

April 6, 2025
Fifth Sunday of Lent



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Palm Sunday Donkey
Next Sunday



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OLA Speaker Series
Michael Collopy



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Our Missions

Our Lady of Angels CAPUCHIN Franciscan

GOSPEL MEDITATION

“The scribes and the Pharisees brought a woman who had been caught in adultery and made her stand in the middle” (John 8:3). Why do they make her stand in the middle? Why not expose her on the periphery? The reason is something that affects us practically every day.

The center is what stabilizes a community’s identity. We humans tend to center ourselves around an accused and condemned victim — though we rarely admit it. This renews our fragile communities and our power as those who weaponize the accusation. This is effective because it is often a victim who represents something truly dangerous for the group. In this case, adultery stands for the breakdown of a community and those within it, because it forces questions like: who is my father? Whose child is this? Is this child one of us, or that of an outsider? The accusers place the adulteress in the center because their community, like most, is built around turning an enemy into a victim.

Once you understand this, you’ll see it almost anywhere humans group together (families, politics, workplaces, sports, schools, etc.). The good news is Jesus exposes this dynamic by deftly pointing out the sin-infected hearts of everyone besides the woman. They all leave, symbolizing the breakdown of the old order, and she is “left alone before him.” A new community has begun, structured around the merciful love of Christ.

What is in your center? What is in the center of our parish and family communities? Strive to center on Christ’s forgiveness, and we experience the new, lasting community we call the Church.
—Fr. John Muir



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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: 3:30-4:30 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, April 5: 5:00pm The Lopez & Verbelli Family / Dorothy Ryan

SUN, April 6:

7:00am All Parishioners

8:30am Mary Stecher / Ann Carney

10:00am Donna Farley, OFS / Patrick Loughran

11:30am The Madamba Family

6:00pm Rosalie O'Mahony

MONDAY: 8:00am Francis Dapelo / Tim Riardon

TUESDAY: Fanny Marchetti

WEDNESDAY: Enza Giuliacci

THURSDAY: Rudona Bleichner

FRIDAY: Merlante Doran

SATURDAY: Norvell Llamas / Barbara Barbagelata

11:30am at Marian Oaks

John & Mary Glennon

Thomas Mallard

Rosalie O'Mahony

Serafino Fontana / Frank Young

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5:30pm

Mary Doherty

Linda & Peter Ferrai

Rosalie O'Mahony

Tom Keefer / Joseph & Maria Emilio

Rosalie O'Mahony

SAT, April 12: 5:00pm Bruno & Alipio Fatica / Jim Daly

SUN, April 13:

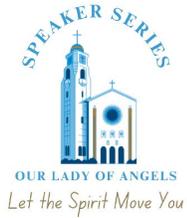
7:00am All Parishioners

8:30am Aileen Rush / Dr. Antonio Arroyo Perez

10:00am Joe Marchetti / Winifred Bleichner

11:30am Michael Irvine

6:00pm Rosalie O'Mahony



*Enjoy an extraordinary opportunity to meet
one of the world's best photographers*

Experience Michael Collopy LIVE!

FREE

A gift to the community in honor of
the year of HOPE declared by
Pope Francis

**Wednesday, April 30
7:00 pm**

Our Lady of Angels Gym
1721 Hillside Drive
Burlingame, CA 94010

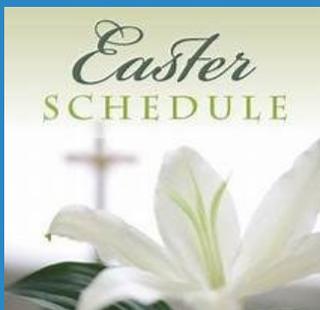
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Come to learn this renowned
photographer's unique approach to building
relationships with his subjects so that he
doesn't just capture their image, but also
reveals their soul. See striking images from
some of his favorite work – from Mother
Teresa, to Willie Mays, and much more!

*I highly recommend this opportunity to gain
insight into how one of the world's greatest
photographers connects with some of the
world's most exceptional people. His
anecdotes are priceless."*

*—Rev. Michael Mahoney
Our Lady of Angels Church*



PRAYER

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays during Lent at 6pm (after the 5:30pm Mass)

LENTEN ABSTINENCE

Everyone 14 and older is bound to abstain from meat on the FRIDAYS of Lent and GOOD FRIDAY.

THE LENT PRAYER CHALLENGE ON HALLOW

Join the Lent "Pray 40" challenge on the Hallow Prayer App. It will feature content from a range of Catholic spiritual leaders, and it is a great tool to bolster your prayer life and draw you closer to Jesus this Lent. Thanks to an Archdiocesan partnership with Hallow, all parishioners can subscribe to Hallow Premium for 12 months for only \$1. To sign up, visit hallow.com/parish and find "Our Lady of Angels" in the search bar.

