Fifth Sunday of Lent

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Monday– Friday
■ 9 AM - 5 PM

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*37% of Goal

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Mass Schedule

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday

+9 AM Portuguese

Wednesday

+6 PM English

Friday

+6:30 PM Bilingual

Saturday

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

Sunday

- +9:30 AM English
- +11:15 AM Portuguese
- +1:30 PM Latin
- +6 PM English

Confession Schedule

All Thursdays (No Confessions March 21st)

■ 7 PM—8 PM

All Saturdays

■ 5 PM-5:30 PM

First Friday

■ Following 9 AM Mass

First Saturday

■ 9 AM -10 AM

Monthly during ARMEE

■ 7 PM

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursdays

■ 9:30 AM— 9 PM First Church

First Friday

■ Following 9 AM Mass - 5:30 PM

First Saturday

■ 9 AM -10 AM

Monthly during ARMEE

■ 7 PM



Valley Area Living Enabling Resources V.A.L.E.R Office 209.634.0380 valer@olassumption.net Monday - Thursday

■ 2 PM - 6 PM

Divine Mercy Prayer Group

Tuesdays 4:30 PM - First Church

The Divine Mercy Prayer Group meets to pray before the Blessed Sacrament weekly, and invites you to participate. It is God Himself who tells us in His Word: "Watch and pray lest you fall into temptation." "Pray at all times." In the difficult times in which we find ourselves, we must take refuge and trust in God, and cry out for His mercy; efforts must be made for our conversion and salvation, that of our families and of the whole world. Come join us at the First Church every Tuesday at 4:30PM.

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



OFFICE OF BISHOP MYRON J. COTTA. D.D.

BISHOP'S MONTHLY REFLECTION

March 2024

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

We have arrived at the midpoint of the Lenten season and I hope that all are persevering in their Lenten practices of prayer and penance. Again, I encourage you to offer your prayers, rosaries, visits to the Blessed Sacrament, Adoration, Mass intentions and all penitential sacrifices for peace in this world. We pray for an end to the war in the Holy Land, Ukraine, and the troubled nations of Africa. We pray for an end to terrorism, atrocities, political oppression and other injustices that are sins against God and humanity.

As Catholics, we are truly blessed in our worship of God as we gather to celebrate the Sacred Liturgy, the Mass. Within every Eucharistic Liturgy, the theme of peace is brought to our attention in the following words of hope: "Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy we may be

always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ."

Also, at the Sign of Peace, we pray:

"Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace, I leave you, my peace, I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will."

And, finally, just before receiving the Prince of Peace, in the Eucharist, we petition Jesus, the Lamb of God, to *grant us peace!*

Once *revived* by the Holy Eucharist, we are then sent to continue our Lenten journey with the encouraging and commanding words: "Go in peace!"

Let us continue to pray for our troubled world and for its conversion, and an end to all sin that results in human suffering. Amen.

Bishop Cotta

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Lent and Easter 2024

February 14 - Ash Wednesday

- +9 AM Mass in Portuguese
- +4 PM Mass in Latin
- +6 PM Mass in English

March 1

First Friday Devotion 9 AM - 5:30 PM Adoration 9:30 AM Confessions +6:30 PM Bilingual Mass

March 2

First Saturday Devotion 9 AM -10 AM Confessions and Adoration +10 AM Bilingual Mass

March 7, 8, 9

Portuguese Triduum 6 PM Confessions +7 PM Mass in Portuguese

March 10

Feast of the Suffering Jesus and His Sorrowful Mother +11:15 AM Mass in Portuguese followed by Procession

March 13

+6 PM Mass in English Penance Service to follow

March 18

7 PM ARMEE Confessions and Adoration

March 24 - Palm Sunday

- +9:30 AM Mass in English
- +11:15 AM Mass in Portuguese
- +1:30 PM Mass in Latin
- +6 PM Mass in English

March 27

3 PM—5 PM Confessions

March 28 - Holy Thursday

9:30 AM- 5 PM Adoration 10 AM- 12 PM Confessions 3 PM - 5 PM Confessions +7 PM Bilingual Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by Eucharistic Procession and Adoration until 12 Midnight in the Parish Hall

March 29 - Good Friday

10 AM- 12 PM Confessions
3 PM Stations of the Cross and
Divine Mercy Novena
+7 PM Bilingual Liturgy of the Lord's Passion
followed by Procession

March 30 - Holy Saturday

10 AM- 12 PM Confessions 3 PM Divine Mercy Novena +8 PM Bilingual Easter Vigil Mass

March 31 - Easter Sunday

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

April 7- Divine Mercy Sunday

3 PM Holy Hour and Divine Mercy Chaplet

Stations of the Cross

Fridays of Lent

February 16, 23 and March 1,8,15,22

6 PM Stations of the Cross in English +6:30 PM Bilingual Mass

7 PM Stations of the Cross in Portuguese

Retreats

February 24

Lenten Day of Recollection in English (OLA)

