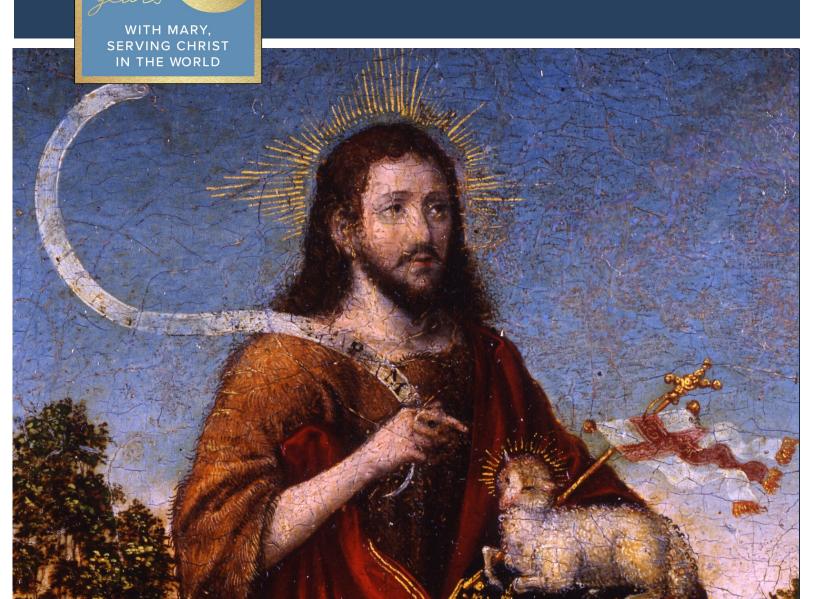


Third Sunday of Advent

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# Mass Schedule

# Monday and Tuesday

+9 AM Portuguese

## Wednesday

+6 PM English

## Thursday and Friday

+7 PM Portuguese

# **Saturday**

- +5:30 PM English
- +7 PM Portuguese

#### **Sunday**

- +9:30 AM English
- +11:15 AM Portuguese
- + 1:30 PM Latin

# **Confession Schedule**

PLEASE SEE ADVENT SCHEDULE FOR ADDITIONAL CONFESSIONS

All Saturdays

■ 5 PM-5:30 PM

First Friday

■ Following 9 AM Mass

First Saturday

■ 9 AM -10 AM

Monthly during ARMEE

Adoration of the

**Blessed Sacrament** 

Weekly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament began last week and continues every Thursday. Please sign up at the back table in the New Church.

Thursdays

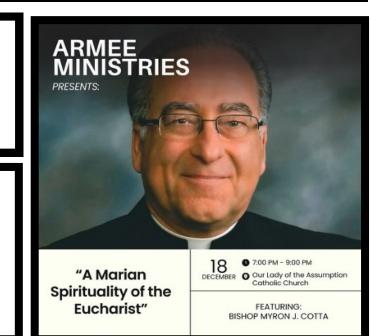
■ 9:30 AM— 9 PM First Church



VALER will be closed from December 18<sup>th</sup> until January 8<sup>th</sup> in observance of the Christmas season. We wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## We Care Shelter

Please reserve a Tuesday night for your family and group to serve dinner at We Care. Every Tuesday has been reserved for OLA, but other nights available as well. Please contact Christine Dores to reserve a date and learn more about We Care: 209.495.0586 cdores12@aol.com





Sunday, January 7, 2024 Holy Mass at 10:30am

Procession & Festival Celebration in the Hall following the Mass

# All Catechism Children:

Please bring a gift such as Deliciously Prepared Meals to be enjoyed during the celebrations in the hall, Desserts, Gift Baskets, Wine, Fruits, Cheese, or any traditional gifts given from Christmas. All items will be brought to the Hall after Mass to be auctioned off in our silent or live auctions.

All proceeds go towards OLA's Catechism Program!

