

# QUEEN OF APOSTLES CHURCH

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**SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023** 



# 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

#### **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** 

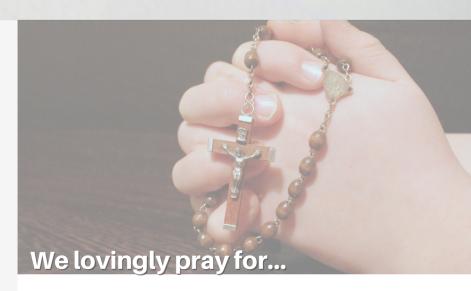
7:00 PM

MEETING ID: 821 6087 2390 PASSWORD: ROSARY

#### Bible Study (on Zoom):

"Mary, A Biblical walk with the Blessed Mother"

EVERYTUESDAY 10:00 AM & 7:30 PM



For all those who are sick, including Kathy Chan, for all those who have died, including Bishop Patrick McGrath, Sherri Thayer, Joseph Phung Vu, Molly Ryan, 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. We also pray for our church, the people of Queen of Apostles and for the Holy Spirit to kindle in us the fire of His love and bestow upon us the Gift of Peace. In Jesus'name, we pray.

Amen.

#### Weekly Collection

For the week ending May 28, 2023

#### **OFFERTORY**

Mass Collection
WeShare Receipts (Online)

TOTAL

Average Weekly Goal

\$ 10,000

\$ 4,020.99

\$ 2,044.00

\$6,064.99

Second Collection

\$874.00

# INTRODUCTION TO ORDINARY TIME AFTER PENTECOST

NOTE: THE EASTER SEASON CONCLUDES WITH PENTECOST SUNDAY. FROM THE UPPER ROOM, THE CHURCH GOES FORTH EMPOWERED BY THE SPIRIT TO PROCLAIM THE LIFE SHE HAS WITHIN HER. NOW WE ENTER THE PERIOD OF ORDINARY TIME, WHICH CONCLUDES ON SATURDAY FOLLOWING THE FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING.

Before we move into a new season, with its broad thrust through the remaining weeks of the year, it is good to review the events that have brought us to this point. We recall that the new liturgical year began with the First Sunday of Advent, November 27, 2022. Advent led into the Christmas Season, which continued through the Baptism of the Lord, January 9, 2023. January 10 was the start of Ordinary Time, which lasted until the day before Ash Wednesday, February 22 this year. The Season of Lent followed, preparing us for the great Easter Triduum: from Holy Thursday evening, through Good Friday and Holy Saturday, up to Easter Sunday. With the solemn Easter Vigil on the night of April 8, we saw the first dawning of the "Fifty Days" of Easter. This gives us an overview of what we have celebrated in the life of the Church thus far.

This Sunday, May 28, we celebrated the Solemnity of Pentecost. Monday, May 29, Memorial of Mary, Mother of the Church, begins the period of Ordinary Time after Pentecost. Now that we have been brought to a certain corporate maturity in the growth of the Body of Christ, we are called to proclaim this fullness of life to the whole world. It is through the Death, Resurrection, and Ascension of our Lord that we have been given the fullness of the Spirit, which fills us with an ardor to go forth as Jesus charged the Apostles to do when he ascended to his Father. The period of Ordinary Time after Pentecost will end on December 2, the Saturday following the Solemnity of Christ the King, and a new liturgical year will begin with the First Sunday of Advent, December 3, 2023.

The period of the liturgical year that is now before us represents in a symbolic way the period of time before the end of the world, whenever that will be. All of creation is waiting in expectation for all that is to be fulfilled (cf. Rm 8:19). The thrust of this Season is reconciliation: the restoration of all things in Christ – a total restoration of creation itself (cf. Eph 1:10). Finally, all creation must be filled with the one life of God to realize the glory that is to be revealed. This becomes our commission, our labor, our life.

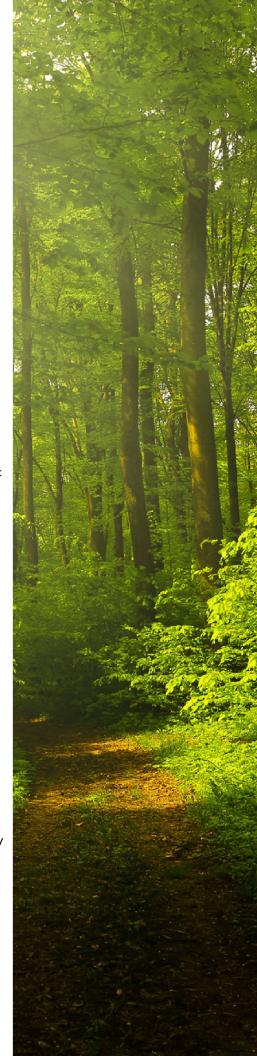
Meanwhile, we must see ourselves here on earth as one Body of Christ: we must maintain our unity. That gives us the thrust of the Church and our commission, as we stand at the edge of this new liturgical season. We operate out of this awareness to maintain the integrity of our faith and proclaim this unique restoration.

