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Our Lady Queen of the Apostles



October - Month of the Holy Rosary

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

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 Stephen Hayes

Deacon Bob Laquerre

Parish Staff

Business Manager/ Stewardship	Jim Duemig
Director of Music	Thomas J. Marino
Bookkeeper	Chris Winters
Administrative Assistant	Sharyn Garcia
Receptionist/Office Assistant	Arlene Laquerre
Facilities Manager	Rick Busch
Parish Maintenance	Tom Schmidt
	Ryan Winters
	Nick DeLapi
Youth Music Director	Thomas J. Marino
Parish Catechetical Leaders	Barb Grinder
	Kim Grinder

Mass, Confession and Adoration Schedule

Saturday Vigil	4:30 PM
	6:00 PM (Spanish)
Sunday	8:00 AM, 9:45 AM, 11:30 AM
	6:00 PM
Weekday Masses	8:00 AM (Monday-Saturday)
Friday	12 Noon (September-May)
Holy Days	8:00 AM, 12 Noon, 7:30 PM
Saturday Confession	2:30 - 3:30 PM
Adoration	Monday through Friday
	7 AM - 7 PM and
	Saturday 7 AM - 4 PM

NOTE: Adoration is closed when the office is closed.

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

9:45 AM

11:30 AM

6:00 PM

OCTOBER 6

+ Cecelia Bezick

by Bob & Sandy Techman

Nuestra Senora de Santo Rosario

by Damas Catolicas Capitulo 11

OCTOBER 7

+ Margaret Stillman

by Scott & Teri Stocking

+ Jocelyn Guiteau

by his wife, Yvette Guiteau

+ June Hughes

by the Jelencovich family

+ For Our Parishioners

OCTOBER 8

+ Natalie Knapp

by her daughters

OCTOBER 9

+ Eileen M. Daniel

by Mary & Elizabeth Daniel

OCTOBER 10

+ James Cunningham

by Derril & Christine Dehne

OCTOBER 11

+ Jeannette Laquerre

by the Columbiettes

OCTOBER 12

+ Angel M. Echeverri

by Luz Nelly Echeverri

Multiple Intentions

OCTOBER 13

+ Stephanie Bergman

by her parents

+ Jim Cassone

by Scott & Teri Stocking

+ For Our Parishioners

OCTOBER 14

+ Mary McCreery

by Scott & Teri Stocking

+ Robert Repaci

by his wife

+ Armand Durastante

by Thom Marino

Intentions of Merlene Co

by the Co/Cordova family

Readings for the Week

Oct. 8:	Gal. 1:6-12; Lk. 10:25-37
Oct. 9:	Gal. 1:13-24; Lk. 10:38-42
Oct. 10:	Gal. 2:1-2, 7-14; Lk. 11:1-4
Oct. 11:	Gal. 3:1-5; Lk. 11:5-13
Oct. 12:	Gal. 3:7-14; Lk. 11:15-26
Oct. 13:	Gal. 3:22-29; Lk. 11:27-28
Oct. 14:	Wis. 7:7-11; Heb. 4:12-13; Mk. 10:17-30

Parish Events Calendar

October 7

New Parishioner Welcome Tour & Luncheon at 11:00

October 8—Office is Closed

Cherub Choir Practice in Church at 5:00

Youth Choir Practice in Church at 5:30

October 9

Queens of Talent in Festival Hall at 1:00

Couples for Christ in Matthew Class at 6:00

Adult Choir Practice in Church at 6:30

Spanish Choir Practice in Cry Room at 7:30

Bereavement Group in Library at 6:30

October 10

6:00 Band Practice in Choir Loft at 7:00

October 11

Divine Mercy Prayer Group in Church at 8:30

Rosary Makers in Luke/John Class at 12:00

Spanish Prayer Group in Matthew Class at 7:00

Pumpkin Patch Baking in Hall at 6:30

October 12

Queens of Talent in Festival Hall at 12:00

Pumpkin Patch Baking in Hall at 9:00

October 13

Fully Engaged Program in Hall at 8:00

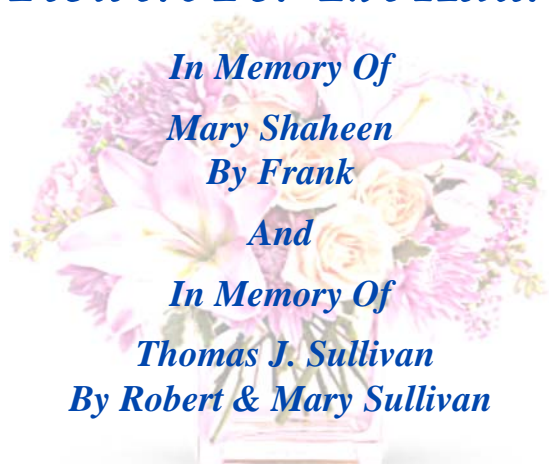
CCW Meeting in Festival Hall at 2:00

Spanish Heritage Dance in Hall at 7:00



In observance of Columbus Day, the parish office and the Adoration Chapel will be closed on October 8

