



OUR LADY of the Blessed Sacrament

Catholic Church, Agana Heights, Guam



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MISSION STATEMENT

- * To develop and strengthen our spirituality in a vibrant parish community through
- * the celebration of the Eucharist, the devotion to and the adoration of the Blessed Sacrament;
- * To nurture the closeness and unity of our parish families;
- * To promote involvement in various Church ministries and ensure the continuing formation of its ministers; and
- * To serve the need of the local community, island community, and the global community.

4 SAT VIGIL: EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 PM ENBIDA/HEALING for Donna Jones, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Avelin Lujan, Paige Manglona, Cresencia Meno, Jared Manibusan, Martha Bernardo, Letty Bartels, Yvette McDonald, Dolores G. Sablan, Maria Ulloa Flores, Raul Montes, Galo Camacho Jr. and George Suzuki; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA/THANKSGIVING AND HEALING** for Maria (Kit) Duenas Leon Guerrero; **ENBIDA** for Angel Manibusan and Family; **ENBIDA** Jonathan Sablan and Venecia Chargualaf; **ENBIDA & SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Francisco & Ester Lizama and Family; **ENBIDA AND BLESSINGS** for Linda S. Nededog and Vivian S. Leon Guerrero; **SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for the Aponik Family; **HOLY SPIRIT** for Torres and Duenas Families; **MASS OF THANKSGIVING; ANIMAS** †Jose E. Mendiola, †Millie Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Bill Suzuki, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Adela G. Peredo, †Larry Spotanski, †Cecilia Blas Borja, †George and †Maria Borja, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Simpliciano, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Jose and †Dolores Chargualaf, †John Francis McDonald, †Jose Muna Salas, †Ray Anthony Mendiola Flores, †Chris Setter and †the Poor Souls in Purgatory

5 SUN EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7&9 AM ENBIDA/HEALING Donna Jones, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Lisa Ortiz, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Annie Untalan, Viola Pangelinan, Avelin Lujan, Paige Manglona, Cresencia Meno, Jesus and Sylvia Delgado, Letty Bartels, Jared Manibusan, Martha Bernardo, Yvette McDonald, Raul Montes, Galo Camacho Jr., George Suzuki, Dolores G. Sablan, Maria Ulloa Flores; **ENBIDA AND HOLY SPIRIT** for Shane McDonald. **ENBIDA AND HOLY SPIRIT** for the Hernandez and Dela Torre Family; **ENBIDA/THANKSGIVING AND HEALING** for Maria (Kit) Duenas Leon Guerrero; **ENBIDA** for Dorothy and Melissa Agualo; **ENBIDA AND HOLY SPIRIT** for Johnny Cruz Jr. and Angela Cruz Teano, **ENBIDA** for Angel Manibusan and Family; **ENBIDA** Jonathan Sablan and Venecia Chargualaf; **HOLY SPIRIT** for Torres and Duenas Families; **SPECIAL INT** for the Aponik Family; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INT.** for Francisco & Ester Lizama and Family; **MASS OF THANKSGIVING; ANIMAS** †Jose E. Mendiola, †Millie Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Alfred V.G. Quiniones, †Roseanna Bordallo Garcia, †Leonard Baza, †Bill Suzuki, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Adela G. Peredo, †Larry Spotanski, †Cecilia Blas Borja, †George and †Maria Borja, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Simpliciano, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Manuel Salas Santos, †Jose and †Dolores Chargualaf, †John Francis McDonald, †Jose Muna Salas, †Ray Anthony Mendiola Flores, †Jesse Agualo, †Chris Setter and †the Poor Souls in Purgatory

6 MON THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

6 PM ENBIDA/HEALING for Donna Jones, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Cresencia Meno, Jared Manibusan and Maria Ulloa Flores; **ENBIDA AND ST. JUDE** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA** for Angel Manibusan and Family; **ENBIDA/SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Francisco & Ester Lizama & Family; **ENBIDA/SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for the Aponik Family; **HOLY SPIRIT** for Torres and Duenas Families; **ANIMAS** †Jose E. Mendiola, †Millie Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Bill Suzuki, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Adela G. Peredo, †Larry Spotanski, †Cecilia Blas Borja, †George and †Maria Borja, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Simpliciano, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Jose and †Dolores Chargualaf, †John Francis McDonald, †Jose Muna Salas, †Ray Anthony Mendiola Flores, †Jesse Agualo, †Chris Setter and †the Poor Souls in Purgatory

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PARISH INFORMATION

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Baptisms are celebrated on 1st and 3rd Saturdays at 4:00 p.m. Please contact the parish secretary at least three (3) weeks in advance to schedule a baptism. **(NO BAPTISMS DURING LENT)**

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Please contact the parish office at least six months before the date of the proposed marriage.

