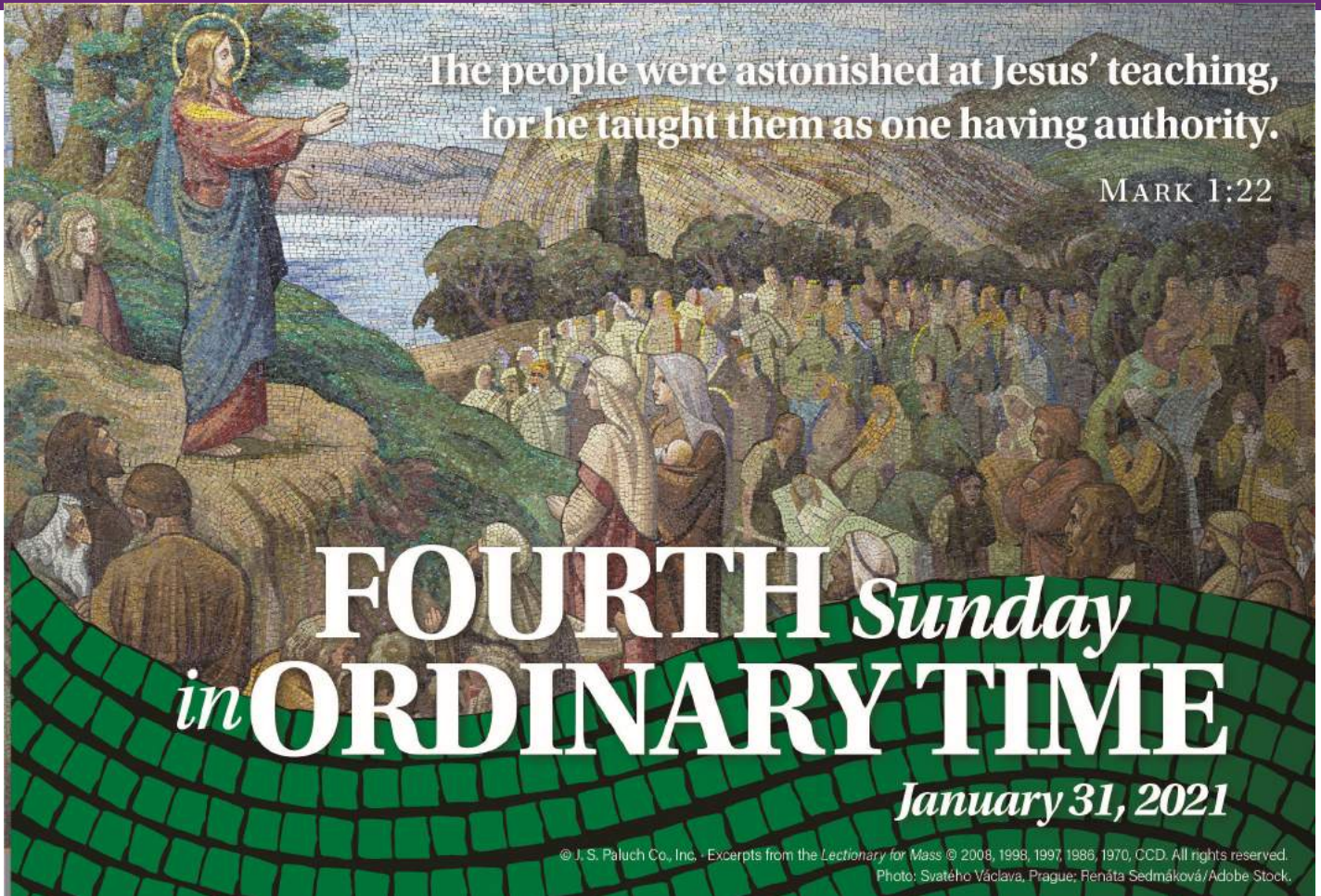


Mission: To be a Community of disciples,
Called to walk the way of Christ Jesus in our home, in our church, and in our society
through
Witness, Word, Worship, Welcome

Gospel Living in the Catholic Tradition!



