October 27, 2019
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
“Empowered by the Spirit of God we celebrate Jesus’ presence in Prayer, Liturgy, Sacrament and Service”
**Mass Intentions**  
*October 26 through November 3*

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

Franco Licata

*Please pray for our parishioners who are sick and suffering that they may know the embrace of Christ’s healing love.*

Julie Barboni-Moore, Albertina Becerra, Joyce Calanchini, Christopher Coale, Karin Craig, Donna Falzon, Joan Friel, Mandy Gallegos, Joseph Giari, Jerrad Giomi, Mary Louise Henderson, Rachel Hernandez, Andy Herr, Danny Kirsten, Dominga Lee, Franco Licata, David Lovett, Rob Lowe, Jose Luis Lozano, Eireann McCarthy, Tony Medeiros, Jesse Mendoza, Scott Mitchell, Allison Morris, Gregory Nelson, Bob Riley, Henrique Santos, Jeffrey Sarmiento, Marcia Smith, Juliana Smith, Jacob Telderer, Richard Thomas, Carlota Tovar, Renee Trechter, Mike Vanni, Steve Warner, Jay Wayne

*Please call the Rectory to place someone on the Prayer List.*
**Mass Times**

- **Monday—Friday** 9:00 am
- **Saturday** 9:00am, 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)
- **Sunday** 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm Spanish Mass

**Eucharistic Adoration**
- **Monday—Friday** 9:30am-5:00 pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**
- **Monday** 6:00pm—8:00pm
- **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
- Pre-Baptismal Classes in English are held the second Saturday of each month at 10am.
- Pre-Baptismal classes in Spanish are held on the third Thursday of each month at 7pm.
- Please call the rectory office to schedule your class.

**Marriages**
- Please contact the Rectory at least 6 months in advance

**Our Lady of Loretto**

**St. Vincent de Paul Society**
- 415-497-5090

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E-mail us:
- church@ollnovato.org

**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — The Lord is not deaf to the wail of the orphan, nor to the widow when she pours out her complaint (Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18).

**Psalm** — The Lord hears the cry of the poor (Psalm 34).

**Second Reading** — The Lord will rescue me from every threat (2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18).

**Gospel** — All who exalt themselves will be humbled; all who humble themselves will be exalted (Luke 18:9-14).


**Archdiocesan Respect Life Contest**

Students Grades K-12 are invited to submit work (essay and other art for older kids) to the 2019-2020 Respect Life Essay Contest. Contest deadline is Oct. 31. Winners receive an Amazon gift card! Learn more at [https://sfarch.org/essay-contest](https://sfarch.org/essay-contest)
Upcoming Important Dates:

November 1 – All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation) Masses:
   9am: School Mass
   6pm: English
   7:30pm: Spanish

November 2 – All Souls Day.
November 2 – Parent Retreat from 10am to 3pm.
November 2 – Youth Ministry Mass at 5pm
November 3 – Daughters of Saint Paul here selling Books, CD’s and other items.
November 3 – Annual Parish Memorial Mass at 10am
November 3 – Steve Angrisano Concert
November 10 – Saint Patrick’s Seminary 2nd Collection
November 17 – RCIA Rite of Welcoming at the 10am Mass
November 24 – Campaign for Human Development 2nd Collection
November 25 to 29 – School out for the Thanksgiving Holiday
November 28 – Thanksgiving Mass at 10am (No 9am Mass). Please bring your Bread and Wine to be blest.
December 1 – First Sunday of Advent
December 1 – Issa here from the Bethlehem Artworks Selling Christmas Gifts.
December 6 – Annual School Christmas Luncheon at 11am.

FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

SEPTEMBER
SUNDAY COLLECTIONS
BUDGET: $46,000.00
ACTUAL: $51,511.00
Surplus / <Deficit> $5,511

Our Lady of Loretto School’s
43rd annual
Christmas Luncheon

NORTH POLE POLAR EXPRESS
SAVE THE DATE
FRIDAY DECEMBER 6th
Catered Lunch—Raffle Baskets—Bingo
Santa’s Marketplace
MORE DETAILS IN NEXT WEEK’S BULLETIN

Trick or Treat so
All Can Eat Food Drive

Benefitting people in need in Novato
through the Our Lady of Loretto
St. Vincent DePaul Society
Please bring your non-perishable items to:

OLL School 1811 Virginia Ave. -or-
OLL Church vestibule 1806 Novato Blvd.

