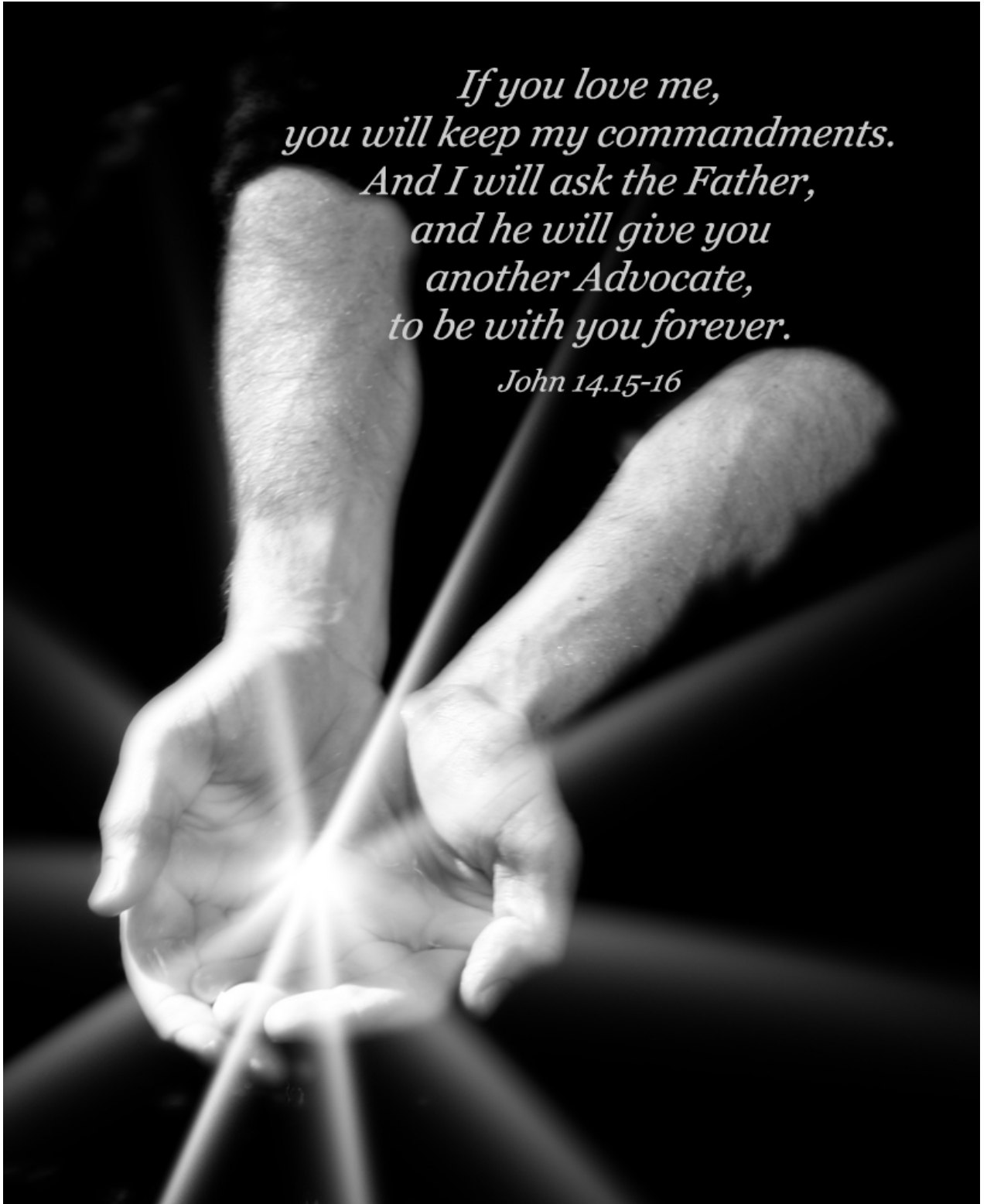




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Our Lady Queen of the Apostles



*If you love me,
you will keep my commandments.
And I will ask the Father,
and he will give you
another Advocate,
to be with you forever.*

John 14.15-16

Rev. Z. Andy Rudnicki, Pastor
Rev. Laurent Assenga, ALCP, Parochial Vicar

May 17, 2020

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Parish Directory

100 Crestwood Blvd. S., Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411

Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM
Closed daily from 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM for lunch

Parish Office: (561) 798-5661

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Permanent Deacons

Deacon Rodney Brimlow

Deacon Bob Laquerre

Parish Staff

Business Manager/
Stewardship

Director of Music Ministries

Director of Religious Ed.