March 1-3

Parish Retreat in Portuguese (OLA) Young Adult Teams of Our Lady Retreat (Aptos)

March 8-10

Parish Youth Group Retreat (Aptos) Teams of Our Lady Retreat in Portuguese (Three Rivers) Handford Portuguese Sector

March 15-17

Teams of Our Lady Retreat in English (Three Rivers)



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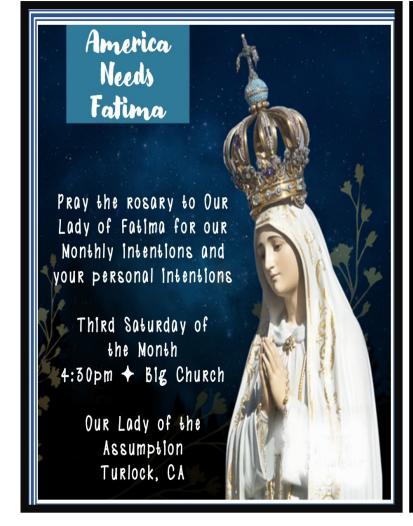
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The Factor & OLA Youth Group Spring Calendar 2024

JANUARY **FEBRUARY** 31 5 10 17 12 13 22 23 24 25 26 27 20 21 22 23 24 19 27 28 29 26 25 **MARCH APRIL** MTWTF 20 22 23 27 28 29 30 Youth Group at All Saints University Parish 6pm-8pm MAY Youth Group at Our Lady of the T W T All Saints Confirmation Mass **OLA Confirmation Mass**

Youth Group

NEXT YOUTH NIGHT

Thursday, April 11th 6-8pm in our Youth Room

Join us as we continue our Spring 2024 series, "Set Apart".

All 8th-12th graders are welcome for dinner & our series about topics that set us apart as Catholics.

THANK YOU!

A big thank you to our parish community for your prayers & support of our OLA Youth Group Retreat (formerly known as the LifeTeen Retreat)!

We had an amazing time in fellowship & growing in our faith.

We can't wait to share photos with you soon!

HELP WITH THE TRIDUUM

Teens, would you like to help out with serving in the parish Triduum Liturgy? We need help with the collection, altar servers, and carrying lanterns for Holy Thursday, Good Friday, & the Easter Vigil. Sign up here if you are interested! https://shorturl.at/cqv05

DINNER DONATIONS

If you are interested in providing a meal for our group, we are in need of dinners for the nights of April 118 April 25. Please go to ourladyturlock.flocknote.com/signup/141348 or call the Parish Office.

Email dgermanneolassumption.net if you have any questions!



OLA YOUNG ADULT GROUP

OUR MISSION

To create community &

provide opportunities to

encounter Jesus, grow in

faith, & learn about our

Catholic faith. Single &

married young adults;

We meet the 1st & 3rd Fridays of the month.

ages 18-30.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Join us for our weekly Lenten Bible Study! All young adults are welcome to drop in. Thurs, March 21st at the Hall 6:30-7:30 pm

Spring Retreat 2024

Young Adults, would you like to help out with serving in the parish Triduum Liturgy? We need help with the collection, altar servers, carrying statues, & lanterns for Holy Thursday, Good Friday, & the Easter Vigil. Sign up here if you are interested! https://shorturl.at/cqv05

Next event is Friday, April 5th for an Easter Party here at the Parish partnering with College Missions.

PAST EVENTS

Thanks for joining us for Stations of the Cross and Dinner at All Saints in Turlock w/ Stan State Catholic Students Association & Fr. Tom

Instagram @ola_youngadults Students Associated Research Students Students Students Associated Research Students Students Associated Research Research



FIRST FRIDAYS & FIRST SATURDAYS

THE DEVOTION OF REPARATION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS AND THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

FIRST FRIDAY

9 AM - Mass in Portuguese in the Chapel 9 AM - 5:30 PM Adoration in the Chapel

FIRST SATURDAY

9 AM-10 AM Holy Hour of Adoration & Confession in the Chapel 10 AM - Bilingual Mass in the Chapel

BASIC ELEMENTS OF THE

- Go to Confession
- Attend Holy Mass and receive Holy
 Communion on both days in the spiri
 of reparation to the Sacred Heart of
 Jesus and to the Immaculate Heart of
 Mary
- Pray the Rosary devoutly, meditating on the mysteries of Christ's life with the intention of making reparation
- Adore the Blessed Sacrament for a least an hour

r more detailed Devotion information, visit mostsacredheart.com



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.

