

MARCH ■ 9 ■ 2025

First Sunday of Lent



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Monday– Friday
■ 9 AM - 5 PM

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SUNDAY COLLECTION:

WEEKLY GIFTS GOAL: \$13,500

3.2.2025 Regular Collection \$15,710.24

Upcoming Second Collection:

March 9 Black and Indian Missions

CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP PRINCIPLES

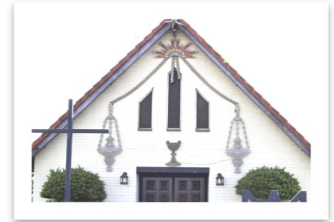
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Mass Schedule

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

+9 AM Portuguese

Wednesday

+6 PM English

Friday

+6:30 PM Bilingual

Saturday

+5:30 PM English

Sunday

+9:30 AM English

+11:15 AM Portuguese

+1:30 PM Traditional Latin Mass

+6 PM English

Confession Schedule

All Thursdays

■ 7 PM—8 PM

All Saturdays

■ 5 PM—5:30 PM

First Friday

■ 9:30 AM

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

■ 9:30 AM - 5:30 PM First Church

First Saturday

■ 9 AM –10 AM First Church

Monthly during ARMEE

■ 7 PM

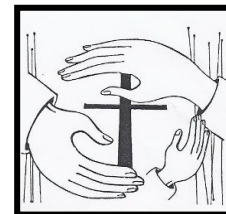


BISHOP'S MINISTRY APPEAL

Embracing Our Future with Hope

OLA Parish Goal: \$74,201

As we look at our lives and the many ways God has blessed us, let us give back a portion to the Bishop's Ministry Appeal as a way of saying thank you to the Lord. The BMA helps to fund the programs and services of the Diocese. Our parish benefits from these programs in many ways. This year, we are also hoping to fund the ongoing maintenance of our buildings and parish grounds. If you have yet to make your pledge to our parish's annual support of the ministries, please consider doing so today. Pledge envelopes and BMA bulletins can be found on the bulletin table. Thank you for your prayerful consideration. Checks should be made payable to the BISHOP'S MINISTRY APPEAL TRUST.



Valley Area Living Enabling Resources

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Monday - Thursday

■ 2 PM - 6 PM



THE HONOR OF YOUR PRESENCE IS REQUESTED
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OF THE

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AT SIX-THIRTY IN THE EVENING
ON
APRIL 25, 2025



reception to follow

The Holy and Penitential Season of Lent

All the days of Lent (and each Friday of the year) are prescribed days of penance. To this end, our Bishops strongly recommend fasting and abstinence from meat and participation in daily Mass during all the weekdays of Lent, as well as almsgiving, spiritual studies, Lenten devotions (missions, Stations of the Cross, the rosary), and other mortifications.



Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence from meat.

The norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence from meat.

The norms concerning abstinence from meat are required of those who are age 14 and up.

Those that are excused from fasting and abstinence include the physically or mentally ill as well as women who are pregnant or nursing.

If possible, the fast on Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil (on Holy Saturday night) as the "paschal fast" to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and celebrate His Resurrection more readily.

Fundraising Dinner (DRIVE THRU ONLY)
No. 492 Saturday, APRIL 26th, 2025
Teriyaki Boneless Chicken Thighs Barbecue
Caesar Salad - Rice Pilaf - Portuguese Beans - Bread Roll - Rice Pudding
Take-Outs From 4:00pm to 7:00pm
Our Lady of Assumption Parish HALL
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SATURDAY, MAY 3, 2025 6 PM - 10 PM PARISH HALL
BEER & WINE TASTING
HEAVY HORS D'OEUVRES & DESSERTS
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ALCOHOL FREE BEVERAGES

CARD PARTY
Our Lady of the Assumption will be holding the annual card party on Sunday, March 16, 2025 at 1 PM in the Parish Hall. The card party committee is asking for donations for scorecard prizes and raffle prizes. Donations can be dropped off at the parish office. Thank you for your generosity.
SUNDAY, MARCH 16 1 PM
CONTACT CHAIRMAN
CLEMENTE LOPES
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NEXT YOUTH GROUP EVENTS

Thursday, February 27th
6-8pm at OLA
Part 3 of our series on Prayer

Thursday, March 13th
6-8pm at OLA
Part 4 of our series on Prayer

Youth Group Retreat
April 4-6, 2025 at Camp St. Francis Aptos



All 8th-12 graders are welcome to our youth group!



Post High School, 18 & older

OLA YOUNG ADULT GROUP



UPCOMING EVENTS

FRIDAY, MARCH 7th

FRIDAY, MARCH 21st

LENTEN OLA

YOUNG ADULT NIGHTS

6:00-6:20 PM Stations of the Cross

Mass after Stations

7:00 PM Potluck Dinner in the Youth Room

RSVP at

www.linktr.ee/olayoungadults

PAST EVENTS

Valley Wide Young Adult Mass
All Saints Day Party
Corn Hole Tournament
Bowling
Memorial Day Hike



OUR MISSION

To create community & provide opportunities to encounter Jesus, grow in faith, & learn about our Catholic faith. Single & married young adults; ages 18 and up. We meet the 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month.



