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LUKE 3:22



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Rectory Hours

Monday - Thursday 9 am - 4 pm

Friday - Rectory Office Closed

OLC Church Cleaning

Every 2nd Tuesday of the Month, 7:00PM

DEVOTIONS

Miraculous Medal Devotions:

Novena Prayers - Saturday after 8:00AM Mass

BAPTISMAL CLASSES (PRE-JORDAN CLASSES):

Classes are for first-time parents. 7:00PM in Church. Parents must attend class before scheduling your baptism. Baptisms are held on Saturday during 5:00PM Mass or on Sunday during the 10:15AM. Spanish baptisms are held on Sunday at the 11:30AM Mass.

PARISH REGISTRATION: We welcome new parishioners to our Parish Family. Please call or stop by the Rectory to register with us. Also notify the rectory if you are planning to move.

**LOVED ONES IN A NURSING HOME ,
HOMEBOUND, HOSPICE OR IN HOSPITAL?** Please let the Rectory know, so we can visit them.

CONFESSION

Saturday: 4:00PM - 4:45PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 8:00AM & 5:00PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 8:00AM & 10:15AM (English)

11:30AM (Spanish)

1:30PM (Latin Tridentine)

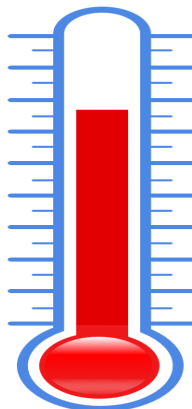
Weekdays & Holidays: 8:00AM

Wednesday: 6:30PM Rosary

7:00PM Spanish Mass

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PASTOR'S NOTE

Archbishop Perez has released a statement about the future of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. When he became the archbishop of Philadelphia he was asked "Will you close parishes?" He replied "I didn't come here to close parishes; I came here to build up the church of Philadelphia." His plan is in the initial stages and not completely formed. The term that you will be hearing is Missionary Hub. These will be planted at parishes and other sites throughout the Archdiocese. They will serve as pastoral centers for certain areas. His concern is to keep the Catholic Church in every area and to avoid what he calls "church deserts". This plan will unfold over the next few years. I will do my best to keep you updated.

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Today the Church celebrates the Feast of the Baptism of Our Lord. This feast brings to an end the season of Christmas. Ordinary Time lasts from the day after this feast to the Tuesday before Lent.

In the Eastern Church this feast is called *Theophany* because at the baptism of Christ in the River Jordan God appeared in three persons. The baptism of John was a sort of sacramental preparatory for the Baptism of Christ. It moved men to sentiments of repentance and induced them to confess their sins. Christ did not need the baptism of John. Although He appeared in the "substance of our flesh" and was recognized "outwardly like unto ourselves", He was absolutely sinless and impeccable. He conferred upon the water the power of the true Baptism which would remove all the sins of the world: "Behold the Lamb of God, behold Him Who takes away the sin of the world".

NATIVITY SET RAFFLE / WINNER

The "Nativity Set" raffle winner was MARIA MARTINEZ" G\ Y was chosen on Jan. 5th during our "Three Kings Celebration". Congratulations.

Thank you to everyone who purchased tickets for this fundraiser.

CHURCH CLEANING

We will be cleaning the Church on Tuesday, January 14th 7:00-8:00PM. If you are free and would like to lend a hand keeping our Church clean please come out and join us, no need to register. Hope to see you there. Thank you"

OCTOBER BLESS III

We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe:

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Liturgical Service 3:00PM in English & 4:00PM Spanish

19th: Holy Saturday, No 8:00AM mass, Morning Prayer. Wake of the Body of Jesus 9:00AM - 12:00N

Easter Vigil Mass 7:00AM mass

20th: Easter Sunday, Regular mass schedule



BAPTISM OF THE LORD

JANUARY 12, 2025

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11

8:00AM - For the Souls of Ma Esperanza & Silverio Lopez, Sr. (Elvira Lopez)
 5:00PM - James McGowan, Sr. (Michael Romey)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12 The Baptism of The Lord

