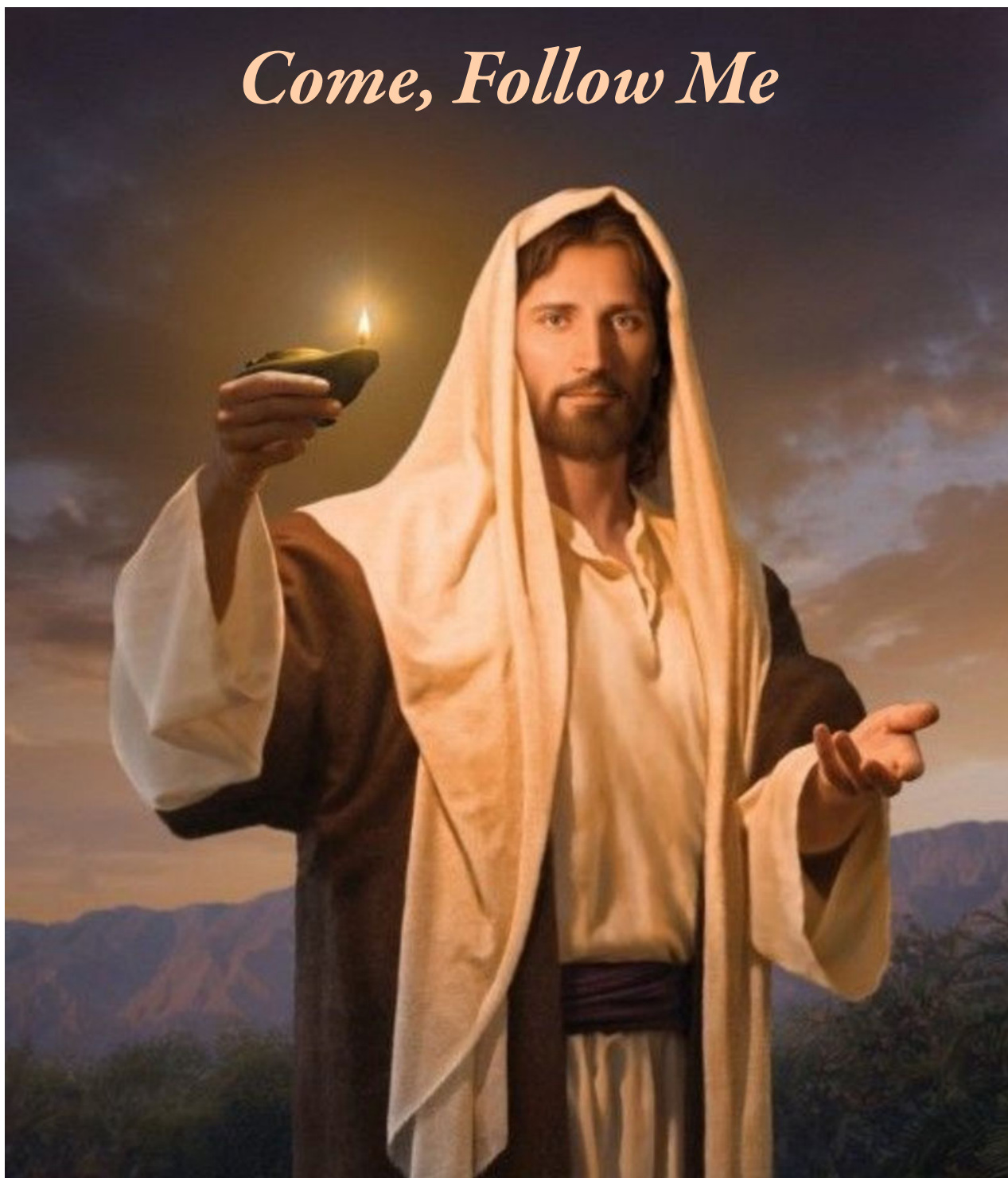




Our Lady Queen of the Apostles

Strengthened by FAITH & Living in HOPE & Serving with LOVE

Come, Follow Me



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	James Duemig
Director of Religious Ed.	Laura Schroeder
Director of Music	Mauricio Leguizamon
Bookkeeper	Chris Winters
Administrative Assistant	Sharyn Garcia
Receptionist/Office Assistant	Arline Laquerre
Facilities Manager	Rick Busch
Parish Maintenance	Tom Schmidt
	Ryan Winters
	Nick DeLapi
Youth Music Director	Mindy Simpson

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

JANUARY 13

+ Robert Brown

by his wife, Elinor

+ Silvia y Gregorio Sobrino

by Familia Sobrino

JANUARY 14

+ John Barry

by Mike & Pam Rein

+ Peter Gemble

by Rose Zexter

+ Michael Maccarrone

by Molly & Mac

+ For Our Parishioners

JANUARY 15

+ Brandon Guinn

by Tom & Pat Lazarus

JANUARY 16

+ Alan Dixon

by Patricia & Ronnie Milone

JANUARY 17

+ Christopher Cojocar

by Nick & Mary Alessandria

JANUARY 18

+ Sami Mukhar

by Dr. & Mrs. Peter Ajluni

JANUARY 19

+ Keith Kibbons

by Grandma & Grandpa Skelly

Multiple Intentions

JANUARY 20

+ Donald Krpan

by Dr. & Mrs. Peter Ajluni

+ Tommy Cangelosi

by Mom & Dad

50th Wedding Anniversary of

Pepe & Conchita Diaz

by the family

JANUARY 21

+ For Our Parishioners

+ Gaspere Trentacoste

by Nick & Mary Alessandria

+ Theresa Fraumeni

by Antoinette Schor

+ En honor a Nuestra Senora