PARISH REGISTRATION: Are you new to our parish or maybe just have not had the chance to register? If so, please stop by the parish office to register. Thank you.

GODPARENTS AND SPONSORS: Permission forms are available at the OLBS Parish Office during office hours. Sponsorship approval should be obtained from the parish where you currently attend Mass regularly, not from the parish where you received the Sacrament of Confirmation.

SACRAMENT CERTIFICATES: If you need a copy of your Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation and/or Marriage Certificate, please contact the parish office.

PARISH BULLETIN NOTICES: All announcements for the weekly bulletin must be submitted no later than 12 NOON on Wednesday.



7 TUES WEEKDAY **6 PM**

ENBIDA/HEALING for Donna Jones, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Cresencia Meno, Jared Manibusan, George Suzuki and Maria Ulloa Flores; **ENBIDA AND ST. ANTHONY** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA** for Angel Manibusan and Family; **ENBIDA AND BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS** for John Pangelinan; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Francisco & Ester Lizama & Family and Aponik Family; **HOLY SPIRIT** for Torres and Duenas Families, **ANIMAS** †Jose E. Mendiola, †Millie Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Bill Suzuki, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Adela G. Peredo, †Larry Spotanski, †Cecilia Blas Borja, †George and †Maria Borja, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Simpliciano, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Jose and †Dolores Chargualaf, †John Francis McDonald, †Ray Anthony Mendiola Flores, †Jesse Agualo, †Chris Setter and †the Poor Souls in Purgatory

8 WED SAINT DOMINIC, PRIEST

6 PM ENBIDA/HEALING for Donna Jones, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Cresencia Meno, Jared Manibusan and George Suzuki; **ENBIDA AND OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP** for Shane McDonald, **ENBIDA** for Angel Manibusan and Family; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Francisco & Ester Lizama & Family and Aponik Family, **SPECIAL HOLY SPIRIT** for Torres and Duenas Families, **ANIMAS** †Jose E. Mendiola, †Millie Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Bill Suzuki, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Adela G. Peredo, †Larry Spotanski, †Cecilia Blas Borja, †George and †Maria Borja, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Simpliciano, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Jose and †Dolores Chargualaf, †Ray Anthony Mendiola Flores, †Jesse Agualo, †Chris Setter and †the Poor Souls in Purgatory

9 THURS WEEKDAY **NO MASS: CAPUCHIN FRATERNITY DAY**

10 FRI SAINT LAWRENCE, DEACON AND MARTYR

6PM ENBIDA/HEALING for Donna Jones, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Cresencia Meno, Jared Manibusan and George Suzuki; **ENBIDA AND SACRED HEART OF JESUS** for Shane McDonald, **ENBIDA** for Angel Manibusan and Family; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Francisco & Ester Lizama & Family and Aponik Family, **HOLY SPIRIT** for Torres and Duenas Families, **ANIMAS** †Jose E. Mendiola, †Millie Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Bill Suzuki, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Adela G. Peredo, †Larry Spotanski, †Cecilia Blas Borja, †George and †Maria Borja, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Simpliciano, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Jose and †Dolores Chargualaf, †Ray Anthony Mendiola Flores, †Jesse Agualo, †Chris Setter and †the Poor Souls in Purgatory

11 SAT SAINT CLARE, VIRGIN

7AM ENBIDA/HEALING for Donna Jones, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Avelin Lujan, Paige Manglona, Cresencia Meno, Jared Manibusan and George Suzuki; **ENBIDA AND BLESSED VIRGIN MARY** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTION** for Francisco & Ester Lizama and Family; **HOLY SPIRIT** for Torres and Duenas Families; **SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for the Aponik Family; **ANIMAS** †Jose E. Mendiola, †Millie Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Bill Suzuki, †Felix Calvo, †Laura D. Camacho, †Galo P. Baleto, †Adela G. Peredo, †Larry Spotanski, †Cecilia Blas Borja, †George and †Maria Borja, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Simpliciano, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Jose and †Dolores Chargualaf, †Ray Anthony Mendiola Flores, †Jesse Agualo, †Chris Setter and †the Poor Souls in Purgatory

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Believe in the one God sent

There are two themes in Jesus' discourse on the "Bread of Life": the *sapiential* theme and the *eucharistic*.