# Festival Celebration includes:

- Live & Silent Auction to bid on delicious meals to share with family & friends •
- Delicious lunch for sale (Cash Only)
- Complimentary Lunch for children



# ADVENT & CHRISTMAS 2023

Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe +6:30 AM Mass in Latin

#### December 13

+6 PM Catechism Mass in English Confessions to follow

#### December 14

9:30 AM-9 PM Adoration

#### December 18

7 PM ARMEE with Bishop Myron Cotta Confessions and Adoration

#### December 21 & 22

Portuguese Christmas Triduum 6 PM—7 PM Confessions +7 PM Mass in Portuguese

#### December 23

10 AM- 12 Noon Confessions 4:30 PM- 5:30 PM Confessions +5:30 PM Mass in English +7 PM Christmas Triduum Mass in Portuguese

#### December 24

Sunday Obligation +9:30 AM Mass in English +11:15 AM Mass in Portuguese +1:30 PM Mass in Latin

#### December 25

Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord Holy Day of Obligation +12 AM Midnight Bilingual Mass +9:30 AM Mass in English +11:15 AM Mass in Portuguese +1:30 PM Mass in Latin

#### December 31

Sunday Obligation +9:30 AM Mass in English +11:15 AM Mass in Portuguese +1:30 PM Mass in Latin

Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God Holy Day of Obligation +10:30 PM Bilingual Vigil Mass Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament to follow until 12 AM Midnight

Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God Holy Day of Obligation +9:30 AM Mass in English +11:15 AM Mass in Portuguese +1:30 PM Mass in Latin

#### January 7

Epiphany of the Lord +10:30 AM Bilingual Mass +1:30 PM Mass in Latin +6 PM Mass in English

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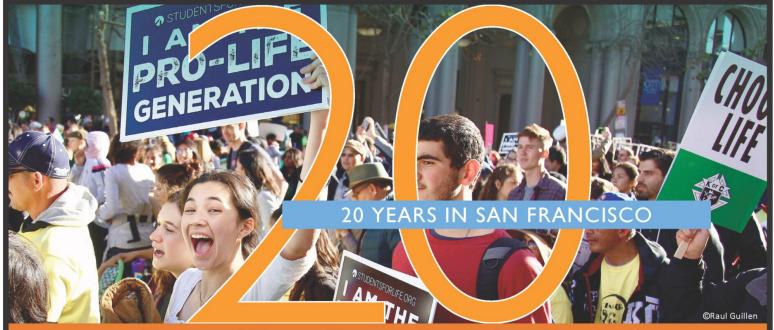
English proficiency.

MATERIALS: TEXTBOOK REQUIRED (\$20.00)

INSTRUCTOR: Christina Etchepare (209) 620-7930

PRE REGISTRATION REQUIRED: kuraya31@gmail.com

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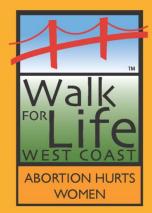
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Rally: 12:30<sub>PM</sub>

**CIVIC CENTER PLAZA** 

Info Faire: 11:00AM

Saturday, January 20, 2024



Rally starts at Civic Center Plaza, walking down Market Street (2 miles). Walk ends at Embarcadero Plaza.

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Register and info:

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# OLA YOUTH GROUP Fall 2023 Calendar

# **NOVEMBER**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	20	30		

# **DECEMBER**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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6-8pm OLA Youth Group Night in the Youth Room, inside the Parish Hall

6pm Christmas Social with The Factor Youth Group at All Saints University Parish, Turlock





# Youth Group

# LAST THURSDAY:

# Thanks for joining us last Thursday!

We were so glad you could join us our part 3 of our series and final night of "self. others. God." In 2024 we will continue with a new series with the goal of helping teens grow in their faith.

# **NEXT TEEN NIGHTS:**

### Thursday, Dec. 21st

6–8pm at All Saints University Parish Join us for dinner and a Christmas Social with The Factor Youth Group!

We will meet at All Saints University Parish for many fun activities including an ugly Christmas Sweater Contest & Fashion Show!