Several feasts central to the Church are celebrated during the first weeks of Ordinary Time in order to prepare us once more for what lies ahead. Pentecost is followed by the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity (June 4) and the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (June 11). Friday, June 16, is the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, and Saturday, June 17, is the Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. This exceptional combination of feasts immediately gives to the Liturgy a sense of very deep mystery.

The Immaculate Heart of Mary also gives us the invaluable awareness of being nurtured in the "womb" of Mother Church. As we ponder the word of the Liturgy, Mary directs us into the Eucharistic Heart of Jesus.

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ADAPTED FROM THE WRITINGS OF Ty. Francis J Marino



# This Week @ QofA

#### SUNDAY | 6/4

· The Most Holy Trinity

#### MONDAY | 6/5

7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

#### TUESDAY | 6/6

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

#### WEDNESDAY | 6/7

• 7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

#### THURSDAY | 6/8

7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

#### FRIDAY | 6/9

7:00 PM | Community Rosary on Zoom

#### SATURDAY | 6/10

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

#### **SUNDAY | 6/11**

· The Most Holy Trinity

### Readings For the Week

FRIDAY | June 9

Saint Ephrem

Tb 11:5-17

Mk 12:35-37

Mk 12:38-44

**NEXT SUN | June 11** 

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a

• 1 Cor 10:16-17

Jn 6:51-58

· The Most Holy Body

and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

SATURDAY | June 10

Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20

Deacon and Doctor

of the Church

#### SUNDAY | June 4 The Most Holy Trinity

- Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9
- 2 Cor 13:11-13
- Jn 3:16-18

#### MONDAY June 5

- Saint Boniface Bishop and Martyr
- Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8
- Mk 12:1-12

#### TUESDAY | June 6

- Saint Norbert Bishop
- Tb 2:9-14
- Mk 12:13-17

#### WEDNESDAY | June 7

- Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a
- Mk 12:18-27

#### THURSDAY | June 8

- Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a
- Mk 12:28-34

# **Mass Intentions**

#### SATURDAY | 6/3

#### 5:00 PM Vigil

- Rocca Guido †
- Arlene Barraza †
- Jose Ramos Ordono †
- Missa Pro Populo
- Mastroieni Family

#### SUNDAY | 6/4

#### 7:30 AM

Andrew Daniels †

#### 9:00 AM

No Intention

#### 11:00 AM

• Edward Alex Gomez †

#### MONDAY | 6/5

#### 9:00 AM

- Michelle Mackenzie
- David Joseph Andrew Wenger (79th Birthday)
- Albert Fernandez †
- Joseph Phung Vu †
- Jose Manuel Esteves †

#### TUESDAY | 6/6

#### 9:00 AM

- Joseph Phung Vu †
- Molly Ryan †Lolo Art and Lola Noemi Divinagracia
  - Prayers for birthdays and good health

#### WEDNESDAY | 6/7

Joseph Phung Vu †

#### THURSDAY | 6/8

#### 9:00 AM

• Dawson Walsh (Birthday)

#### FRIDAY | 6/9

#### 9:00 AM

- · Cecilia Ta†
- · Anthony Loc Nguyen †
- Sr Mary Rose, CSJ†
- Alexander Fox

#### SATURDAY | 6/10

#### 8:00 AM

No Intentions

#### **5:00 PM VIGIL**

- · Sharon Thayer †
- Jozsef Berger †

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



Welcome to Q of A's

## Faith Formation Page!



Here you'll find all the updates related to our youth programs. Don't forget to sign up to join the family and to experience a whole lot of fun, discovery and fellowship.

You are the future of the church. You are the future saints and martyrs. It's never too late to start early.

Begin your journey with Jesus Christ today.



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#### SIGN UP TODAY

# 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.

## OOO HOLY FAMILIES

#### Registration is open

for 2023-2024.