8:00AM - Michael Rynkewitz (Teresa & Jack Madden & Family)
 10:15AM - Laurie Ann Jackson (Marin & Dudley Family)
 11:30AM - Abel Onofre Chavez Lucheta (Teresa Romero) Y Roque Elias Chavez Simancas
 1:30PM - Reparation to the sorrowful Immaculate Heart of Mary (The Purgatorial Society)

NO 8am

MONDAY, JANUARY 13

8:00AM - Ervin Gutekunst (Michael Romey)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14

8:00AM - David Daniel Pedemonti (Nick & Marge Campagna)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15

8:00AM - PRO POPOLO NO 8:00AM Mass
 6:30PM - ROSARY
 7:00PM - (Sp)

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16

8:00AM - Madaline "Kitty" Scheuermann (Joan Potts)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 17

8:00AM - Dorothy A. McGeehan (The Labovitz Family)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 18

8:00AM - Matthew Gutekunst (Michael Romey)
 5:00PM - Marie McGowan (Michael Romey)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19

8:00AM - Dorita Lavelle (William Howell & Barbara Goodman)
 10:15AM - Frank & Lucia Palermo (Joseph Palermo)
 11:30AM - 13th Anniv. Christopher Alcalde (Mama Carmen)
 1:30PM - Reparation to the sweet Holy Name of Jesus (The Purgatorial Society)

(Nick & Marge Campagna)

To add names to Prayer List please call the Rectory:

Askev Family, Dorothy Buckley, Michael Callaghan, Calloway Family, Tom Cashley, Marie Maria Concannon, Eileen Concannon, Louise Cappuccio, Thomas Cappuccio, Rev. Dennis Carbonaro, Pat Carr, Richard Cellucci, Vince Cerellero, John Ciccarelli, John & Theresa Colosimo, Dave Conway, Donna Coneghen, Edward Cotter, David Curry, Stewart Davis, Debra DeKoff, Gloria DeShields, Annette DiMichele, Doreen Douglas, Richard Dougherty, Robert Everton, Elaine Farrell, Tim Farrell, George Fecik, Guido P. Fetta, Judith Feingold, Jim & Sissy Fox, Tommy & Angie Fox, Ed Greene, Gatti Family, Katy Ramsey Golden, Harry Gonzalez, William Gordon, Ed Halligan, Nettie Hughes, Pete Horn, Petra Gonzalez, Vicky Kihm, Gladys King, Elaine Krolovich, Flavia Langan, Pat Lardon, Dan Lyons, Joseph & Kathy Mahoney, Frances Mahoney, Mr. & Mrs. Marushik, Mark Matthew, Ruth Maust, John Mayer, Joseph Melleski, Keith McCarthy, Tony Moody, Sr. Kate Nelson, Connie Norton, Anthony Pelle, Raymond Porres, Madeline Pryor, William Pulver, Kim Ramos, Mickey Reynolds, Mary Sabel, Laura Sabador, Jesus Sanchez, Ann Santoleri, Theresa Seiberlich, Pat Schiazza, Iris Smith, Sylvester Thomas, Ojona Thompson, Tommy Tropiano, Venziale Family, Ellen Valle, Esperanza Vera, Frank & Margaret Weaver, Philip C. Watson.

Rest in Peace - RoseMary Di Iorio, Philomena Rose Pizzo



SANCTUARY CANDLE will burn this week in Remembrance of:

DAVID NUNEZ'S BIRTHDAY

By: IDALIA SANCHEZ

ALTAR FLOWERS THIS WEEK IN MEMORY OF:

LIBRO MAIO

By: Monica, Michael & Rosemarie Maio

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5, 2025 - \$4,045. FUEL - \$1,044.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2024 - \$4,344

CHRISTMAS, DECEMBER 25, 2024 - \$5,816.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 7, 2024 - \$4,404.