The Gospel deals with the sapiential. Jesus tells the Jews not to look for bread that just answers the human need for food; they must "work" for food that satisfies the person's deeper hunger. This bread is Jesus' word, which is the revelation of the Father. The word of Jesus is the bread for the world. It assures human beings of God's love for the world, the love manifested by God's sending of his Son to save the world.

In the sapiential books that comprise the third part of the Hebrew Bible, the *Kethubim* (Writings), the divine Wisdom (*Hokmah*) is often compared to a Lady who prepares a rich table and invites everyone: "Come, eat of my food, and drink of the wine I have mixed! Forsake foolishness that you may live" (Prv 9:5-6).

Jesus, in turn, offers the bread "come down the heaven." He himself is the bread, and his words are words of eternal life. Jesus invites the people to "communion" of this bread through faith—to believe in the One whom God has sent: Jesus himself. Faith here involves total trust in Jesus and holding on to his revelation.

In the Mass, the faithful are nourished at two tables: the table of the Word and the table of the Eucharist. We will understand and appreciate better our communion of the Body and Blood of Jesus if we listen attentively to the Word of God that makes our hearts burn. Then, the "signs" in the celebration of the sacrament "will begin to speak" in our hearts and in our lives (cf John Paul II, *Mane Nobiscum Domine*, 14).

Sometimes, people ask what part of the Mass they must catch to make it "valid" as fulfillment of their Sunday obligation. Is it all right to arrive after the homily or after the offering basket is passed around? Rather than be "legalistic" about it, the faithful should be present at both the liturgy of the Word and the liturgy of the Eucharist. Better still, people should come even before Mass starts and make their personal preparation in silence and in prayer.

Fellowship Sunday

Please join us after the 7 a.m. or 9 a.m. Mass on Sunday, August 5th for our Fellowship Sunday gathering.

We thank all parishioners who brought a food item or light refreshment to share with one another. Thank you.

Please DO NOT REMOVE Books or Bible from the Chapel

We remind all Guardians and visitors to our Chapel that all the books or bible that are on the Chapel bookshelf are not to be borrowed, removed or taken out of the Chapel. It is for all to use while spending time with our Lord.

There are several books that have gone missing and we ask those that have "borrowed" them to kindly return them.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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Christian Mothers

The Christian Mothers invite all women 18 years or older in good standing with the church to join the Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Confraternity of Christian Mothers.

We will be having our induction for the year on August 26. For more information, contact Marcia Martir at 777-6599 or Pauline Camacho at 687-4369. Deadline is August 19, 2018. Thank you.

Lectors Needed

Would you like to proclaim the Word of God at Mass? Lectors are needed for this very special ministry. Any confirmed, practicing Catholic over the age of 16 and who is a REGISTERED parishioner of our parish is invited to volunteer. Please contact the parish office at 472-6246 if you are interested in this ministry. Thank you.

Eucharistic Ministers Needed

The Parish is in need of additional Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion ("Eucharistic Ministers) to assist with the distribution of the Holy Eucharist during Communion at the **Saturday, 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass and the Sunday, 7:00 a.m. Mass.**

One must be a REGISTERED parishioner of our parish, be at least 16 years old, and must be a Catholic in good standing who has received the Sacraments of Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. Married persons must have been married in the Catholic Church.

Please contact the parish office at 472-6246 if you are interested in this ministry. Thank you.

Catechetical Conference 2018

The Catechetical Conference is an annual event in the Archdiocese of Agana which coincides with Catechetical Sunday. The theme for this year is "**Enlisting Witnesses to Christ**" and we encourage all parish Catechists to attend.

DATE: Saturday, September 15, 2018

Doors Open 7:30 a.m.

Conference Time: 8:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m.

Place: FD Phoenix Center

Focus: What it means to be a "Witness".

If you are interested in attending this Conference, please contact the Parish Office at 472-6246.



Catechetical Sunday

This year, the Church will celebrate Catechetical Sunday on September 16, 2018. The 2018 theme will be "**Enlisting Witnesses to Christ.**"

Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each person plays, by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. Catechetical Sunday is an opportunity for all to rededicate themselves to this mission as a community of faith.

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Faith Formation (CCD) News:

Registration for SY2018-2019

Faith Formation (CCD) registration for SY2018-2019 will take place throughout this month after the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass.

We are also accepting Adult CCD registration for those adults who have not received their sacraments.

For your convenience, registration forms can be picked up at the front entrance of the church.

Before you can submit your Registration Form for any of the Sacramental classes, please note there are required documents to be submitted together with the registration.

