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WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

Saturday 5:30pm
Sunday 10:30am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:

Tuesday– Friday 9am

OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday – Friday 9am – 3pm

ROSARY PRAYER GROUP:

9:45am – 10:00am every Sunday prior to Mass

PRAYER CHAIN:

Call Audrey Little @ 690-1536 or email Karen Crapps at crappspk@gci.net

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENEDICTION:

First Friday of each month, 9:30am – 8pm

PRAYER MEETING:

Please contact Janice Wilsack for more information.

BULLETIN & INSERT DEADLINE:

Articles for the weekly bulletin must be in by Wednesday at noon. Thank you!

Our Lady of the Angels

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JANUARY 20TH, 2019

OUR MISSION:

As Community,

We celebrate Christ through the Word, the Eucharist, and the Sacraments of the Church.

We educate and enrich through worship, faith formation, and living out our faith rooted in the gospel of Jesus Christ.

We welcome and reach out to members of our local community through sharing our many and varied gifts, and practicing the corporal and spiritual works of mercy.

We commit to building parish community by welcoming, embracing, and serving all.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES/EVENTS:

- † Jan 14-22 9 Days for Life
- † Jan 18-25 Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity
- † Jan 20 Altar Server training immediately after Mass
- † Jan 20 Stewardship Drive downstairs after Mass
- † Jan 20 Pancake Breakfast immediately after Mass
- † Jan 20 Sanctity of Human Life Sunday
- † Jan 22 World Youth Day in Panama begins
- † Jan 27 Celebration of First Reconciliation @ 12pm
- † Feb 1 Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction @ 9:30am-8:00pm
- † Feb 9 Wine & Cheese Fun Bash downstairs after Mass
- † Mar 1 Mardi Gras Fundraiser
- † Mar 10-31 Spring Prayer Mini-Workshops @11:45am
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A joyous welcome to everyone who is visiting our parish today! If you are not Catholic and would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, or if you are baptized Catholic and have been away for a while and have some questions, please contact Father Tom Rush in the parish office at 283-4555.

ELECTRONIC GIVING

Enjoy the Convenience of Electronic Giving! OLA offers electronic giving as a way to automate your regular offering. Electronic giving offers convenience, while providing much-needed donation consistency for our parish.

Go to www.kenaicatholicchurch.org at any time to set up and maintain your automatic donation plan. Questions or assistance, please contact the parish office.

BABY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Births are a joyous occasion. We would be proud to share the news of your newest little one!

To submit a birth announcement, please contact the parish office @ 283-4555 or by email at ladyoftheangels@gmail.com

WORLD YOUTH DAY PANAMA 2019*

Jan. 22-27. World Youth Day (WYD) is a worldwide encounter with the Pope which is typically celebrated every three years in a different country. This year, it is held in Panama.

WYD is open to all young people who want to take part in a festive encounter with their contemporaries centered on Jesus Christ.

Please pray for Pope Francis, the bishops and all the young people who will take part in World Youth Day Panama, and the people who welcome them.

EASTER EGG HUNT VOLUNTEERS

April 21. OLA is looking for individuals and/or families interested in helping organize and prepare for our much-loved annual Easter Egg Hunt. There's still plenty of time, and the more people the merrier!

If you would like to help with this fun and rewarding ministry, please contact the parish office at 283-4555, or via email at: ladyoftheangels@gmail.com

7 THEMES OF CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING

The Church's social teaching is a rich treasure of wisdom about building a just society and living lives of holiness amidst the challenges of modern society.

Modern Catholic social teaching has been articulated through a tradition of papal, conciliar, and episcopal documents. The depth and richness of this tradition can be understood best through a direct reading of these documents which can be found on the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops website.

In the coming weeks, we will highlight several of the key themes in brief reflections that are at the heart of our Catholic social tradition.

- ✚ **Life and Dignity of the Human Person**
- ✚ **Call to Family, Community, and Participation**
- ✚ **Rights and Responsibilities**
- ✚ **Option for the Poor and Vulnerable**
- ✚ **The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers**
- ✚ **Solidarity**
- ✚ **Care for God's Creation**

A LITTLE BIT OF HUMOR...

Bent over and obviously in pain, the old man with a cane hobbled laboriously through the sanctuary and into the pastor's office while the choir was practicing.

Ten minutes later he came out, walking upright and moving with grace and speed.

"Good gracious," the choir director exclaimed. "Did the pastor heal you by faith?"

"No," the old man said with a smile. "He just gave me a cane that wasn't six inches too short!"

SANCITY OF HUMAN LIFE SUNDAY

BABY BOTTLE BOOMERANG KICK-OFF!