Qué bendición verlos a todos.

THREE KINGS CELEBRATION

Our Three Kings' Celebration last Sunday, Jan. 5th was a great turnout. Thank you to everyone who attended, donated toys, cooked food and all who volunteered their time to help continue this beautiful tradition here at OLC. What a blessing to see everyone.



FIESTA DE LOS REYES MAGOS

Nuestra celebración de los Reyes Magos del pasado domingo 5 de enero tuvo una gran participación. Gracias a todos los que asistieron, donaron juguetes, prepararon comida y a todos los que ofrecieron su tiempo como voluntarios para ayudar a continuar con esta hermosa tradición aquí en OLC. Qué bendición verlos a todos.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Are you interested in registering at Our Lady of Consolation Parish? Please stop by the Rectory Office, during business hours, to register. In order to receive Letters of Eligibility for sponsorship at Baptism or Confirmation, you must be a registered, active parishioner using your envelopes for at least 6 months.

BIENVENIDOS NUEVOS FELLGRESES

¿Estás interesado en registrarte en la Parroquia Nuestra Señora de la Consolación? Pase por la Oficina de la Rectoría, durante el horario comercial, para registrarse. Para recibir Cartas de Elegibilidad para patrocinio en el Bautismo o Confirmación, debe ser un feligrés registrado y activo, usando los sobres durante al menos seis meses.

RETROUVAILLE: REDISCOVER THE LOVE IN YOUR MARRIAGE. Tens of thousands of couples have healed their marriages through Retrouvaille (pronounced Retro-vy). If you know anyone who could benefit from this program, please pass this on. It provides help for marriage problems, difficulties or crises. The next program will be held February 14 - 16, 2025 at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. For more information or to register, visit their [website](#) or call 215-766-3944 or 800-470-2230. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

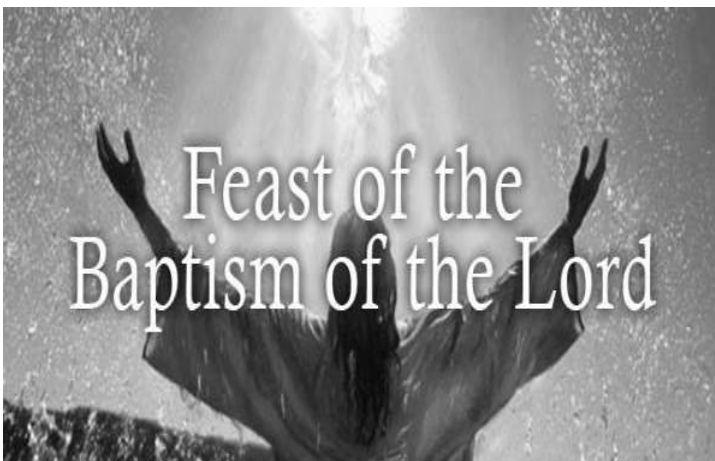
RETROUVAILLE: REDESCUBRE EL AMOR EN TU MATRIMONIO. Decenas de miles de parejas han sanado sus matrimonios a través de Retrouvaille (se pronuncia Retro-vy). Si conoces a alguien que podría beneficiarse de este programa, por favor, compártelo. Proporciona ayuda para problemas, dificultades o crisis matrimoniales. El próximo programa se llevará a cabo del 14 al 16 de febrero de 2025 en el Family Life Center en Malvern, PA. Para obtener más información o para inscribirte, visita su [sitio web](#) o llama al 215-766-3944 o al 800-470-2230. Todas las consultas son estrictamente confidenciales.