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Text 84576 to join our group texts

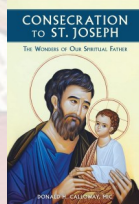
Email dgermanneolassumption.net with questions

Consecration to St. Joseph

Solemnity of St. Joseph

Wednesday, March 19, 2025

6 PM Catechism Mass



Increase your devotion to St. Joseph with a 33-day journey of preparation for consecration to St. Joseph, our spiritual father, using this richly researched and lovingly presented book and program by Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC. Each day of reading reflects on a line from the Litany of St. Joseph so that we learn about his life, his titles, and his virtues to become more like him. It's time to grow in devotion to St. Joseph, Head of the Holy Family and Universal Patron of the Church. Preparation begins February 15th.

Books are available in Religious Articles to help you prepare for the Consecration to St. Joseph.



Our Lady of the Assumption Youth Group Retreat

Glory Revealed

Reflecting on the face of Christ + deepening our relationship with Him.

Friday, April 4 - Sunday, April 6, 2025

Amazing Talks, Mass, Adoration, Confession, the Beach, & Friends!

Camp St. Francis, Aptos, California
2320 Sumner Ave, Aptos, CA 95003

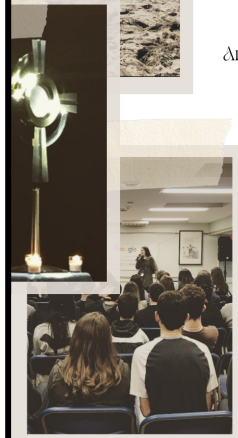
Friday meet at OLA at 4:30 PM // Sunday returning at 4 PM

All 8-12th graders are welcome!

Early Bird Registration until Fri, Feb. 21st: \$110
Regular Registration from Mon, Feb 24th
until Fri, March 7th: \$130

Paper Registration Form & payment must be turned in together to the OLA Office.

Payment by cash or check only; make checks to OLA.



If the registration fee is a burden & a sponsor is needed for a teen, please email dgermanneolassumption.net or call 209-634-2222.

Early Bird Registration Deadline: Friday, February 21st

Final Deadline: Friday, March 7th

OS EXERCÍCIOS ESPIRITUAIS DE SANTO INÁCIO DE LOIOLA UMA INTRODUÇÃO

RETIRO QUARESMA EM PORTUGUÊS
PARÓQUIA DE NOSSA SENHORA DA ASSUNÇÃO

SEXTA-FEIRA, 21 DE MARÇO DE 2025

6:30 PM MISSA

7 PM VIA SACRA E PRIMEIRA CONFERÊNCIA

SÁBADO, 22 DE MARÇO DE 2025

9 AM CHEGADA

9:30 AM - 4:30 PM RETIRO

DOMINGO, 23 DE MARÇO DE 2025

11:15 AM MISSA

FESTA DO SENHOR DOS PASSOS
E NOSSA SENHORA DAS DORES



Apresentado pelo
Pe. Lourenço Machado

Os Exercícios Espirituais são uma compilação de meditações,
orações e práticas contemplativas desenvolvidas por
Santo Inácio de Loyola para ajudar as pessoas a
aprofundarem o seu relacionamento com Deus.



Por favor, ligue para o Escritório Paroquial para se inscrever.

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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.

Jesuina Teixeira	Steve Chambers	Terezinha Costa
Teresa Xavier	Cecilia Pires	Conceição Nunes
Marie Dixon	Celeste Drumonde	Grinoalda Valadão
Maria de Jesus Pascoal	João Vitorino	Omar Plascencia
Lurdes Toledo	Anne Abruzzini	Norberta Aquino
Fatima Linhares	John Silva	Monica Vera Sanchez
Frank Linhares	George Azevedo	Raquel Bettencourt
João Parreira	Noelia Bettencourt	Monica Verasanchez
Suzanna da Rosa	Rose Cunha Bettencourt	Miguel & Maggie Costa
Tyler Jorge	Albert Bettencourt	Evangelina Nunes
Serafina Jordão	Virginia Azevedo	João Machado
Maggie Azevedo	Maria Emilia Nunes	Margarita Vitorino
Barker	Tito Rebelo	Norberto Azevedo
Filomena Fontes	Alfredo Parreira	Lucia Bogacki
Sadler	Edgar Cândido	José Guilherme Bettencourt
Amy Águeda	Maria Natalia Azevedo	Lurdes Borba
José Azevedo	Peggy Jenkins	Emma Lourenco
Lee Joseph Neves	Cindy Alamo Fernandes	MaryAnne Jorge
Angela Agueda	Filipe Ormonde	Luciano Cabral
Margarida Silva	Manuel Gomes	Uvaldo Palomares
Andrew Godunjo	Manuel Andrade	
Niveria Soares	Sara Lindo	

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.

