



OUR LADY of the Blessed Sacrament

Catholic Church, Agaña 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.

22 SAT VIGIL: SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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, Crescencia Meno, Jared Manibusan, Letty Bartels, Raymond A. Calvo, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, Lori A. Tennesen, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki and Family, Ben Luzano, Lucia McDonald, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, Maria F. Delgado, Helen G. Mendiola, Dennis Calvo and Herbert Gogue; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND THANKSGIVING** from Christine and Brandon Chargualaf; **ENBIDA** for Angel Manibusan and Family; **ENBIDA** for Jonathan and Inina Sablan and Venecia Chargualaf; **ENBIDA & SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Ester Lizama and Family; **ENBIDA** for Dot and Melissa Agualo, Suzuki, Peredo and Parmer Families; **ENBIDA** for John and Therese Matanane and Johnese and Bryan Greenman; **ENBIDA AND ST. JUDE** for Sara Archivida; **ST. JUDE** for Edward Thomas Matanane; **ENBIDA** for Patrick Q. Ignacio, II; **ENBIDA** for Harold and Loling Field; **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. Baletto, †Maria B. Baletto, †George and †Maria Borja, †Hoben and †Kailo Delgado, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Simpliciano, †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, †Jose Martinez Sablan, †Frank Garrido Torres, †Dolores L.G.P. Pimentel, †Francisco F. San Nicolas, †the Poor Souls in Purgatory and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**

23 SUN SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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, Crescencia Meno, Jesus and Sylvia Delgado, Letty Bartels, Raymond A. Calvo, Jared Manibusan, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, Lori A. Tennesen, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki and Family, Ben Luzano, Lucia McDonald, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, III, Maria F. Delgado, Helen G. Mendiola, Dennis Calvo and Herbert Gogue; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND THANKSGIVING** from Christine and Brandon Chargualaf; **ENBIDA** for Angel Manibusan and Family; **SPECIAL INT** for Ester Lizama and Family; **ENBIDA** for John and Therese Matanane and Johnese and Bryan Greenman; **ENBIDA AND ST. JUDE** for Sara Archivida; **ST. JUDE** for Edward Thomas Matanane; **ENBIDA** for Patrick Q. Ignacio, II; **ENBIDA AND SAFE DEPLOYMENT** for Nicole Martir; **ENBIDA** for Harold and Loling Field; **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. Baletto, †Maria B. Baletto, †George and †Maria Borja, †Hoben and †Kailo Delgado, †Antonio and †Agueda Fujikawa, †Barbara F. Simpliciano, †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, †Frank Garrido Torres, †Francisco F. San Nicolas, †Guadalupe C. Cruz, †the Poor Souls in Purgatory, and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**

24 MON 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, Paige Manglona, Crescencia Meno, Raymond A. Calvo, Jared Manibusan, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, Lori A. Tennesen, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki & Family, Ben Luzano, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, III, Maria F. Delgado, Helen G. Mendiola, Dennis Calvo and Herbert Gogue; **ENBIDA AND ST. JUDE** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Christine and Brandon Chargualaf; **SPECIAL INT** for Ester Lizama and Family; **ENBIDA** for John and Therese Matanane and Johnese and Bryan Greenman; **ST. JUDE** for Edward Thomas Matanane; **ENBIDA** for Patrick Q. Ignacio, II; **ENBIDA** for Harold and Loling Field; **ANIMAS** †Millie T. Acfalle, †Joseph D.M. Bamba, †Leonard Baza, †Jose E. Mendiola, †Fidel Blas, †Felix L. Calvo, †Laura D. Calvo, †Galo P. Baletto, †Maria B. Baletto, †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, †Francisco F. San Nicolas, †Guadalupe C. Cruz, †the Poor Souls in Purgatory, and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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.

25 TUES WEEKDAY **6PM**

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26 WED ASH WEDNESDAY **7AM & 6PM**

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27 THURS THURSDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY **NO MASS: CAPUCHIN FRATERNITY DAY**

28 FRI FRIDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY **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, Crescencia Meno, Raymond A. Calvo, Jared Manibusan, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, Lori A. Tennesen, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki and Family, Ben Luzano, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, III, Maria F. Delgado, Helen G. Mendiola, Dennis Calvo and Herbert Gogue; **ENBIDA AND SACRED HEART OF JESUS** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Christine and Brandon Chargualaf; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Ester Lizama & Family; **ENBIDA AND HEALING** for Rae and Shawn Eustaquio and Family and Jerome and Marissa Aguon and Family; **ENBIDA** for John and Therese Matanane and Johnese and Bryan Greenman; **ST. JUDE** for Edward Thomas Matanane; **ENBIDA** for Patrick Q. Ignacio, II; **ENBIDA** for Harold and Loling Field; **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, †Francisco F. San Nicolas, †Pedro Jose Cruz Crisostomo (10th Death Anniversary), †the Poor Souls in Purgatory, and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**

29 SAT SATURDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY **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, Crescencia Meno, Raymond A. Calvo, Jared Manibusan, Nicole Quan, Linda Sablan Nededog, Carl & Frances Olson, Pat Blas, Lori A. Tennesen, George Suzuki and Family, Rayanna and Gabby Peredo, Paul Suzuki and Family, Ben Luzano, Lucia McDonald, Viola Pangelinan, Theodore D.B. Nelson, III, Maria F. Delgado, Helen G. Mendiola, Dennis Calvo and Herbert Gogue; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Shane McDonald; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Christine and Brandon Chargualaf; **ENBIDA AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS** for Ester Lizama & Family; **ENBIDA** for John and Therese Matanane and Johnese and Bryan Greenman; **ST. JUDE** for Edward Thomas Matanane; **ENBIDA** for Patrick Q. Ignacio, II; **ENBIDA** for Harold and Loling Field; **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, †Dolores L.G.P. Pimentel, †Francisco F. San Nicolas, †the Poor Souls in Purgatory, and **PASTOR'S INTENTIONS**



PSALM 102:8

**THE LORD IS COMPASSION
AND LOVE**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

7TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



The Way of Love

There is a joke among Filipinos that when someone throws stone at you, out of obedience to the biblical command, you should throw bread at him in return—along with the *garapon* or glass container!

