



✝ OUR LADY OF MERCY PARISH ✝

Daly City, CA 94015-3424

Rectory: 1 Elmwood Dr. — Church / Church Hall: 5 Elmwood Dr. — School: 7 Elmwood Dr.
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Established in 1954 — A Member of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of San Francisco

"Jesus,
son of
David,
have pity
on me...
Master,
I want
to
see."



"Go,
your faith
has saved
you.",
Immediately
he received
his sight
and followed
him on the
way."

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 27, 2024

RECTORY STAFF — 1 Elmwood Drive:

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The Rectory office is staffed Monday to Friday, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Our Lady of Mercy Rectory office is closed on weekends and holidays.

CURRENT SCHEDULES:

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday: 7:00am & 9:00am

Saturday Mass: 9:00AM & 4:00pm Vigil Mass

Sunday Masses: 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00 noon

Holy Days of Obligation: Vigil Mass 6:00pm, 7:00am,
9:00am & 6:00pm

BAPTISM:

1st and 3rd Saturdays at 12pm. Sundays at 1:15pm

Baptismal Preparation Class for the parents' and godparents'
Every First Wednesday of the Month the Parish Center at
7:00PM—c/o Deacon Mike Ghiorso

For grades 3-8, sign up for the
Rite of Christian Initiation of Children (RCIC).
For grades 9 and above, call to learn more about the
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).

MARRIAGE:

2nd and 4th Saturdays at 12:00 p.m.

Be sure to contact the Rectory at least six months before
your anticipated wedding date.

RECONCILIATION / CONFESSION:

Saturdays from 2:30 to 3:00 p.m. — or call the Rectory to make
an appointment with any priest.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Please call the Rectory for one of our priests to come.
Our Eucharistic Ministers visit the homebound daily.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Fridays: 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., concluding with
Evening Prayer & Benediction at 6:00 p.m.

First Fridays: Mass at 6:00 p.m.

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS:

Mondays at 6:00 p.m. (Novena & Mass)

COMMUNAL RECITATION OF THE ROSARY:

Weekdays immediately after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time:
"The Blind Who Sees: Faith That Heals"



In today's Gospel, we meet Bartimaeus, a blind beggar sitting by the roadside in Jericho. Though blind, Bartimaeus possesses a vision of faith that many around him lack. When he hears that Jesus of Nazareth is passing by, he cries out, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!"

Despite being rebuked by the crowd, Bartimaeus persists, shouting even louder. This is a powerful reminder that faith is not silent or passive. It must be bold and persistent, even in the face of opposition.

Jesus stops and asks Bartimaeus, "What do you want me to do for you?" Bartimaeus responds with the simplicity and clarity of a man who knows his need: "Master, I want to see." His physical blindness reflects the spiritual blindness that often affects our lives—our inability to perceive God's presence, our reluctance to trust fully in His mercy, or our failure to recognize the needs of others.

Bartimaeus' healing wasn't just about his physical sight being restored; it was the result of his deep trust in Jesus. "Go, your faith has saved you," Jesus says. This moment is pivotal because it shows us that salvation, wholeness, and healing come through faith—faith that is active, trusting, and persistent.

In many ways, we are all like Bartimaeus. We, too, have areas of blindness—whether spiritual, emotional, or relational. But Jesus passes by, ready to respond to our cries for mercy. Like Bartimaeus, we must have the courage to call out to Him, trusting that He hears us, even when the world tries to silence our voice.

This story also challenges us to reflect on how we respond to others in need. Do we, like the crowd, try to silence those who cry for help? Or do we, like Jesus, stop and ask, "What do you want me to do for you?" Bartimaeus' faith and Jesus' response show us that true discipleship involves not only receiving God's mercy but extending that mercy to others.

Let us open our eyes to see the opportunities to grow in faith, to recognize our own need for God's healing, and to help others encounter His mercy. Faith is the key that opens the door to healing and salvation, and like Bartimaeus, we must never be afraid to cry out for it.

Lord, Open My Eyes

Heavenly Father,

We come before You today, like Bartimaeus, crying out for Your mercy. Lord, open our eyes to see Your presence in our lives. Where we are blind to Your grace, heal us. Where we are blind to the needs of others, transform our hearts. Give us the boldness to call out to You in faith, even when the world tries to silence us.

Help us trust that You hear our cries and are ready to heal us, not just in body, but in spirit. May we never be afraid to turn to You, knowing that our faith in You can bring wholeness, hope, and salvation. Lord, as You opened the eyes of Bartimaeus, open our eyes to see those around us who are hurting, and give us the grace to extend Your love and mercy to them. Guide us to be instruments of Your healing and compassion in a world that is so often blind to Your goodness.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, who restores all things and makes all things new.