January 20, 2019

Make Your Life Choices Right Choices

(907) 283-9062

www.abclifechoices.org

info@abclifechoices.org



1. Pick up a bottle from your church or ABC Life Choices
2. Fill it with coins, cash or checks
3. When full, return to your church or the ABC Life Choices

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION & FAITH FORMATION

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

First Fridays' of the month 7:00-8:00 pm
Saturdays' before Mass 4:45-5:15pm

Sacrament of Baptism:

By appointment only. Please contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Six month preparation. Please contact the Parish Office.

Faith Formation Classes:

K-6th Grade: Sunday 11:45am - 12:45pm

7th-12th Grade: Wednesday 6:00pm - 8:30pm

Confirmation Class:

Please contact the Parish Office.

RCIA Class: For individuals who are not Catholic and would like to learn more about the Catholic faith.

Please contact the Parish Office.

CELEBRATION OF FIRST RECONCILIATION

Jan. 27. For the children who have been in preparation to receive First Communion, the **Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated on Sunday, January 27th at 12pm in the church.**

Preparation for this Sacrament is being given in their faith formation classes. Parents and godparents are also invited to receive the Sacrament at that time.

For any additional information that may be needed, please contact their faith formation teacher, Maria Dammeyer, or the parish office @283-4555.

9 DAYS FOR LIFE

Jan. 14-22. 9 Days for Life is a multi-faceted novena for the respect and protection of every human life. Each day, a different intention is accompanied by a short reflection, suggested actions, and related information.



For more information and the full Novena, visit 9daysforlife.com or www.usccb.org.

REMEMBRANCE

Please keep the family and friends, as well as those who went before us in eternal life in your thoughts & prayers. In this month we remember the passing of:

- ✝ John Ritter
- ✝ Alicia Heath
- ✝ Ryan Hakkinen
- ✝ Vincent O'Reilly, Jr
- ✝ Sister Joan Barina

*If you wish to remember a loved one, please contact the parish office.

OLA STEWARDSHIP DRIVE

Jan. 20. The Spirit shows us the way. Stewardship is a part of that journey.

On **January 13th and 20th**, come downstairs to the Stewardship Hall after Mass. Perhaps sign up for one of the many Stewardship opportunities available to you and your family.

If you are already involved in a ministry, we ask you to please recommit yourself by putting your name on your Stewardship's sign-up sheet.

Jesus tells us we must also show our love of Christ through service.

Ministry	
ACTS Retreat - Women	Gardeners
Adopt a Highway	Greeter
Altar Server	Lawn Care/Mowing
Alternative School Breakfast	Lector
Art & Environment	Log Church Cleaning
Centering Prayer	Maintenance Team
Children Special Events	Mardi Gras
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Marriage Sponsor Couples
Choir -Adult	Meals for Sick
Choir -Children's	Ministry Scheduler
Choir -Christmas	Mission Trips
Choir -Easter	Music Minister
Clean & Press Church Linens/Albs	Office Help
Clothes Quarters	Pancake Breakfast -Men's Group
Coffee/Donuts	Parish Feast Day
Collection Counters	Photographer
Cookies "Buy" the Pound	Play Group
Craft Group	Prayer Chain
Deep Cleaning Kitchen	Prayers and Sacraments for the Sick
Eucharistic Minister to the Homebound	Prison Ministry
Eucharistic Adoration	Pro-Life Group
Eucharistic Minister	RCIA
Faith Formation Catechist (Sunday School Teacher)	Sacristan
Finance Council	Snow Removal - Light Plowing
Fishing Proxy	Snow Removal - Shoveling
Funeral Reception	Stewardship Events - Adults
Gardeners	Teen Special Events
Greeter	Usher
Lawn Care/Mowing	Vacation Bible School
Lector	Vigil Candles
Log Church Cleaning	Welcoming Committee
Maintenance Team	Youth Group

MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY AND MINISTRY SCHEDULE:

<p>Saturday @ 5:30pm January 26th, 2018</p>	<p>Sunday @ 10:30am January 27th, 2018</p>	
<p>Lector: Thi Pijahn</p> <p>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Margaret Simon Phil Pijahn</p> <p>Altar Servers: Burke Family</p> <p>If you have any questions or comments regarding all ministry schedules, <u>please</u> contact Fr. Tom.</p>	<p>Lector: Karen Burris</p> <p>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Eileen Bryson Lee Halstead Phyllis Halstead Tim Agosti Lucy Ritter Sonja Foutty</p> <p>Altar Servers: Dammeyer Family</p> <p>Children's Liturgy: Adcox Family</p> <p>Hospitality: Braun Family</p>	<p>Collection Counters:</p> <p>(January 22) Rose H. Terrya G. @ 10am</p> <p>(January 29) Karla S. Elizabeth H. @ 2:30pm</p> <div data-bbox="1133 1010 1453 1104">  Invite friends with Facebook </div> <div data-bbox="1156 1136 1429 1234">  myParish </div>



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**WE NEED
VOLUNTEERS!**

**PLEASE CONTACT
KAREN FOGARTY
350-0843**

MARDI GRAS!

FRIDAY, MARCH 1ST