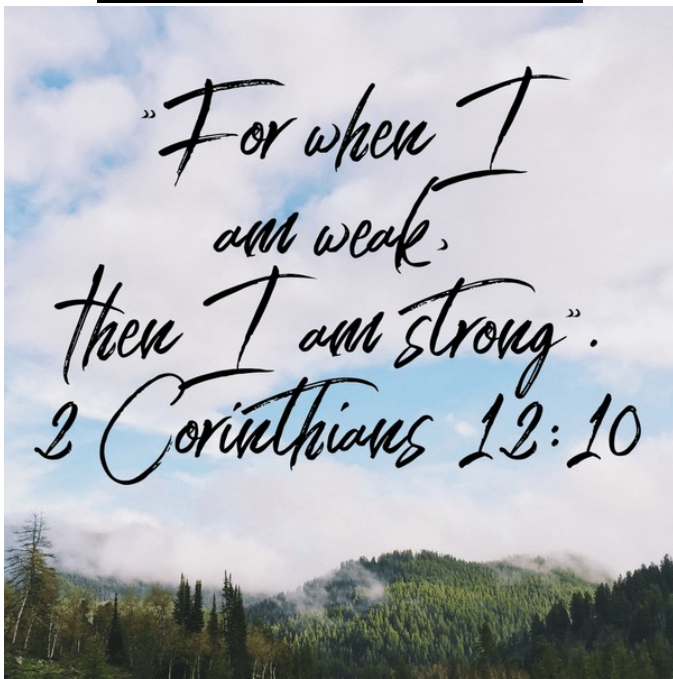


JULY 6 & 7, 2024
14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



By: The Word Among Us

I am content with weaknesses. (2 Corinthians 12: 10)

Is Paul joking? Who would be content with weakness? Most of us would want to be strong and in charge, at the top of our game. In fact, we are more likely to minimize or disguise our limitations or difficulties. So, why would Paul be happy not only with the weakness but also with “insults, hardships, persecutions, and constraints” (2 Corinthians 12: 10)?

Because all of his suffering, including the “thorn in the flesh” that he describes in today’s Second Reading (2 Corinthians 12: 7), had taught Paul a lesson. When he was at his weakest, humanly speaking, God’s strength flowed through him the most. When he stopped relying on his own strength and trusting in his own gifts, the Lord’s power dwelt within him more perfectly.

St. Therese of Lisieux learned a similar lesson. Painfully aware of her own “littleness” and inability to “climb the stairs to holiness,” she found an elevator – the arms of her heavenly Father. Just as a small child relies on her father to lift her and carry her up the stairs, so Therese came to trust and rejoice in her heavenly Father’s strength to carry her in her weakness.

There is freedom that comes with recognizing our limitations and embracing this kind of child-like dependence to God. The more we honestly acknowledge our weakness, the more room we make for God’s strength to grow in us. We realize that there’s only so much we can do ourselves. But we also realize that as soon as we stop thinking everything depends on us, God will show us what he can do.

So, let’s embrace our “littleness.” Let’s lean into our weakness and rely on God’s strength, so, that we can reveal his power more and more clearly.

“Father, I acknowledge my weakness. Lord, come and carry me!”

REMINDER REGARDING
COLECTIVE MASS INTENTIONS

The Code of Canon Law (the official law of the Church) allows for “collective” or multiple Mass intentions as often as twice each week in a parish. Multiple intentions can be accepted only under the following conditions:

-the several donors must be informed of and consent to the combination of the intentions beforehand.

-the place and time of the particular Mass must be announced publicly.

-the privilege may not be used more than twice a week in any parish.

Currently in our parish, the two Saturday Vigil Masses (5:00 pm in English and 6:30 pm in Spanish) are the two Masses designated each week that open for multiple intentions.



THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HAS RESPONDED GENEROUSLY TO ANNUAL MINISTRY APPEAL, ONE FAMILY IN MISSION. THE SUCCESS OF THE APPEAL DEPENDS ON YOU.

