Our Lady of Guadalupe Church
Hermosa Beach

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Phone Operator Hours
Tuesday-Friday 11 AM - 4 PM
Saturday 9 AM - 1 PM

Parish Staff Contact Information

Mass Schedule In 2021

Daily Mass at 8 AM Monday - Saturday (in church)

Saturday Vigil Masses
5 PM English
7 PM Spanish

Sunday
7 AM English (in church)
8 AM Spanish
10 AM English
12 PM English

Register To Attend Mass In Person
Weekend Masses are outdoors in the Church parking lot (unless otherwise noted) to reserve a place before we are full register in advance on our website.

Watch The Livestream of Devotions and Masses
We offer a live-stream of all Masses and Devotions on the OLG website, Youtube, and Facebook page.
Mass Indoors or Outdoors?
As you may have already read, because of Supreme Court rulings in similar cases, LA county will no longer attempt to prevent Religious Services from being indoors; however, it is highly recommended that Churches continue to worship outdoors. Additionally, our Archbishop has given the same directive, namely that it is best if we continue outdoors for now. Currently, we have moved the 8 AM Daily Mass and 7 AM Sunday Mass indoors to the church as the number of persons attending these Masses are small. For now, we will continue all other Masses outside in the church parking lot. We are continuing to evaluate the situations with our staff, volunteers, and the Bishops, and will let you know as our plans change.

Will We Still Have Mass Outdoors if it Rains?
Good question! If the forecast is for only light rain, we’ll still celebrate Mass outdoors, as we currently do. Most are in cars, and our Eucharistic Ministers will come with the Eucharist in pairs, one holding an umbrella, the other holding Jesus. If it is heavy rain, the Priest will move inside. Those who have registered as walk-ins will also be invited to come inside, as long as we keep the number inside below 50. All who are in cars will be invited to remain, and either listen to the Mass on the radio, the Mass is broadcast to the parking lot on 100.9 FM, or you may watch the livestream on your device. At communion time, we will still bring out the Eucharist using the team of Eucharistic ministers with an umbrella and with the Eucharist.

Sunday, January 24

First Reading: The Ninevites turn from their evil ways in response to Jonah's message (Jonah 3:1-5, 10).

Psalm: Teach me your ways, O Lord (Psalm 25).

Second Reading: The world in its present form is passing away (1 Corinthians 7:29-31).

Gospel: Jesus proclaims, “Repent, and believe in the gospel.” The new disciples abandon their nets and follow him (Mark 1:14-20).

Sunday, January 31

First Reading: Moses spoke to all the people, saying: “A prophet like me will the LORD, your God, raise up for you” (Deuteronomy 18:15-20).

Psalm: If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 95).

Second Reading: Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties (1 Corinthians 7:32-35).

Gospel: The people were astonished at Jesus’ teaching; he taught them as one having authority (Mark 1:21-28).
A NEW DAY DAWNS

In the readings this Sunday we hear how Jonah, sent by God to warn the people, storms through the streets of Nineveh, scaring the citizens out of their wits. And it works! God has a change of heart, seeing “by their actions” how the people turn from evil (Jonah 3:10). A new day dawns.

Next, we hear Paul telling the Corinthians, “The world in its present form is passing away” (1 Corinthians 7:31). He calls for a change of heart. Stopping short of telling them to stop carrying out their everyday activities, he urges them—rather mysteriously—to live “as though” they aren’t doing the things they are doing. A new day has dawned.

Finally, Jesus stands on the shore and cries, “The kingdom of God is at hand!” (Mark 1:14). Simon and Andrew abandon their nets—and even their father—and follow him. A new day had dawned.

Everyone has to change when a new day dawns: the Ninevites, the Corinthians, the apostles, even Jesus! Didn’t a new day dawn today for us as well?

La misión de los bautizados.

Seguir a Jesús lleva consigo una misión: hacer realidad el Reino de Dios en nuestra sociedad. Hacer lo posible que Dios reine, es decir, que sus valores de justicia, de fraternidad, de paz, de verdad y de amor se hagan, (la hagamos) realidad en este mundo tan necesario de estos valores. Es misión difícil y arriesgada, pero contamos siempre con su cercanía y apoyo. Lo acabamos de celebrar en la Navidad. Jesús con su llamada transformará nuestra vida y la llenará de luz y de sentido.

