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First Sunday of Advent



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Advent Giving Tree

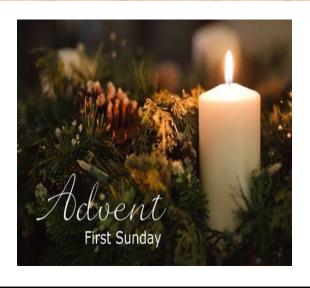
Our Lady of Angels

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PEOPLE OF THE LIGHT

We are called to reflect the light of God's love through the ways in which we live our lives. Imagine the impact if each of us took this call to heart, every day, at home, work, or school, in our parish, in the world. "All nations shall stream toward it," toward the love that only comes from God. Yet, we must admit that much of the time we fail to be beacons of God's light. We fall asleep, complacent, preferring to go the easy route, which often leads to darkness rather than the radiance of Christ's light. As we begin the season of Advent, Saint Paul admonishes us to throw off the works of darkness, to awaken to the call of light and love. In today's Gospel, Jesus too tells us to stay awake, to be prepared to greet the Lord of light as people of the light.

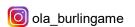


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MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 8:00am & 5:00pm

Sunday:

7:00am, 8:30am 10:00am, 11:30am, 6:00pm

Monday-Friday:

8:00am & 5:30pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION FACE TO FACE IN THE CHURCH

Saturdays: 3:30-4:45 pm

ADORATION CHAPEL 8:30 am-5:30 pm (M-F) 8:30 am-Noon (SAT)

MASS INTENTIONS

Your prayers are requested for the deceased members of the parish and especially for those who have died recently, and the following for whom Mass will be offered:

> **SAT, November 26, 2022:** 5:00 p.m. Theresa Spiteri

SUN, Nov 27, 2022: 7:00 a.m. All Parishioners 10:00 a.m. Luigi Ghiglieri

8:30 a.m. Holy Souls 11:30 a.m. Mariano Madamba

> 6:00 p.m. Fr. Regis Wallace, OSB

8:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 11:30 a.m. at Marian Concepcion V. Romualdez Luke Abilez **Holy Souls MONDAY:**

TUESDAY: Greg Hahn Holy Souls Catherine Jobst

WEDNESDAY: Norvell Llamas **Holy Souls** Kitty & Joe McDermott THURSDAY: Helen M. Bonelli Helen Arana Thomas Phelan FRIDAY: Robert Kane Elia Wijaya Kathleen Reilly **SATURDAY:** Kathy Gigliotti Arana Rudona Bleichner

> **SAT, December 4, 2022:** 5:00 p.m. Ernest, Olga & Jimmy Lopez / Paul Verbelli

SUN, Dec 5, 2022: 7:00 a.m. All Parishioners 10:00 a.m. Richard Duffy Family

> 8:30 a.m. Fr. Flavian Welstead, OFM Cap. 11:30 a.m. Laurie Massa

> > Claire Rita Fitzpatrick 6:00 p.m.

The daily 11:30am Masses at Marian Oaks are now **OPEN** to the public.



Advent is the season encompassing the four Sundays (and weekdays) leading up to the celebration of Christmas.

The Advent season is a time of preparation that directs our hearts and minds to Christ's second coming at the end of time and to the anniversary of Our Lord's birth on Christmas.

The final days of Advent, from December 17 to December 24, we focus on our preparation for the celebrations of the Nativity of our Lord at Christmas.

Advent devotions, including the Advent wreath, remind us of the meaning of the season.

An Advent calendar can help us fully enter into the season with daily activity and prayer.









PRAYER

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

As a circle begins and ends at the same point, the liturgical year begins and ends at the final judgement. God is at the beginning and the end, Alpha and Omega. All time belongs to him and all the ages. The Advent wreath represents the circle of life's journey from God as creator to God as final destiny. Evergreen leaves express hope based on God's everlasting love.

