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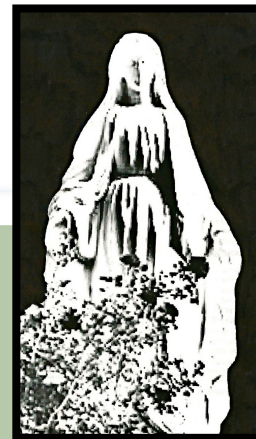
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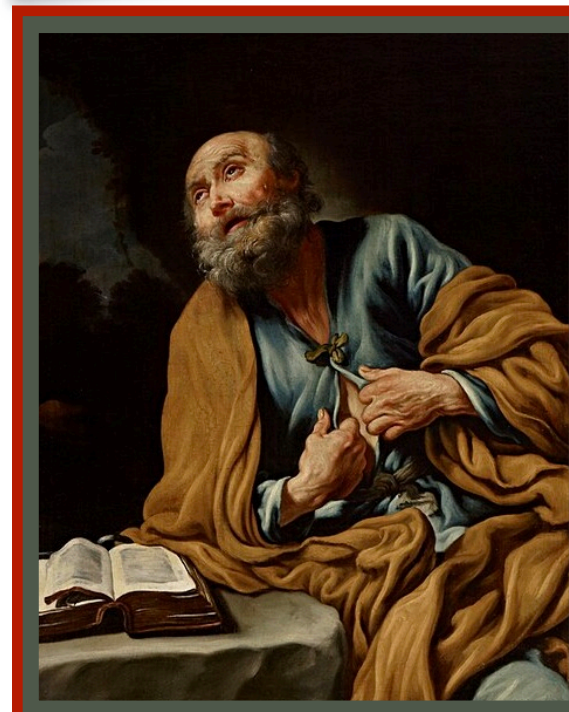
August 25, 2024
 Twenty-first Sunday
 in Ordinary Time



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"Lament of Saint Peter"
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 Claude Vignon

There are many terrific opportunities within our family of faith, to Love, Grow & Serve. Please see our lists of Activities, Organizations, & Events, inside this bulletin!

Daily Mass

Weekdays at
8:00 AM

Vigil on Saturday

5:30 PM

Sunday Mass

8:00 AM and 10:00 AM

First Saturdays

8:00 AM

Reconciliation

Thursdays during Adoration,
 Fridays following the 8:00 AM Mass,
 Saturday, 4-5 PM,
 or By Appointment

Adoration/Exposition

Thursdays following
 8:00 AM Mass

Divine Mercy Devotion

Fridays following
 8:00 AM Mass

Parish Office

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 Office Hours

The office is temporarily closed for any scheduled hours

Our Pastor

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Baptism & Marriage

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The mission of Our Lady of Light Church, is to provide an amicable environment of Catholic worship, education, evangelization and service, to all of God's people. Together we strive to be instruments of God's love, peace, and joy, following the example of Our Lady of Light.



**87th Annual BBQ
BBQ: Sept. 1st
All hands on
deck!**

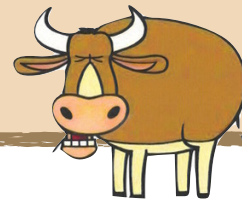
**We Need
Volunteers!!!**

*to make this BBQ the success it
has always been!*

*If you haven't signed up yet we have
many areas that need your help, more
areas still need staffing.
It is critical these areas get filled.
Sign-up in the Parish hall.*

Contact Information

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Please!

Remember in your prayers

Liz Sjoquist, Annette Musco,
Paul Colwell, Jan Nasland,
Pat Schumacher, Betty Ward,
Mike Delvac, Dee Upham, Jamie
Lenore, Fr. Rick, Helen Sanko,
Susan Lancaster, Eli Heckscher,
Park Fire Victims and Firefighters,
Helene, Teresa Vasquez,
Todd Ward, Tim Coone,
Lizzy Paredes & her mother,
Reed Bender & Family, Tim Costello,
Chuck & Sandy Sleeper, Bobby
Garbani, and Mona & Ivan
Heckscher.

**Pray for the repose
of these souls**

Eileen Briese,
Dottie Sparks,
Butch Paddock,
Debbie Benson,
and Corey Comperatore.