de la Altagracia

by Alsacia & John Sakellis

Readings for the Week

January 15: 1 Sm. 15:16-23; Mk. 2:18-22

January 16: 1 Sm. 16:1-13; Mk. 2:23-28

January 17: 1 Sm. 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Mk. 3:1-6

January 18: 1 Sm. 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Mk. 3:7-12

January 19: 1 Sm. 24:3-21; Mk. 3:13-19

January 20: 2 Sm. 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27;
Mk. 3:20-21

January 21: Jon. 3:1-5, 10; 1 Cor. 7:29-31;
Mk. 1:14-20

Parish Events Calendar

January 14

Youth Group in Hall at 7PM
Cuban Sandwich Sale after all Masses

January 15 - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

The office is closed

January 16

Queens of Talent in Festival Hall at 1PM
School of Christian Formation in Festival Hall at 7PM
RCIA in Luke/John Classroom at 7:30PM
Spanish Choir in Cry Room at 7:30PM
11:30 Choir Practice in Choir Loft at 7:30PM

January 17 - St. Anthony, Abbot

K of C Spaghetti Dinner in Celebration Hall at 5 PM
9:45 Choir Practice in the Church at 7PM
DCA in Mark Classroom at 7PM

January 18

Divine Mercy Prayer Grp 8:30AM in Church
Rosary Makers in Luke/John at 12:00 Noon
Lay Apostles in Luke Classroom at 6PM
Spanish Prayer Group in Matthew Class at 7PM
6PM Band Practice in Church at 7PM
Bible Study in the Hall at 7PM

January 19

Children's Choir in Church at 5:30PM
300 Club in Celebration Hall at 7PM

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.