# Thursday, Dec. 28th 4-6pm at our Youth Room

Join us for a casual hangout with games, cocoa, & Christmas break time with your OLA friends!

# WANT TO HELP?

If you are interested in providing a meal for our group one night or donations of paper products, snacks, or waters, go to ourladyturlock.flocknote.com/signup/141348 or call the Parish Office.

Email dgermanneolassumption.net if you have any questions!

# DON'T FORGET!

Monday, Dec. 18th 7–9pm

ARMEE Ministries will have Adoration & Bishop Cotta give a talk!



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# Thanks for joining us for the Diocesan Young Adult Event, Venite Adoremus, on 12/15 in San Andreas! YOUNG ADULT GROUP

# UPCOMING EVENTS

First & third Fridays of the month. Stay tuned for our Spring 2024 calendar!

# **OUR MISSION**

To create community & provide opportunities to encounter Jesus, grow in faith, & learn about our Catholic faith. Single & married young adults; ages 18-30.

# DON'T MISS

Monday 12/18 ARMEE Ministries Adoration with Bishop Cotta!

@ ola\_youngadults Text 84576 to join our group texts Email dgermann@olassumption.net with questions

# Cold Crab & Pasta Dinner

Council #12847

KNIGHTS

Saturday, January 13, 2024 Drive Thru: 4:30-5:30 pm Social Hour: 6:00-6:30 pm Dinner: 6:30-9:00 pm

Our Lady of The Assumption Church Hall 2604 S. Walnut Rd., Turlock

Dinner Includes All You Can Eat:

Marinated Cold Crab, Pasta, Salad, Garlie Bread & Dessert
Donation: \$65 per person
Children Tickets available at the door

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# Pray for the Sick

Heavenly Lord, we need Your divine intervention in our lives. We need You to empower our bodies with Your holy presence, and Your arms envelop our minds to soothe this pain. We shall not buckle under the strain and when it's a new day, our healed body will be a representation of Your power. Thank You, Your holiness for such attention to our lives, and In Christ's name, Amen.

Andrew Godunio

Maria Natalia Azevedo

Cindy Alamo Fernandes

Rosalia Batista

Peggy Jenkin

Filipe Ormonde

Manuel Gomes

Iesuina Teixeira Violante Silva Teresa Xavier Niveria Soares Marie Dixon Steve Chambers Maria de Jesus Pascoal Maria Fernandina Carvalho Lurdes Toledo Cecilia Pires Fatima Linhares Bobby Moules Frank Linhares Elizabeth Baptista Silveira João Parreira Celeste Drumonde Suzanna da Rosa João Vitorino Lucia Cardoso Anne Abruzzini Tyler Jorge Diane Silva Serafina Jordão John Silva Christina Soares da Silva George Azevedo Maggie Azevedo Barker Noelia Bettencourt Filomena Fontes Sadler Rose Cunha Bettencourt Amy Águeda Albert Bettencourt José Azevedo João Silveira Lee Joseph Neves Virginia Azevedo Natalia Neves Maria Emilia Nunes Tito Rebelo Ioão Borba Angela Agueda Alfredo Parreira Edgar Cândido Margarida Silva

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Do you have a family member who cannot leave home and is in need of Holy Communion and prayer? Please call Beatriz Lourenco (209) 668-3801.

# Pray for the Recently Deceased

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

> Antonio Silveira João Afonso Maria Enes Paulo DeMatos Manuel Inacio da Silveira Francis Ramos Maria Jose Rocha Albertina Azevedo Idoina Vaz Maria Gomes Debra Jean Brasil Leonel Morais Julio Armando Teixeira Olivia Esteves Antonio Brasil

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Joseph Machado Fagundes Eleuterio Pinto Maria Adelaide Silva Jean Vasconcellos