The people were astonished at Jesus' teaching,
for he taught them as one having authority.

MARK 1:22


FOURTH Sunday
in **ORDINARY TIME**

January 31, 2021

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"Discernment is not about discovering what more we can get out of this life, but about recognizing how we can better accomplish the mission entrusted to us at our baptism."
Pope Francis

saint snippets



After Christ's example,
I forgive my persecutors.

St. Paul Miki
16th-century Japanese Jesuit seminarian who was arrested and crucified because of his faith

February 6

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OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
5950 State Road 16 / World Golf Village, Saint Augustine, FL. 32092-062650
Parish Office Phone: 904-824-8688 www.olgc-church.org

OLGC ANNOUNCEMENTS & INFORMATION

New Members and Guests: WELCOME!

For those considering membership, parish registration forms are located on the wall of the Church entrance.

In the spirit of discipleship, our ministries booklet is available, please ask any staff member. Our website at www.olgc-church.org offers a tremendous amount of information on the parish and the Diocese.

Like us on Facebook. See website for link.



OLGC has its own parish cemetery for in-ground burial. For cremation, we also provide a beautiful columbarium adorned with a statue of Michelangelo's "Pieta". Parishioners have also built a new altar in the cemetery for Memorial Masses. Information is available at the Parish Office regarding rates and policies. Please call [904-824-8688](tel:904-824-8688).



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Head of the Church: The Glorified Christ Pastor: Rev. Guy Francis Noonan, S.T.D. Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil:	4:00 pm
Sunday:	8:00 am, 10:00 am, Noon
Weekdays:	M,W,Th,F: 8:15 am; Tu 7 pm
Confessions:	Saturday: 3:15 – 3:45 pm

OLGC Parish Staff:

Pastor:	Rev. Guy Francis Noonan noonan.guy@gmail.com
Cell phone #:	904-599-2540
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Maintenance Supervisor:	Thomas L. Kissell tkissell@live.com
Cell phone #	816-456-6193

OLGC Parish Office:

Telephone:	904-824-8688
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Tuesday – Friday:	9:00 am – 4:00 pm
Bulletin Editor:	Jeanne T. Vecchione
Bulletin E-mail:	bulletinolgc@gmail.com
Bulletin deadline:	Mondays by 3 pm

Daily Mass reading: www.usccb.org/nab

Pray Rosary before OLGC Mass:
Sat.: 3:30 pm; Sunday: 7:25 am

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

TODAY'S READINGS: January 31, 2021
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
First Reading — Moses spoke to all the people, saying: "A prophet like me will the LORD, your God, raise up for you" (Deuteronomy 18:15-20).
Psalm — If today you hear His voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 95).
Second Reading — Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties (1 Corinthians 7:32-35).
Gospel — The people were astonished at Jesus' teaching; He taught them as one having authority (Mark 1:21-28).
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In your prayers, remember our families and friends in need:



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| Anonymous Intentions
Jackson Abernathy
Lee Ackley
Rita Allen
Kenny Anderle & Family
Willis Anderson
James & Sue Andrews
Celia Arizmendez & Family
Ronald Arwood
Rick Barry
Bessie Beach
Douglas Becker
Mary Ann Bell
Mike & Diana Billing
Paul Blanchette
Celine Blumette
Gina Blumette
Nicholas Blumette
Patricia Blumette
Nick Boyett
James Brogan
Jesse & Carolyn Burrier & Family
Dennis & Elaine Campbell
Barbara Capuano
Eileen Carregal
Kicky Carregal
Carmine Joseph Cavallo
Keith Chase
Cook-Maranville Family
Melissa Crawford
Brenda S. Cummings
Evan Cumpston
Edie Curtis
Homer & Shirley Dabbs & Family
Elizabeth Davey
Cyrus Davis
Greg Davis
James & Paula V. De Voto
Pamela Kassandra De Voto
Louis Diotte
Thomas Donato
Eamie & Nora Earnhardt
Ginger Eddy
Laurie Fiorigolo
Rae Fitzgerald
Will Flewelling
Luke Franckhauser
Bishop Victor Galeone
Francisca Geisler
Angelo Giannettino, Sr
Karen Gibaldi
Joanne Gibson
Rev. John Gillespie
John Glennon
Megan Glennon | MaryAnn Glorioso
Rose Gorke
Didi Gravenstein Family
Allen L. Gray
Joyce Gray
Judi Greenhut
Rene Joaquin Guzman
Elizabeth Hallman
Daniel Harford
Terry Jo Harford
Lilly Harp
Allison Hayden
Diane Hayden
Chris Heath
Charles Hemsoth
Summer & Ellie Herring
Walker Hodges
Dawn Horgan
Linda Hunter
Mike Hurnavich
Laan Johannes
Virginia M. Johnson
Joe Kaub
Barbara Kennedy
Angie Kern
Edward LaMontagne
Sharon Lea
John Leathers
Harvey & Lena Lednick & Family
Lucas Lekule
Mary Lepore
Dee Linkletter
Thomas Lutton
Joe Malandrucco
Br. Pio Maria K.H.E.
Ricky Marta
Diane Matusiak
Serita Maxwell
Michael Mazur
Tom & Anne McKeon
Ann Medlin
Nani Morgan
Bill & Jane Mullen
Rev. Guy F. Noonan
Paul Norris
Doug Olberding
Joan O'Leary
Harold Olsen
Melba Pagliaro
Richie Pagliaro
Jackie Parker
Beverly Parr
Ted Parzyjagla
Mike Piluso
Louise Prader
Luke Prader
Shannon Prader | Amy May Reynolds
Charlie & Linda Riess
J C & Randy Riess & Family
Steven Roach
Billy Rosenbaum
Graciela Russ
Sally Russ
Elizabeth Fields Russom
Sally
Tony Santacasa
Carol Schneider
Jim Schupbach
Viola Shayo
Janice Sheeder
Ronald & Deliah Silvia and Family
Greg Slovacek
Maureen Smith
Bob & Kathy Smoot
Sue Soloway
Robert Soucy
Joe Spiess
Patricia Stamford
Joe Streeter
Charles D. Stubbs, Jr.
Baby Angel Taylor
Ron, Megan & Baby Syiah Nicole Torio
Marietta Vasquez
John Vecchione
Maria Edith Velasquez
Hector Velazquez
Dustin Vickers
Michael Anthony Vidan
Todd & Lisa Wagner & Family
Tammy Walker
Thomas Walsh
Gloria Walulik
Sara Weaver
Jenny Weibel
Melissa Wilson
Alba Wise
Dr. William O. Witt
Banks Wozniak (age 5)
Pete Zias
David, Rosemary, & Alisa Zimmer |
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DIAPER DRIVE
 St Gerard Needs Diapers
 Please Donate – All Sizes Needed
 Place in crib near pulpit

Mass Intentions For The Week

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| January 30 Saturday, 4 pm, Vigil Mass | Al Balcerak ✠
Requested by Maureen Cammareri and Nicholas & Inez Auguste
Requested by the Pickard Family |
| January 31 Sunday 8 am | Ray Neault ✠
Req. by Mickey & Donna Blay |
| January 31 Sunday 10 am | Jennifer Madridejis ✠
Requested by Aida Mateo |
| January 31 Sunday 12 Noon | Pro Populo (For the Parishioners) |
| February 01 Monday 8:15 am | Marsha Wozniak ✠
Req. by Mike & Terri Wozniak |
| February 02 Tuesday 7 pm | Michael Barry ✠
Requested by Kay Barry |
| February 03 Wednesday 8:15 am | Deacon Tony Mouzon ✠
Requested by Ruth Mallett |
| February 04 Thursday 8:15 am | Anna Jean Halloran McDonald ✠
Req. by Keith & Renee Kirker |
| February 05 Friday 8:15 am | Sue Anderle ✠
Requested by A. J. Anderle |

**To have your loved one listed for 3 months, please send your prayer requests to A. J. Anderle at marineman150@bellsouth.net or 904-484-6428. As a courtesy, please notify A. J. Anderle when the name can be removed or if you wish to have the name continued.
Be sure to get the person's permission first!**