FR. JOYSON'S EXPRESSIVE ART WORKSHOP

Saturday, April 12 at 7pm in the Lower Hall

Come with an open heart and mind to experience profound healing. Register for this free workshop by calling Fr. Joyson at (925) 259-2060.

ALPHA LENT FAITH GROUP

Wednesdays through April 16, 6:30pm - 8:30pm in the gym

Join us for some food and community, watch a video, and chat about faith. Stay connected during Lent. Everyone is welcome. Please let us know you are coming by visiting www.tinyurl.com/OLA-LENT.

PALM SUNDAY DONKEY

Sunday, April 13 before the 10:00am Mass

Meet in the upper parking lot and then process down the street to the church entrance. Petting of the donkey will be in the church breezeway or rectory backyard after 10am Mass and before 11:30am Mass.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesday (April 16): 7:00pm

Good Friday (April 18): 3:00pm - 4:30pm

Holy Saturday (April 19): 3:30pm - 5:00pm

EASTER MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 19 at 8:00pm (Easter Vigil)

Sunday, April 20 at 7am, 8:30am (& Live Stream), **10am & Noon**

WOMEN'S FAITH SHARING PROGRAM

We invite all women of the parish to join OLA's Women's Faith Sharing Group, *Walking With Purpose (WWP)*. The mission of WWP is to help every Catholic woman encounter Jesus Christ through Bible studies! Join us for *Opening Your Heart: The Starting Point* as we explore the fundamental questions of our Catholic faith and our relationship with Jesus Christ. We start up again for a 6-week session on April 30 (until June 4), then take a break for the summer and resume again to conclude with a 6-week session in the Fall. It is on Thursday nights from 6:45-8:15pm in the Padre Pio Room (room outside the school office). The cost of the book is \$50. Register with the QR code here or by emailing your name, phone # and email to theresawebbola@gmail.com.

FRATERNITY

SENIOR LUNCHEON

Monday, April 7 at 11:30am in the OLA gym

OLA Seniors, please join us for our April Senior Luncheon. Please RSVP each month to Liz O'Connor at (650) 344-5521.

OLA SPEAKER SERIES ANNOUNCES PHOTOGRAPHER MICHAEL COLLOPY

Wednesday, April 30 at 7pm in the OLA Gym

Meet one of the world's most renowned photographers. Hear how he builds relationships with some of the world's most exceptional people—to not just capture their image, but also reveal their souls. See striking images from his favorite work—from Mother Teresa to Willie Mays, and much more. The event is a FREE gift to our community. Invite family and friends and register using the QR Code on the right.

CAFÉ OLA

April 13 (Palm Sunday) after the Sunday morning Masses

Join us in the St. Francis Garden after next Sunday's morning Masses for our Café OLA + Secular Franciscan "Say no to Plastics" Earth Day Initiative.

Bakers are needed for the upcoming Café OLA! Please sign up to bring bakery items at <https://tinyurl.com/CafeOLABakersBrigade>.

OLA 65+ SINGLES

You're invited to join us for our Single Seniors Social and Lunch on April 23 from 11am-1pm in the Lower Hall. Bring a friend and a dish to share. Please RSVP to Marina at (650) 347-5132 and leave a message by April 21.

BIBLE STUDY AT OLA—SPRING/SUMMER

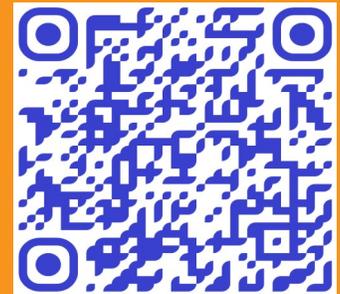
Mondays starting May 5 at 7pm in the Lower Hall (8 sessions)

- * A Biblical Walk Through the Mass
- * The Four Gospels

Please use the QR Code on the right to register. Contact Tom Crawford at (917) 608-0812 with questions. Cost is \$40.



Michael Collopy – "Building Relationships through Photography"



MINORITY

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

Catholic Relief Services: Reveal Christ's Love

The funds collected will provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here and abroad. Learn more at usccb.org/catholic-relief.

MILK FOR OUR MISSIONS - LENT 2025

God bless you for your support of Milk for Our Missions - OLA's 10 year old Lenten giving program. Your donations care for severely undernourished children and families in No. Mexico. You can donate using the QR Code on the right.





CAFE OLA

SUN. APRIL 13. 2025

After 7am, 8:30am, 10am, & 11:30AM Mass

FAITH. FOOD. FRIENDS & FUN!

Featuring
Acoustic Mix

Brian Wachorst (9:30am)

Scott Hill (11:00am)

Special OLA Secular Franciscan's Care for Creation

“Say No to Plastics” Display

April Display Focus: “Shopping Plastic” Alternatives

Baker SignUps: <https://tinyurl.com/CafeOLABakersBrigade>

Student Service Hour SignUps: Text Laura @ 650.796.2185