



# OUR LADY of the Blessed Sacrament

Catholic Church, Agaña Heights, Guam



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Pastor**

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Monday- Wednesday and Friday  
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**CLOSED** Thursdays, Sundays,  
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## **OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

### 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.

## **11 SAT VIGIL: BAPTISM OF THE LORD 5:00PM**

**ENBIDA/HEALING** for Donna Jones, Marilyn Cruz Roberts, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Tony H. Salas, Jim and Guadalupe Blend, Ben and Maryann Mesa, Lorraine Mendiola Borja, Paige Manglona, Cresencia Meno, Jared Manibusan, Letty Bartels, Raymond A. Calvo, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki and Family, Ben Luzano, Ursula Shimizu, Lucia McDonald, Carmelita Cruz, Roque Santos, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, Laura N. Cepeda and Maria F. Delgado; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA FOR A SAFE DEPLOYMENT TO THE MIDDLE EAST** for Adam Salas Cassi; **ENBIDA** for Angel Manibusan and Family; **ENBIDA** for Jonathan and Inina Sablan and Venecia Charqualaf; **ENBIDA & SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Ester Lizama and Family; **ENBIDA** for Dot and Melissa Agualo, Suzuki, Peredo and Parmer Families; **ANIMAS** †Millie T. Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Leonard Baza, †Jose E. Mendiola, †Kuade Jay Bell Jr., †Fidel Blas, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Maria B. Baleto, †George and †Maria Borja, †Hoben and †Kailo Delgado, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Sampilciano, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Fred and †Rosa Torres, †Santa Quiniones, †David M. Blas, †Francisco G. Lizama, †Francisco R. Camacho, †Olivia Guinto, †Melvyn Bautista, †Francisco S. Delgado, †Bonifacio S. Calvo, †Jesusa M. Purugganan, †Michael McKeever (Memorial Birthday), †Richard Harvey (Death Anniversary), †Dolores P. Pimentel, †the Poor Souls in Purgatory and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**

## **12 SUN BAPTISM OF THE LORD 7&9AM**

**ENBIDA and HEALING** for Donna Jones, Marilyn Cruz Roberts, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Tony H. Salas, Jim and Guadalupe Blend, Ben and Maryann Mesa, Lorraine Mendiola Borja, Paige Manglona, Cresencia Meno, Jesus and Sylvia Delgado, Letty Bartels, Raymond A. Calvo, Jared Manibusan, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki and Family, Ben Luzano, Ursula Shimizu, Lucia McDonald, Carmelita Cruz, Roque Santos, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, III, Laura N. Cepeda and Maria F. Delgado; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA FOR A SAFE DEPLOYMENT TO THE MIDDLE EAST** for Adam Salas Cassi; **ENBIDA AND BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS** for Cathy Calvo Cruz; **ENBIDA** for Angel Manibusan and Family; **SPECIAL INT** for Ester Lizama and Family; **ANIMAS** †Isabel C. Munoz, †Millie T. Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Leonard Baza, †Jose E. Mendiola, †Kuade Jay Bell Jr., †Fidel Blas, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Maria B. Baleto, †George and †Maria Borja, †Hoben and Kailo Delgado, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Sampilciano, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Santa Quiniones, †David M. Blas, †Kenneth S. Fejeran, †Peter S. Fejeran, †Mar and †May Malalis, †Sandy C. Malalis, †Joseph Sablan Martinez, †Francisco G. Lizama, †Francisco R. Camacho, †Olivia Guinto, †Melvyn Bautista, †Francisco S. Delgado, †Bonifacio S. Calvo, †Jesusa M. Purugganan, †Michael McKeever (Memorial Birthday), †Richard Harvey (Death Anniversary), **†Antonia Pereira Mesa (2nd Death Anniversary)**, **†Reginald Pereira Mesa (4th Death Anniversary)**, **†Jacob Cruz (4th Death Anniversary)**, †Dolores P. Pimentel, †the Poor Souls in Purgatory, and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**