OUR GOAL THIS YEAR IS \$10,300.00. SO FAR, OUR PLEDGES ARE \$ 9,140.00.

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT!



ANOINTING OF THE SICK

When a parishioner is homebound or hospitalized and would like Father Pacheco to pay them a visit to receive Holy Communion and/or Anointing of the Sick, please call the Parish Office at 707-964-0229 ext. 1 and after office hours, please call 707-813-4188.



EVERY THURSDAY @ 11:00AM,
WE HAVE THE EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION OF
THE BLESSED SACRAMENT,
FOLLOWED BY MASS AT 12:05PM.

Chicken BBQ

Fundraiser

WE WOULD LIKE TO INVITE THE COMMUNITY TO
OUR NEXT CHICKEN BBQ MEETING.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 10TH AT 6PM IN THE PARISH HALL.

Registration



Religious Education

REGISTRATION FOR CATECHISM CLASSES 2024-2025

ENROLLMENT DATES:

FRIDAY, JULY 26TH FROM 1PM – 3PM

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7TH FROM 5:30PM – 7PM

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18TH FROM 11:30AM – 12:30PM

IF IT'S THE FIRST TIME REGISTERING YOUR CHILD FOR
FIRST COMMUNION:

YOU WILL NEED TO BRING A COPY OF THE BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATE

CONFIRMATION:

YOU WILL NEED TO BRING A COPY OF THE BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATE
AND FIRST COMMUNION CERTIFICATE.

VERY LIMITED SEATING!

APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED ONLY THE DAY OF REGISTRATION.
(COMPLETED AND WITH PAYMENT)

\$75/CHILD AND \$65/ SECOND CHILD

FIRST DAY OF INSTRUCTION:

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2024 FROM 5:30PM – 6:45PM.

FOR QUESTIONS,

PLEASE CONTACT VERONICA RENTERIA: 707-357-2890.



MAGNIFICAT

Mark Your Calendars:

It's Time for Magnificat Days!

Magnificat Days summer youth camp will be
July 25-27 for children and youth ages 6-18.

We will need volunteers to help with morning sign in's,
activities, and meal prep. Can you help?

Call Kathleen Kasperson: 707.513.5672.

Registration and more information available soon.



69TH ANNUAL PARISH BBQ

Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church
Corner of Harold & Maple Sts. Fort Bragg, CA

CHICKEN BBQ

Sunday, Aug. 4th, 2024!

11AM – 6PM

Delicious BBQ Chicken (1/2 chicken!), Green Salad, Mexican
Beans, Rice, Garlic Bread, Dessert, Punch & Coffee!

Full Order - \$30

1/2 Order \$25

Wine Wheel, Beer, Wine & Margaritas

Games for All Ages - Silent Auction

GREAT FAMILY FUN!!!

MASS INTENTIONS

JULY 6 - 12, 2024

Saturday (06)	9:00am	Rose Fabela Power (healing)
	5:00pm	Fred & Clara White † Thomas Galemba † Kathleen Swensen † Marcelino Chanure †
	6:30pm	Roberto López † Refugio Yáñez † Eliazar Ramírez † Jorge Fierro † Juan Olvera † Arturo Ramírez † Emerita Ramírez † Rutilo Sandoval † Alyssa Cruz (b-day) Refugio Rentería (b-day)
Sunday (07)	8:00am	Harold & Violet Johnson † & family
	10:00am	Missa pro populo
Monday (08)	12:05pm	NO MASS
Tuesday (09)	5:30pm	Marcelino Chanure †
Wednesday (10)	12:05pm	Marcelino Chanure †
Thursday (11)	12:05pm	Open Intention
Friday (12)	12:05pm	Open Intention

WEEKLY COLLECTION

JUNE 29 & 30, 2024...\$2,918.00

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL'S MINISTRY...\$723.00

THIS WEEKEND OUR SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE FOR
LIABILITY INSURANCE

NEXT WEEKEND OUR SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE FOR
MAINTENANCE FUND

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT & CHRISTIAN GENEROSITY!!