BBVC 2025

Archdiocese of Philadelphia Brothers of Borromeo Vocation Camp for young men in grades 6, 7, and 8th. On Saturday, March 22nd from 9:00am - 4:30pm. Register by February 28. \$25 fee includes lunch & a t-shirt. Questions contact Grace Murphy at gmurphy@archphila.org or 610-667-5778

BBVC 2025

Campamento Vocacional de los Hermanos de Borromeo de la Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia para jóvenes de 6º, 7º y 8º grado. El sábado 22 de marzo de 2025 de 9 a 16:30 horas. Regístrese antes del 28 de febrero de 2025, \$25. Tarifa, incluye almuerzo y camiseta. Si tiene preguntas, comuníquese con Grace Murphy en gmurphy@archphila.org o al 610-667-5778



DEL PARROCO

El Arzobispo Pérez ha emitido una declaración sobre el futuro de la Arquidiócesis de Filadelfia. Cuando se convirtió en arzobispo de Filadelfia le preguntaron: "¿Cerraré parroquias?" Él respondió: "No vine aquí para cerrar parroquias; Vine aquí para edificar la iglesia de Filadelfia." Su plan se encuentra en las etapas iniciales y no está completamente formado. El término que escuchará es Missionary Hub. Estos se plantarán en parroquias y otros sitios en toda la Arquidiócesis. Servirán como centros pastorales para determinadas zonas. Su preocupación es mantener la Iglesia católica en todos los ámbitos y evitar lo que él llama "desiertos de iglesias". Este plan se desarrollará durante los próximos años. Haré todo lo posible para mantenerte actualizado.

BAUTISMO DEL SEÑOR

Hoy la Iglesia celebra la Fiesta del Bautismo de Nuestro Señor. Esta fiesta pone fin a la temporada navideña. El Tiempo Ordinario dura desde el día siguiente a esta fiesta hasta el martes anterior a la Cuaresma.

En la Iglesia Oriental esta fiesta se llama Teofanía porque en el bautismo de Cristo en el río Jordán Dios apareció en tres personas. El bautismo de Juan fue una especie de preparación sacramental al bautismo de Cristo. Movié a los hombres a sentimientos de arrepentimiento y los indujo a confesar sus pecados. Cristo no necesitaba el bautismo de Juan. Aunque apareció en la "sustancia de nuestra carne" y fue reconocido "exteriormente como nosotros", era absolutamente sin pecado e impecable. Confió al agua el poder del verdadero bautismo que eliminaría todos los pecados del mundo: "He aquí el Cordero de Dios, he aquí el que quita el pecado del mundo".

Juego de Natividad / GANADOR

El ganador del sorteo del "Juego de Natividad" fue, MARIA MARTINEZ el cual fue elegido el 5 de enero durante nuestra "Celebración de Reyes Magos". Felicidades.

Gracias a todos los que compraron boletos para esta recaudación de fondos.

LIMPIEZA DE IGLESIA

Estaremos limpiando la Iglesia el martes 14 de enero a las 7 p.m. Si está libre y desea ayudar a mantener limpia nuestra Iglesia, únase a nosotros, no es necesario registrarse. Espero verte allí.
Gracias

BENDICION DE OCTUBRE III

Recordamos, Celebramos, Creemos:

Marzo 5 - Miércoles de ceniza - 8am, Ingles, - 12 del mediodía, Solo Ceniza - Misa 7pm

Marzo 7 a 11 - Estaciones De la Cruz los Viernes en ingles

12 a Abril 9th - Estaciones de la Cruz, los Miercoles en espanol

Abril - 7 - 11 - Haciendo Novedades de Palma - 3pm-8pm todos están invitados

13 - Domingo de Ramos/Venta de Novedades de Palma después de las Misas

17 - Jueves Santo - No Misa a las 8 am / 7 pm

18 - Viernes Santo, No misa a las 8 am, Procesión en la calle a las 2:30 pm,

Servicio litúrgico a las 3 pm en inglés, a las 4 pm en español

19 - Sábado Santo, No misa a las 8 am, Velatorio del Cuerpo de Jesús 9am - 12Medios

Misa Vigilia Pascual - 7pm

20 - Domingo de Resurrección - Horario Regular de Misas

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