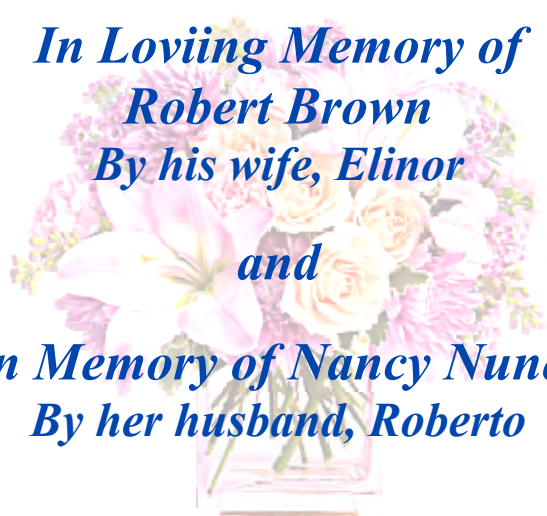
Sick and Homebound: We are blessed to have a group of volunteers in our parish who are happy to bring Holy Communion to the sick, the hospitalized and the homebound. Please call the parish office to make arrangements. If you or your loved one would like for a priest to visit with the Sacrament of Anointing, please do not hesitate to call us.

Flowers For The Altar

*In Loving Memory of
Robert Brown
By his wife, Elinor*

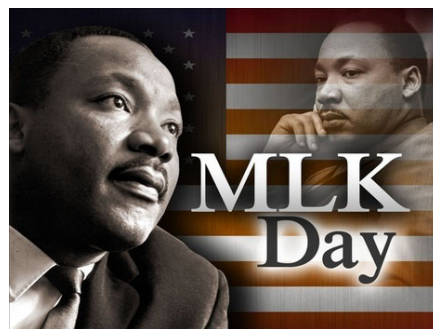
and

*In Memory of Nancy Nunez
By her husband, Roberto*



Please Note

The parish office will be closed on January 15th in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.



Deacon's Corner

Are You Listening?

Several weeks ago I was on a fairly well known college campus looking for the main library. It was a regular class day, so the campus was full of students walking with purpose in every direction. I couldn't locate a map, so I decided to simply ask a student for the location, but I was amazed that nearly every student I tried to speak with had their cell phone in hand and was wearing either ear buds or headphones, preventing them from hearing my question. Most of the students seemed consumed in the world of their phones, and I found myself asking whether we are becoming a world that is unwilling or unable to listen to what's happening around us. Are we so preoccupied with the music, the podcasts, or the YouTube videos that we're giving up interacting with others or being available to others? Are we so obsessed, listening to tons of Internet content, that we can no longer function without it?

This past week, the White House announced that personal cell phones will be banned in the West Wing. There has been a significant response, with most people expressing outrage, frustration, and even anger. Imagine if you had no access to your cell phone for the next 24 hours. How would life change? I know of a group that regularly eats lunch together, and they have a "policy" that whoever is first to use their phone has to buy lunch for everyone else – seems like a great policy to me.

The point isn't to rant against cell phones, but we've become so saturated with sound that it is becoming impossible to hear, to really listen to what's important around us. It may be that our child is trying to speak with us while we aimlessly surf the net, or that a colleague or friend is struggling with home life, wanting to make a human connection and talk, but we're listening to the latest meme instead. Perhaps, as it's related to today's readings, it may also be that God is calling to us, but we've saturated our lives with so much other stuff that we've essentially made ourselves unavailable for an encounter.

We hear in all three readings today, that God is calling us. God is calling us to follow him, to "come and see" where he abides, to get to know him, to listen to him. And it is clear in the readings that God uses other people, whether it is Eli helping Samuel, or John the Baptist pointing out Jesus to the newly-called disciples. But in each case, those called were available. They were listening. They were open to hearing the words of God, whether from God himself or through his messengers. They weren't so engrossed in the distractions of the day, so they could respond, "Here I am, Lord."

Perhaps we could set our own policies in life that would help us to be available to God and neighbor. Here I am, completely, undistracted, tuned in, and engaged. Here are some suggested limitations for when we use our electronic devices:

No cell phone during meals.

No cell phones during the first hour we get home and greet everyone.

No electronic devices 1 hour before bed or the first hour in the morning.