Suggested items include: canned fruit & vegetables, instant potatoes, canned chili & beans, pasta, peanut butter, rice, etc.
Coordinated by the OLL Office of Religious Education amy@ollnovato.org 415 -897-6714
RCIA—NEWS
Our Lady of Loretto’s RCIA program for 2019 – 2020 is underway. The group meets upstairs in the convent building at 7:30 pm. The topic on Wednesday, October 30 is Sacred Scripture II: Old Testament Covenants. Adults of the parish are welcome to participate.

THIS WEEK IN CONFIRMATION & YOUTH MINISTRY
Monday, 10/28 - Middle School classes resume - 7pm in the convent.
Thursday, 10/31 - Convent CLOSED. No Confirmation classes or youth ministry.
To all parents of Confirmation students - don't forget our parent retreat on Saturday, 11/2 from 9am-3pm. Your presence is required if you have a child receiving any sacrament in the Spring of 2020.
Saturday, 11/2 - Parent retreat & youth ministry Mass @ 5pm in the church.
Sunday, 11/3 - Steve Angrisano concert at 6:30pm in the church (mandatory for all middle & high school confirmation students)

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

The OLL Book Club will meet Thursday, November 7th, at 10am, in the convent chapel for discussion of Matthew Kelly’s book “The Biggest Lie in the History of Christianity”. Please join us for coffee and fellowship - and bring a friend!

Discussion Questions for November 7

p. 19-20 The author asks: “What place are we willing to give truth in our lives? Are we willing to place truth on a throne in our lives or do we want to hide it in the closet? Is there a connection between happiness and our relationship with truth? Could a little more truth make us a little happier? Could a lot more truth make us a lot happier?

Chap 5 What are 5 of the biggest lies about Christianity?

Chap 6 What’s the biggest lie? How does it neutralize us and what does this have to do with the devil?

Chap 7-8 How do we disprove the biggest lie and what’s a Holy Moment? How can we incorporate more Holy Moments in our lives and in doing so change our world?

Focus on the 10 things on people’s minds (p. 74-77). Why is it important to encourage one another and go out to where they are rather than simply hoping they will come to church (or complaining when they don’t) p. 79?

Chap 12-13 As your read the story of the 3 old friends and the missionary – what did you think was happening at first? Did it turn out that way you thought it would? What’s the message?

Chap 14 – What’s the extension of the biggest lie? (Hint: it’s the dirty little secret.)

p. 102-103 Matthew Kelly shares with us his prayer of transformation. Do you have your own prayer of transformation or something similar that has worked to bring about miracles in your own life? What does the author mean when he says “we need to start praying prayers that God can easily answer”?

We are excited to introduce our Advent Series: Mary, A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother by Ascension Press. The series will run on Wednesday mornings at 10am in the convent chapel, beginning on November 6. There is no cost to attend, although registration is appreciated. Please contact Amy Reeder (415) 897-6714 or email: amy@ollnovato.org to sign up!

Steve Angrisano is returning to OLL and we are excited to welcome him back! Join us on Sunday, November 3 for a concert filled with music, storytelling, fun and inspiration suitable for all ages. We'll begin at 6:30pm.
**RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY**

**PROJECT DRESSER IS READY TO GO!**

The enthusiasm from the parish over our new pro-life ministry is amazing! Thank you to all who have reached out asking how they can help. We are excited to announce that our "adopted" mother is expecting a baby girl on December 21. Please see the display in the front of the church, where you can sign up for an item to purchase for this mother and baby. All items are considered "needs" for the first year of life for both mother and child. We ask that all items donated be NEW, IN ORIGINAL PACKAGING, and that you please do stick to the list of requested items. The dresser itself will be given to the mother if she is in need of one, otherwise we will save it for our next baby. Unfortunately, we cannot accept carseats, furniture or baby carriers out of concern for the potential for recall issues. At this time, with such high enthusiasm among the parish, we ask that you limit your sign-up to ONE item that is on the list. This way, as many as possible can participate. Let's also remember to pray for our mother and baby.

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**One-day Nationwide Screening of St. Faustina Movie**

**LOVE AND MERCY REGENCY MOVIE THEATER**

**Monday, October 28 7:00PM**

The gripping new docudrama Love and Mercy presents unknown facts and recently disclosed documents that shed new light on the vision of Faustina. The film debuts for one night only, October 28, at approximately 700 theaters across the United States. Use the link above to locate a theater; there are several showings across the Bay Area.