## **13 MON WEEKDAY (1ST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME) 6PM**

**ENBIDA/HEALING** for Donna Jones, Marilyn Cruz Roberts, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Tony H. Salas, Jim and Guadalupe Blend, Ben and Maryann Mesa, Lorraine Mendiola Borja, Paige Manglona, Cresencia Meno, Raymond A. Calvo, Jared Manibusan, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki & Family, Ben Luzano, Ursula Shimizu, Carmelita Cruz, Roque Santos, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, III, Laura N. Cepeda and Maria F. Delgado; **ENBIDA AND ST. JUDE** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS** for Naomi C. Taitingfong; **SPECIAL INT** for Ester Lizama and Family; **ANIMAS** †Millie T. Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Leonard Baza, †Jose E. Mendiola, †Fidel Blas, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Maria B. Baleto, †George and †Maria Borja, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Santa Quiniones, †David M. Blas, †Francisco G. Lizama, †Francisco R. Camacho, †Kuade Jay Bell, Jr., †Olivia Guinto, †Melvyn T. Bautista, †Francisco S. Delgado, †Bonifacio S. Calvo, †Jesusa M. Purugganan, **†Mariano P. Mendiola (11th Death Anniversary)**, †Dolores P. Pimentel, †the Poor Souls in Purgatory, and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**

# BAPTISM OF THE LORD

## 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.

## **14 TUES** WEEKDAY **6PM**

**ENBIDA/HEALING** for Donna Jones, Marilyn Cruz Roberts, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Tony H. Salas, Jim and Guadalupe Blend, Ben and Maryann Mesa, Lorraine Mendiola Borja, Raymond A. Calvo, Cresencia Meno, Jared Manibusan, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki and Family, Ben Luzano, Ursula Shimizu, Carmelita Cruz, Roque Santos, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, III, Laura N. Cepeda and Maria F. Delgado; **ENBIDA AND ST. ANTHONY** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Ester Lizama & Family; **ANIMAS** †Millie T. Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Leonard Baza, †Jose E. Mendiola, †Fidel Blas, †George and †Maria Borja, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Maria B. Baleto, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Santa Quiniones, †David M. Blas, †Francisco G. Lizama, †Francisco R. Camacho, †Kuade Jay Bell, Jr., †Olivia Guinto, †Melvyn T. Bautista, †Francisco S. Delgado, †Bonifacio S. Calvo, †Jesusa M. Purugganan, †Dolores P. Pimentel, †the Poor Souls in Purgatory, and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**

## **15 WED** WEEKDAY **6PM**

**ENBIDA/HEALING** for Donna Jones, Marilyn Cruz Roberts, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Tony H. Salas, Jim and Guadalupe Blend, Ben and Maryann Mesa, Lorraine Mendiola Borja, Raymond A. Calvo, Cresencia Meno, Jared Manibusan, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki and Family, Ben Luzano, Carmelita Cruz, Roque Santos, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, III, Laura N. Cepeda and Maria F. Delgado; **ENBIDA AND OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS** for Audriana Manipol; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Ester Lizama & Family; **ANIMAS** †Millie T. Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Leonard Baza, †Jose E. Mendiola, †Fidel Blas, †George and †Maria Borja, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Maria B. Baleto, †Juan, †Michelle and †Tony Limtiaco, †Santa Quiniones, †David M. Blas, †Francisco G. Lizama, †Francisco R. Camacho, †Kuade Jay Bell, Jr., †Olivia Guinto, †Melvyn T. Bautista, †Francisco S. Delgado, †Bonifacio S. Calvo, †Jesusa M. Purugganan, †**Keith Mark Cruz (8th Death Anniversary)**, †Dolores P. Pimentel, the Poor Souls in Purgatory, and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**