El llamado es ir detrás de Jesús, San Marcos nos presenta hoy la misión de Jesús unida a nosotros, o sea a nuestra misión, es la misma. Jesús inicia su misión haciéndose acompañar por otros y viviendo en comunidad con un grupo de seguidores y seguidoras. Esta comunidad estará ahí hasta en la cruz, ahí cuando termina físicamente el ministerio de Jesús. En San Marcos este ir detrás de Jesús tiene un significado especial. Tiene la finalidad de ir con Él para aprender, para ser alumnos. Para escucharle, ver lo que hace, cómo se comporta y descubran cómo el Dios, en el que creen, está actuando. Ir detrás es aventurarse a intentar hacer lo que Él les enseña. Detrás de Él para dejarse corregir y ver la novedad que pone Jesús en sus vidas. Así los alumnos se convierten, poco a poco en discípulos que después serán los que tengan que enseñar lo que han aprendido junto a ÉL.

El personaje principal de la llamada es Jesús. Los que van a ser sus seguidores aparecen sorprendidos en sus faenas y solo se convierten en discípulos cuando abandonan sus ocupaciones y siguen a Jesús. Se trata de narraciones reducidas al mínimo, donde no vemos ningún esfuerzo por precisar los rasgos de los personajes, ni por explicar lo que les ha pasado en términos psicológicos. Sólo
narrar la respuesta abandonar sus ocupaciones, para descubrir la oferta que les hace, es decir su misión. Todas las reticencias humanas quedan borradas de golpe, pues Dios ha entrado en escena, a través de la persona de Jesús.

¿Qué se pide a cambio de este tiempo nuevo? ¡Conversión! Que no es simplemente “hacer penitencia”, es cambiar de rumbo, de camino, de horizonte, de mentalidad. Convertirse no es vestirse de saco y de ceniza. En Marcos, en el evangelio, en la predicación de Jesús, significa precisamente tomar una actitud nueva, una mentalidad creadora.

Hay que “creer en el evangelio” - Creer es “confiar” en las buenas noticias que vienen de parte de Dios. Esa es la conversión primera y fundamental. Sin eso no hay conversión, aunque nos vistamos de saco y ceniza. ¿Nos sentimos identificados con el Evangelio? ¿Sera que lo vemos de lejos? ¿Pensamos que no es para nosotros? Es la reflexión necesaria siempre ante la palabra de Dios. ¿Será para mí? ¿Cómo la podre poner en práctica? Es por eso que necesitamos cada día al menos 5 minutos de meditación y examinarnos, revisarnos para ser los y las discípulas que Dios nos pide que seamos. Como Jonás prestemos oído a su voz. Oremos unos por otros y especialmente por los enfermos, tenemos muchos y es parte de nuestra misión y es un llamado de Dios, atender al que está necesitado y con la oración lo podemos hacer, oración comprometida, los conozcamos o no. Y la palabra dice, “cada vez que lo hiciste con uno de esos mis pequeños conmigo lo hiciste”. Bendiciones, buena semana. Y Oremos.

Pope Francis: The greatest joy for every believer is to respond to God's call

“There are different ways of carrying out the plan that God has for each of us, which is always a plan of love. And the greatest joy for every believer is to respond to this call, to offer all of himself at the service of God and his brothers and sisters,” Pope Francis said. To read more from Courtney Mares, CNA/Angelus News, Click Here

Preparation for Infant Baptism
It is a cause of great joy and celebration to help you baptize your child (or children) into the Catholic Church, especially here at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. Taking this step is an integral part of your faith, the beginning of your promise to raise your child in the teachings of Christ and the Catholic Church. During these COVID times, we offer virtual classes via Zoom for infant baptisms (ages birth to 5 years old) on the second Wednesday of each month from 7-8:30 PM in English. Please contact our team at baptism@olgmail.org for a registration form and more information, also on the parish website at this page. If your child is over 5 years old, our team will provide you with additional information on the baptismal preparation process.
2020-2021 OLG Catechumens and Candidates

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the official process in which one is baptized (Catechumens), professes faith to the Catholic Church (Candidate), or for a baptized Catholic to complete their initiation process with the Sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation.

