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SUNDAY, JULY 20, 2025



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Religious Education: Martha Escobar

Confirmation: Julio Leal

Music Director: Pablo De Lazaro

School Principal: Joanne Testacross

Unity in Diversity

We, the community of Our Lady of Peace Parish, are a welcoming Catholic family, richly diverse in culture and language, who have chosen to come together because of our common faith in Jesus Christ. Grounded in Baptism, in Word, and Eucharist, we are committed to give ourselves in service to share the Gospel message of hope and new life, and to support one another in living our faith in the world.

Unidad en Diversidad

Nosotros, la comunidad parroquial de Nuestra Señora de la Paz, somos una familia católica acogedora, rica en diversas culturas y lenguas, que hemos elegido mantenernos unidos por nuestra fe común en Jesucristo. Enraizados en el Bautismo, en la Palabra, y en la Eucaristía, estamos comprometidos a entregarnos en servicio para compartir el mensaje del Evangelio de esperanza y nueva vida, y de apoyarnos el uno al otro para vivir nuestra fe en el mundo.

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Office Hours - Horario de Oficina

Monday through Friday 9:00am-5:00pm

Saturday 9:00am-3:00pm

Closed for lunch 12:00pm-1:00pm Closed Sunday and Holidays

Sunday Mass

9:00am English

10:30am Vietnamese

Misas del Domingo

7:00am Español

12:30pm Español

2:30pm Español

Vigil Saturday

5:30pm English

7:00pm Español

(excepto 1er Sabado del mes)

7:00pm Filipino Mass

(on 1st Saturday of the month only)

Nigerian Mass

Last Sunday of each month

12pm in Chapel

Weekday Mass

8:30am English

6:30pm Español

Religious Education Office

818-894-1176 extension 205

olpchurchre@gmail.com

Closed Monday & Tuesday

Wednesday 10:00am-1:00pm

4:30pm-6:30pm

Thursday 10:00am-1:00pm

4:30pm-6:30pm

Friday 10:00am-1:00pm

4:30pm-6:30pm

Saturday & Sunday

8:00am-1:00pm

Secretary: Martha Escobar

Youth Ministry & Confirmation Office

818-894-1176 extension 214

confirmationolp@gmail.com

Closed Monday & Tuesday

Wednesday 4pm-7pm

Thursday & Friday 3pm-8pm

Saturday 10am-7pm

Sunday 10am-2pm

Coordinator: Julio Leal

Youth Ministry Email

olpeaceym@gmail.com

Adoration

First Friday of each month
all day in the church

Nocturnal Adoration

3rd Friday of the month in
the chapel 7:30pm-7am

Confessions - Confesiones

Tue. & Thurs. - Mar. & Jue.
5:00pm- 6:00pm

Music Ministry

Pablo De Lazaro

818-894-1176

Our Lady of Peace School

Preschool-8th Grade

818-894-4059

Preschool: 818-891-4227

9022 Langdon Street, North Hills 91343

Mon - Thurs 7:30am-3:30pm

Fri. 7:30am 1:00pm

Principal: Joanne Testacross

Preschool Director:

Rosemary Rodriguez
office@olpeaceschool.org

Called to Renew

As of 6/2025

Parish Goal: \$925,000.00

Total Pledged: \$1,537,820.00

Total Paid: \$644,508.68



Sunday Collection 7/6/25: \$11,117.60
Building Fund as of 7/6/25: \$4,853.00

You may also donate online through:
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Together in Mission as of 7/2/25
Parish Goal: \$77,908
Amount Pledged: \$59,475.54
Amount Paid: \$44,263.12

20 de julio de 2025

XVI Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario



Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

One of my close friends is a hermit priest who lives on a desert mountain. Recently I found myself in a group conversation about him. One vehemently objected, "What does he do up there all day? Nothing! Priests are down here working, running parishes, making a difference, and he... he is doing nothing! What a waste." The words dripped with indignation and resentment. Most of the group quietly nodded in silent agreement. Were they correct?

No! To see why, consider a similar scenario in this week's Gospel. Jesus visits his friends Martha and Mary. A hardworking and exasperated Martha complains to Jesus that her sister is attending to him rather than to urgent household tasks. Our Lord, rather than praising hospitality, explicitly celebrates the less-productive sister for doing the **"one necessary thing."** He praises her for she **"has chosen the better part"** (Luke 10:42). Mary is busy doing what matters.

Before we freak out like Martha, consider that all work — domestic, manual, professional, ministerial, contemplative — is done to help us (sooner or later) to experience the love that makes us happy. We should be thankful for those who focus on the "better part" of radical, ceaseless prayer. They invite us to remember the purpose of all work is the enjoyment of love. Contemplatives, hermits, anyone fervently committed to prayer—they invite us to cast aside our forgetful, resentful, and self-aggrandizing attitudes in exchange for hearts ready to do what is finally necessary.