Kyler Wilson	João Da Rosa
José Valadão	John S. D. Medeiros
Isalino Santos	Bobby Moules
Palmira Cardoso	Rosa Avila Leonardo
Kathleen Silva	Antonio Amorim
Brandon Bettencourt	Adeline Johnson
Debbie Walton	Manuel David Berbereia
João Borba	José Guilherme Bettencourt
Amaro Nunes	Ernestina Pedro
Violante Silva	Laurinda DeMelo
Rosalia Batista	Maria Alvarina Sousa
Maria Margarita de Sousa	Emmanuel de Sousa Moniz
Daniel, Jennifer, Madelynn and Matthew Lourenco	Eric Dompeling
	António Nunes Amaral

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Monday • Segunda-Feira, March/Março 10

9:00 AM – Português

† Manuel Soares e Nádia Soares – de Raul e Laurinda Góis

Tuesday • Terça-Feira, March/Março 11

9:00 AM – Português

Int. de Nancy Lourenço, aniversário de baptismo – dos pais

Wednesday • Quarta-Feira, March/Março 12

6:00 PM – English

Int. of Duarte Soares, on his birthday – from parents

Thursday • Quinta-Feira, March/Março 13

9:00 AM – Português

Int. de Luis Ferreira, aniversário natalício – da filha Nelia e familia

Friday • Sexta-Feira, March/Março 14

6:00 PM – Stations of the Cross – English

6:30 PM – Bilingual Mass

Int. de Rosemary Arriola, aniversário natalício, e familia – da mãe

7:00 PM – Via Sacra - Português

Saturday • Sábado, March/Março 15

5:30 PM – English

† José Xavier, on the anniversary of his death – from wife and family

Sunday • Domingo, March/Março 16

9:30 AM – English

† Adelino Toledo – from wife and daughters
 † Alvaro Manuel Silveira, parents and brother – from John & Connie Silveira
 † Aníbal Augusto da Silveira – from family
 † António & Maria Amélia Bettencourt – from family
 † Daniel, Jennifer, Madlynn & Matthew Lourenco – from family
 † Diane Marie Silva – from husband Michael and daughters
 † Francisco Luis – from wife & daughter Orlanda & Michelle
 † Frank & Albina Lopes – from family
 † Holy Souls in Purgatory - anonymous
 † Natalia Neves, Eugénia & Emídio Soares and Manuel Neves – da familia
 Int. de Emanuel Teixeira, baptism anniversary and int. of his family – from parents Honorio & Helena
 Int. of Renee Montes – from Cathy Randall

11:15 AM – Português

† Albertina Bettencourt – de Manuel Bettencourt
 † Álvaro Toledo e pela saúde de Lurdes Toledo
 † Amaro Nunes – da esposa Margarida e familia
 † António Borba e defuntos de Aurora Borba
 † António e Rosália Batista, Manuel e Clementina Silva, Manuel e Vitalina Batista – da familia
 † António Oliveira Brasil – da esposa Nelcina e filhas
 † António Oliveira e António & Lucilia Costa – da familia
 † Artur Vitorino – da esposa e filhos
 † Bernardino Dias, defuntos e int. de Fátima Dias

† Clemente Leonardo e defuntos de Jacinta Leonardo

† Dean Arthur Silva e Arthur Silva – de Tina Maria Silva, mãe e esposa
 † Defuntos de Artur e Antelma Oliveira
 † Diane Lopes – from mom & dad

† Filomena Faria – de Maria Leonor Machado
 † Irmãos de Maria Carvalho e Jesuina Teixeira
 † João e Maria F. Jorge – de Gerardo e Filomena Freitas

† Joaquim e Aurora André – da familia
 † Jorge Fagundes e defuntos de Guiomar Fagundes
 † José e Clementina Borba – de Idalina Borba
 † José Guilherme Bettencourt – do Grupo de Oração Divina Misericórdia

† José Lacerda Goulart – do irmão e irmãs
 † José Luis e Leontina Silva – da familia
 † José Natal Sousa – da esposa e filhos
 † Manuel Elias Machado – da esposa Leonor e familia
 † Manuel F. Rosa - anónimo

† Maria Fernandina Carvalho – da familia
 † Maria L. Machado e int. do marido José Machado e familia

† Maria Vivelinha Lourenço – de Mary Ann Navarra
 † Mary Andre Vines – da familia
 † Miguel e Helena Góis – de Raul e Laurinda Góis

† Miguel Soares e defuntos de Maria José Soares
 † Pais de Artur e Florinda Teixeira
 † Pais de Carlos e Terezinha Costa

† Pais de João e Margarida Vitorino
 † Pais de Madalena Silveira
 † Paulo de Matos – dos pais José e Blandina
 † Ramiro Oliveira e defuntos de Fátima Oliveira
 † Ricardo e Teresa Olive – de José e Maria das Neves Brasil

† Teresa Borges Costa – do marido Francisco
 † Valentina e António Bettencourt – da prima Jacinta Leonardo

Int. de John & Natália André, filhos e netas
 Int. e saúde de Tito Rebelo – da esposa Laura e familia

1:30 PM – Traditional Latin Mass

For the Parish Community

6:00 PM – English

† Adeline Johnson – from her Bible Study friends



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