

**SIXTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
FEBRUARY 16, 2020**

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St. John Vianney Chapel

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday Vigil5:00 p.m.
Sunday.....8:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

Weekday Eucharist

Monday through Friday.....7:45 a.m.
Holy Days.....7:45 a.m.
Eucharistic Adoration: Usually the fourth day of every month.
Check the bulletin for confirmation of date.
RosaryMonday through Friday 7:15 a.m.

Parish Administration

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Celebrations and Sacraments

Please call or email the parish office for details regarding:
Weddings, Funerals, Baptisms (third Sunday of the month; advance preparation required), Homebound Communion and Sacraments for the sick.



Altar Servers
Julie Kelly
Bereavement Ministry
Alanna Psomas
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Linda Chaix
Ushers
Gary Jennison
Wedding Coordinator
Diane Lewis
Women's Guild
Erin Graass

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
February 17 - February 23

**THIS WEEK'S CELEBRATIONS
OF SAINTS AND OTHER
OBSERVANCES**

Monday: Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76;
Mk 8:11-13
Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a; 14-15, 18-19;
Mk 8:14-21
Wednesday: Jas 1:19-27; Ps 15:2-4ab, 5;
Mk 8:22-26
Thursday: Jas 2:1-9; Ps 34:2-7; Mk 8:27-33
Friday: Jas 2:14-24, 26; Ps 112:1-6; Mk 8:34 — 9:1
Saturday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19
Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13;
1 Cor 3:16-23;
Mt 5:38-48

Sunday: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order; Presidents' Day
Friday: St. Peter Damian
Saturday: The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle; Washington's Birthday

*OUR FAITH.
OUR
FUTURE.*



2020 PASTORAL SERVICES APPEAL

The PSA provides an opportunity to support Faith Formation, Outreach Ministries, Clergy Formation and Support as well as our own parish needs. The Chapel's goal for this year is \$71,000.00. You may drop your pledge envelope in the collection basket or mail it directly.

Thank you!



**STATUE OF
OUR LADY**

The Chapel's blessed Statue of Our Lady is being shared with families in our parish. **The McLaren Family** hosted Mother Mary this week. Would you like to host our Blessed Mother in your home for a week and commit to pray at least one decade of the Rosary for the intentions of our priests and parish?

Text **ADRIANA FARFAN** at (949) **400-9136** to arrange.



Serving People In Need (SPIN)

of Orange County is looking for van drivers to help distribute 300 sack meals to Orange County's homeless at specific locations **Thursdays from 4:00-6:00 PM.** The schedule is very flexible according to your availability. Must be able to lift 30 lb. boxes of sack meals.

For more information, contact **Kim Frazier at (714) 751-3177** or **kimf@spinoc.org.**

CHOICE

"If you choose you can keep the commandments," Sirach tells us. God "has set before you fire and water; to whichever you choose, stretch forth your hand" (Sirach 15:15, 16). This is a great mystery: God does not control us so completely that we cannot choose our own path. We have certain boundaries, of course, but no one but we can choose our way within those boundaries.

In today's reading from Matthew's Gospel, Jesus reminds us of our freedom and our responsibility for our lives. He calls us to look beyond the words of the commandments, all the way to their meaning. Look beyond the adultery to the selfishness that poisons our love. Look beyond the murder to the anger that eats away at our compassion. Look beyond the perjured testimony to the lies and deception that drive our behavior.

Our vocation is to choose life for ourselves, and to choose a path through our part of the world that helps make life possible and more abundant for others as well.



**“Walking with Passion”
St. John Vianney Lenten Retreat
Thursday, February 27**

Father Brandon Dang, Director of Vocations for the Diocese of Orange will lead our **Lenten Morning of Recollection.**

Our retreat will begin with **7:45 am Mass** followed by light refreshments and a reflection on the Lord’s Passion through Fr. Brandon’s pilgrimage to the Holy Land. The talk will conclude with the opportunity for individual Confessions. Please feel free to invite your family and friends.

**Air Force One Luncheon and Tour
at the
Ronald Reagan Library and Museum
Monday, March 2**

St. John Vianney Chapel Women’s Guild invites you to a docent tour of the library and museum and have lunch under the wing of the Air Force One. We will depart on a luxury motor coach from Our Lady Queen of Angels Church at **9:00 am and will board the bus to return between 3:00 and 4:00 pm.** Also included is a tour of the special exhibit, **Egypt’s Lost Cities.** Tickets are **\$100.00 per person** and made payable to SJV Guild. Please RSVP by February 10. For information and to RSVP, call **Teresa Sando** at (949) 677-3956 or email: surfingsando5@cox.net

*****SAVE THE DATE***
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
St. Patrick’s Day Party**

OLMC’s annual St. Patrick’s Day Celebration for the entire family, hosted by the Knights of Columbus, is taking place **Saturday evening March 14.** The Knights will be serving traditional Irish fare of corned beef and cabbage, Irish coffee, beer and wine. Watch the bulletin in the next few weeks for more information.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF ORANGE COUNTY
PRESENTS**

**33rd Mardi Gras Gala
“Spot Light On Families”**

**February 22, 5:30 PM - 10:30 PM
Balboa Bay Resort, Newport Beach**

Please contact **Becky Tamondong** for more information at rtamondong@ccoc.org or (714) 347-9628.



**OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL
BLOOD DRIVE**

**THIS
Saturday, February 22
1:30-6:30 PM**

SCHEDULE YOUR APPOINTMENT NOW AT MYSCBB.org/schedule and follow the prompts, and then click on our parish name. Southern California Blood Bank is hosting our Blood Drive in O’Donnell Hall.

WALK-INS WELCOME

MASS INTENTIONS

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass may be offered for many reasons, including (1) the repose of the soul of a loved one, (2) the intentions of living persons in need, (3) upon the occasions of someone’s birthday or anniversary, and (4) in thanksgiving for blessings received.

Infinite graces flow from the Sacrifice Christ made on the Cross which is present at every Eucharist.

An offering is traditionally included with the request for Mass intentions, and Mass cards are available to give to the persons for whom the Mass is offered or their family. Please contact the parish office at (949) 673-3801 for more information.