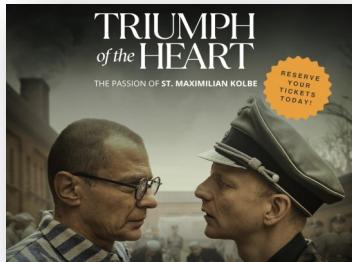




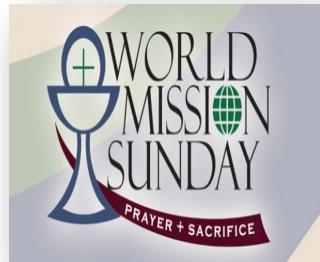
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October 26



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“Triumph of the Heart”
November 1 at OLA



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Our Lady of Angels CAPUCHIN Franciscan

GOSPEL MEDITATION

A woman in my parish has an adult son who has rejected his faith. She prays for him every day. She lights candles, says rosaries, and asks God again and again to bring him back. But nothing changes. Is God listening? Is He delaying? She told me once that she feels like the widow in Jesus' strange parable — crying out for justice, but hearing only silence. And yet, she said, she is at peace. I asked why. She responded, “God is already answering. I just can't see it yet.”

She embodies something of the mystery in Jesus' parable this week in Luke 18. A powerless widow demands justice from a corrupt judge. This isn't about wearing God down until He gives in. It's about faith in the justice that is already coming. The widow isn't just persistent; she believes that justice is inevitable. And when Jesus points to the judge's words — his fear of being “struck” — He hints at something deeper: God's justice does not creep in gradually. It strikes. It comes like lightning.

Blessed Mary is, of course, the ultimate widow demanding justice. At the foot of the cross she stands before what looks like the ultimate injustice — the brutal execution of her son. But she did not despair. She did not beg for a last-minute rescue. She knew that justice was not delayed. In fact, it was happening. The power of the cross was already unleashing justice upon the world — suddenly, decisively, like a blow that would topple every corrupt power, making even the most corrupt fear her strike.

This parable asks us: will the Son of Man find faith on earth? Or will we mistake God's silence for absence? The cross proves that justice is not slow. It is only hidden. The lightning has already struck. In the cross, justice is speedily being done.

— Father 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, October 18: 5:00pm Luciano Zandona / Lynn Kelly

SUN, October 19:

7:00am All Parishioners

8:30am Elizabeth Antony / Daniel Sheehan

10:00am Joe Marchetti / Aurora Roselli

11:30am MaryAnn Elia / Nancy Ann Gonzales

6:00pm Rosalie O'Mahony

8:00am

MONDAY: Special Intention / Gloria Fazendin

TUESDAY: Mario & Arianna Cassanego / Fr. James Stump

WEDNESDAY: Don Sabatini / Dr. Rudy Soto

THURSDAY: Honesto Llamas Jr. / George Vennemeyer

FRIDAY: Elikutty Antony / Loretta Canevaro

SATURDAY: John & Ada Mocelin

11:30am at Marian Oaks

Rosalie O'Mahony

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Thomas Mallard / Heidi Cortese

Rosetta Fontana

Rosalie O'Mahony

5:30pm

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Elizabeth Adamero / Special Intention

Robert St. John / Andrzej Strot

Rosalie O'Mahony

Larry & Ina Gavin

SAT, October 25: 5:00pm Catherine Gogarty Winnett / Amber McClements

SUN, October 26:

7:00am All Parishioners

8:30am Rosalie O'Mahony

10:00am Frank McDermott / Gerry O'Donnell

11:30am Rosalie O'Mahony

6:00pm Paul Flanagan

TRIUMPH *of the* HEART

THE PASSION OF ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE

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Our Lady of Angels Exclusive Screening

BUY TICKETS NOW



November 1, 2025

OLA Gym, Burlingame
7:00pm

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PRAYER

OLA'S FALL ALPHA PROGRAM

Wednesdays through Nov. 5 @ 7pm in the Lower Hall

Alpha is a series exploring and reigniting our Catholic faith, in an open and informal setting. Each session includes a group dinner and small group discussion. RSVP using the QR Code on the left.

ALL SAINTS' DAY

November 1, All Saints' Day, is dedicated to the saints of the Church, that is, all those who have attained heaven. It is not a holy day of obligation this year since it falls on a Saturday.

ALL SOULS' DAY—SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2

We will have our regular Sunday Mass schedule. However, the Sunday 6pm Mass will be a **Special Candlelight Mass**. Families who have lost loved ones in recent times may light a candle for them at Mass as their names are called out. Please email names to kmahaney13@gmail.com.

ALL SOULS' REMEMBRANCE ENVELOPES

All Souls Remembrance envelopes were mailed this past week. Additional envelopes are available in the rectory. All 8am weekday Masses in November will be offered for those named on the envelopes, as well as for those in our Mass Intention Book. You may add a list of names inside the envelope or write the names on the outside. The envelopes can be mailed to the rectory or put into the Sunday collection. The envelopes will be present on the altar at all Masses in November.

OLA SPEAKER SERIES—FR. GREG BOYLE

Thursday, December 4 at 7pm in the OLA Church (FREE event)

Cherished Belonging: The Healing Power of Love in Divided Times

Come hear best-selling author and founder of Homeboy Industries, Fr. Greg Boyle. At a time when society is more fractured than ever before, Fr. Boyle invites us to see the world through a new lens of connection to build the loving community that we long to live in. Please register using the QR Code on the left, the registration form in the vestibule, or visit the rectory office.

