



# QUEEN OF APOSTLES CHURCH

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SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2023

## THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations,  
baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the  
Son, and of the Holy Spirit.” - Mt 28:19-20



W E L C O M E T O



# Queen of Apostles

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*We humbly invite you to join our warm parish community today!*

Registration Forms can be found online at [www.QofA.org](http://www.QofA.org)

## WEEKEND MASSES

SATURDAY MASS 8:00 AM

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 PM

## SUNDAY MASS

7:30 AM | 9:00 AM | 11:00 AM

## WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY to FRIDAY 9:00 AM

## BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION

Every 1st Friday After the 9AM mass

Every Saturday 3:00 - 5:00 PM

## CONFESSION

SATURDAY 4:00 PM

Location: Our Lady's Chapel

Join us for DAILY ROSARY  
(on Zoom)

MONDAY to FRIDAY 7:00 PM

MEETING ID: 821 6087 2390  
PASSWORD: ROSARY

## NEW Bible Study:

"Mary, A Biblical walk with the Blessed Mother"

EVERY TUESDAY 10:00 AM & 7:30 PM



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Right now, the **MOST NEEDED ITEMS** are:

**New and gently used clothes from ages 0 - 6 months, infant car seats, strollers, bassinets, and gift cards to Target and Amazon where items such as diapers can be purchased in bulk.**

Bring your items, gift cards, checks to Queen of Apostles (ELAB in memo line) or cash to our Parish Office. Our Outreach Ministry will deliver them to Lynda DeManti at Catholic Charities.

For more information, contact:

Kathy Fanger, Outreach, at 408-242-3543.



## Car Donation for the Sisters

The Sisters of the Blessed Virgin of Carmel, the community of women religious that manages and assists our retired clergy at St. Joseph Retirement House in Cupertino is looking for a car that they can use. Recently, the young sisters learned to drive and passed to receive their California driver's license. If you or someone you know who wish to donate a vehicle, used but in good working condition, kindly connect with Fr. Jeff or Fr. Celso at 408-253-7560.

*Thank you & God bless.*



# This Week



## SUNDAY | 5/21

- *The Ascension of The Lord (Solemnity)*

## MONDAY | 5/22

- 7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

## TUESDAY | 5/23

- 10:00 AM | Bible Study on Zoom
- 7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom
- 7:30 PM | Bible Study on Zoom

## WEDNESDAY | 5/24

- 7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

## THURSDAY | 5/25

- 7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

## FRIDAY | 5/26

- 7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

## SATURDAY | 5/27

- 4:00 PM | **Confession @ the Chapel**
- 7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

## SUNDAY | 5/28

- 8th Week of Easter

## Readings For the Week

### SUNDAY | May 21 The Ascension of The Lord (Solemnity)

- Acts 1:1-11
- Eph 1:17-23
- Mt 28:16-20

### MONDAY | May 22

- Saint Rita of Cascia
  - Religious
- Acts 19:1-8
- Jn 16:29-33

### TUESDAY | May 23

- Acts 20:17-27
- Jn 17:1-11a

### WEDNESDAY | May 24

- Acts 20:28-38
- Jn 17:11b-19

### THURSDAY | May 25

- Saint Bede the Venerable
  - Priest & Doctor of the Church
- Saint Gregory VII
  - Pope
- Saint Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi, Virgin
- Acts 22:30; 23:6-11
- Jn 17:20-26

### FRIDAY | May 26

- Saint Philip Neri
  - Priest
- Acts 25:13b-21
- Jn 21:15-19

### SATURDAY | May 27

- Saint Augustine of Canterbury
  - Bishop
- Acts 28:16-20, 30-31
- Jn 21:20-25

### NEXT SUN | May 28

### PENTECOST SUNDAY (Solemnity)

- Vigil:
- Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5
  - Rom 8:22-27
  - Jn 7:37-39

# Mass Intentions

## SATURDAY | 5/21

### 5:00 PM Vigil

- Thomas Walsh (Birthday)
- Cheryl Graves
- Annabella Abcede †
- Vincent Tuong Tran †

## SUNDAY | 5/22

### 7:30 AM

- Cristita Martinada †
- Jean L O'Connell †
- Violeta Callejo †

### 9:00 AM

- Eleanor Sugden †
- Nenita Talavera †
- Dominga Sarzuelo †

### 11:00 AM

- Ladies Guild
- Karen and John Baluta (Wedding anniversary)
- C.A. Joseph & Alfie Joseph
  - (Thanksgiving for 50th Wedding Anniversary)

## MONDAY | 5/23

### 9:00 AM

- Zach McCarthy (College Commencement)
- For the sick
- Dora Nadolski

## TUESDAY | 5/24

### 9:00 AM

- Bill Dobleman †
- Molly Ryan †
- For the ancestors of Minh Nguyen

## WEDNESDAY | 5/25

### 9:00 AM

- Joyce Snow † & Bill Snow †
- Paul Nguyen †
- Louise Hakius †

## THURSDAY | 5/26

### 9:00 AM

- Joshua Halili (Birthday)
- Dora Nadolski
- Paul Nguyen †

## FRIDAY | 5/27

### 9:00 AM

- Michael Gallagher †
- Maria Montanari †
- Poor souls in purgatory
- Conversion of sinners