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**Esta semana en OLL**

27 Octubre - 3 Noviembre

**Adoración—Monday through Friday 9:30am to 5pm**

**Domingo:** XXX Domingo Tiempo Ordinario

**Lunes:**
**Martes:**
**Miércoles:** Nuestra Señora Grupo de Oración-
Iglesia—7:00pm

**Ensavo del Coro-Espanol—Iglesia—7pm**

**Jueves:**
**Viernes:**
**Sábado:** Cenacle—Church—9:30am

**Domingo:** XXXI Domingo Tiempo Ordinario

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**Truco o trato**

**Todos pueden comer Food Drive**

Beneficiando a las personas necesitadas en Novato través de la Virgen de Loretto Sociedad de San Vicente DePaul

Por favor traiga sus artículos no perecederos a:
OLL School 1811 Virginia Ave. -o-
OLL Iglesia vestíbulo 1806 Novato Blvd.

Los artículos sugeridos incluyen: frutas y verduras enlatadas, papas instantáneas, chile y frijoles enlatados, pasta, mantequilla de maní, arroz, etc.

Coordinado por la Oficina OLL de Educación Religiosa
amy@ollnovato.org 415-857-6714

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**LECTURAS DE HOY**

**Primera lectura** — El Señor escucha el grito de los oprimidos, el huérfano, la viuda (Eclesiástico 35:12-14, 16-18).

**Salmo** — El Señor no está lejos de sus fieles (Salmo 34 [33]).

**Segunda lectura** — La corona de los santos me está esperando (2 Timoteo 4:6-8, 16-18).

**Evangelio** — El publicano se quedaba atrás, se golpeaba el pecho (Lucas 18:9-14).

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**JUZGAR CON EL CORAZÓN**

Cuando conoces a alguien, lo juzgas por su ropa; cuando te despides, lo juzgas por su corazón.

—Proverbio ruso
La carta del padre Brian volverá pronto.

Próximas fechas importantes:

1 de noviembre - Misas del Día de Todos los Santos (Día Santo de la Obligación):
9am: misa escolar
6pm: inglés
7:30 pm: español
2 de noviembre - Día de todas las almas.
2 de noviembre - Retiro para padres de 10am a 3pm.
2 de noviembre - Misa del ministerio juvenil.
3 de noviembre: las hijas de San Pablo venden libros, CD y otros artículos.
3 de noviembre - Misa conmemorativa anual de la parroquia a las 10 a.m.
3 de noviembre - Concierto Steve Angrisano.
10 de noviembre - Segunda Colección del Seminario de San Patricio.
17 de noviembre - RICA Rito de bienvenida en la misa de las 10am.
24 de noviembre - Campaña para el Desarrollo Humano 2da Colección.
25 al 29 de noviembre - Escuela fuera para el Día de Acción de Gracias.
28 de noviembre: misa de acción de gracias a las 10 a.m. (no a las 9 a.m.). Por favor traiga su pan y vino para ser bendecidos.
1 de diciembre - Primer domingo de Adviento
1 de diciembre - Issa aquí de las obras de arte de Belén que configuran los regalos de Navidad.
6 de diciembre - Almuerzo anual de Navidad escolar a las 11am.

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

El 31 de octubre muchos se visten de monstruos y al día siguiente, los cristianos celebramos a todos los santos. Es interesante el contraste entre los dos días. Un día recordamos brujas y zombis y al siguiente conmemoramos vírgenes y mártires, religiosos y laicos comprometidos todos con una cosa en común: su amor a Dios, un amor que se hace carne en obras de caridad y justicia.

La mayoría de los santos se hicieron santos gracias a los monstruos que los rodeaban. Los primeros mártires cristianos murieron a mano de los monstruos romanos, muchos religiosos medievales se refugiaban en Dios para protegerse de los monstruos internos que los tentaban con sexo, dinero y poder. Y en América muchos como Manuel Chin Sooj se hicieron testigos de la justicia en manos de los monstruos de gobiernos injustos.

Los monstruos, en fin no pueden vencer a los santos por eso en Guatemala el martirio de Manuel Chin Sooj, animó a los obispos guatemaltecos a unirse con la carta “El clamor de la tierra” a los esfuerzos de pobres en búsqueda de tierra y dignidad humana.

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| Descripción financiera—September |
| DOMINGO COLECCIONES |
| PRESUPUESTO: $ 46,000.00 |
| REAL: $ 51,511 |
| Surplus/<Deficit>: $5,511 |

LO SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Trigésimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Lunes: Santos Simón y Judas, apóstoles
Jueves: Halloween
Viernes: Todos los Santos; Primer viernes
Sábado: Todos los Fieles Difuntos; Primer sábado