The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith.”
The Lord replied,
"If you have faith the size of a mustard seed,
you would say to this mulberry tree,
'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you.

_LK 17: 5_

October 2, 2016
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

OUR LADY OF LORETTO PARISH
“Empowered by the Spirit of God we celebrate Jesus’ presence in Prayer, Liturgy,
Sacrament and Service”
Please pray for our parishioners who are sick and suffering that they may know the embrace of Christ’s healing love.


We are updating our prayer list and have removed names which have been on the list for some time. Please call the Rectory to have someone included on the Prayer List.

**Mass Intentions**  
**October 1 to October 9**

BC: Fr. Brian Costello  
JML: Fr. Juan Manuel Lopez  
NH: Fr. Neil Healy  
KW: Fr. Kevin White  
ABC: Archbishop Cordileone

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*May all our deceased Parishioners rest in the loving arms of God especially:*

Fred Tice  
Josephine Castagna  
David Ascencio Barba

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**ENGRAVED BRICKS NOW ON SALE!**

Our Lady of Loretto has begun an engraved personalized brick fund raiser to help pay for growth and improvement of our Parish Community! The bricks will be placed in the plaza between the church and rectory visible to all, and become a permanent legacy of OLL. The engraved bricks can be for any occasion - - in memory of a loved one, honor someone special, weddings, anniversaries, birthdays, graduation or for any special event.

Donation is $100 for a 4” x 8” brick, 4 lines, 21 characters per line, or $175 for an 8” x 8”, 6 lines, 21 characters per line. All net proceeds will go to the general improvement of our parish and are tax deductible. By purchasing one or more bricks, you will be investing in the future of OLL and leave a lasting legacy with your words, Set in stone!

For ordering instructions and details, pick up an orange-colored brick order form - in English and Spanish - available at all church entries. (SEE ENGRAVED BRICKS ALREADY INSTALLED IN THE PLAZA!)

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**Mass Times**

Monday—Friday 9:00 am

Saturday 9:00am
5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)
7pm Spanish Vigil Mass

Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am,
12 Noon Spanish Mass

Eucharistic Adoration
Every Friday
9:30am-5:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 3:00pm-4:00pm

Rosary
Monday—Thursday after
9am Mass and 5:30pm
Friday after 9am Mass and at 5pm
Sunday at 3:00pm

Baptisms
Please contact the Rectory-
Catechesis Required

Marriages
Please contact the Rectory at least
6 months in advance

Our Lady of Loretto
St. Vincent de Paul Society
415-497-5090

Visit us on the Web www.ollnovato.org
E-mail us:
church@ollnovato.org
Dear Friends,

The Archbishop will be here at OLL on Friday, October 7th and Sunday, October 9th. As of last Tuesday morning, here is his schedule for these two days:

Friday, October 7th
9am: School Mass
10am: Classroom visits
12:15am: Lunch with School Faculty and Staff

Sunday, October 9th
10am: Parish Mass
11:30am: Reception in Plaza
1pm: Brief Address to the Spanish Community
2pm: Meeting with Parish Clergy
3pm: Meeting with Pastoral Council
4pm: Meeting with Parish Finance Board
5pm: Dinner with Parish Leadership

• A big OLL welcome to Father Ron Mrozinski from Cross Catholic Outreach who will be talking at all the Masses this weekend.
• Tuesday is the feast of St. Francis, the patron saint of our Archdiocese. The Blessing of the Animals will take place that day at 2:45pm at the school.
• During the Sunday Masses in October, we take up the annual October Count. During the readings at the Mass, the ushers will go up and down the aisles counting the men, women and children in the pews. At the end of October, we send these numbers on to the Archdiocese. I will let you know what the numbers are in November. They should be interesting.

A few more things happening in October:

• Saturday, October 15th, at 6pm, Knights of Columbus Crab Feed
• Sunday, October 16th, at the 10am Mass, Fr. Healy is celebrating his 50th Anniversary of his Priestly Ordination. Immediately following the Mass there will be a reception.
• Sunday, October 16th: World Mission Sunday, Fr. Bill Boteler, MM, will be speaking at all Masses. A second collection will be taken up.
• Sunday, October 30th, 8am: Knights of Columbus Corporal Communion
10am: Halloween Mass (Kids to dress up in costume)
Second Collection for OLL St. Vincent de Paul (Fifth Sunday)

Have a great week!

Father Brian
From Parish Religious Education Gr. 1-6
Welcome to another school year!

Children’s Liturgy begins again this Sunday, September 25. At the 10AM Mass, from now through May, children in Gr. K-4 are encouraged to participate in an age-appropriate liturgy which leads them to full, conscious, active participation in the regular Sunday assembly. After the opening prayer, our catechisms bring the children to the Meditation Chapel in the vestibule, where we share the readings and the Gospel from the Children’s Lectionary. We recite the Children’s Creed together and the children make their own petitions (Prayers of the Faithful). Children return to their families for Liturgy of the Eucharist. Please join us as we share the Good News with the children of our parish!

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THIS WEEK IN CONFIRMATION & YOUTH MINISTRY

Monday, 10/3: Middle School classes meet in the convent from 7-8:30
Thursday, 10/6: OLL YOUTH MINISTRY FUN NIGHT in the convent 7-8:30. All high school aged teens are welcome to attend!

RCIA/ADULT EDUCATION

Our Lady of Loretto RCIA Program meets at 7:30 p.m. each Tuesday, upstairs in the Convent. The topic on October 4 is: Introduction to Sacred Scripture: What is in the Holy Bible, and How Can We Better Understand It? All interested adults are invited to participate.