CALLING ALL VETERANS
Veterans Support Group Meeting
Thursday, February 11, 2021

February 11th, 2021, Thursday evening at the OLG Church, Pods 1 & 2. Socially distanced tables/chairs. Masks required. Join us at 6:30 pm for a light dinner of soup and bread with drinks and cookies. The annual Vets Group Business Meeting will follow at 7:00 pm. A review of the 2021 Vets agenda and new programs such as the **Troops Support Project, Honor Flights** and **VA Home Visitation** will be introduced.

Veterans and family members are encouraged to attend. Contact is Ed Moitoza @ 501-1326.



OLGC Resale Boutique

The Boutique has been a wonderful way to raise funds for the church as well as recycling goods.

Boutique opened in February 2015 and we have enjoyed great camaraderie with our

terrific volunteers and wonderful customers! The Boutique has raised over \$100,000 in the 5 years of operation.

Everything will be **1/2 price for the month of February with a big tent sale.**

Boutique will be open Friday, February 5th and Saturday, February 6th from 9 am to 3pm.

Please come see us, say HELLO and take home some bargains! Thank you for your support!

Location: 5005 Church Road (from Pacetti Road), just 5.2 miles from the OLG main church.



Let us stay connected and closer in touch with one another and our OLG Parish.

Please sign up for monthly OLG Parish email blasts from the Communications Committee and Pastor, Father Guy Francis Noonan.

Subscribe at <https://olgc-church.org/subscribe>



OLGC Parish Jam Session
Bring your instruments

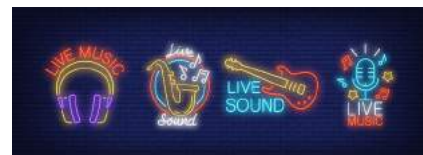
Saturday,

January 30, 2021

Starts at 5:30 pm

Everyone is invited

NO ADMISSION FEE



Effective now, the entire church building including the OLG offices will be sanitized twice a week. This process will occur between the hours of **9:00 pm and 6:00 am**. During this period of time NO ONE is allowed in the OLG church building.

With the increase in COVID cases and the new strain of virus found in Florida, the decision was made to increase our sanitizing efforts. In order to do that, we need to make sure the building is free for sanitation during these hours...that means no humans in the building! Thank you for your cooperation in this matter and for all you do to make our parish the safe & healthy place it has been during these trying times.

2021 Bishop's Annual Stewardship Appeal

Our Bishop's Annual Stewardship Appeal (BASA) is now underway. You may have already received a mailing from Bishop Estévez, asking for your support and participation. Please prayerfully consider a pledge to the Appeal using the response card mailed to you or by completing a commitment envelope at Mass the weekend of February 13-14.

Our annual theme, **"One Faith, One Family"** reminds us that our faith community is made up of a network of parishes. Bishop Estévez invites each of us to join together in support of the beautiful mission of our Church, as we are all called to be good stewards of what we have been gifted with. Please prayerfully respond to this year's Annual Appeal with a gift of any amount.

The generosity expressed through this critical effort has been so inspiring, especially in a year that has seen so much need.



eGiving with Faith Direct:

In May of 2020, OLG Parish introduced Faith Direct eGiving. Faith direct, by debiting your checking/savings account or credit/debit cards will make your offering to Our Lady of Good Counsel. The program has been a success, especially during the COVID Pandemic. In addition, it is a very convenient method for making your offering. For example, there are no checks to write; envelopes to use; it can be programmed to be automatic for a quarterly, monthly or weekly gift; make your offering even when on vacation.

It is easy to enroll:

Just go online to <https://membership.faithdirect.net/enroll/FL1062>

This site is the enrollment page, and it is here that you can enroll to setup your offering for: regular collection, Holy Days, one time gifts and non-parochial collections. If you do have questions, feel free to contact the Parish Office at 904-824-8688.



Online Banking

An alternative option for OLG parishioners is to go online to your bank for an electronic bank check to be mailed (the bank actually sends a check drawn on your account to OLG).