Bookkeeper/Youth Minister

Administrative Assistant

Receptionist/Office Assistant

Facilities Manager

Parish Maintenance

Jim Duemig

Thomas J. Marino

Dr. Christina Danko

Chris Winters

Sharyn Garcia

Arline Laquerre

Rick Busch

Tom Schmidt

Ryan Winters

Nick DeLapi

Liliana Vargas

Contemporary Band Director Steve Davis

Masses Intentions

SATURDAY

4:30 PM

6:00 PM

SUNDAY

8:00 AM

9:45 AM

11:30 AM

6:00 PM

MONDAY

8:00 AM

TUESDAY

8:00 AM

WEDNESDAY

8:00 AM

THURSDAY

8:00 AM

FRIDAY

8:00 AM

Noon

SATURDAY

8:00 AM

4:30 PM

6:00 PM

SUNDAY

8:00 AM

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6:00 PM

MAY 16

+ Margaret Wolf

+ For Our Parishioners

MAY 17

+ Josephine A. Pruner

+ Carlo and Natalina Caparalla

+ Jacques Chancy

Mother's Day Novena

MAY 18

Mother's Day Novena

MAY 19

Christine, Ebba and Dorian

MAY 20

Deborah DeSantis on her birthday

MAY 21

+ Mark Lupardo

MAY 22

+ Maria Hoi Le and Maria Hanh Bui

Multiple Intentions

MAY 23

+ Emily Caronia

+ Jimmy Grinder

Accion de Gracias por la familia Van Oordt

MAY 24

+ For Our Parishioners

+ Rosita Cisneros

+ Aleeswa Joseph

+ Todd C. Brizzard

Mass, Confession and Adoration Schedule

While the church grounds are closed,
please see our Facebook live-streamed
Mass Schedule, available on
Facebook and the website.

please note

There are many
weekday Mass
intentions
available for the
upcoming summer months. If you
would like to book a Mass intention,
please call the office or email Arline
at arlinel@olqa.cc.

Please Pray for Priests

Dear Lord, we pray that the Blessed Mother wrap her mantle around your priests and through her intercession strengthen them for their ministry. We pray that Mary will guide your priests to follow her own words, "Do whatever He tells you" (Jn 2:5). May your priests have the heart of St. Joseph, Mary's most chaste spouse. May the Blessed Mother's own pierced heart inspire them to embrace all who suffer at the foot of the cross. May your priests be holy, filled with the fire of your love seeking nothing but your greater glory and the salvation of souls.

Amen. St. John Vianney, pray for us.

Please Pray For Deacons

Lord Jesus, you came to serve, not to be served,
form within us your generous spirit;
Fill us with your love,
that we may love the Father as you love him.
Fill us with your compassion,
that we may see our brothers and sisters
as you see them.
Fill us with your courage,
that we may give our lives in service to the
Church
as you gave your life for her.
Fill us with that Spirit which will make us
preachers of your Word,
ministers of your Sacrifice,
servants of your Bride,
friends of the poor,
and the voice of the forgotten.
Transform us through your Holy Spirit
so that we may transform the world into
Your Kingdom of justice and faith.
Amen.

Sacramental Information

Baptisms: Congratulations on the decision to baptize your child in the Catholic Faith! We are here to help you with the process. Please call or stop by the parish office and we will be happy to get you started. Travel plans for out-of-town guests should not be made until a date for the baptism is confirmed by the parish staff. A meeting with a priest *may* be required. We look forward to hearing from you.

Marriages: Please come by the parish office to start your marriage paperwork. Please allow six months to complete the paperwork. A wedding date cannot be set until a priest has been consulted.

Sick and Homebound: We are blessed to have a group of volunteers in our parish who are happy to bring Holy Communion to the sick, the hospitalized and the homebound. Please call the parish office to make arrangements if you or your loved one would like a priest to visit with the Sacrament of Anointing.

