, SI	
MQP		10:30 AM	Sandy Sexton +	
		11:00 AM	Demetrica Mauricio + / Cosmina Freitas + / Sister Maura Powers, SI	
		1:00 PM	Hispanic Ministries of OLM, SI	
Spanish				
Monday	10/7	7:30 AM	No	
Tuesday	10/8	7:30 AM	Morning	
Wednesday	10/9	7:30 AM	Mass	
Thursday	10/10	7:30 AM	Priest	
Friday	10/11	7:30 AM	Retreat	
Friday	10/12	4:00 PM	South Lake Tahoe	

Sick & Homebound

Aguilar, Briseda	Johnson, Ashton	Sanchez, Mike
Almgren, Joanne	Johnson, Larry	Sanchez, Terri
Arnett, Keith	Krawczyk, John	Schmidt, Mary Lou
Arthur, Christa	Mannion, Kathy	Shebeck, Anthony
Biechman, Agnes	Maty, Mary	Stillwell, Ellie
Brenes, Sue	Napoli, Gail	Taylor, Cheryl
Cheetham, Alane	Neidlinger, Kay	Taylor, Jim
Comas, Russell D.	Pelayo, Luz	Torres, Monica
De Herrera, Marlene	Recio, Tony	Tussing, Angie
Goldsmith, Cristine	Rivera, Vicente	Pound, Ashley
Hanson, Louise	Rochford, Crystal	Williams, Sandy

Week At A Glance For October 7, 2019

Monday	10/7		No Morning Mass	Chapel
Tuesday	10/8		No Morning Mass	Chapel
		8:00 AM	Pantry Volunteers	Hall
		11:30 AM	50 Plus Club	St. Joes Basemnt
Wednesday	10/9		No Morning Mass	Chapel
		1:00 PM	Legion of Mary	Rm. 4
		8:00PM	Men's Basketball	Hall
Thursday	10/10		No Morning Mass	Chapel
		6:30 PM	Hispanic Music Rehearsal	Conf. Rm
		6:30 PM	Bible Study w/Chris Cook	Rm. 6
Friday	10/11		No Morning Mass	Chapel
Saturday	10/12	9:30 AM	Catholic Daughters Monthly Meeting	K of C Hall
		6:00 PM	Legion of Mary Rosary Rally after Mass	Church
		7:00 PM	Filipino Mass	Chapel
Sunday	10/13	9:30 AM	English CFF Classes	Hall
		10:45 AM	Spanish CFF Classes	Hall
		6:00 PM	English RCIA	Rm. 4
		6:30 PM	3 Day Parish Mission Kickoff	Chapel

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Budget	\$6,480	\$624	\$7,104
Difference	\$881	(\$221)	\$660
YTD Avg Week	\$6,541	\$740	\$7,281
Budget	\$6,480	\$624	\$7,104
Avg Week + / -	\$61	\$116	\$177
YTD Totals	\$91,579	\$10,357	\$101,936
Budget	\$90,720	\$8,736	\$99,456
Difference	\$859	\$1,621	\$2,480
Projects	Cost	Donated	% Donated
Parking Lot	\$162,894	\$131,604	80.79%
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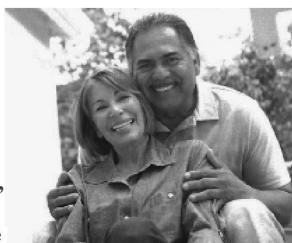
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