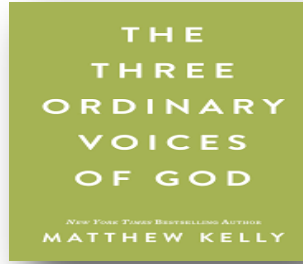




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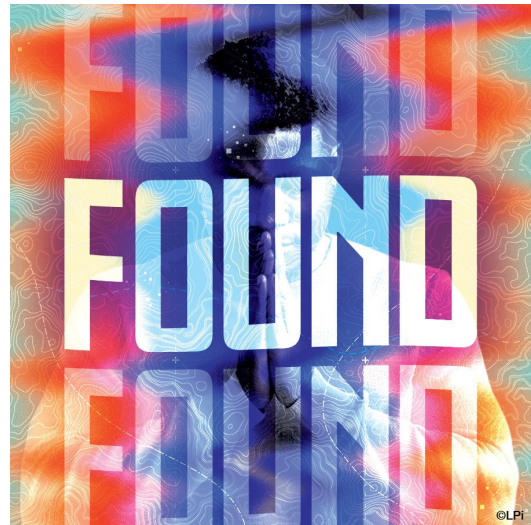
GOSPEL MEDITATION

As a first-time pastor in a parish, I received a phone call one afternoon from a young married couple, “Father, our 2-year-old son drowned in our pool this morning. We are at the hospital. Please help us.” I sped over. The little boy was gone, his body cold, slightly blue, laid out on a bed. His parents were distraught and in shock. For the next few years, I walked with the couple along their difficult and painful road. They openly shared with me how they were often tempted to blame and accuse each other for the loss. And yet, by God’s grace, their love for each grew stronger and deeper as the years went by.

The Holy Family was not without its pain and loss, either. Luke tells us, after losing their twelve-year-old son, Joseph and Mary “after three days found him in the temple area, sitting among the teachers...” (Luke 2:46). We don’t know specifically what those three days were like for them except for what Mary says: “Your father and I have been looking for you anxiously.” The three days of his absence foreshadow his death and burial. His finding in the temple is a kind of resurrection for his family. They had to learn, again and again, that their family was becoming a place where death and resurrection was not only accepted but welcomed and celebrated. But surely they deeply felt the dangerous agony of their loss — just like every couple who has lost a child.

What losses in your experience of family still cause you anxiety? In what ways has God’s presence seemingly vanished in your family? Will you keep searching for Jesus? Remember, he will rise and be found. Your family may be suffering, but when he is found, it will be stronger than ever before.

—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, Keith Wenquist, Carole Jessen, Marianne Matto, Gloria Sabala, and the following for whom Mass will be offered:

SAT, December 28: 5:00pm Rudona Bleichner / Julia Howard

SUN, December 29:

7:00am All Parishioners

8:30am John & Ada Mocelin / Beverly Mangus

10:00am Felicisimo Castillo / Loretta Canevaro

11:30am Thomas & Anthula Drolapas / Maria Leonor Uribe

6:00pm Ernesto Abad / Michelle Cristine B. Miranda

MONDAY: 8:00am Judy McPhee / Robert Magistri

TUESDAY: Godofredo Canoy / Anne Hahn

WEDNESDAY: Steve Wall / Special Intention Rosalie O'Mahony

THURSDAY: Godfrey, Lena & John Affonso

FRIDAY: Rosalie O'Mahony

SATURDAY: Howard Champagne Sr.

10:00am

11:30am at Marian Oaks

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Rosetta Fontana

Serafino Fontana

5:30pm

Vincent McKenna / Yvonne Nock

John & Ada Mocelin / Donald Ahlbach

NO MASS

Rosalie O'Mahony

Special Intention

SAT, January 4: 5:00pm

The Lopez & Verbelli Family / Walter N. Bankovitch

SUN, January 5:

7:00am All Parishioners

8:30am Ralph Sternick / Carmen Barron

10:00am Honesto & Carolina Llamas / Jose Barruetto

11:30am Michael Sullivan / Mokihana Flood

6:00pm Tim & Grainne Beary / Donald Ahlbach



New Year's Eve
HOLY HOUR

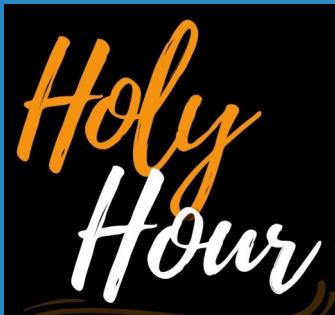
Tuesday, December 31, 2024 at 6:15pm

*following the 5:30pm Daily Mass

Presider: Father Michael Mahoney, OFM Cap.

“Could you not watch with me one hour?”