This method is currently being used by many parishioners. You can make it an automatic transaction with your bank to send your offering via a bank check either weekly or monthly. By using this method of payment, your offering will be received automatically, even if you are on vacation or unable to attend Mass.

Please provide your OLG Parish envelope number to the bank when setting up your transaction.

We served 104 families in November and 90 in December!

This is about double what we had seen before COVID-19.

Although this was an extremely challenging year our incredibly generous donors and resourceful volunteers allowed us to serve all who came to our food pantry.



2020 was our largest year to date, distributing over 55,000 pounds of food and \$1,940 in gift cards for what "Feeding America" estimates is over \$100,000 in local economic impact.

Thank you everyone, for your past and continued support, as we may see even more opportunity to help our food insecure neighbors in the new year.

Our most urgent needs remain:

Peanut Butter (exceptionally low)

(16 — 18 oz plastic jars)

and

Canned Vegetables

(15 oz cans)

Please: NO GLASS and only unopened containers.

Your monetary support is also welcome in the form of a check made out to:

OLGC (MEMO: Food Pantry)



Pantry Dates:

Tuesday: 5 pm to 7 pm, Feb. 16; March 16

Saturday: 10 am to Noon, Feb. 20; March 20

Thank you for your continued support as we nourish the hungry.

FEAST OF FAITH I Confess:

One form of the penitential rite at the beginning of Mass is the traditional Confiteor, or "I confess," a prayer that was formerly prayed by the priest alone at the foot of the altar, but which is now prayed by the entire assembly. The Confiteor is at once personal—"I confess"—and communal, prayed aloud, together. We recognize that sin does not just separate us from God; sin comes between us and others, isolating us. We acknowledge that sin has many dimensions, individual and communal: sins of thought, sins of speech, sins of action, sins of omission. Sin is not something that happens to us; sin is something we do. In the Confiteor, we take responsibility for our own actions. The repeated insistence on our "fault," with the ritual gesture of striking the breast, an ancient sign of penitence, is not meant to lower our self-esteem. Rather, it acknowledges our human instinct to transfer the blame whenever we can ("The devil made me do it!"). This prayer stops us short. We take responsibility for ourselves, our actions, our failure to act. Then we cry out to God in those ancient words, Kyrie, eleison—Lord, have mercy. For the sinner who repents, there is mercy. This truth is at the heart of our faith, and it is where the Mass, our feast of faith, begins.

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PASTORAL SERVICES/MINISTRIES

*Altar Servers: Barbara Decker-Lenahan OLGCMinistryScheduler@gmail.com

American Heritage Girls (AHG) *FL Troop 0426 Scouting, 1st & 3rd Tuesdays 6 pm to 8 pm*