Flowers For The Altar



In Memory Of

Mary Shaheen

By Frank

And

In Memory Of

Thomas J. Sullivan

By Robert & Mary Sullivan

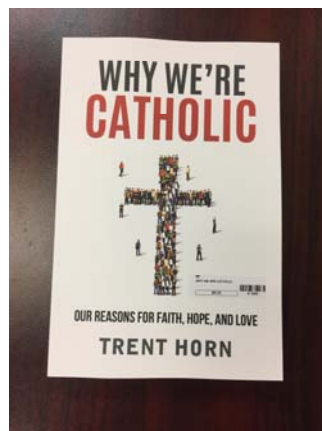
Sacramental Information

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 for a priest to visit with the Sacrament of Anointing, please do not hesitate to call us.

Gift Shop



Have you seen
this book?
We have it
(and many
others)

Deacon's Corner

Dignity by Design

Today's First Reading from Genesis, as well as the Gospel from Mark, address God's plan for man and woman, and marriage. It is specifically in these readings that we are able to begin to understand what God intends for our relationships, and it is clear that man and woman were to be co-heirs of creation, equal partners, unified in their complementarity of being man and woman, husband and wife. *As husband and wife, their natural and mutual love for one another and for God, being open to the cooperative life-giving acts of intimacy, makes them co-creators of life itself, even in those circumstances where a child is not conceived.* It is precisely in the freedom of mutual, sacramental love that a couple opens themselves to the deepest, most intimate, sacrificial, and joyous love of God. It is here, in the vulnerable, honest, and truth-filled relationship of the couple that God's beauty and goodness are revealed.

The scriptures which call us to this freedom of personhood also specifically point to that perfection of who we are in Christ, that each of us has an inherent dignity that establishes us as equals in the Kingdom of God. *It is only in recognizing this mutual dignity – shared by all since all are created in God's likeness and image – that we can exercise our full call to the Christian life.* We can oftentimes confuse our social actions with social justice, but what distinguishes between the two is human dignity. We, as Christians, see Christ in others, and it is Christ to whom our ministry is directed. We feed Christ when we feed the hungry. We console Christ when we comfort those who mourn. We visit Christ when we spend time with the sick and dying.

In short, it is because of the dignity of Christ in each other that makes our Christian acts meaningful, and we first learn about that dignity in our families. That is where the core of our understanding is first formed, where love itself is given birth through the acts of self-giving parents, two individual persons, each with their own personal dignity, but who have chosen to give themselves entirely to each other, becoming one in their love. The Holy Trinity is revealed here, and whatever good the couple accomplishes, it is done so with and through the love of God himself.

More accurately, the good we do in this world remains good, but when we do it for Jesus enlivened by his grace, our acts are made holy; they are sanctified by the one we truly and ultimately serve, Jesus Christ. Nevertheless, we cannot experience the fullness of dignity if we fail to recognize it in every created person, every precious person loved by God, from the moment of conception through natural death. "The Catholic Church proclaims that human life is sacred and that **the dignity of the human person is the foundation of a moral vision for society**. This belief is the foundation of all the principles of our social teaching." Human dignity understood in this way is the bedrock which makes all that we do have meaning. This isn't a political argument, but rather a different paradigm, which calls us to the way of love, and this way of love is truth, and this truth is life. We are all called to proclaim Jesus, to protect life, and to preach the truth in love. So, let us each take time to reflect on our own dignity and the dignity of others to see where we need to let the light of Jesus in, to dispel whatever darkness lingers, so that love may prevail in all that we say and do. May our prayers, thoughts, words, and actions be according to God's will and for his greater glory. Amen.

Deacon Rodney



New Parishioner Tour and Luncheon!

Our *New Parishioner Welcome Tour and Luncheon* has been very well received. Today is our 2nd Tour and over 60 people have attended. Our next Tour and Luncheon will be January 6. If you joined our parish in 2018 and were unable to attend previously, please feel free to call the parish office to RSVP for our next tour and luncheon.