Gift Shop

Please know that once the church and gift shop are open again, we will continue with our long-sleeved shirt drive for four weeks. Our baby shower will also be scheduled for approximately four weeks after the opening of the parish. Please continue to collect items for these events.

My Dear Parishioner,

Another week in our lives, but we have to remember that this is another Easter week. Easter means new hope, new perspective, new responsibilities and especially the new presences of Jesus in our lives. Today, at this time we meet Jesus again in an upper room. He basically is giving his last will and testimony for the apostles and we know what this means because many of us have already done a last will. Sometimes this is an easy task and sometimes it is very difficult. Jesus as a human being gives his advice of the last will from the perspective of heaven. His advice is to have faith, have courage, and do not forget that the Holy Spirit within you can accomplish in your lives what you may think is impossible.

We have a great example of this with Philip who went to the city of Samaria and proclaimed Jesus to the people. This was a time of great joy in this city. It was the same with Peter and John who prayed over the people and the people received the Holy Spirit. This is our perspective. Jesus from this upper room is giving us His will. He challenges us—come back to your faith. Obey the commandments. We are so tempted not to do it. We are tempted to break the commandments, but remember it was His last will and testimony. Jesus said, if you love me, you will keep my commandments.. He wants us to understand that the Spirit of truth is touching our lives and giving us extra strength. Be sure that the Spirit is working in our lives. Going deep within our hearts with wishes to guide us. Without the Spirit, we cannot live in love. So the question is, what priorities do we set? Do we follow God's ways or the ways of the world? I know for certain that Christ is in us and we are in Him.

Love you,

Father Andy

Readings for the Week

May 18: Acts 16:11-15; Jn. 15:26—16:4a

May 19: Acts 16:22-34; Jn. 16:5-11

May 20: Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Jn. 16:12-15

May 21: Acts 18:1-8; Jn. 16:16-20

May 22: Acts 18:9-18; Jn. 16:20-23

May 23: Acts 18:23-28; Jn. 16:23b-28

May 24: Acts 1:1-11; Eph.1:17-23;

Mt. 28:16-20



New Parishioner Welcome Tour and Luncheon

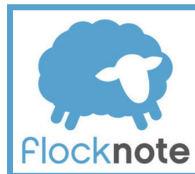
Our next New Parishioner Welcome Tour and Luncheon is will be scheduled once it is safe to gather. We will keep you informed of the date via email, Facebook and Flocknote.

Weekly Treasure

May 10	Offertory	May Weekly Budget	B/W
Offertory	\$14,771	\$20,295	(\$5,524)
Donations	\$7,012	\$0	\$7,012
Total	\$21,783	\$20,295	\$1,488

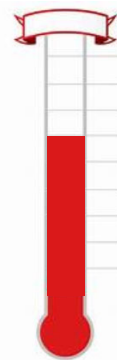
Please consider supporting our parish if your means allow

Let's Stay Connected!



Our Website:
www.olqa.cc

Diocesan Services Appeal



2020 DSA Commitment	\$247,000
Pledges and Gifts:	\$172,235
Amount Needed:	\$74,765
Donors:	334

OLQA STRONG!

Our parish family is strong and very committed to our parish, our community and each other. We will get through this epidemic and we will grow stronger than ever before. Although our office is closed, we continue to work to serve you; some from the office and others from home. If you need us, call us and leave a message and we will get back to you. You can also email us and we will respond. You can keep current on our parish through Facebook and our website at www.olqa.cc. We will also send updates via Flocknote. If you have any questions about Flocknote or haven't received any emails, please contact Christina at christinad@olqa.cc.

Stay safe, stay strong and stay informed. Remember, our staff is here to help if you need us!

Our Lady Queen of the Apostles...pray for us!

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. 1 Peter 4:10



Our Lady Queen of the Apostles Phased Reopening of the Church!!

The following is Bishop Barbarito's decision regarding our church's future life.
We are happy! This is good news!

Beginning Monday, May 18

Our church will be open for private worship from 2:00pm to 4:00pm, Monday through Friday. During this time you are welcome to come worship Jesus in silence.
A priest will be sitting in the Cry Room from 3:00pm to 4:00pm to hear confessions for anyone who needs them.

Beginning Monday, May 25

Weekday Masses will resume.
We are only opening the two center sections of pews so understand that you may not be able to sit in your usual seats.