Mass Intentions for This Week

Saturday, August 24 Vigil Mass
5:30 PM Marina Lloyd, Good health

Sunday, August 25 Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM For Israel and the Jewish People
10:00 AM John Costello, Healing

Monday, August 26
8:00 AM For Giving Thanks to God

Tuesday, August 27 St. Monica
8:00 AM Richard Deutsch, Prayers

Wednesday, August 28 St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
8:00 AM Susan Lancaster, Successful surgery

Thursday, August 29 The Passion of St. John the Baptist
8:00 AM Esteban Taneo, RIP
For President Trump

Friday, August 30
8:00 AM Votive of the Mystery of the Holy Cross

Pope's Intention: For political leaders. We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.

Organizations & Contact Info

Altar & Rosary Society Meetings; 2nd Thursday of each Month
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Parish Office Hours

Please note that the Parish Office is temporarily closed for scheduled hours. If you have an emergency and need a priest, please call Fr. Rick at 619-445-4972. Otherwise you may leave a message at 619-445-3620 or contact us by email at office@ourladyoflight.church. You may continue to use the mail slot up in the Parish Hall to the right of the main double doors, under the OFFICE sign.



**A Message
from Father Rick**

Jesus calls us to his friendship and intimacy through the Eucharist. What will it take to truly believe that Jesus comes to us under the appearances of bread and wine? In the Gospels, Jesus repeatedly speaks about having a heart of a child. Only the childlike will enter the Kingdom of Heaven. A childlike attitude means to be open to the marvels of God in ordinary things. The teachings of Jesus were not only difficult to understand but also humanly impossible. Like the disciples we too face the challenges of getting involved in the life of the church, at the heart of which is the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. Like Peter, we may ultimately say, "Lord, to whom shall we go; you have the words of eternal life." Let us continue to marvel at God's revelation. Jesus continues to reveal himself to us in the Holy Eucharist. Let us find ways to grow in our knowledge and friendship with the Lord. He is here with us. The Psalm tells us, "When the just cry out, the LORD hears them, and from all their distress he rescues them."

**Parish Offerings
August 15 & 18**

Plate Collections	\$	1,177
Envelope Tithes	\$	1,155
Coffee & Donuts	\$	28
Donations (Restricted)	\$	295
Building Fund (Restricted)	\$	0
Total	\$	2,655
Average Weekly Operating Expenses	\$	3,215

Please note that the Building Funds cannot be used towards Operating Expenses.

The Latest Topics!



***BBQ...One Mission One Team!**

Help us get to our 100th Anniversary!
Make this our best year ever!!! This is our largest fundraiser that only occurs once a year. Our success relies on volunteers.

Work Parties to set up the parking area begin this coming Tuesday, August 27. Check out the work party schedule. Newbies and veterans encouraged to help.

***T-Shirts...\$20 each**

Shirts are ready for sale up in the Parish Hall. Shirts are \$20 each. Please place your payment into the donation box. **NO IOU'S!**

***Cobbler Making/Baking...Friday, August 30 at 8 AM**

Come and help with this annual event. See how we make Mary Ann's Famous Peach Cobbler! See you this Friday morning. The more the merrier! It's important that new folks join in to learn how these things are done!

***Grandpa's Attic...Update!**

The last day to drop off items is this Sunday, August 25. If you need to drop off something after Sunday please contact Charlene Phelps at 619-247-3020. Shopping after Sunday Masses...GOOD PRICES...GREAT DEALS! Please plan on arriving early to the hall on Saturday, August 31 to help with moving the Grandpa's Attic items down to the grotto. Bring your hand trucks to help with the move. It can be done quickly with many hands!!!

***Coffee and Donuts**

We are looking for someone to be in charge of hospitality (the coffee and donuts) following the 10 AM Mass.

***Raffle Tickets...**

Don't forget to pick up an envelope or two or three of tickets to sell to family and friends. These are available in the back of the church on the table that has all things "BBQ".

***Work Party Schedule...this is countdown week!**

Please check out the work party schedule. We need you to help where you are able. Extra schedules available in the back of the church. It takes **ALL** able bodied people in our parish to make this BBQ happen and be a success!



Mary's Corner

"Let us entrust to her intercession the daily prayer for peace, especially in places where the senseless logic of violence is most ferocious; so that all people may be convinced that in this world we must help each other, as brothers and sisters, to build the civilization of love."

Pope Benedict XVI