Registration Fees

Non Sacramental Grades: K, 1st , 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th

ONE (1) CHILD:	\$25.00
TWO (2) CHILDREN:	\$40.00
THREE (3) OR MORE	\$65.00

Sacramental Classes:

*RECONCILIATION CANDIDATES (2nd Grade):	\$25
*FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CANDIDATES (3rd)	\$55
*PRE—CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES (9th)	\$35
*CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES (Grade 10)	\$55

Sacramental Classes Requirements

SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFESSION: You must have the following paperwork before turning in a registration form:

1) **Parents/Guardians must be a registered parishioner at OLBS** and must attend mass regularly at the parish.

2) **Copy of Birth Certificate**

3) **Copy of Baptismal Certificate** (especially for those who were baptized outside of OLBS). If your child was baptized here at OLBS and you do not have a copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate, you can obtain one for a fee of \$5.00.

PRE-CONFIRMATION AND THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: You must have the following paperwork before turning in a registration form:

1) **Parents/Guardians must be a registered parishioner at OLBS** and must attend mass regularly at the parish.

2) **Copy of Birth Certificate**

3) **Copy of Baptismal and First Holy Communion Certificate** (especially for those who were baptized and received 1st Communion outside of OLBS); If your child was baptized and received 1st Communion here at OLBS and you do not have a copy of your child's Certificate, you can obtain one for a fee of \$5.00.

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5th Annual Capuchin Founders Day Benefit Dinner

The Capuchin Franciscan Friars' 5th Annual Capuchin Founders' Day Benefit Dinner will be held on Thursday, August 16, 2018 at St. Francis School in Yona beginning at 6:00 p.m. Tickets to this event is \$100. If you would like to purchase tickets, you may contact Kathy McDonald at 688-2258 who is assigned to sell to our parish. Thank you for your continued support of the Capuchin Friars.

Capuchin Franciscan Vocations

Any interested young men wanting to become a Capuchin or is curious and has questions about the Capuchin Vocation, can see or contact Fr. Felix who is the Capuchin Vocation Director. Fr. Felix can be reached at 789-1069.

Capuchin Franciscan Friars

Thank you to all who have supported the Capuchin Franciscan Friars. We have four young Guam Friars in formation who are currently studying in the Philippines: **Brother Gavin Diego, Brother Jason Chargualaf, Brother Nicholas Martinez and Brother Austin Usar.**

Having the Friars study in the Philippines is not only closer to home, but benefitting from living with the Philippine Capuchins, who have a vibrant and solid formation program, at a more affordable cost. The Friars are learning more about the Capuchin life and studying the Catholic faith in depth, with some philosophy courses to prepare them for theology studies in the future.

We ask for your continued support so that we would be able to continue sending young Friars to prepare them in their Formation.

**The Capuchin Friars "THANK YOU"
for your faithful support!
God Bless You All.**

Techa Schedule

Aug. 5—Aug. 11 Glorina Perez/Lucia McDonald
Aug. 12-Aug. 18 Emily Cruz/Letty Bartels
Aug. 19-Aug. 25 Millie Artero/ Natty Calvo

Last Weeks' Collection

Sunday Collection: \$ 2,180.86
Air Con Pledges: \$ 25.00
Chapel Donations: \$ 144.00

THANK YOU

for your generous support of our parish

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Our Sick and/or Recovering:

Deacon Louis Agbulos, Jr., David P. Aguon, Letty Bartels, Frances Camacho, Galo Camacho Jr., Robert Camacho, Mark Cruz, Pedro C. Cruz, Jesus and Sylvia Delgado, Maria Ulloa Flores, Doris Garrido, Mercedes Grantham, Donna Jones, Bernadette Lizama, Ester and Francisco Lizama, Florencio Lizama, Frank Jr. Lizama, Imani Li Diaz Malanche, Paige Manglona, Jared Manibusan, Sister Jacinta Marsil, Maria P. Masnayan, Ricardo Masnayan, Yvette McDonald, Raul Montes, Lisa Ortiz, Viola Pangelinan, Rosario Reyes, Marilyn Roberts, Dolores Sablan, Tee Sablan, Clarissa Taitano, Lou Tass, AJ Torre, Robin Torre, Dorothy Tydingco, Annie Untalan.

Our Homebound:

Maria Aguon, Anne Calvo, Serafina Fejeran, Olivia Guinto, Rita Gumataotao, Ester Lizama, Dolores Luzano, Virginia Portusach, Dolores Sablan, Florence Sablan, Francisco San Nicolas, John and Winnie Suzuki and Rosa M. Torres.

***Please Remember Our Sick
and Homebound in Your Daily Prayers***