Beginning Saturday, May 30

Our regular weekend Masses will resume with the exception of the 6:00pm Sunday Mass. This Mass will continue to be celebrated by the priest in the rectory chapel. This Mass will resume in the near future.

Please be responsible: wear masks, sanitize hands when you enter the church, and keep social distance of at least six feet from others. Again, please be prepared to sit in seats that are not your usual seats.

**We are looking for volunteers to help sanitize the church between Masses.
Please call the office if you are willing to help!**

More details are to follow.
If you have any questions, please call the parish office.

FOOD DRIVE

We are committed to providing the comfort of Jesus to our parishioners during this time of physical isolation. If you are in need of assistance, we will be here for you, distributing bags of food during the following times:

Monday through Friday
9:00 to 3:00
at the parish office

In order to maintain safe social distancing, it is important that you call the office to schedule a time before coming in.

If you are fortunate enough to not be financially affected by the pandemic, perhaps you could help us by donating nonperishable food. Donations will be gratefully accepted as follows:

Monday through Friday
9:00 to 3:00
At the north door of Celebration Hall

**If you have any questions, please contact
the parish office.**



My Prayer

Lord, thank You for another day,
within this life of mine.
Give me the strength to live it well,
whatever I may find.
Bestow from Your abundance
whatever I may lack.
To use the hours wisely,
for I cannot have them back.
Lord, thank You for another day,
in which to make amends
for light slights or petty words,
inflicted on my friends.
For sometimes losing patience
with problems that I find.
For seeing faults in other lives,
but not the ones in mine.
Lord, thank You for another chance,
in which to try to be
a little more deserving
of the gifts You've given me.
For yesterday is over
and tomorrow's far away,
and I remain committed
to the good I do today!

Marianist Mission

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that you are truly present in the
Most Blessed Sacrament.
I love You above all things and I desire to
possess You within my soul.
Since I am unable at this moment to
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as being already there,
and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be
separated from You.
Amen.



300 Club via Facebook Live

Thursday, May 28
3:00

We are sorry that we cannot be together for this drawing and it is a possibility that we will need to have the July drawing on Facebook Live as well. When we can get together, we will host a great night with a buffet, DJ, dancing and have a great time.

Please remember, that the income from the 300 Club is very important to us, now more than ever. We do however, understand that some of you may have been financially affected from our current environment and may not be able to participate this quarter. If that's the case, no problem. Hopefully you will be able to participate in the future.

Please note, if you were a 300 club member at the end of last quarter and are unable to participate now or in the near future, you will still be invited to celebrate with us when we are able to get together the next time!

Music for the Sixth Sunday of Easter

"Those who sing pray twice."

Gathering Hymn: Worship Fourth Edition #527

1. I know that my Redeemer lives;
What joy the blest assurance gives!
He lives, he lives, who once was dead;
He lives, my everlasting Head!
2. He lives, to bless me with his love;
He lives, to plead for me above;
He lives, my hungry soul to feed;
He lives, to help in time of need.
3. He lives, and grants me daily breath;
He lives, and I shall conquer death;
He lives, my mansion to prepare;
He lives, to bring me safely there.
4. He lives, all glory to his name;
He lives, my Savior still the same;
What joy the blest assurance gives;
I know that my Redeemer lives!

Text: Samuel Medley, 1738-1799

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 66

Antiphon:

Let all the earth cry out, cry out to God with joy.

Text: Verses, The Revised Grail Psalms, [©1983](#),
Conception Abbey and the Grail, admin. by GIA Publications,
Inc.; Refrain, Lectionary for Mass,
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macher, OFM, ©1986, GIA Publications, Inc.

Presentation Hymn: Worship Fourth Edition #534

1. Come down, O Love divine,
Seek now this soul of mine,
And visit it with your own ardor glowing;
O Comforter, draw near,
Within my heart appear,
And kindle it, your holy flame bestowing.
2. O let it freely burn,
Till earthly passions turn
To dust and ashes in its heat consuming;
And let your glorious light
Shine ever on my sight,
And clothe me round, the while my path illuming.
3. And so the yearning strong,
With which the soul will long,
Shall far outpass the power of human telling;
For none can guess its grace,
Till love creates the place
Wherein the Holy Spirit makes its dwelling.