Kristi Chamberlin



# Monday • Segunda-Feira, December/Dezembro 18 Mass Intentions

† José Marcelino Avila – da filha Antelma Oliveira

# Tuesday • Terça-Feira, December/Dezembro 19

9:00 AM - Português

† Frank da Rocha – da filha Ana Culbertson

#### Wednesday • Quarta-Feira, December/Dezembro 20

6:00 PM - English

Int. of José Teixeira, on his birthday - from Connie Sousa

#### Thursday • Quinta-Feira, December/Dezembro 21

7:00 PM - Português - 1º Dia do Tríduo do Natal

Por Ronan Thomas Freitas, aniversário natalício – dos avós Freitas

#### Friday • Sexta-Feira, December/Dezembro 22

7:00 PM - Português - 2º Dia do Tríduo do Natal

Int. de Luciano Cabral, aniversário natalício - da mãe Lee

#### Saturday • Sábado, December/Dezembro 23

5:30 PM - English

Int. of Honório e Helena Teixeira, filhos e netos

#### 7:00 PM - Português - 3º Dia do Tríduo do Natal

† Maria Araújo, aniversário da morte - de Manuel e Fatima Raulino

# Sunday • Domingo, December/Dezembro 24

9:30 AM - English

- † Eliseu & Ermelinda Mendonça from family
- † Emily Freitas from OLA Knights
- † José L. Pacheco from Joe & Katrina Pacheco
- † Manuel Nascimento from family
- † Maria Aguiar from António & Paula Aguiar
- † Maria Lucília Jorge from Filomena e Gerardo Freitas
- † Olive Avila from Thomas Bettencourt
- † Olivia Esteves from sister Ann Cabral
- † Paula Oliveira from Marco & Helen Oliveira
- † Salomé Fernandes from goddaughter Sandra † Tony M. Pedro - from wife Brittany & children
- Int. of Jeanne & Serve Sirolle from Cathy Randall

Int. of Melanie Oliveira Lopes, baptism anniversary - from parents Int. of Sophia Dores, baptism anniversary

#### 11:15 AM - Português

- † Almas do Purgatório de David e Liliana Berbereia
- † António Augusto Carvalho de Sousa de Maria Augusta Sousa
- † António e Serafina Teixeira da familia
- † António Isidro Bettencourt da mãe e família
- † António Oliveira Brasil da esposa Nelcina e filhas
- † Carolina Mendes Sousa da familia
- † Defuntos de Amaro e Margarida Nunes
- † Defuntos de Armelim e Madalena Sousa
- † Defuntos de Euclides e Gabriela Alvares
- † Defuntos de Luis e Iva Ferreira
- † Francisco e Rosa Freitas de Gerardo e Filomena Freitas
- † Hermínio José Azevedo da esposa e família
- † João e Maria Machado da filha Jacinta Borges
- † José e Clementina Reis dos filhos
- † José Marcelino e Maria Reis Brasil de Luis e Pascoalina Jorge
- † José Xavier e defuntos de Teresa Xavier
- † José, Maria, António e João Ramos Sousa da família
- † Leonel Morais da familia
- † Lourenço Soares do filho Eleutério e familia
- † Luis Machado da irmã Evangelina
- † Manuel Duarte Luis da família
- † Manuel e Maria Augusta Machado e Manuel Clemente Machado do filho e irmão António
- † Maria de Jesus Martins
- † Maria Socorro Amaral, pais e defuntos de António Amaral
- † Mark Azevedo e defuntos de António e Maria Azevedo
- † Pais de John e Fatima Mendes e Almas do Purgatório
- † Paulo de Matos dos pais José e Maria Blandina
- † Pe. José Carlos Vieira Simplício, Pe. Valentim de Freitas, Pe. Joaquim Esteves, Pe. Richard Forti, Pe. Eugene Trainer
- † Serafim Azevedo e José Brasil da esposa e irmã
- † Steve Lopes do pai Serafim Lopes
- Int. de António e Beatriz Machado, filhos e netos
- Int. de Pe. Manuel Fontes Sousa
- Int. dos filhos, netos e bisnetos de Cecilia Vitorino

#### 1:30 PM - Latin

For Parish Community

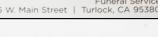
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