Amen.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Eph 2: 19-22; Ps 19: 2-5; Lk 6: 12-16

Tuesday: Eph 5: 21-33; Ps 128: 1-5; Lk 13: 18-21

Wednesday: Eph 6: 1-9; Ps 145: 10-114; Lk 13: 22-30

Thursday: Eph 6: 10-20; Ps 144: 1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 13: 31-35

Friday: Rev 7: 2-4, 9-14; Ps 24: 1-4ab, 5-6; 1Jn 3: 1-3; Mt 5: 1-12a

Saturday: Wis 3: 1-9; Ps 23: 1-6; Rom 6: 3-9 or Rom 5: 5-11; Jn 6: 37-40

Sunday: Dt 6: 2-6; Ps 18: 2-4, 47, 51; Heb 7: 23-28; Mk 12: 28b-34

Upcoming Events of Note:

- October is Month of Mary. We encourage you to pray the Rosary everyday, for the **"Family that prays together, stays together."**

-All envelopes for the All Souls are available in the pews. Our Masses for the whole month of November will be in remembrance of our beloved dead. Let us remember them in our prayers.

-November 1, Friday– Feast of All Saints is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses are as follows: 6:00pm-Vigil Mass (Oct. 31); 7:00am, 9:00am and 6:00pm (Nov. 1).

-November 5, Tuesday is Election Day. Please remember to exercise your right of suffrage.

Reminders:

- On behalf of the missionary men & women serving all over mission territories, a heartfelt gratitude for your generous support on World Mission Sunday. Your contributions ensure that the Gospel continues to spread, bringing hope, love, and salvation to those in need.

- We are inviting businesses to advertise in our Parish Bulletin. If you are interested, kindly contact Sr. Ma. Stella Suico, RVM

at the Rectory Office or at olmcatolicchurch@gmail.com

- Please drop off or mail your Offertory Envelopes to the Rectory Office if you unable to go to Church. Thank you for your continued support to Our Lady of Mercy Church.

-November 3, Sunday is Daylight Saving Time. Set your clocks one (1) hour backward on Saturday midnight.

-The Parish Staff wish you all and your children a safe and fun Trick or Treat. Happy Halloween.

Day	Time	Mass Intentions for the Coming Week: October 28—November 3, 2024	
Mon Oct 28	7:00am 9:00am 6:00pm	Tony Lau + Nestor Diaz de Rivera + Alberto Esteva +	AN RC DO
Tue Oct 29	7:00am 9:00am	Tony Lau + Alberto Esteva +	RC AN
Wed Oct 30	7:00am 9:00am	Ursula de la Cruz + Grace Labonete & Family– Thanksgiving	AN DO
Thur Oct 31	7:00am 9:00am 6:00pm	Susan Breneman + Francisco Cruz + Poor Souls in Purgatory	RC DO DO
Fri Nov 1	7:00am 9:00am 6:00pm	Poor Souls in Purgatory Poor Souls in Purgatory + Deceased Members of OLM Parish	
Sat Nov 2	9:00am 4:00pm	Maquinana Family– Thanksgiving Pedro & Carmen Salaburo– Wedding Anniversary	
Sun Nov 3	8:00am 10:00am 12:00pm	Edward Cunanan, Sr. + Greta Floresca + Anthony Formosa +	

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Saints Simon & Jude, Apostles

Friday: ALL SAINTS DAY

Saturday: ALL SOULS' DAY

Updates & Support

AAA Update: OLM parishioners have contributed in cash and pledges **\$73,429.00** as of Oct. 22 out of our goal of **\$93, 547.00**.

SUNDAY COLLECTION

Oct. 19 and 20, 2024

FIRST COLLECTION - \$ 4,626.04

SECOND COLLECTION /World Mission Sunday

\$ 3,923.00

Maintenance Fund - \$ 2,437.89



Rest in Peace



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join us!

Welcome to Our Lady of Mercy!

If you worship with us each week, please fill out this form and become an **official** member of the parish. *Upon completion, you may drop this form at the Rectory or with your donation during offertory collection.*

By registering, you get on our mailing list and let us know if you are interested in supporting your parish through your time, talents and treasure—the privilege of every Catholic.

Baptism & Confirmation of children, weddings & marriage anniversaries, Funeral Services for loved ones, etc.

In addition, all **registered** members of the parish are eligible to celebrate important sacramental events at OLM.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone/s: _____

Email: _____

If you are just visiting from another parish, we do hope you enjoy your OLM experience today!

O God,
who by the blessed Apostles
have brought us
to acknowledge your name,
graciously grant,
through the intercession of
Saints Simon and Jude,
that the Church may constantly grow
by increase of the peoples
who believe in you.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ,
your Son, who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

Sts. Simon and Jude

Feast Day: October 28th

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