Coordinator: Meagan O'Neill 904-505-6968 follybeachmom@gmail.com

Vice-Coordinator: Maggie Dula mvdula@sbcglobal.net

Bereavement – Liturgical: Susan M. Waud 904-824-8688 olgc.susie@gmail.com

Bible Study: Claude Fiori 904-377-3378 claudef@fiorifamily.com

Bible Study Fellowship for Women: "Walking With Purpose" meets Wednesdays

Stephanie Hardin 386-237-5907 stephardin@gmail.com and

Fran Singer 757-270-4159 fmsinger@icloud.com

Boutique: *First Friday & Saturday, 9 am to 3 pm* Lydia Wagner 940-6967

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) at Sunday 10 am Mass

Jeff Young 904-237-0675 young31458@bellsouth.net

Church Cleaning, cleans Saturdays from 7:30 am to 9 am

Ed Wagner 904-940-6967 edwags@gmail.com

Communications Committee: Rick Jarvis 687-3202 rick.jarvis@gmail.com

Dining with Dignity: *4th Monday early evening, downtown St. Augustine*

Debbie Troehler 940-8890 troehldk@yahoo.com

Eucharistic Adoration: *First Friday 7 pm to 8 pm*

Rev. Arbogast L. Lekule 904-824-8688 frarboolgc@gmail.com

***Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharist:**

Barbara Decker-Lenahan OLGCMinistryScheduler@gmail.com

Fall Festiv' All & Car Show: *Cancelled in 2020 due to COVID-19 pandemic*

Rick Jarvis 904-687-3202 rick.jarvis@gmail.com

Mark Youngclaus 732-703-4222 MGY5261@gmail.com

Family Rosary meets the 3rd Sunday at 4:30 pm at Hisrich home

Richard & Sondra Hisrich 904-252-4577 rhisr@yahoo.com

Food Drives (Catholic Charities): *semi-annual, late Fall & late Spring*

904-824-8688

Food Pantry: Mary Ellen Davidson 904-868-9804 Maryellen.davidson@yahoo.com

"400 Club": Marvin Sindel 904-318-1926 marvinsindel@att.net

Garden Ministry: Mindy Benedict 904-318-4328 MBtheRD@gmail.com

Golf Tournament: Adam Larsen 779-456-0960

Grief Support: *meets on Tuesdays 2 pm to 3 pm*

Maureen Cammareri 904-325-2654 cammaan@aol.com

Haiti Mission Project: Nancy Harvey nancymharvey@bellsouth.net

and Greg Hemsoth ghemsoth@comcast.net

Homeless Children Initiative (St. Johns County Schools):

Jorge Bertran 904-599-7447 olgc.jorge@gmail.com

Hospitality: Ruth Mallett 904-797-5059 mruth19439@bellsouth.net

Human Life and Dignity (Respect Life): *meets the 3rd Tuesday at 4 pm*

Regina Jean Fields 913-940-4933 tedreginafields@yahoo.com

Ladies' Guild *meets the 1st Tuesday at 6:30 pm*

Betty Banks 904-377-5763 banksbetty1964@gmail.com

***Lectors:** Barbara Decker-Lenahan OLGCMinistryScheduler@gmail.com

Liturgy Committee: *meets monthly on the last Saturday at 9 am*

Men's Breakfast Club *meets Saturday mornings 6:45 am to 8:30 am*

Chris Heath 214-727-5017 chrisg-heath@sbcglobal.net

Men's Club *meets the 2nd Tuesday at 5:45 pm*

Marvin Sindel 904-318-1926 marvinsindel@att.net

Music Ministry — Children's Choir practice Mondays 5:45 pm to 6:25 pm

Adult Choir / Instrumental Rehearsal Wednesdays 6:30 pm

Joseph Colasant, Music Director 904-824-8688 jcolasantolgc@gmail.com

New Parishioners Welcome Ministry (NPW):

Marvin Sindel 904-318-1926 marvinsindel@att.net

Prayer Network: Anton J. Anderle 904-484-6428 marineman150@bellsouth.net

Prayer Quilt *meets the 1st Tuesday from 9 am to Noon*

Donna Ricciardelli 904-610-5861 donnarice2013@gmail.com

Pumpkin Patch: Kenny Grover kgroveriii@gmail.com

Religious Education Kindergarten to 8th Grades/Family Catechesis:

Mondays 6:30 pm to 7:45 pm with periodic Family Assemblies

Sacramental Prep classes are monthly, certain Sunday afternoons,

Sacramental Prep is a two consecutive years program

Amy T. Kirk 904-824-8688 olgc.amy@gmail.com

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): *Sundays 8:30 am to 11 am*