## **16 THURS** WEEKDAY

**NO MASS: CAPUCHIN FRATERNITY DAY**

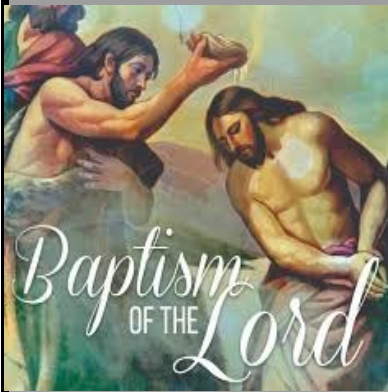
## **17 FRI** SAINT ANTHONY, ABBOT

**6PM**

**ENBIDA/HEALING** for Donna Jones, Marilyn Cruz Roberts, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Tony H. Salas, Jim and Guadalupe Blend, Ben and Maryann Mesa, Lorraine Mendiola Borja, Cresencia Meno, Raymond A. Calvo, Jared Manibusan, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki and Family, Ben Luzano, Carmelita Cruz, Roque Santos, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, III, Laura N. Cepeda and Maria F. Delgado; **ENBIDA AND SACRED HEART OF JESUS** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS** for Evita-Jean T. Laquana and Dakota Ann L. Breillat; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Ester Lizama & Family; **ENBIDA AND HEALING** for Rae and Shawn Eustaquio and Family and Raymond and Marie Leon Guerrero and Family; **ANIMAS** †Millie T. Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Leonard Baza, †Jose E. Mendiola, †Fidel Blas, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Maria B. Baleto, †George and †Maria Borja, †Santa Quiniones, †David M. Blas, †Francisco G. Lizama, †Francisco R. Camacho, †Kuade Jay Bell, Jr., †Olivia Guinto, †Melvyn T. Bautista, †Francisco S. Delgado, †Bonifacio S. Calvo, †Jesusa M. Purugganan, †Dolores P. Pimentel, †the Poor Souls in Purgatory, and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**

## **18 SAT** WEEKDAY **7AM**

**ENBIDA/HEALING** for Donna Jones, Marilyn Cruz Roberts, Sister Jacintha Marsil, Tee Sablan, Indalecio Family, Camacho Family, Tom and Ann Torres, Helen B. Charfauros, Tony H. Salas, Jim and Guadalupe Blend, Ben and Maryann Mesa, Lorraine Mendiola Borja, Cresencia Meno, Raymond A. Calvo, Jared Manibusan, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki and Family, Ben Luzano, Lucia McDonald, Carmelita Cruz, Roque Santos, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, III, Laura N. Cepeda and Maria F. Delgado; **ENBIDA AND BLESSED MOTHER** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS** for Kitty McDonald; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Ester Lizama & Family; **ANIMAS** †Millie T. Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Leonard Baza, †Jose E. Mendiola, †Fidel Blas, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baleto, †Maria B. Baleto, †George and †Maria Borja, †Santa Quiniones, †David M. Blas, †Francisco G. Lizama, †Francisco R. Camacho, †Kuade Jay Bell, Jr., †Olivia Guinto, †Francisco S. Delgado, †Melvyn T. Bautista, †Bonifacio S. Calvo, †Jesusa M. Purugganan, †Dolores P. Pimentel, †the Poor Souls in Purgatory, and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**



# BAPTISM OF THE LORD



## *This Is My Beloved Son*

The Father speaks to the crowds interested in the baptism of John. He affirms that the one whom John has hesitantly just baptized is his beloved Son, very pleasing to him. His description has been anticipated in Is 42 (First Reading). He is the one on whom his Spirit rests and will bring justice to the nations.

There should be no mistaking as to who Jesus is aside from being known as a preacher. Jesus does not have to prove himself. As prophesied by Isaiah, he will not make noise about himself. God has done it already. Jesus will exercise patience in dealing with the weak and those who are faltering.

What we should do is interpret well the meaning of the Father's voice. We have to listen to his Son and to take seriously his teachings. God demands docility. The Father's claim is backed up by the heaven's opening, the Spirit of God in the form of a dove descending on him.

Yet, as we follow the story, many will want to have proofs to believe in him or in the Father and end up killing him.

For many people, God's claim does not matter anymore. They deny outright the existence of God. Religion is irrelevant for them. They do not feel the benefits of having faith, because no one shares with them the authentic one.

Peter (Second Reading) is different. He shares with the people his faith in the mystery of Jesus. Through Jesus, God has proclaimed peace to the Israelites, working many wonders right after Jesus' baptism, healing the sick and casting out demons. Jesus is God's beloved Son, and Peter and his colleagues are the witnesses of all these.

For us who have retained our faith, we take extra efforts to communicate who Jesus is to us, not only in our liturgical celebrations, but also in our lifestyle and in the way we conduct our affairs in the secular world. Let us courageously tell the world that, like Christ, we are willing to take on sufferings without complaining and that, like the apostles, we testify that Jesus is God's beloved Son and we too in spite of our sinfulness are saved by him.

Source: 365 Days with the Lord  
Liturgical Biblical Diary 2020

## *CCD Classes*

CCD classes will resume **Sunday, January 12, 2020**. We hope you all had a Blessed Christmas holiday and we wish you all a Happy New Year!