HOLY HOUR

Sunday, October 26 at 7pm (following the 6pm Mass)

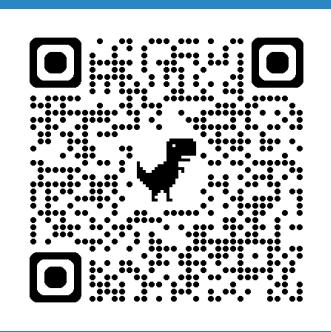
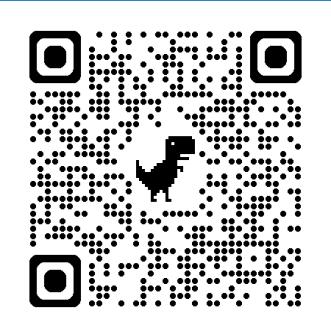
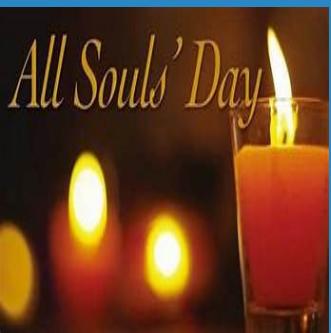
We hold a Holy Hour on the last Sunday of every month.

PRAYERS FOR THE LIVING & DECEASED

Due to the many requests for prayers, our prayer cubes were overflowing. Therefore, we have created a new Prayer Wall in the Hall of Saints. Prayer requests will remain on the wall for 30 days.

RECLAIMING FRIENDSHIP

Please join OLA's Women's Faith Sharing Group on Thursday nights from 6:45-8:15pm from January 8– February 12, 2026 in the Padre Pio Room (next to the school office). *Reclaiming Friendship: God's Plan for Deep Connection* will explore what it takes to stay close to friends for the long haul, what to look for in a friend, and how to navigate toxic relationships. Register using the QR Code on the left or by calling Theresa Webb at (650) 347-7768. Cost is \$30 (includes book).



FRATERNITY

CAFÉ OLA

This Sunday after all morning Masses in the St. Francis Garden

Join us after all morning Masses for our October Café OLA! We will be knitting baby blankets to be donated to programs serving struggling expectant mothers, and collecting baby diapers (sizes 3-5).



MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

October 25-26 at the Vallombrosa Retreat Center in Menlo Park

Led by Fr. Peter Eugenio (lodging & meals included for \$300/couple)

Discover a weekend of love, faith and renewal. Grow closer to your spouse and enrich your marriage in a truly unforgettable way. Please visit bldsfbayarea.com/retreats/meapp to register.



TRIUMPH OF THE HEART

November 1 at 7pm in the OLA Gym

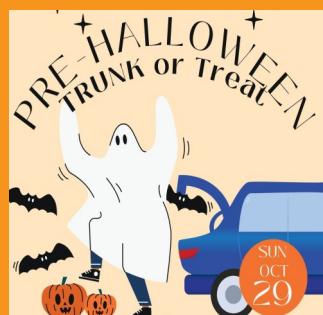
Be one of the first to see the limited release of this feature film rated 96% on rotten tomatoes! You can view the movie's trailer at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y29VTf8LHhs&t=5s>

Auschwitz, 1941. After a prisoner escapes, the SS guards select 10 prisoners to starve to death as punishment. Father Kolbe volunteers to take the place of a family man who has pleaded to the Guards for mercy. Father Kolbe was beatified in 1970 and canonized as a martyr by Pope John Paul II in 1982. Please RSVP using the QR Code on the right. (Cost is \$10)

PRE-HALLOWEEN “TRUNK OR TREAT”

October 26 after the 10am Mass in the OLA parking lot

Decorate your car trunk in festive gear and distribute candy to children. If you would like to participate in this event, please email the School of Religion at SchoolOfReligion@olaparish.org.



SENIOR LUNCHEON

Monday, November 3 at 11:30am in the OLA gym

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



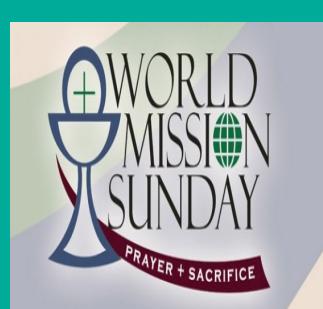
OUR LADY OF ANGELS SCHOOL

In collaboration with the Capuchin Franciscans, Our Lady of Angels School provides a foundation in Catholic values and encourages our students to serve others. We prepare students to become responsible and contributing members of a global society equipped with 21st Century skills. OLA is now accepting applications for the 2026/2027 school year. Visit Our Lady of Angels School and experience a day as an Angel. OLA is currently holding school tours every Wednesday. Please scan the QR Code on the right for more information and to sign up.

MINORITY

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

This Sunday is World Mission Sunday. We join Catholics around the world in prayer and generosity for the missions. This weekend's second collection will support the Pope's missions in some of the most vulnerable places on earth. This year's theme, *Missionaries of Hope Among the Peoples*, reminds us that our prayers and sacrifices bring light to those in darkness.





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Join us for our
**FRIARY FALL
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An Open House with Your Capuchin Friars



Come and enjoy food and drinks with the friars you have known and loved over many years at OLA!

Saturday November 1 | 3-5 PM

St. Francis of Assisi Friary and Retirement Home
1345 Cortez Avenue, Burlingame CA 94010

RSVP by email to development@capuchinswest.org