Deacon Larry Geinosky 824-8688 deaconlarryolgc@gmail.com

Rosary *prayed Saturday 3:30 pm; Sunday 7:25 am*

Patrick Boice 904-993-7565 patrickboice@gmail.com {Sat.}

Anton J. Anderle 904-484-6428 marineman150@bellsouth.net {Sun.}

***Sacristans:** Frank Coonahan 904-417-0887 fcoonahan@bellsouth.net

Small Faith Sharing Groups: 904-824-8688

Small Garden Beautification Ministry: Tim Turner 904-429-2195

timsandyturner@bellsouth.net

Spiritual Growth: Darlene M. Langlois 848-480-3946 darlenelanglois@att.net

Troop Support Project (deployed troops) *pack boxes 3rd Thurs. at 9 am*

Kathie Allison 703-888-7723 kathieallison1@gmail.com

***Ushers/Greeters:** Marvin Sindel 904-318-1926 marvinsindel@att.net

Veterans Support Group: Ed Moitoza 501-1326 moitozaed@gmail.com

Visitations Ministry (Nursing Homes & Sick): 904-824-8688

Web site: Rick Jarvis 904-687-3202 www.olgc-church.org

Youth Ministry (YRU!) *8th to 12th grade Students,*

meets 2nd & 4th Sundays from 5:30 pm to 8 pm

Claude Fiori 904-377-3378 claudef@fiorifamily.com

Thomas Donato 904-295-9199 olgc.yruyouthgroup@gmail.com

* Indicates a Liturgical Minister and requires training.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP OF OLGC PARISHIONERS:

Prior to the COVID-19 Pandemic most **offertory donations** came primarily from the Mass collections.

From March 17, 2020 to May 16, 2020 we were closed down and the offertory donations came "By Mail". Then, we offered the alternative option for parishioners to use **online electronic bank checks**. Also, in May 2020, OLGC Parish offered direct debit from your checking/savings account or through your credit/debit cards — called **Faith Direct**.

These **Faith Direct** disbursements come twice a month and thus we have divided the Faith Direct into two week reports.

2021 Offertory Collection Source	January 3	January 10	January 17	January 24
Sunday/weekend Masses	\$ 5,997.00	\$ 4,148.00	\$ 5,441.00	\$ 4,289.00
"By Mail" (includes online electronic bank checks)	\$ 3,376.94	\$ 3,775.00	\$ 4,870.00	\$ 5,817.00
Weekday Masses	\$ -	\$ 160.00	\$ 172.00	\$ 133.00
Faith Direct	\$ 5,045.50	\$ 5,045.50	\$ 1,777.50	\$ 1,777.50
Total of all Offertory	\$14,419.44	\$13,128.50	\$12,260.50	\$ 12,016.50



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POLICY TO ADMINISTER THE OLGC 2020/2021 PANDEMIC EMERGENCY FUNDS FOR THOSE IN FINANCIAL NEED

A committee of 3 parishioners, with 1 person being a member of the Parish Finance Council, combined with input from Pastor, is authorized to evaluate applications for financial need. All recommendations for approval are to be submitted to the OLGC Pastor for final approval.

Given that applications will likely arrive at various times, no ranking and subsequent awarding is considered at this time. Applications are to be reviewed on a first come, first reviewed basis and the appropriate award made at that time.

Preference will be provided to parishioners vis-à-vis non parishioners.

Should you need to apply for financial assistance, please contact the OLGC Parish Office for the "Application for OLGC Pandemic Financial Assistance".

All information remains confidential.

Welcome to Our Parish
OLGC Parish Policies

"What I can do, you cannot, and what you can do, I cannot.
But together we can do **SOMETHING BEAUTIFUL FOR GOD.**" [Saint Teresa of Calcutta]

New Parishioners: Welcome! Please take a few minutes to complete a "Parish Registration & Census" form that may be found in the Church Entrance Area. The data provided by you on this form is kept confidential. When completed, please give to an Usher, mail to the Parish Office or place in the collection basket.

Mass Intentions: If you would like to have a Mass said for a special intention, please pick up the "Mass Intention Request Form" (printed on purple paper) found in the Church Entrance Area in the wooden wall display and drop it into the collection basket or mail it to the Parish Office. The envelope is labeled "Mass Intentions". Please complete all requested information and note the instructions on the form. Suggested offering (Mass Stipend) is \$10.00, **make check payable to OLGC Church.**

Prayer Intentions: To add or update a name to OLGC's Prayer List, please contact Anton J. Anderle 904-484-6428 marineman150@bellsouth.net Names will be listed **for 3 months**; to renew a name, you must resubmit the name to A. J. Anderle.