- Matthew 26:10



PRAYER

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

The Capuchin Franciscans wish all a Blessed New Year filled with a joyful spirit, a hopeful heart, and the loving peace of Jesus Christ.

NEW YEAR'S DAY MASSES

*Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
This is a holy day of obligation this year.*

Tuesday, December 31 at 5:30pm (Vigil)

Wednesday, January 1, 2025

8am & 10am in the Church and 11:30am at Marian Oaks

NEW YEAR'S EVE HOLY HOUR

Tuesday, December 31 at 6:15pm (after the 5:30pm Mass)

Bring in the new year with us and pray like you never have before!

Let us pray for a peaceful, safe and successful New Year for all.

FIRST FRIDAY MASS

January 3 at 5:30pm in the Church

All are invited to join Fr. Peter and the Filipino Ministry (FilAm) every first Friday of the month.

PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP

Saturday, January 4 at 8am

Father Peter will celebrate this Mass as we remember St. Pio of Pietrelcina. We will have refreshments in the Hall of Saints following Mass. All are welcome.

HOMEBOUND EUCHARIST

Extraordinary Ministers are adult Catholics who wish to serve parishioners who are unable to join us in worship due to health reasons. If you know someone who would like to receive the Eucharist in their home/hospital, or would be interested in helping with this ministry, please contact Sr. Elaine Stahl at estahl@sistersofmercy.org.

"FORMED" PICK OF THE WEEK

FORMED is a popular online platform that can be likened to a Catholic Netflix. The subscription is free and provided by OLA to all parishioners. The "Pick of The Week" is *New Year's Resolutions*. What's your resolution this year? Dr. Tim Gray welcomes Dr. Scott Hefelfinger, Assistant Professor of Theology in the Augustine Institute Graduate School of Theology, to celebrate one year of the Augustine Institute Show. Visit formed.org/signup to register or scan the QR Code to the left.

DAILY ROSARY

Monday-Friday at 7:40am (before the 8am Mass) in the Church

Please come and pray together daily before the 8am Mass.

SECULAR FRANCISCANS

Christmas Blessings of peace and joy from the OLA Fraternity of Secular Franciscans.

FRATERNITY

“THE THREE ORDINARY VOICES OF GOD”

This Christmas, Fr. Michael’s gift to you was this wonderful book by Matthew Kelly. If you did not receive one, please stop by the rectory office.

Learning to listen to the voice of God will change your life powerfully. Through three ordinary voices: our Needs, our Talents, and our Desires, discover how God is speaking to you. Then begin taking action during the two review sessions with Fr. Michael.

**Fr. Michael’s book review sessions will take place on:
Wednesdays, January 15 & 22 at 6:30pm in the Lower Hall**

NEW YEAR’S RESOLUTION

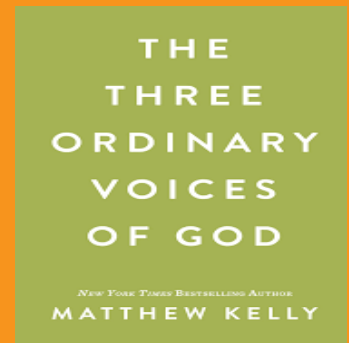
Join Walking With Purpose

*January 9-June 19 (break during Lent) from 6:45pm-8:15pm
Padre Pio Room (room next to school office)*

We invite all women of the parish to join OLA's Women's Faith Sharing Group. The mission of Walking with Purpose 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. 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. Contact Theresa at (650) 504-7184 for information. Registration deadline is December 31.

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 2025/2026 school year. Visit Our Lady of Angels School and experience a day as an Angel. OLA is currently holding school tours every Wednesday. Please visit the school website at olaschoolk8.org/ for more information and to sign up.



MINORITY

HELP YOUR NEIGHBORS IN NEED

The OLA Society of St. Vincent de Paul second collection is this weekend. It is your last chance to donate this year. Please be generous to help those in need in our neighborhood. You can also donate online today using the QR Code on the right. God bless you and thank you for your kindness!

OLA SVdP CRAVALHO BROWN BAG SUNDAY

Sunday, January 5 at 8:00 am in the Lower Hall

Join other parishioners as we make brown bag lunches for the Saint Vincent de Paul Society. Parishioners of all ages are welcome to attend. Please contact Len Privitera at (650) 207-3215 with any questions.

CATHOLIC WORKER HOUSE

Catholic Worker House provides housing for 10-12 homeless individuals at a time. Each evening, volunteers deliver dinner for the House’s guests. OLA volunteers have assumed responsibility for delivering Tuesday evening meals each week. To sign up, visit <https://takethemameal.com/meals.php?t=PPGT5871>.





Help your neighbors in need



Give to **SVDP OLA** collection

Your donation directly benefits the less fortunate in our area. New families contact us every week. Please help provide much needed:

- Food
- Rent assistance
- Other vital necessities

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