## *Parish Council Meeting*

There will be a Parish Council meeting on **Tuesday, January 14, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.** All members are asked to attend. Thank you.

## *16th Annual Catholic Men's Conference*

Come and invigorate your spiritual wellbeing at the **Guam Catholic Men's Conference XVI on Saturday, January 18, 2020 at St. Anthony's Church & School**. All men and boys in high school are welcome.

Register at St. Anthony's Church Office or at the Chancery. Registration fee is \$10 per person or \$15 for a Father and Son who would like to attend. For more info, contact John Taitano at 688-1990 or St. Anthony parish office at 646-8044.

If you interested in attending, please pick up a registration form at the front entrance of the church.

## *Heartfelt Thank You*

Thank you to the Christian Mothers who helped prepare the Altar during the Advent and Christmas Season and to all individuals who helped decorated and cleaned the church. Many thanks to all! We are truly grateful for your generosity, contribution and ministry to our parish!

**May God Bless You!**

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## *Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday*

Monday, January 20, 2020 is Martin Luther King holiday. Mass will be at 7:00 a.m. Note that there will be no evening mass.

## *2020 Annual March for Life*

The March for Life is an annual march/rally to protest both the practice of abortion and its legality. This march takes place on or around the anniversary of Roe vs. Wade case in 1973, which is a protest against abortion. The movement has gained effectiveness in the mission of the Catholic Church and all other religions who believe in the sacredness of all human life.

Please come and join the Catholic Pro Life Committee in their annual **March for Life** on **Friday, January 24**. Show time at the Cathedral Basilica is at 3:45 p.m. and start time is at 4:00 p.m..



Our upcoming Parish Picnic will be held **Sunday, February 23, 2020 at Ypao Beach Park - Main Pavilion from 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

In preparation for our picnic, we are asking parishioners to assist with the food menu. A Food Menu Sign-Up Sheet is posted on the bulletin board at the front entrance of the church.

Parish Picnic donation envelopes for those that would like to give a monetary donation are available on the table at the front entrance of the church.

Thank you

## *2020 Parish Calendars*

As soon as we receive the 2020 Parish Calendars, they will be passed out after all the weekend Masses. Please note that calendars will be distributed to one (1) calendar per family to ensure that all our parish families all get one. Thank you for your understanding.

## *Techa Schedule*

**Jan 12 — Jan 18** Glorina Perez/ Lucia McDonald/  
Norma Santos  
**Jan 19 — Jan 25** Emily Cruz/ Letty Bartels  
Martha Cruz/ Ann Baza  
**Jan 26 — Feb 1** Millie Artero/ Natty Calvo/  
Mercy Ching

## *Last Weekend's Collection*

**Last weekend's Sunday Collection: \$ 2,469.50**  
**Adoration Chapel Donation: \$ 146.00**

**New Year's Day Mass Collection: \$ 1,233.15**

**Niño Donations (Dec. 29, 2019): \$ 548.33**

**Niño Donations (Jan. 1, 2020): \$ 553.62**

**Niño Donations (Jan. 5, 2020): \$ 484.28**

*God Bless you all for your  
generous donations.*

## **PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

### ***Our Sick and/or Recovering:***

David P. Aguon, Letty Bartels, Lorraine Mendiola Borja, Galo Camacho Jr., Pedro C. Cruz, Jesus and Sylvia Delgado, Maria Ulloa Flores, Mercedes Grantham, Donna Jones, Bernadette Lizama, Frank Jr. Lizama, Ben Luzano, Imani Li Diaz Malanche, Paige Manglona, Jared Manibusan, Sister Jacinta Marsil, Lucia McDonald, Mayor Paul McDonald, Raul Montes, Linda Nededog, Frances Olson, Lisa Ortiz, Viola Pangelinan, Virginia Portusach, Rosario Reyes, Marilyn C. Roberts, Dolores Sablan, AJ Torre and Robin Torre.

### ***Our Homebound:***

Anne Calvo, Serafina Fejeran, Rita Gumataotao, Ester Lizama, Dorothea Mesa, Virginia Portusach, Rosario Reyes, Dolores Sablan, Florence Sablan, Francisco San Nicolas, John and Winnie Suzuki and Annie Untalan.

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