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS

Cuca Soto, Yolanda Soto, Rosalío Martínez, Felix Santillán, Ron Sousa,
Esperanza Barba, Bertha Valenzuela, Gina Pivrotto, Angie Gómez,
Rose Cortez, Fidela Jara, Martha Sánchez, Gerardo Escobedo, Angie
Freitas, Russel Bryant, Derrick Heater, Ann Gallagher, Brianna Lopez,
Margaret Milliken, Nick Quin, Mary Servis, Matty Walker & Ofelia
Ybarra.



WE WOULD LIKE TO REMIND YOU THAT:

Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish now provides
"ParishSOFT Giving," an online giving software!

To get started, you can go to olgcinfb.org.

From this link you will be allowed to manage your own
account online, set up gifts on a schedule that you choose or a
one-time donation, and can be set up with a credit card, debit
card, checking or savings account!

For questions, please contact the office at 964-0229 ext 1.



Fundraiser

69TH ANNUAL PARISH BBQ

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4TH, 2024
FROM 11AM – 5PM OR UNTIL SOLD OUT

**WE NEED YOUR HELP!!
YOU CAN SUPPORT OUR CHURCH BY:**

• SIGN-UP FOR 2 HOURS VOLUNTEER HELP.
(SIGN-UP SHEETS ARE IN THE VESTIBULE OF THE CHURCH OR LET THE PARISH OFFICE
KNOW AT 707-964-0229 EXT 1)

- TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS: BUY TICKETS TO DONATE TO LARGER FAMILIES; BUY KID'S GAME TICKETS AND/OR CASH/CHECK DONATIONS TO OFF-SET COSTS OF FOOD AND ENTERTAINMENT.
- FOR SET-UP CREW ON SATURDAY, 8/3 (9AM - 1PM) ~ WE'LL FEED YOU!
- CLEAN-UP CREWS: SUNDAY, 8/4 (6PM – 9PM) AND MONDAY, 8/5 (5PM).

THE MORE HANDS, THE EASIER THE WORK.

- NICE ITEMS FOR THE SILENT AUCTION: PATIO FURNITURE; FRAMED ARTWORK; NEW SMALL APPLIANCES; GIFT BASKETS; GIFT CERTIFICATES: "WHAT YOU CAN THINK OF THAT FOLKS WILL BID MONEY ON?" PLEASE CONTACT ANGELENE LEIST TO DONATE 707-513-5579.
- CANS OF SODA & 2 LITER SODAS AND/OR CASES OR BOTTLES OF WINE FOR WINE WHEEL.
- HOMEMADE DESSERTS FOR DESSERT TABLE. PLEASE BRING TO THE HALL BEFORE 11AM ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 4TH.

PLEASE MAKE DONATION CHECKS TO: **OLGC BBQ 2024**

~ALL DONATIONS CAN BE LEFT AT THE RECTORY~

Please let the Office know if you need a tax-deductible receipt.



IN THE VESTIBULE OF THE CHURCH, ON THE SOUTHERN WALL IS A BEAUTIFUL MEMORIAL TREE.

ITS BRIGHT LEAVES REPRESENT PERMANENT MEMORIALS TO THE DEPARTED OF OUR PARISH. FOR THE SUM OF \$200.00, YOU CAN GIVE TO THE PARISH SECRETARY, THE CORRECT SPELLING AND DATES OF THE DEPARTED AND IN DUE TIME THE LEAF IS PRINTED AND ATTACHED TO THE TR AS A PERMANENT REMINDER OF A LOVED ONE WHO IS GONE.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE AT 707-964-0229.

LET'S PRAY FOR ALL OUR FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY

Jovany Baez, Justin Mertle, María de la Luz Ramírez, Rebeca Sánchez, Marina González, José Araiza, Jr., Alondra Jara, Sonia Jara, Matt Mills & Jared Schroeder.

~UPDATE YOUR RECORDS~

Have you changed your address? Phone number? Email address? If so, please contact the parish office and let us know your changes so that we can update your parishioner record. Email changes to olgcinfb@gmail.com or call at 707-964-0229 ext. 1.