## SATURDAY | 5/28

### 8:00 AM

- Aristedes B. Dimabuyu †
- Teresa Kinh Vu †
- Peter Tien Nguyen †

### 5:00 PM VIGIL

- Joseph Viet Nguyen †
- Catherine Hoa Vu †

There is a limit to the number of intentions available for each mass, and requests made after the WEDNESDAY cutoff will be processed the following week, as space allows. Mass Intention Online Request Form can found on our website: [WWW.QOFA.ORG](http://WWW.QOFA.ORG)



## Weekly Collection

For the week ending May 14, 2023



### OFFERTORY

Mass Collection

\$ 4,236.99

WeShare Receipts (Online)

\$ 3,761.00

### TOTAL

\$ 7,997.99

### Average Weekly Goal

\$ 10,000

Second Collection

\$ 735.00

St. Vincent de Paul

\$ 193.00

Others (Sandwiches for the Homeless)

\$ 50.00

*So Grateful  
for Your  
Support!*

To make an online donation,  
please go to: [www.QofA.org/Donations](http://www.QofA.org/Donations)

Or scan the QR code provided.



### CALLING ALL ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEMBERS!

Do not miss out on this special ONE day retreat,

**"Finding God Through the Poor"**, led by *Father Kevin Lixey, LC*,  
to reflect on our mission, to know each other better, and to strengthen our  
bonds as Vincentians working for the poor in the same spirit and  
supporting each other in our common mission.

More information below:



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL RETREAT:

**WHAT:** St. Vincent de Paul ONE Day Retreat

**WHO:** St. Vincent de Paul Members

**WHERE:** Our Lady of Santa Clara Retreat - Cupertino

**WHEN:** Saturday, September 2nd, 2023

**DETAILS and REGISTERING:** <https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=wbTtod>

**Contact:** Gail D'Silva (408) 314 9057 OR [info@olscretreat.org](mailto:info@olscretreat.org)



*We lovingly pray for...*

For all those who are sick, including **Kathy Chan**, for all those who have died, including **Bishop Patrick McGrath, Sherri Thayer, Arlene Barraza, and Rocca Guido**, that they may find eternal rest in the arms of Jesus; for the safety and well-being of all first responders, and those who serve in the military, and for our priests and religious, that they may faithfully and courageously share the Good News throughout the world. **Amen.**







## YOUTH MINISTRY

We are excited to get this program up and running again. The Young Church isn't the "Church of tomorrow" or "tomorrow's leaders in the Church," but rather a vibrant part of today's Church that is capable of embracing the Love of Christ in a way we haven't seen before. We want to help the Young Church embrace this love by allowing you to explore your faith in ways you may not get to otherwise and have fun while doing it. Once we have more to share with you about all the things we have coming down the pipeline, we will gladly share them with you. As for now, know you are in our prayers and that you have a home here at Queen of Apostles.

## Totally Catholic Vacation Bible Camp

JUNE 19 - JUNE 23

Don't miss this chance to have a fun and meaningful summer experience.

Discover **your light** through Jesus Christ!

Register at:

[qofa.org/stellar-vacation-bible-camp](http://qofa.org/stellar-vacation-bible-camp)

Deadline extended to **MAY 31**

## MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY

*Building the Kingdom of God by providing our youth with opportunities to live their faith through their relationships with Jesus Christ and one another.*

~~1 Tim 4:12

**SATURDAY | July 1st**

**Catholic Night @ Stanford Stadium**

*San Jose Earthquakes vs. LA Galaxy*

For ticket info, contact

[kristie.manning@dsj.org](mailto:kristie.manning@dsj.org)

**MSM registration for 2023-2024**

is **NOW OPEN**. Go to:

[www.qofa.org/2023-2024-holy-families-msm-registration](http://www.qofa.org/2023-2024-holy-families-msm-registration)

## HOLY FAMILIES

**SUNDAY | May 28**

• Holy Families end-of-the-year brunch!

• RSVP required. Go to:

• [www.qofa.org/special-events-1](http://www.qofa.org/special-events-1)

**Registration is open for the 2023-2024.**

Go to the link below to register your K-8 students:

[www.qofa.org/2023-2024-holy-families-msm-registration](http://www.qofa.org/2023-2024-holy-families-msm-registration)



*As the Father has sent me,*

*so I send you...*



On this Ascension Sunday, we hear...

*"Go! You will be my witnesses.*

*Make disciples of all nations, baptizing them and teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. And behold, I am with you always."*

During this Easter season,  
the scriptures that most encourage me are...

***"Peace be with you"...***

Jesus says twice to Thomas –  
and he responds, ***"My Lord and my God!"***

***"I am the Good Shepherd.***

***I know my sheep and mine know me."***

The sheep follow Him because they know his voice...

***"Love one another."***

***"Blessed are they who follow the law of the Lord"...***

***"Were not our hearts burning within us"***

***"One thing I seek is to dwell in the house of the Lord."***

Mother Teresa once wrote,

***"Christ has no body but yours,  
No hands, no feet on earth but yours.***

***Yours are the eyes with which  
He looks compassion on the world.***

***Yours are the feet with which  
He walks to do good.***

***Yours are the hands with which  
He blesses all the world.***

***Yours are the hands, Yours are the feet,  
Yours are the eyes, Yours are the body.***

***Christ has no body but yours."***

"As the Father has sent me, so I send you"...

To whom will you go this week?



## RICE BOWL UPDATE

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The Parish Office **black mailbox**

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## DIOCESAN YOUTH MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENT

Applications for DYR are now open.

Join over 200 other high school  
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for a week full of  
fun, fellowship and faith.

To sign up or for  
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[QofA.org/DYR](http://QofA.org/DYR) or  
scan the QR code in the church.



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