



Our Lady Queen of the Apostles

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The Pearl of Great Price

*Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant
searching for fine pearls.*

*When he finds a pearl of great price,
he goes and sells all that he has and buys it.*

Matthew 13:45-46



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

July 26, 2020

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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	Jim Duemig
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Director of Religious Ed.	Dr. Christina Danko
Bookkeeper/Youth Minister	Chris Winters
Administrative Assistant	Sharyn Garcia
Receptionist/Office Assistant	Arline Laquerre
Facilities Manager	Rick Busch
Parish Maintenance	Tom Schmidt
	Ryan Winters
	Nick DeLapi
	Liliana Vargas
Contemporary Band Director	Steve Davis

Temporary Mass, Confession and Adoration Schedule

Saturday Vigil	4:00pm
	6:00pm (Spanish)
Sunday	8:00am and 11:30am
Morning Masses	8:00am (Monday-Saturday)
Saturday Confession	2:00 - 3:00pm

Adoration is closed until further notice

Masses Intentions

SATURDAY

4:00 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

SATURDAY

8:00 AM

4:00 PM

6:00 PM

SUNDAY

8:00 AM

9:45 AM

11:30 AM

6:00 PM

JULY 25

✠ Rosie Barry

✠ Parents & Grandparents of
John & Alsacia Sakellis

JULY 26

✠ Stella Beehrle

✠ Jeanne Benoit

✠ Grace Federici

✠ For Our Parishioners

JULY 27

✠ Isabel Warner

JULY 28

✠ Joseph Glentz

JULY 29

Precy Go's Birthday

JULY 30

✠ Janet Montano Ausente

JULY 31

✠ Martha Godinez

AUGUST 1

In thanksgiving

✠ For Our Parishioners

✠ Nicholas Torres, Sr. &

Francisca Torres

AUGUST 2

✠ Herman Beehrle

✠ George Senzina

✠ John Keller

✠ Luis Veitia

Red indicates private Mass in the priest rectory chapel.

****There are quite a few available Mass intentions for weekday Masses in August. If you would like to book a Mass intention, please call the parish office.****

Gift Shop

Although the church is now open, the gift shop will remain closed until further notice.

Thank you for your continued patience.

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.



Flowers For The Altar

*In Celebration of Jose and
Sandy Calas 50th Wedding
Anniversary*

And

*In memory of Anna Valentine
by her daughter, Audrey*

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.

A Prayer to Combat the Coronavirus Pandemic

Most merciful and Triune God,
We come to you in our weakness.
We come to you in our fear.
We come to you with trust.
For you alone are our hope.
We place before you the disease present in our world.
We turn to you in our time of need.
Bring wisdom to doctors.
Give understanding to scientists.
Endow caregivers with compassion and generosity.
Bring healing to those who are ill.
Protect those who are most at risk.
Give comfort to those who have lost a loved one.
Welcome those who have died into your eternal home.
Stabilize our communities.
Unite us in our compassion.
Remove all fear from our hearts.
Fill us with confidence in your care.
*Jesus, I trust in you.
Jesus, I trust in you.
Jesus, I trust in you.
Amen.*

The Price is Right

There's a game show that's been on TV for quite some years called "The Price is Right". In this show, you win by trying to figure out the exact pricing of merchandise and products. The fact that this show has been on TV for over 60 years tells me that our society is captivated with the notion that all things in our lives have a calculated cost.

Perhaps the people in Jesus' days were no different. This weekend's Gospel story describes two parables about the buying and selling of treasures. We hear two similar parables concerning the discovery of some item that is so great, that it must be purchased regardless of price and kept closely guarded at any cost. Thinking of the game show, I wonder these days what contestants would consider as priceless items.

In the parables of the buried treasure and pearls, the reader is led to discover that the pearl and buried treasure were considered priceless by the ones who found them. I believe the real point, however, is not about the price of things but rather their value. You see, while price refers to the amount of money that we give to a seller for a specific product, value is what we (the customer) believe the product is actually worth. In other words, value is based on the customer's point of view, not the actual cost to produce it...it's priceless!

Jesus is telling us that although there is a cost to living as a disciple of his, the Kingdom of Heaven is priceless. The problem is that there are many people (including Christians) who are stuck in "The Price is Right" mode. In their attempt to calculate and justify the cost to live as a disciple of Jesus, they fail to see its value. They look at each element of the faith as a negotiable item in the marketplace... rejecting Divine Truths of the Faith because they calculate their cost to be too high to pay. There is no denying that living today as a disciple bears a heavy price tag. To be a true follower of Jesus requires that we abandon much of what the world has to offer us. In today's world, Christians are still persecuted, believers are ridiculed, and followers are thought to be fools and the recent pandemic has caused many of us to evaluate and endure the true cost of living our faith in light of public health concerns.

We saw in today's first reading that Solomon, in asking only for wisdom, had no concern or regard for the price of earthly treasures but desired only those things which make one rich in God's Kingdom. Let us pray for the grace to seek only that which has spiritual and heavenly value. To seek only those treasures and pearls that we can bring with us into the heavenly kingdom and to realize that much of what we desire, while appearing to be at a bargain price, has absolutely no value in the Kingdom of God.