And then, as a positive effort on our part, perhaps we can spend just 10 minutes of absolute quiet time with God each day, time with no books and no electronics, just silence in the presence of God. It doesn't have to be fancy or formalized. As we are reminded in today's Second Reading, we are the Temples of the Holy Spirit. Yes, we are sanctified by God's very presence in us, so let's recognize that presence with a little peace.

New Years Resolutions...

This is the time of year that we look at ourselves and contemplate changes that we want to make, or things we want to follow through on that. You know... quit smoking, lose weight, save more money, take that vacation we dreamed of and many more. All great things and all things we surely want to accomplish. But what about our Spiritual lives....do we stop to think about our "Spiritual Resolutions"? Maybe it's to visit the Blessed Sacrament once a month, or to begin (if you don't already) saying grace and thanking our Lord before meals. Maybe it's volunteering at your parish or community. There are so many great things we can accomplish in 2108; let's make this our **Best Year Ever!**

Our staff member available this week in the pavilion will be Jim Duemig. Please see Jim if you have any questions

Weekly Treasure

January 7	Offertory	On-Line	Total
Offertory	\$18,917	\$4,066	\$23,200
Debt Reduction	\$1,866		\$1,866
SVDP			\$210
Attendance	2,061		

MULTI-MEDIA MINISTRY NEEDS YOU!

We are dire need of volunteers to join our Multi-Media Ministry. Our primary need is for presenters who would be willing to run the prepared program during Mass from the Choir Loft via our PC. You do not need extensive computer knowledge to assist in this ministry and training will be available. If you would consider joining this Liturgical Ministry or simply want more information, please call Marianne Duemig at 561-722-5111. We need you!

Diocesan Services Appeal



2017 DSA Commitment	\$200,000
Pledges and Gifts:	\$157,031
Amount Needed:	\$42,969
Donors:	369



The Pilgrim Virgin Statue of **OUR LADY OF FATIMA**

**Will be presented at the South Florida Fair,
January 12 – January 28, 2018**

While you are enjoying time at the South Florida Fair we invite you to stop and pay homage to Our Lady of Fatima, **Building 10, Space 33 (immediately next to our Right to Life Booth)**. A beautiful life size hand carved statue made in Fatima and blessed by Bishop John Venancio of Fatima will be on display.

Volunteers are needed to help staff the booth as an effort to evangelize our Catholic faith and to spread devotion to Our Blessed Mother. Please call Tom and Charlene Sherry: **561-308-7426** or email: pgachar@bellsouth.net

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

PREP News

There will be no PREP this week, January 15th-18th.

Confirmation Students:

- We will be attending the 6PM Mass on Sunday, January 21st. Please wear your retreat shirt!
- Sponsor forms and Saint essays are past due. Please turn those in ASAP if you haven't already!!

First Communion Parents:

If you have not received your packet of important information regarding First Holy Communion, please contact Miss Laura ASAP at lauras@olqa.cc or at (561)798-5661 ext. 109

300 Club

Chinese New Year
The Year Of The Dog

Refreshments and "Chinese Food"

Celebrate with
Our Lady Queen of the Apostles

Friday, January 19, 2018
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM



**Interested
in joining?**

Contact Chris at
chrisw@olqa.cc
or 798-5661 ext. 103

Gift Shop

Come and see the large
selection of
children's books



OLQA Annual Parish Picnic

Our Annual Parish Picnic will be on
Sunday, April 29, 2018.

We are forming a committee to help
plan the picnic.

If you would like to volunteer, please
call Mindy Simpson at
561-723-9523.



Bereavement Group

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

Our next meetings will be on:

January 23rd



Bible Study

Studies in the Scriptures -
The Gospel of Matthew

Thursdays, 7:00—8:30PM

We hope to see you there...

...and remember, feel free to bring
a treat!