Requirement for Volunteers "Protecting God's Children": All volunteers over the age of 18 working with minor children or vulnerable adults must be fingerprinted and background check through the Diocese (this is done on a national level and is to be renewed every 5 years). Please contact OLGC Parish Office for registration instructions. These volunteers must also attend a class called "Protecting God's Children" ("PGC"). Please provide a copy of your completed "PGC" certificate to our Parish Office. Classes can be found online at www.virtus.org. A diocesan volunteer application must be submitted to OLGC Parish Office. Please call Susan M. Waud in the Parish Office if you have any questions. **No persons ministering with minor children or vulnerable adults may do so unless they have fully completed all requirements (Diocesan policy per Bishop Estévez).**

Baptism: Baptism Preparation must be made in advance of receiving the Sacrament of Baptism. A **Baptism Prep Class** for the parents is required for **children under 7 years of age**. Classes are provided here at church or in your home (your preference) and at your convenience. Please contact the Parish Office, or **call Deacon Larry directly to schedule training**. For children who are age 7 years or older need to participate in the "RCIA-Adapted for Children" process and these sessions meet on Sunday mornings.

All Sponsors: Sponsors for all Sacraments must be **active** Catholics. Anyone asking to receive a document from the parish to be a sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation in another parish must be an **active** Catholic at OLGC. This implies regular Mass attendance and participation in the support of the community.

Religious Education: Kindergarten to 8th Grade/Family Catechesis Program:

Classes are September through May on Mondays from 6:30 pm to 7:45 pm and include periodic Family Assemblies.

Sacramental Preparation for First Holy Eucharist/Reconciliation & Confirmation is a two consecutive years program.

For Sacramental Prep. Classes, these are additional monthly certain Sunday afternoons. Contact Amy T. Kirk 904-824-8688 olgc.amy@gmail.com for further information.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: R.C.I.A.: Becoming a Catholic: A process of welcoming adults seeking formation about becoming full members of the Roman Catholic Church. *Meets Sunday morning sessions from 8:30 am until 11 am.* RCIA Coordinator is Deacon Larry Geinosky 904-824-8688 deaconlarryolgc@gmail.com

Sacrament of Confirmation for Adults, please contact OLGC Parish Office 904-824-8688 for further information.

Marriage: To schedule a wedding, engaged couples must meet with their Pastor at least 8 months before their proposed wedding date. Preparation for the sacrament includes attending a diocesan program such as Engaged Encounter or Pre Cana, and completing the FOCCUS Inventory. All couples of child-bearing age also need to take a full Natural Family Planning course. Pre-registration for each of these programs is mandatory for all marriages within the Diocese of St Augustine.

A Program for Troubled Marriages: **Retrouaille** 904-662-8604, www.retrouaille.org

Last Will and Testament: Please consider including your Church in your estate planning. The Church and its diverse ministries exist only through the funding of its members. The name of our Church for legal purposes is "Our Lady of Good Counsel Roman Catholic Church, Mill Creek, Saint Augustine, FL. 32092-062650".

Death and Burial in OLGC Cemetery: In OLGC Cemetery, both in-ground burial and cremations are available. For cost and further information regarding burial plots or columbaria (for ashes), please contact the Parish Office, Michael C. Knight, or speak with Pastor Rev. Guy Francis Noonan.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

ATTENTION: The Diocese of St. Augustine treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with all allegations in a prompt, confidential, and thorough manner. To Report Abuse, call the police or the Department of Children and Families at (800)-962-2873. Or call the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (904)-208-6979 or email inquiries@dosafi.com

To report abuse by a bishop, call (800)-276-1562 or visit www.reportbishopabuse.org

You are not alone...

There is no need to feel alone when real help is available for an unplanned pregnancy. **Caring Choices** offers help through counseling, support, education, resources, and referrals. This is one decision not to face alone! **Call 866-901-9641.**

If you are struggling with emotional or spiritual pain following an abortion, there are **two post-abortion healing ministries** available that will lovingly help transform your pain to hope, and through reconciliation provide peace:

Project Rachel – 904-923-9203 with professional counselors and individual priests

Rachel's Vineyard – 904-221-3232 a group weekend retreat