God's peace and blessings,

Deacon Bob



New Parishioner Welcome Tour and Luncheon

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

Weekly Treasure

July 19	Offertory	July Weekly Budget (Updated)	B/W
Offertory	\$13,046	\$14,102	(\$1,056)
Total for July to date	\$47,338	\$42,306	\$5,032
Attendance	452	July offertory was budgeted at 75% of previous year	

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:	\$185,232
Amount Needed:	\$61,768
Donors:	353

Monthly 2nd Collections

July 2020	The following table shows our 2nd Collections for the month as well as four monthly budgets and what we collected. Please be as generous as your means allow.					
Sunday Collections	Debt Reduction Budget/Actual		Catholic Relief Services Budget/Actual		DSA Budget/Actual	
July 5	\$2,500	\$1,624				
July 12		\$453	3,700	\$621		
July 19		\$168			\$1,250	0
	Building Fund is an envelope not a collection. If you would like to support the building fund, please use your envelope or utilize Online Giving. If you give a check, please write Building Fund in the memo					

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

Congratulations to Our First Communicants!



***MAY YOU ALWAYS
KNOW THE PEACE OF
JESUS,
THE LIGHT OF HIS LOVE,
AND THE JOY OF
HIS LIFE
WITHIN YOU!***



Congratulations!

***To our 2020
RCIA Class!***



This Week in Our Parish

Monday

Morning Mass at 8:00 - Join us in the church

Recitation of the Rosary at 3:00 - Join us via Facebook Live and later on the website at olqa.cc.

Tuesday

Morning Mass at 8:00 - Join us in the church **and** via Facebook Live and later on the website at olqa.cc.

Wednesday

Morning Mass at 8:00 - Join us in the church

Adoration and Taizé Prayer - Join us via Facebook Live and later on the website at olqa.cc.

Thursday

Morning Mass at 8:00 - Join us in the church **and** via Facebook Live and later on the website at olqa.cc.

Reading and Reflections with Father Andy at 3:00 - Join us via Facebook Live and later on the website at olqa.cc.

Friday

Morning Mass at 8:00 - Join us in the church

Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 - Join us via Facebook Live and later on the website at olqa.cc.

Saturday

Morning Mass at 8:00 - Join us in the church

Confessions from 2:00-3:00 - In the cry room

Saturday Vigil Masses at 4:00** and 6:00 (Spanish) - Join us in the church

****Time change from 4:30**

Sunday

Masses for the 18th Sunday of Ordinary Time at 8:00 and 11:30 - Join us in the church **and** via Facebook Live and later on the website at olqa.cc. (11:30 Mass only)

Please note: The Sunday 9:45 and 6:00 Masses will be offered privately in the rectory chapel.

Readings for the Week

July 27: Jer. 13:1-11; Mt. 13:31-35

July 28: Jer. 14:17-22; Mt. 13:36-43

July 29: Jer. 15:10, 16-21; Jn. 11:19-27

July 30: Jer. 18:1-6; Mt. 13:47-53

July 31: Jer. 26:1-9; Mt. 13:54-58

August 1: 2 Cor. 4:7-15; Mt. 20:20-28

August 2: 1 Kgs. 3:5, 7-12; Rom. 8:28-30;
Mt. 13:44-52

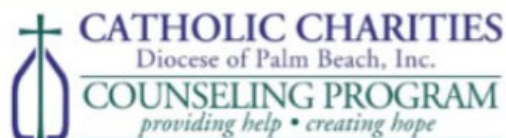
WE ARE HERE TO HELP!

Could you use a little help during these challenging times? Do you know someone who could use some food?

We have a well-stocked food pantry and we want to help!

Don't be shy - give the parish office a call. We can help you with some groceries!

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



Want someone to talk to? WE ARE HERE TO HELP

If you would like more information about any of our services or would like to schedule an appointment please contact

Hotline Number: 844-848-6777

Email: Counseling@ccdpb.org

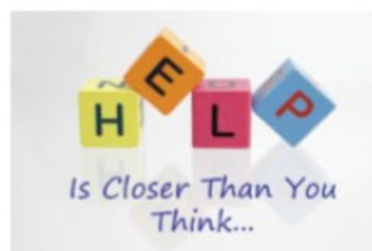
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Sliding scale payment options available

Major Insurance and EAP accepted: call for details



For more information please visit www.ccdpb.org/programs/counseling-services/

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*Music for the
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
"Those who sing pray twice."*

Gathering Hymn: Worship Fourth Edition #616

1. Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the king of creation!
O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation!
Come, all who hear: Brothers and sisters, draw near,
Praise him in glad adoration!
2. Praise to the Lord, above all things so mightily reigning;
Keeping us safe at his side, and so gently sustaining.
Have you not seen all you have needed has been
Met by his gracious ordaining?
3. Praise to the Lord, who shall prosper our work and defend
us;
Surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend us.
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,
Who with his love will befriend us.
4. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in us adore him!
All that has life and breath come now with praises before
him!
Let the 'Amen!' Sound from his people again!
Gladly with praise we adore him!