Three times we hear that the Son of Man is coming. Advent will focus on three stages of his coming. We look back to his historical coming at the first Christmas. We look forward to his final coming at the end of our earthly sojourn. We are called to be vigilant in prayer to the many ways that God communicates with us each day. Prayer is not so much talking to God as learning how to listen to God before talking.

DECEMBER 8

Masses on Thursday, December 8 at 8am, 11am and 5:30pm The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a holy day of obligation this year.

"FORMED" PICK OF THE WEEK

FORMED is a popular online platform that can be likened to a Catholic "Netflix". Visit **www.ola.formed.org**. You can also scan the QR Code (to the left) on your phone's camera to download the app. The "Pick of The Week" is Adventus: A Spiritual Pilgrimage. This Advent, make a spiritual pilgrimage to the Holy Land. Uncover the beauty of the place where Christ was born, preparing your heart for Christ coming so you can enter more deeply into this season. Visit **https://watch.formed.org/videos/adventus**.

FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ADORATION

December 2 at 7:10pm in the Church (Mass begins at 7:30pm) Bilingual in both English and Tagalog

All are invited to join Fr. Peter and the Filipino Ministry (FilAm) every first Friday of the month. Adoration will begin twenty minutes before the Mass.

ADVENT WITH ST. FRANCIS

Sign up for a daily email series which will offer meditations on the Christmas season, St. Francis, and the wonders of the Incarnation. Sign up at https://info.franciscanmedia.org/advent-calendar-sign-up.

PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP

Saturday, December 3 at 9am in the Church Please join us for Mass in the Church followed by refreshments in the Rectory dining room. All are welcome.



FRATERNITY

CHRISTMAS AT KOHL HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE

2750 Adeline Drive, Burlingame

Wednesday, November 30, 5:00-9:00 p.m. (\$15 per person donation) https://www.mercyhsb.com/about/christmas-at-kohl
More than 65 vendors will display unique holiday treasures, jewelry, clothing, and holiday decorations. A docent presentation and history of the historic Kohl Mansion will start at 6:30 pm. A shuttle will run every 15 minutes to and from OLA and Mercy to help with parking.

FRATERNITY

ST. FRANCIS GARDEN

OLA has a new place to gather as a community! The focal point of the garden will be a fountain in front of a donor recognition tree wall. Parishioners have the opportunity to remember family and loved ones on an engraved leaf (\$250), stepping stone (\$2,500), or a bird (\$5,000). Forms have been sent out in the mail or you can visit https://ola.churchofficechms.com/external/form/fc1ba574-e7b7-4007-bfac-cd58fe31fd9a. We will have an official St. Francis Garden "Grand Opening" by Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone next year around Easter.

HOLIDAY GRIEF WORKSHOP

Monday, December 5 from 7-8:30pm St. Pius Parish Center (1100 Woodside Road, Redwood City) This workshop will be facilitated by Sister Toni Lynn Gallagher of the San Francisco Archdiocese. It is our intent to hold the workshop at the Parish Center. Should there be a change, we will hold the workshop virtually. Please email **griefministry@pius.org** or call (650) 361-0655 to register.





MINORITY

ADVENT GIVING TREE

Our traditional Advent Giving Tree is in the vestibule of the Church. Simply take an ornament that describes the requested item from the local charity and return it to the Youth Center or the Rectory Office by Sunday, December 11. Thank you!

BROWN BAG SUNDAY

Sunday, December 4 at 8:00 am in the Lower Hall Join other parishioners as we make brown bag lunches for the Saint Vincent de Paul Society. Parishioners of all ages are welcome to attend.

COMMITMENT (PLEDGE) CARDS FOR 2023

It is almost Thanksgiving and we can't let Thanksgiving go by without saying a big "Thank You" for your faithful support of the parish. Every year at this time, we send out a Commitment (Pledge) Card to ask for your financial support for the coming year. We know that you will be as generous as you can as we look towards 2023. You should be receiving a card in the mail. You can also find them in the pews. We ask that you fill it in and return it either by mail or put it in the collection basket. Thank you for your support! You can also pledge online by using the QR Code shown on the right.

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