Holy Land Inquiry Meeting

**Saturday, January 27th
11AM**

in Celebration Hall

**Flyers are available in the parish
office and the Gift Shop**

Pilgrimage is October 16-26, 2018



The Knights of Columbus Spaghetti Dinner

All are invited to join us on Wednesday January 17th in Celebration Hall
from 5:00-7:00 PM for a sit-down Spaghetti dinner

Prices are:

Adults \$8:00

Children \$4.00

Family \$22.00

Menu items include choice of red or alfredo sauce, salad, meatballs, drink, and
dessert.

Tickets sold at the door.



World Day for Consecrated Life

February 4, 2018

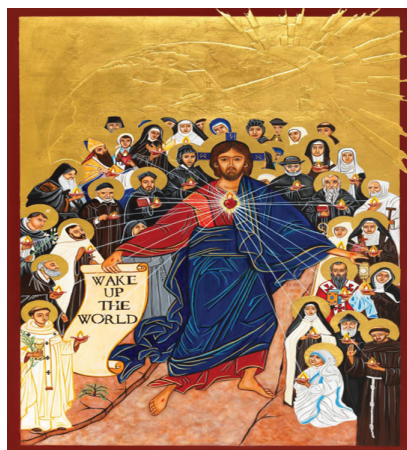
Holy Hour and Benediction

2:30 p.m. Mary Immaculate Church

Bishop Gerald M. Barbarito – Presider

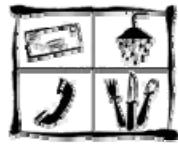
We look forward to having you join us. Please let us know if you will be coming so that we may adequately
prepare for the Holy Hour and the Reception to follow.

Please email Sister Joan Dawson, OSF at jdawson@diocesepb.org or call 561-775-9554. Thank you.



CCW NEWS

Did you know that St. Ann Place is an outreach center for services to homeless women and men?



St. Ann Place
HOMELESS OUTREACH CENTER
FOR MEN & WOMEN

*Join us on Saturday
January 20, 2018
at 2:00PM
in Festival Hall
to learn more about this
amazing organization and all that they do.*

Please bring some deodorant to donate!

2017 Tax Statement

If you would like to receive a statement of your 2017 donations, please call Chris at 798-5661 ext.103 or email ChrisW@olqa.cc.



Are You Interested...

We are looking to increase our group of sacristans. Under the general direction of the celebrant, sacristans undertake the overall preparation of the Mass.

For more details or if you are interested in this ministry, please contact Bert Lancot at 561-308-7563.



ACTIVIDADES DE LA COMUNIDAD HISPANA

La Escuela de formación Cristiana continúa sus clases con el curso

"Nuevo Testamento"

Hora: 7:00 - 9:00 pm

Fechas: enero 9, 16, 23, 30 y febrero 6 y 13

Lugar: Festival Hall

II Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario(13 de enero)

Las lecturas de este domingo podrían resumirse en dos palabras: llamada y seguimiento. Dios llama a Samuel y Jesús a sus discípulos. En ambos casos aparece un personaje que indica la identidad del que llama: Elí sabe que se trata de Dios y Juan Bautista indica quién es Jesús. El salmo y Pablo dan pistas de por dónde ha de ir la respuesta a esa llamada: el ofrecimiento de la propia vida.

III Domingo Ordinario (20 de enero)

Primera Lectura: Jonás 3:1-5,10

Segunda Lectura: 1 Corintios 7:29-31

Evangelio: Marcos 1:14-20

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 561379 9986

Visita a los hogares de la Virgen Peregrina
informes: Rocío 561-3799986

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: 561-7927476

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana y Bautismos de infantes informes: Areani 561-3195585

Para ti hermano:

Ministerio quiere decir servicio. Así como Cristo no vino a ser servido sino a **Servir** Mt 20,28. Los ministerios existen para el bien y el servicio a la comunidad, por voluntad de Cristo. Si escuchas el llamado a servir, comunícate.

Alsacia 792-7476