Weekly Treasure

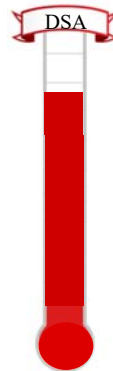
September 30	Offertory	Online Giving	Total
	Offertory	\$27,082	\$30,759
	No Second Collection		N/A
	SVDP		\$184
Attendance	2,733		

*Giving is an act of worship
in the place you worship*



Special 300 Club Halloween Party
Free to 300 Club Members....\$20 per person for non-members. Come experience our 300 Club!
Friday October 26 7:00—10 PM
Best Costume Prize
Halloween Food and Open Bar
 Tickets available in the pavilion (for non-members) on Sunday mornings after Masses on 10/7 and 10/14 only.
 (Tickets will not be sold at the door)

Diocesan Services Appeal



2018 DSA Commitment	\$200,000
Pledges and Gifts:	\$167,915
Amount Needed:	\$32,085
Donors:	378

Pumpkin Patch—Christmas Village—Christmas Festival



We have three major events happening from October through December. As in the past, these events are only successful if we have volunteers. Please, when you see these “calls for help” step up and get involved. The people chairing, co-chairing and leading committees are putting in many hours to make these events successful. They need your help. You can give a few hours or many hours; it’s up to you. But get involved and help your fellow parishioners make our events Amazing! Thanks!

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

MEET OLQA at the PUMPKIN Patch



We also need help with our scarecrow decorations

- ☐ Fall leaf garland
- ☐ Fake sunflowers (any size/type)

If you can help with the scarecrow decorations,
please contact Family Life Ministry.

Do you want to help? We need help with the following:

- ☐ Metal baking loaf pans
- ☐ **Sign up to help set up for Family Fun Day!**
- ☐ YOUR volunteer time to help sell at the patch
(see our website to sign up)
- ☐ Help unload the truck (October 13)
- ☐ Help decorate the patch
- ☐ Fall decorations
- ☐ Make the gift basket for 1st place decorated
trunk

Decorate YOUR trunk for trunk or treat on October 27

Each registered trunk gets a free

JUMBO bag of candy

Register with Lindsey Laquerre at 561-801-5504



OLQA invites you to our annual **FAMILY FUN DAY AT THE PATCH**

**TRUNK OR TREAT HALLOWEEN
COSTUME PARADE MUSIC
GAMES FOOD**

Saturday, October 27
3:00 to 7:00

ENTRANCE IS FREE!

Knights of Columbus Council #12376

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LAPS 4 LIFE

January 12, 2019

9:00 – 1:00

Cardinal Newman High School

512 Spencer Drive, West Palm Beach, FL 33409

“Laps 4 Life” is a fundraiser event to provide an ultrasound machine pro-life local pregnancy care center. These ultrasound machines provide abortion-vulnerable pregnant women a new way of viewing the life within them. As a result, thousands of mothers have decided to have their babies instead of choosing abortion.

Donate or join a team online today <https://secure.ministrsync.com/ministrsync/event/?e=16604>

Questions? Contact Jose L. Calas
(561-793-3751)





Faith Formation PREP classes for October

Wednesdays

10/17 and 10/24

5:00–6:00:

Grades 1–5 in Celebration Hall

Sundays

10/21 and 10/28

8:30–9:30 or 11:00–noon:

Grades 1–5 in Celebration Hall

4:00–5:45:

**Grades 6–9/Confirmation
in Celebration Hall**

PREP registration is now closed

Altar Flower Decorations

If you would like to remember a special person or anniversary, flowers for the altar are available for the following dates:



November 18
November 25

The cost is \$30



Bereavement Group

Have you recently lost a loved one?

Please join us for an evening of understanding.
We meet twice a month on Tuesday evenings at 6:30.
Bereavement Group will meet again on:



October 9
October 23



HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP
Come join us and bring a friend!

Dates for Meetings

October 7
October 14
October 21
October 28

7:00–9:00 in Celebration Hall

LAST WEEK!



Boxes are to be picked up and dropped off in the
Gift Shop by October 10

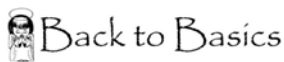
Come join the
Council of Catholic Women

at our monthly meeting on:
Saturday, October 13

At 2:00 in Festival Hall

Beverly Perham from Back to Basics will be our
guest speaker.

Hope to see you there!



Children's Choir practice
starts **THIS MONDAY**
October 8

5:00 to 5:30 for Cherub Choir
Grades kindergarten through 2

5:30 to 6:30 for Youth Choir
Grades 3 through 8



Hispanic Heritage Night Dance & Dinner

**Our Lady Queen of the Apostles
Celebration Hall
Saturday, October 13
7:00 to midnight**

\$20 adults \$10 children under 10 yrs.
For More Information: 561-792-7476
or 561-252-0003
Cash Bar - Semiformal



(No Coolers Allowed)

2018 Divine Mercy Conference





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Respect Life Sunday 2018

Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord:

Every year, the month of October is used to inaugurate the Respect Life Program of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops and is designated as Respect Life Month. Since we are already in the fall season, October reminds us of the seasons of nature which reflect the seasons of life. We are graced with life from the moment of conception in our mother's womb and our lives experience changes and growth until our passing from this world. Life is a gift from God and it is sacred at every moment and stage of its existence.