Palmira Cardoso Lee Joseph Neves Rose Cunha Bettencourt Jesuina Teixeira Natalia Neves Albert Bettencourt Teresa Xavier João Borba Ioão Silveira Marie Dixon Angela Agueda Virginia Azevedo Maria de Jesus Pascoal Margarida Silva Maria Emilia Nunes Lurdes Toledo Andrew Godunjo Tito Rebelo Fatima Linhares Violante Silva Alfredo Parreira Frank Linhares Niveria Soares Edgar Cândido João Parreira Steve Chambers Maria Natalia Azevedo Suzanna da Rosa Maria Fernandina Car-Rosalia Batista Tyler Jorge valho Peggy Jenkin Serafina Jordão Cecilia Pires Cindy Alamo Fernandes Christina Soares da **Bobby Moules** Filipe Ormonde Elizabeth Baptista Silveira Manuel Gomes Maggie Azevedo Celeste Drumonde Manuel Andrade Barker João Vitorino Kathleen Silva Filomena Fontes Anne Abruzzini Sara Lindo John Silva Johnny Cabral

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.

George Azevedo

Noelia Bettencourt

Amy Águeda

José Azevedo

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.

> Manuel Elias Machado Antonio Brasil Virginio Da Silva Iose Gabriel Fontes Fabio Silveira Richard Fernandes Maria Lucia Cardoso Jose C. Lacerda Eleuterio Pinto Joseph Machado Fagundes

Jean Vasconcellos Maria Adelaide Silva Kristi Chamberlin Jose Goulart Antonio Silveira Richard Payan Paulo DeMatos Maria Nunes Borba Francis Ramos Maria Silva

Manuel Machado Brasil Albertina Azevedo Maria Gomes Joseph Nunes

Leonel Morais Jaime de Silveira Olivia Esteves Diane Silva



Monday • Segunda-Feira, March/Março 18

9:00 AM – Português

† António Cabral – da esposa Lee

Mass Intentions

Tuesday • Terça-Feira, March/Março 19 9:00 AM – Português

Int. de Eleutério Soares, aniversário de baptismo – da esposa Nivéria

Wednesday • Quarta-Feira, March/Março 20

6:00 PM - English

† Holy Souls in Purgatory especially those most abandoned

Thursday • Quinta-Feira, March/Março 21

9:00 AM - Português

† Miguel Soares e Helder Cândido - dos irmãos António e Nélia Soares

Friday • Sexta-Feira, March/Março 22

6:00 PM - Stations of the Cross (English)

6:30 PM - Bilingual Mass | Missa Bilingue

Int. de Daniel Oliveira, aniversário de baptismo e Sandra Drumonde, aniversário natalício - dos pais Artur e

7:00 PM - Via Sacra (Português)

Saturday • Sábado, March/Março 23

5:30 PM - English

Int. of Peter Freitas, on his birthday and int. of his family - from parents

7:00 PM - Português

† João Nunes Silveira – da filha Madalena Vieira

Sunday • Domingo, March/Março 24

9:30 AM - English

† Carolina Sousa – from Sousa family

† Holy Souls in Purgatory

† Joseph E. Nunes – from OLA Knights

† Manuel Inácio da Silveira e Maria Cremilde da Silveira – from family

† Manuel Nascimento – from family

† Maria e Filipe Madruga – from Joe & Connie Madruga

† Maria Lucília Jorge – from Filomena e Gerardo Freitas

† Olive Avila – from Thomas Bettencourt

† Paula Oliveira – from Marco & Helen Oliveira

† Salomé Fernandes – from goddaughter Sandra

† Tony M. Pedro – from wife Brittany & children

11:15 AM - Português

† Albert e Albertina Azevedo – da familia

† António Augusto Carvalho de Sousa – de Maria Augusta Sousa

† António Isidro Bettencourt – da mãe e família

† António Silveira – da ENS #14

† Carolina Mendes Sousa – da familia, filhos e irmã † Defuntos de Amaro e Margarida Nunes

† Defuntos de Armelim e Madalena Sousa

† Defuntos de David e Liliana Berbereia

† 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, Arminda Rocha e Luis Machado – da filha e irmã Fatima Machado

† José Celestino Nunes e Fatima Matos – do irmão e cunhada António e Evangelina Nunes

† José e Clementina Reis – dos filhos

† José Lacerda Goulart – de Fatima Sousa

† 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

† Manuel Duarte Luis e int. de B. Luis – da família

† Manuel e Maria Augusta Machado, Manuel Clemente Machado e José Samuel Machado – do filho e irmão

† Maria de Jesus Martins

† Maria Socorro Amaral, pais e defuntos de António Amaral

† Mark Azevedo e defuntos de António e Maria Azevedo

† Pais de João e Margarida Vitorino

† Pe. José Carlos Vieira Simplício, Pe. Valentim de Freitas, Pe. Joaquim Esteves, Pe. Richard Forti, Pe. Eugene Trainer

† Serafim Azevedo – da esposa

† Steve Lopes – do pai Serafim Lopes

† Virginio Manuel Freitas da Silva – da esposa Francília

Int. de António e Beatriz Machado, filhos e netos

Int. de Diana Vitorino, aniversário de baptismo

Int. de Maria Cabral, aniversário natalício – dos filhos

Int. de Pe. Manuel Fontes Sousa

Int. dos filhos, netos e bisnetos de Cecilia Vitorino

1:30 PM - Latin

For Parish Community

6:00 PM - English

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