Text: Lobe den Herren, den mächtigen König; Joachim Neander, 1650-1680; tr. by Catherine Winkworth, 1827-1878, alt. Tune: LOBE DEN HERREN, Stralsund Gesangbuch, 1665

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 119

Antiphon: Lord, I love your commands.

Text: Psalm 119, Verses, The Revised Grail Psalms, ©2010, Conception

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Presentation Song: Worship Fourth Edition #663

1. Seek ye first the kingdom of God
and his righteousness,
and all these things shall be added unto you;
Allelu, alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, allelu, alleluia.
2. Ask, and it shall be given unto you,
seek, and you shall find,
knock, and the door shall be opened unto you;
Allelu, alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, allelu, alleluia.
3. You do not live by bread alone,
but by ev'ry word,
that comes forth from the mouth of God;
Allelu, alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, allelu, alleluia.
4. Where two or three are gathered in my name,
there am I in their midst;
and whatsoever you ask I will do;
Allelu, alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, allelu, alleluia.

Text: Matthew 6:33, 7:7; adapt. by Karen Lafferty, b. 1948

Tune: SEEK YE FIRST, Irregular; Karen Lafferty, b. 1948 © 1972, Universal Music- Brentwood Benson Publishing/CCCM Music

Communion Song: Worship Fourth Edition #721

1. Blest are they, the poor in spirit,
theirs is the kingdom of God.
Blest are they, full of sorrow,
they shall be consoled.
- Refrain:** Rejoice and be glad! Blessed are you, holy are you!
Rejoice and be glad! Yours is the kingdom of God!
2. Blest are they, the lowly ones,
they shall inherit the earth.
Blest are they who hunger and thirst,
they shall have their fill. **Refrain**

3. Blest are they who show mercy,
mercy shall be theirs.
Blest are they, the pure of heart,
they shall see God! **Refrain**
4. Blest are they who seek peace;
they are the children of God.
Blest are they who suffer in faith,
the glory of God is theirs. **Refrain**
5. Blest are you who suffer hate,
all because of me.
Rejoice and be glad, yours is the kingdom;
shine for all to see. **Refrain**

Text: Matthew 5:3-12; David Haas, b.1957;

Tune: David Haas, b.1957, vocal arr. by David Haas and Michael Joncas, b. 1951, © 1985, 2005, GIA Publications, Inc.

Communion Song: Journey Song Third Edition #646

1. Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art:
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.
2. Be Thou my wisdom, and Thou my true word;
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord:
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son,
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.
3. Riches I heed not, or man's empty praise,
Thou mine inheritance, now and always:
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart,
4. High King of heaven, my treasure Thou art.
High King of heaven, my victory won,
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

Text: 10 10 10 10; Ancient Irish; tr. by Mary E. Byrne, 1905; fr. Eleanor Hull's Poem Book of the Gael, 1912, alt. Music: SLANE, Trad. Irish melody; adapt. fr. The Church Hymnary, 1927.

Concluding Hymn: Worship Fourth Edition #797

1. God, whose purpose is to kindle,
Now ignite us with your fire.
While the earth awaits your burning,
With your passion us inspire.
Overcome our sinful calmness,
Stir us with your saving name.
Baptize with your fiery Spirit,
Crown our lives with tongues of flame.
2. God, who still a sword delivers
Rather than a placid peace,
With your sharpened sword disturb us,
From complacency release!
Save us now from satisfaction,
When we privately are free,
Yet are undisturbed in spirit
By our neighbor's misery.
3. God, who in your holy gospel
Wills that all should truly live,
Make us sense our share of failure,
Our tranquillity forgive.
Teach us courage as we struggle
In all liberating strife.
Lift the smallness of our vision
By your own abundant life.

Text: Luke 12:49; David E. Trueblood, b.1900-1994, alt., 1967, David Elton Trueblood

Tune: NETTLETON, Wyeth's Repository of Sacred Music, 1813

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La suerte de saber dónde está el tesoro

Un cristiano debería levantarse cada mañana diciéndose a sí mismo: “¡Qué suerte tengo!”. Y no porque las cosas le vayan bien en lo económico, o por su excelente salud, o sin dificultades familiares. La suerte nos viene de tener fe, de saber que Dios existe y que ese Dios no solo es el Creador y el Señor sino el Padre lleno de amor que nos quiere como somos. Puedes pensar que la fe no te ahorra dificultades, cualquier situación por mala que sea es susceptible de empeorar y, probablemente, si no tuvieras fe tu situación sería aún peor. La fe al menos te sirve para no desesperar, para luchar, para no rendirte. Y ese es el único camino de la victoria. Si no tuvieras fe, muy probablemente, no tendrías la fuerza que da Dios, el consuelo que viene de Dios, para enfrentarte a ellos. Por eso tenemos que considerar que la fe es una suerte. Y debemos cuidar esa fe, para que no se apague ni se vuelva tibia. Cualquier cosa antes que perderla. Para ello, nada mejor que la oración, pues rezar es estar en contacto con Dios, el origen y fin de nuestra fe. Si tienes dudas de fe, no te devanes la cabeza buscando argumentos, reza más, comulga más, acércate al Señor más.

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

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