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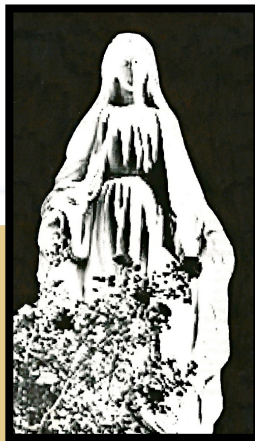
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January 26, 2025  
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Jesus' Mission Statement  
 Date Unknown  
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**Daily Mass**

Mondays and Wed.-Fri.  
**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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**Baptism & Marriage**

Contact Father Rick

**R.C.I.A. and CYM**

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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*.



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!



## Mass Intentions

Arranging to have a Mass Intention for anyone is one of the most beautiful gifts given, and one of the most joyful to receive! There are many openings available on the calendar. You may use the Mass Intention envelopes found in the Church pews.

Place your request in the collection basket during Mass or drop it in the Parish Hall mail slot.

Please include your contact information or contact Robin Shull at 619-473-1086 or [rkshull54@gmail.com](mailto:rkshull54@gmail.com)

## Please!

### Remember in your prayers

Liz Sjoquist, Annette Musco, Paul Colwell, Jan Nasland, Brian, Pat Schumacher, Betty Ward, Mike Delvac, Fr. Rick, John Rzucidlo, Susan Lancaster, Bryan Pasyton, Renee Head, Marty Wilcock, Vicki Whitmire & family, Caroline & Zachary Shelton, Lawrence D'Souza, LA Fire victims/ First Responders, the Craighead Family, Nancy Clark, and the McKinley Family.

### Pray for the repose of these souls

Jared Jones, Daniel McKinley, Rowdie Sinderud, Brenda Van Ommering, and Barbara Lanphere.



## Mass Intentions for This Week

<b>Saturday, January 25</b> 5:30 PM	<b>Vigil Mass</b> For Christian Unity
<b>Sunday, January 26</b> 8:00 AM 10:00 AM	<b>Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Parishioners and Benefactors Rowdie Sinderud, Healing
<b>Monday, January 27</b> 8:00 AM	<b>St. Angela Merici, Virgin</b> For Our Lord Jesus Christ
<b>Tuesday, January 28</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Wednesday, January 29</b> 8:00 AM	For Jesus Christ Eternal High Priest
<b>Thursday, January 30</b> 8:00 AM	For the Church
<b>Friday, January 31</b> 8:00 AM	<b>St. John Bosco, Priest</b> For all Holy Men and Women



**Pope's Intention:** For the right to an education. Let us pray for migrants, refugees, and those affected by war, that their right and education, which is necessary to build a better world, might always be respected.

## Organizations & Contact Info

<b>Altar &amp; Rosary Society</b> Charlene Phelps	Meetings; 2nd Thursday of each Month <a href="mailto:9933char@gmail.com">9933char@gmail.com</a>	619-659-0488
<b>Prayer Circle</b> Pat Hansen	<a href="mailto:hansenpat@msn.com">hansenpat@msn.com</a>	619-445-3822
<b>Mass Intentions &amp; Bulletin</b> Robin Shull	<a href="mailto:rkshull54@gmail.com">rkshull54@gmail.com</a>	619-473-1086
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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](mailto: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 had a mission. In the Gospel of Saint Luke, Jesus chose to do His inaugural address in His native town of Nazareth. He had all the rights to do so because as The Messiah and Savior of the world. He had a mission to fulfill. Jesus said, quoting the words of Prophet Isaiah, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free." The words of the Lord were for all people, for all generations and everywhere in the world. From the very beginning Jesus was not just the Messiah for the Jewish people, but His Kingdom is for all, for all the poor, the captives, the blind, and all the oppressed. Hearing His words, one can be full of hope, but how can He bring to fulfillment this inaugural speech? Jesus did His share of doing the Father's will, now it is our mission to do ours. After all, the work of salvation continues to unfold through the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

## Parish Offerings January 19

Plate Collections	\$	419
Envelope Tithes	\$	806
Donations (Restricted)	\$	50
Coffee & Donuts	\$	17
Candles	\$	45
Building Fund (Restricted)	\$	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,337</b>
<b>Average Weekly Operating Expenses</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>2,817</b>

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

## The Latest Topics!



### \*Online bulletin...

The bulletin is back online...not sure what the glitch was, but it has returned. Currently working on getting it all updated. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

### \*Blessing of the Candles

Next Sunday, February 2, is the Presentation of the Lord and also the Blessing of Candles. Father Rick will be blessing candles following communion at all Masses including the vigil Mass. You are encouraged to bring candles from home to be blessed.

### \*From the BBQ group...

We need someone, or two people, to volunteer to send out requests to numerous local businesses for donations. The donations will be used to make up the gift baskets. This task may be broken down over the time leading up to the BBQ, but we need to get going on this part very soon. This task would be leading up to the BBQ and would free you up on BBQ day to relax and enjoy! If interested please email Dan at [Danieldescanzo91916@gmail.com](mailto:Danieldescanzo91916@gmail.com)

### \*New Tithing Envelopes...Need envelopes?

If you would like to receive tithing envelopes and currently do not, please email Robin Shull at [rkshull54@gmail.com](mailto:rkshull54@gmail.com). Include your phone number, mailing address and complete email address.

### \*Income Tax Letters

Any parishioner who has donated \$250 or more will automatically be mailed a donation letter from the church signed by Father Rick. Letters should be sent out by the end of January or the first week in February.

### \*Sunday Snack Sign-up

If you enjoy those tasty treats after Sunday Masses, please consider signing up to donate treats. The sign-up calendar may be found in the Parish hall. We appreciate your donations.

### \*Catholic Chat...this Sunday!

We will be resuming our monthly informal Catholic Chat meetings after the 10 AM Mass every 4th Sunday of the month. Our first one for this year will this Sunday, January 26. Please plan on joining us for coffee, sweets, and discussions on all things Catholic. For more info contact [hansenpat@msn.com](mailto:hansenpat@msn.com)

## Mary's Corner

"In trial or difficulty I have recourse to Mother Mary, whose glance alone is enough to dissipate every fear."

St. Therese of Lisieux