Go to the link below to register your K-8 students: www.gofa.org/2023-2024-holy-families-msm-registration

# 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!

# 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

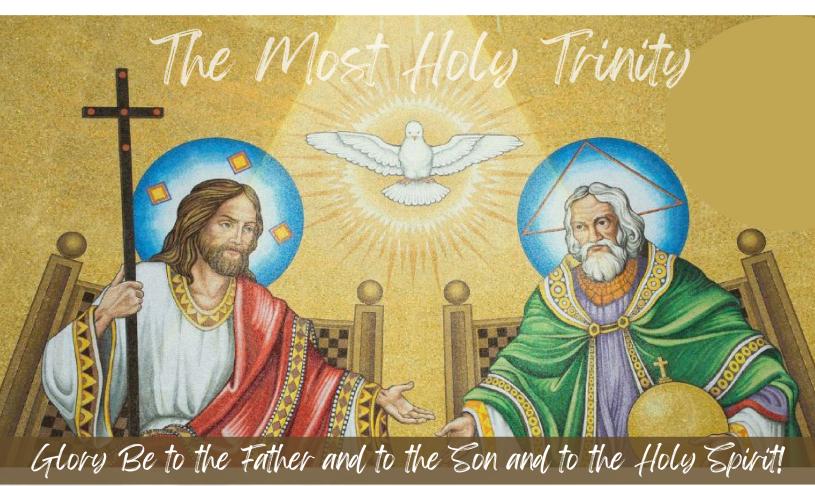
San Jose Earthquakes vs. LA Galaxy

For ticket info, contact kristie.manning@dsj.org

#### MSM registration for 2023-2024

is NOW OPEN. Go to:

www.qofa.org/2023-2024-holy-families-msm-registration



Our Church returns to ORDINARY TIME...

yet God works the EXTRAORDINARY in and through you and me. Where? Through our personal quiet prayer time and through our actions as His disciples. We can honor the Holy Trinity throughout the day by reverently and intentionally making the Sign of the Cross:

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. As disciples, we look to Mary, the Mother of the Church, as the first disciple. Our Blessed Mother always leads us to her Son. She calls us, like HER, to bear Christ to others.

#### QUIZ: DO YOU KNOW THE 9 FRUITS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT?

Which one(s) do others recognize when they encounter you? Which one(s) do you desire more?

LOVE. JOY. PEACE. PATIENCE.
KINDNESS. GOODNESS.
FAITHFULNESS. GENTLENESS.
SELF-CONTROL.

# QUIZ: DO YOU KNOW THE 7 GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT?

- 1. **WISDOM** helps us recognize the importance of others and of keeping God central in our lives.
- 2. **UNDERSTANDING** is the ability to comprehend the meaning of God's message.
- 3. **KNOWLEDGE** is the ability to think about and explore God's revelation and to recognize there are mysteries of faith beyond us.
- 4. **COUNSEL** is the ability to see the best way to follow God's plan when we have choices that relate to him.
- 5. **FORTITUDE** is the courage to do what one knows is right.
- 6. PIETY helps us pray to God in true devotion.
- 7. **FEAR OF THE LORD** is the feeling of amazement before God who is All-Present and whose friendship we do not want to lose.

TWO of the SURE signs of a follower of Christ are JOY and GRATITUDE. Filled with JOY and the real presence of Christ in the EUCHARIST, we are compelled to reach out to others. An example is the amazing generous response of our parishioners in donating to Everybody Loves a Baby ELAB with new infant items, blankets, strollers, gift cards to Target and Amazon and monetary donations. COME, HOLY SPIRIT! SET OUR HEARTS ON FIRE!





#### **ELAB UPDATE**

Thank you to so many of our parishioners who have donated new and gently-used washed infant clothes, blankets, strollers, Target and Amazon gift cards and monetary donations.

GENEROSITY is a fruit of the Holy Spirit! We continue to accept your donations. Kindly bring them to the Parish Office.

Tuesday - Friday | 8 am - 12:30 pm Or contact: Kathy Fanger 408-242-3543 CALLING ALL VINCENTIANS!

Come to a one-day retreat for St. Vincent de Paul members, directed by Fr. 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.

#### September 2,

2023

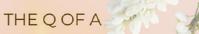
scan here for details.

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www.olscretreat.org

For more information contact:





Ladies Guild

INVITES YOU TO AN END-OF-YEAR POTLUCK

TUESDAY 1-3 PM 13

JUNE 2023

@ the Community Center Gym

All are invited. We welcome new members Bring a main dish, salad or dessert to share!

#### FOR MORE INFO CONTACT

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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.



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