The theme for this year's Respect Life Program is *Every Life – Cherish, Chosen, Sent*. The theme speaks to us of the inherent dignity and value of every person no matter his or her background, race, sex, abilities, disabilities, merits or failures. Pope Francis has reminded us this year of the fundamental right to life of every person at every stage by his reiterating the teaching of St. John Paul II and Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI that the death penalty is no longer an admissible alternative to the protection of life in modern society. Every life is a reflection of a participation in the very life of the Creator.

We encounter so many signs of a lack of respect for life in our world today from the taking of innocent life through abortion to attempts at terminating the lives of the elderly, sick and infirm under the guise of the enhancement of life. As men and women of faith in God, we recognize the right to life of every human being made in His image and likeness and recommit ourselves to cherishing and protecting that life at every stage.

In a particular way, we also recommit ourselves to do all that we can to prohibit legalized abortion within society and to provide loving alternatives to it which respect both the life of the child and its mother. The legalization of abortion in our nation has put us on a slippery slope which cedes respect for life at every stage. As Pope Francis so poignantly stated this year in his Apostolic Exhortation on holiness, *Gaudete et Exsultate*, "Our defense of the innocent unborn ... needs to be clear, firm and passionate, for at stake is the dignity of a human life, which is always sacred and demands love for each person, regardless of his or her stage of development."

Let us, during this Respect Life Month of October and in the coming months, continue our efforts to respect life as we realize that every life is cherished, chosen and sent. I am deeply edified by and grateful for all that you do and for all of your prayers in the most important matter of encouraging respect for life.

With every prayerful wish, I am

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Gerald M. Barbarito
Bishop of Palm Beach

Ministerio Hispano

XXVII Domingo: Cuida a tu familia

El Evangelio de esta semana trata del siempre difícil y siempre actual problema del divorcio. La prueba de su dificultad está en que los fariseos se lo plantearon a Jesús “para ponerlo a prueba”. Sabían de la misericordia del Señor y buscaban ponerle en un aprieto, teniendo que decidir entre el complacer a los que buscan en el divorcio una solución a su fracaso matrimonial y el respeto a la ley divina. Jesús da una sentencia que no deja lugar a dudas: “Lo que Dios ha unido, que no lo separe el hombre”. Pero no se conforma con eso. Antes, incluso, de afirmar esa defensa rotunda del vínculo matrimonial habla del amor, que se manifiesta en que los dos, la esposa y el esposo, llegan a ser una sola carne. De eso, precisamente, se tratará esta semana: de fomentar todo aquello que contribuye al amor, que favorece el amor. Las rupturas matrimoniales no llegan como por encanto, sino que se van gestando poco a poco. Antes de la ruptura definitiva hay mil pequeños desencuentros cotidianos. Es como si una gruesa sogá formada por mil hebras de hilo fuera deshaciéndose hasta que ya no queda nada más que una fina unión que se rompe con un último golpe. Se trata, pues, de aplicar una medicina preventiva. Se trata de creer en el matrimonio, tanto desde el punto de vista social como desde el sacramental. Y porque se cree en el valor del matrimonio para toda la vida y en el valor de la familia es por lo que merece la pena sacrificarse por ellos. Sin olvidar que si bien la familia tiene un precio, el divorcio y la ruptura tiene otro, que suele ser más caro.

XXVIII Domingo Ordinario (13 de octubre)

Primera lectura: Sabiduría 7: 7-11

Segunda lectura: Hebreos 4: 12-13

Evangelio Marcos 10: 17-30

Santo Rosario : sábados a las 5:30 pm antes de la Santa Misa en el salón de los niños

Grupo de Oración Carismático: se reúnen todos los jueves a las 7 pm salón Mateo. Informes: Rocío 561-379-9986

Visita a los hogares de la Virgen Peregrina informes: Rocío 561-379-9986

Damas Católicas en Acción: se reúnen el tercer miércoles de cada mes a las 7 pm salón Mark. Informes: Grace 561-312-6528

Devoción al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús, primer viernes de cada mes , hora 7 pm, informes: Alsacia: 561-792-7476

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana y Bautismos de infantes informes: Areani 561-319-5585

Baile para celebrar la HISPANIDAD

Sábado 13 de octubre

Hora: 7:00 pm hasta la medianoche

Valor de la entrada:

adultos \$ 20

niños menores de 10 años \$10

Informes: 792-7476

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