Text: Discendi, Amor Santo ; Bianco da Siena, d.c. 1434;
tr. by Richard F. Littledale, 1833-1890

Communion Song: Worship Fourth Edition #759

Refrain:

Unless a grain of wheat shall fall upon the ground and die,
it remains but a single grain with no life.

1. If we have died with him then we shall live with him;
if we hold firm we shall reign with him. **Refrain**
2. If anyone serves me then they must follow me;
wherever I am my servants will be. **Refrain**
3. Make your home in me as I make mine in you;
those who remain in me bear much fruit. **Refrain**
4. If you remain in me and my word lives in you,
then you will be my disciples. **Refrain**
5. Those who love me are loved by my Father;
we shall be with them and dwell in them. **Refrain**
6. Peace I leave with you, my peace I give to you;
peace which the world cannot give is my gift. **Refrain**

[Text: John 12:24; Bernadette Farrell, b.1957, © 1983,](#)
Bernadette Farrell, published by OCP Publications

Concluding Hymn: Worship Fourth Edition #953

1. Alleluia! sing to Jesus!
His the scepter, his the throne;
Alleluia! His the triumph,
His the victory alone;
Hark! the songs of peaceful Zion
Thunder like a mighty flood;
Jesus out of ev'ry nation
Has redeemed us by his blood.
2. Alleluia! King eternal,
You the Lord of lords we own;
Alleluia! born of Mary,
Earth your footstool, heav'n your throne:
You, within the veil, have entered,
Robed in flesh, our great high priest;
Here on earth both priest and victim
In the eucharistic feast.

Text: Revelation 5:9; William C. Dix, 1837-1898

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6to domingo de Pascua: Amar para ver

San Anselmo, acuñó una frase que resume muy bien la actitud del creyente en la búsqueda de la verdad, en el estudio de la filosofía: “Creer para entender”. La fe, según San Anselmo, abre a nuestra inteligencia nuevos horizontes; nuestra razón, cuando llega a su límite, recibe la ayuda de la fe. Hay una sabiduría que se aprende de un modo distinto al estudio y a la reflexión, la sabiduría del corazón, de la que dijo Pascal: “El corazón tiene razones que la razón ignora”. Se trata de disponer de ambas fuentes de conocimiento: la razón, y el corazón, es decir, el amor. Es el amor el que nos hace entender o por lo menos aceptar ciertas cosas. Así lo enseñó Jesús cuando dijo: “Al que me ama me revelaré a él”. No dijo: “Al que piensa en mí”, o “al que cree en mí”. Hace falta amar a Jesús para entenderle del todo, del mismo modo que una madre entiende al hijo más que nadie, precisamente porque le ama. La “palabra de vida” nos invita a ser hombres completos, a utilizar la cabeza, pero también el corazón. Nos invita a amar, sabiendo que el amor es la puerta de la fe, la puerta del entendimiento de las cosas de Dios y también de las cosas de los hombres.

Oración diocesana para la protección de Dios por la pandemia del coronavirus

Dios amoroso y amable, como en todos los tiempos recurrimos a ti e imploramos tu curación y protección al enfrentar una nueva amenaza para nuestra salud, bienestar y paz con la pandemia del coronavirus que tenemos ante nosotros. Ayúdanos a unirnos entre nosotros y con todos nuestros hermanos de todo el mundo afectados por esta enfermedad. Oramos por todos aquellos en el campo de la medicina que están ayudando a los pacientes y en el campo de la ciencia que están discerniendo una cura, así como por todos los líderes gubernamentales. Recuerda a aquellos, que por este virus, han pasado de esta vida, así como por sus familiares en su pérdida. En este momento de incertidumbre también te suplicamos humildemente, que nos concedas prudencia, esperanza, coraje y paciencia. Disipa de nosotros el miedo, el pánico y la desconfianza que nos perturban el espíritu y nuestro bienestar. Hacemos oración en el nombre de tu amado Hijo, nuestro Señor Jesucristo quien siempre curó a los que estaban enfermos de diversas enfermedades y expulsó a muchos demonios. Patrona de nuestra diócesis, Nuestra Señora Reina de los Apóstoles y consoladora de los afligidos, ruega por nosotros. Amén