— Father John Muir

En este domingo, la liturgia de la Palabra nos invita a escuchar cuidadosamente la forma de recibir a los huéspedes. En la primera lectura, Abraham recibe al Señor con gran entusiasmo y le prepara un gran banquete. Dios se detiene, conversa con él y le hace la promesa de que, a su vuelta, Sara, su mujer, tendrá un hijo. *"Dentro de un año volveré por aquí, y entonces Sara, tu mujer, tendrá un hijo"* (Génesis 18:10). *"El Señor siempre nos sorprende: cuando empezamos a escucharlo realmente, las nubes se desvanecen, las dudas dan paso a la verdad, los miedos a la serenidad y las diferentes situaciones de la vida encuentran su lugar que les corresponde. El Señor siempre, cuando viene, arregla las cosas, incluso para nosotros"* (Papa Francisco). San Agustín lo expresa de la siguiente manera en su Sermón 255: *"Esta dulcísima tarea había escogido para sí María, que se mantenía inactiva; a la vez aprendía y alababa. En cambio, Marta estaba ocupada en muchas cosas. Lo que hacía era ciertamente necesario, pero pasajero: cosas para el camino, aún no las propias de la vida futura; se ocupaba del viaje, aún no de lo que iba a poseer. Había recibido, en efecto, al Señor y a cuantos iban con él"*. Y continúa, diciendo, explicando el texto de este domingo: *"Se dignó ser recibido como huésped no por necesidad, sino por benevolencia. ¿Qué dará Dios a los que lo sirven, lo adoran, creen en él, en él ponen su esperanza y a él aman?"*

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**65th Anniversary Dinner/Dance &
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Held on June 21st 2025 at Our Lady of Peace

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Mass Intentions

Saturday July 19

8:30am Gabriel Gomez Jr. Sp. Intention
5:30pm Francisco Tolentino Jr. Sp. Intention
Gabriel Gomez Jr. Sp. Intention
7:00pm

Sunday July 20

7:00am Gabriel Gomez Jr. Sp. Intention
Martha Barba Deceased
9:00am Eduardo Crisostomo Deceased
12:30pm Maria Timotea Alcantara Deceased
Maria Socorro Martinez Deceased
Tomas Valle Deceased
Humberto Giron Deceased
2:30pm

Monday July 21

8:30am Gabriel Gomez Jr. Sp. Intention
6:30pm Osvaldo Cortez Peralta Deceased

Tuesday July 22

8:30am Alicia Rosas Sp. Intention
Gabriel Gomez Jr. Sp. Intention
6:30pm Alicia Rosas Sp. Intention

Wednesday July 23

8:30am Rene Tolo Sp. Intention
Dominador Mendoza Deceased
Marcela Mendoza Deceased
Gabriel Gomez Jr. Sp. Intention
6:30pm Angel Chairez Sp. Intention

Thursday July 24

8:30am Emelita Alpay Deceased
David Martinez Sp. Intention
Gabriel Gomez Jr. Sp. Intention
6:30pm

Friday July 25

8:30am Arnold Felipe Sp. Intention
Veronica Gomez Sp. Intention
Gabriel Gomez Jr. Sp. Intention
6:30pm

Saturday July 26

8:30am Felisa Saldares Deceased
5:30pm Francisco Tolentino Jr. Sp. Intention
7:00pm Ricardo Leyva Muñoz Ramirez Deceased
Yesenia Hernandez Navarro Deceased

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 26: Community English Baptisms at 10am/
Bautizos en Comunidad en Ingles a las 10am

August 1: First Friday all day Adoration/
Adoracion todo el día de primer Viernes

August 2: Filipino Mass at 7pm/ Misa de Filipinos
a las 7pm

August 3: Food Sale for Festival/ Venta de
comida para el Festival

August 16: Community Spanish Baptisms at
10am/ Bautizos en Comunidad en Español a las
10am

August 24: Food Sale/ Venta de Comida

August 30: Community English Baptisms at
10am/ Bautizos en Comunidad en Ingles a las
10am

August 31: Nigerian Mass at 12pm in the Chapel/
Misa Nigeriana en la Capilla a las 12pm

September 1: Offices closed in observance of
Labor Day. No 6:30pm Spanish Mass this day/
Las oficinas estan cerradas en observacion del
Dia del Trabajo. No habra misa a las 6:30pm en
Español este dia

September 5: First Friday Adoration all day in
the church/ Adoracion de primer Viernes, todo
el dia en la Iglesia

September 7: Fiesta Food Sale (Early Bird)/
Venta de comida para la fiesta Rifa de
madrugadores

September 13: Community weddings 10:30am/
Bodas Comunitarias 10:30am

September 16: OLPS Back to School Night/ OLPS
Noche de regreso a clases

September 20: Spanish Baptisms 10:00am/
Bautizos en español 10:00am

September 21: Food Sale for Festival/ Venta de
comida para el Festival

September 27: Community English Baptisms at
10am/ Bautizos en Comunidad en Ingles a las
10am

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