In the Sermon on the Mount, in the section about “greater holiness,” Jesus commands his disciples to go beyond the Torah of Moses that, among others, orders: “An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.” This specifies that one’s limb lost is to be compensated by the offender’s limb; a life for another life. This is popularly called *lex talionis* (law of “such”/equivalent); a damage requires only an equivalent damage as payment. Though it may seem to us too cruel, it has in fact a benevolent purpose: it curtails the impulse for vengeance and unnecessary bloodshed. For it is not a rarity in biblical times that when a person kills another person, his whole family will be killed in retaliation. This rage could be traced from the beginning of human relationships, as we see in the cry of Lamech: “I have killed a man for wounding me, a young man for bruising me. If Cain is avenged seven times, then Lamech seventy-seven times” (Gn 4:23-24).

Jesus goes beyond the *lex talionis*: not only should the harm not be returned, but the person should even do good to his enemies. Jesus is here setting a new pattern of life. Just as his Father pardons and continues to shower the people with his blessings despite their betrayal, so must they do to their enemies. Jesus himself sets an example: when already dying on the cross, he asks his Father to forgive his killers, “they know not what they do” (Lk 23-24).

Jesus’ words are difficult to accept in a society where revenge and violence are felt almost everywhere. Does the love of enemies mean passivity so that the Christian does not do anything to curtail the injustices going on around? This is not what Jesus means. In fact, he is teaching his followers to actively “resist” their enemies. The better move is to conquer the hearts of one’s enemies. Then they are “eliminated” because they have ceased to be enemies: they have become friends.

Source: 365 Days with the Lord
Liturgical Biblical Diary 2020

Youth Fellowship

Thank you to all our parish youths who attended the Youth Gathering Friday evening which was a fun and eventful gathering. Thank you to Cynthia Agbulos and Terry Naputi for coordinating the event and to the Parish Council members who assisted in arranging and preparing for this gathering. Thank you.

Annual Parish Picnic

Please join us after Mass on Sunday at our Parish Picnic at Ypao Beach from 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. for food, fun and fellowship.

Confirmation and Pre-Confirmation students are reminded to assist with the clean up after the picnic. Thank you.

Fellowship Sunday

There will be no Fellowship Sunday during the Lenten season. Our Fellowship Sunday will resume on Sunday, May 3rd.

Bakesale to Support the Confirmation Candidates’ Retreat and Mass

The Confirmation candidates will be having a bake sale next Sunday, March 1st after the 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. Proceeds from the fundraiser will be used for their upcoming Retreat and Confirmation Mass. Your support is greatly appreciated.

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Upcoming Events for the Confirmation Class

Sunday, March 1st — Bakesale after the 7 and 9 a.m. Mass

Saturday, April 4th — Car Wash at the A.H. Mayor's Office

Friday, April 17 to Sunday, April 19 — RETREAT

Wednesday, June 3 — CONFIRMATION MASS at 6:00 p.m.

2nd Collection During Lent

From Ash Wednesday, February 26 to Easter Sunday, April 12, 2020 there will be a second collection which will be given to the Missionary Childhood Association. All collections taken assist in one way or another the missionary work for the Universal Church. God Bless You for your continued cooperation.

Stations of the Cross

There will be Stations of the Cross **every Friday after the 6:00 p.m. Mass**. Please make this a part of your Lenten devotion.

Techas will lead the Stations of the Cross on Sunday before the masses.

During Lent, please note that:

- At the end of the Saturday Vigil and Sunday 7 and 9 am. Masses, we will end the mass and leave in silence. There will be **no singing by the choir** as Father and the altar servers process after mass.
- During the Lenten season, there will also be no veneration of St. Jude, St. Anthony and Our Mother of Perpetual Help.

Techa Schedule

Feb 23 — Feb 29 Glorina Perez/ Lucia McDonald/
Norma Santos/ Ana Baza

Mar 1 — Mar 7 Emily Cruz/ Letty Bartels

Mar 8 — Mar 14 Millie Artero/ Natty Calvo/
Mercy Ching/ Martha Cruz

Last Weekend's Collection

Last weekend's Sunday Collection: \$ 2,383.25

Adoration Chapel Donations: \$ 82.00

Parish Picnic Donations: \$ 171.00

(Pontifical Mission Society Collections 2020)

2nd Collection for St Peter the Apostle: \$ 493.47

God Bless you all for your generous donations.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Our Sick and/or Recovering:

David P. Aguon, Letty Bartels, Lorraine Mendiola Borja, Dennis Calvo, 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, Maria Delgado, Serafina Fejeran, Rita Gumataotao, Ester Lizama, Dorothea Mesa, Virginia Portusach, Rosario Reyes, Dolores Sablan, Florence Sablan, John and Winnie Suzuki and Annie Untalan.

Please Remember Our Sick and Homebound in Your Daily Prayers