OCCASIONAL EVENTS

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Blessing of the Animals

Our annual Blessing of the animals on the Feast of St. Francis, Tuesday, October 4th, will be held in the OLL School Courtyard at 2:45pm. For the safety of our students and visitors, please have your animals on a leash and enter through the main school lobby on Virginia Avenue.

World Mission Sunday

We will have a second collection the weekend of October 15-16.

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### OLL Adult Faith Formation

We are excited to be offering a monthly book club beginning this Fall. Our first selection will be Scott Hahn’s *Lamb’s Supper: The Mass as Heaven on Earth*. Please contact Amy Reeder (amy@ollnovato.org (415) 897-6714) or Annie Troy (annie@ollnovato.org (415) 897-2171 x277) if you would like to join us. (The book is available on amazon.com.) Read the book at your own pace throughout the month of September and then we will meet following the morning Mass on Wednesday, October 5 at 10am in the convent chapel for coffee and discussion.

### LECTURAS DE HOY

**Primera lectura** — A pesar de la violencia, la destrucción y la ruina, el justo vivirá a causa de su fe (Habacuc 1:2-3; 2:2-4).

**Salmo** — Señor, que no seamos sordos a tu voz (Salmo 95 [94]).

**Segunda lectura** — Tolerar dificultades con la fuerza que viene de Dios (2 Timoteo 1:6-8, 13-14).

**Evangelio** — Señor, aumentanos la fe! (Lucas 17:5-10).

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

**Sunday:** Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time; Respect Life Sunday; Rosh Hashanah (Jewish New Year 5777) begins at sunset

**Tuesday:** St. Francis of Assisi

**Thursday:** St. Bruno; Blessed Marie-Rose Du-rocher

**Friday:** Our Lady of the Rosary; First Friday

**Saturday:** Blessed Virgin Mary

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### TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Desde el siglo XVII, el 2 de octubre la Iglesia ha celebrado la conmemoración de los Santos Ángeles Custodios. Muchos de nosotros conocemos la imagen de un niño y su hermanita caminando por un puente tembloroso y podrido. Sobre ellos está en vigilante una bella criatura halada, su ángel protector. Esta imagen de seres con alas es una que los cristianos tomamos de los paganos romanos y griegos, ya que bíblicamente hablando la mayor parte de los ángeles no tienen alas.

Últimamente los ángeles se han puesto de moda entre los no cristianos, pero no debemos dejarnos llevar por sus doctrinas *new age*. Muchos de ellos buscan poner a los ángeles a su propio servicio pidiéndoles dinero, su pareja y otras cosas. Los ángeles no existen para enriquecernos. Más bien hay que saber que los ángeles están para gloriﬁcar y servir a Dios y cuidar a los humanos marginados. Jesús mismo nos dice que hay que cuidarnos de despreciar a los pequeños (gente pobre y oprimida) “porque les aseguro que sus ángeles en el cielo están constantemente en presencia de mi Padre celestial” (Mateo 18:10-11).

### PRACTICA LO QUE PREDICAS

*Predica siempre; si fuera necesario, emplea palabras.*

—Atribuido a san Francisco de Asís
Queridos amigos,

El Arzobispo estará aquí a OLL el viernes, 7 de octubre y el domingo 9, Octubre. Desde la última fecha martes por la mañana, aquí está su calendario para estos dos días:

Cerrado viernes, 7º de octubre de
09 a.m.: Masa de la escuela
visitas a las aulas de 10h
12:15 a.m.: Almuerzo con el cuerpo docente y personal

Domingo por, 9th de octubre de
10 a.m.: Parroquia de masas
11:30 horas: Recepción en Plaza
13:00: Breve Discurso a la Comunidad español
14:00: Reunión con Parish Clero
15:00: Reunión con el Consejo Pastoral
16:00: Reunión con el Consejo Parroquial de Finanzas
17:00: Cena con el liderazgo parroquial

• Una gran bienvenida a OLL Padre Ron Mrozinski de Cruz Extensión católico que dará mucho que hablar en todas las misas este fin de semana.
• El martes es la fiesta de San Francisco, el santo patrón de nuestra Arquidiócesis. La Bendición de los Animales se llevará a cabo ese día a las 2:45 pm en la escuela.
Durante las misas de domingo de octubre, tomamos la cuenta anual de Octubre. Durante las lecturas de la misa, los ujieres subir y bajar los pasillos contando los hombres, mujeres y niños en las bancas. A finales de octubre, enviamos estos números en la Arquidiócesis. Voy a hacerle saber lo que los números están en noviembre. Deben ser interesante.

Un par de cosas más que suceden en octubre:

• Sábado 15, de octubre a las 18:00, Caballeros de Colón cangrejo RSS
• Domingo, 16 de octubre al 10 a.m. Misa, el Padre Healy está celebrando su 50 aniversario de su ordenación sacerdotal. Inmediatamente después de la misa habrá una recepción.
• Domingo, 16 de octubre: Jornada Misionera Mundial, P. Bill Boteler, MM, hablará en todas las misas. Una segunda colección se abordará.
• Domingo, 30 de octubre de 8 am: Knights of Columbus cabo Comunión 10 a.m.: Halloween Masa (Kids para vestir con el traje)
 Segunda Colecta para OLL San Vicente de Paul (Quinto Domingo)

¡Que tengas una buena semana!

padre Brian