In our Parish, we currently have eight people participating in the RCIA Program. Please keep the following individuals in your prayers as they continue on their faith journey.

**Catechumens**
1. Kristine Jacobs
2. Rene’ Martínez

**Candidates**
1. Tricia Feist
2. James MacNicol
3. Ariana Gatling
4. Ariana Gonzalez
5. Cesar Morales
6. Lisette Chavarria

**A Prayer For Our Catechumens and Candidates**

Life-Giving Father, you desire that we may be one in Christ so that all creation may give you praise. Look kindly upon the catechumens you have called to the table of your Word. We pray, especially for the catechumens and candidates of our parish. Through the power of your Word, our life of prayer, and the example of Christ's love we share with those most in need, may they come in time to the table of the Eucharist where we shall stand as one body united in the Holy Spirit to offer you praise and thanksgiving through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

**Adults Seeking Sacraments**

For adults who would like to receive Baptism, Eucharist, or Confirmation or just want to learn more about the Catholic faith, please register for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) [click here](#).

Would you like to receive the Eucharist in your home during these times of Pandemic?

We can train and empower you to bring the Eucharist to your home/family during this time of Pandemic. You will learn how to handle the Eucharist, and how to hold a communion service in your home or receive Eucharist during the Mass live stream. This opportunity is intended for family members who may still be unable to come to Mass, especially older and at-risk family members. [Click here](#) to fill out a quick form and we'll contact you with more information.

**Opportunities To Grow In Faith**

**Scripture Faith Sharing Group** meets from 7-8 PM every Tuesday. We read and
discuss the upcoming Sunday Mass readings. All adults are welcome. For information or the Zoom meeting ID, contact Carlos Diaz at scripture@olgmail.org.

**Deepen Your Understanding Of The Eucharist** watch this six-part video series led by Father Paul. Knowing more about the Mass and Eucharist will help you to participate more deeply, and receive its benefits more completely. [Click here to watch the video series.](#)

**Daily Reflection On The Word** Be inspired and renewed each morning with a short video from Dr. Tim Gray as he reflects on the daily Mass readings. [Available on Form.org](#)

* *All who come to our church, are welcome to join Form.org! It is easy. Go to formed.org and enter our Parish Code: 3WBKRD or simply click on this link: ourladyofguadalupechurch.formed.org*

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**Online Devotional Prayer & Music Reflection**

* **ROSARY** on Mondays (English), Wednesdays (Bilingual), Thursdays (Bilingual), Fridays (English) at 5:00 PM

* **ADORATION** on Tuesdays at 5:00 – 6:00 PM

* **HEALING MUSIC** on Thursdays at 12:00 noon with Bobbi Crosby Lambert

Join us live for these events from the OLG’s website, or on the OLG Facebook page.

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**Join A Ministry!**

- **The Livestream Production Team** trains volunteers to operate our livestream system at the Masses. Contact Christine Ruiloba at audiovisual@olgmail.org.

- **Home Eucharistic Ministry** bring the Eucharist to your home/family during this time of Pandemic. We will train you how to handle the Eucharist, and how to hold a communion service in your home to receive the Eucharist during a livestream Mass. [For more details, click here.](#)

- **Young Adult Men’s and Women’s Bible Study Groups** meet via Zoom. Contact Natalie Mejia at nataliemadonnaimejia@gmail.com or Jason Matteo at matteo.jason@yahoo.com.

- **The Social Justice Ministry** raising awareness, fostering dialog for understanding, and working together to help make a difference. [Learn more](#)

The **Social Justice Ministry** is working with [Catholic Relief Services](#) and would like to invite those interested in learning more to contact Jan Vega at olghbsocialjustice@gmail.com.
Our monthly Hand 'n' Hand Food Drive occurs every third Sunday of the month. If you would like to volunteer or donate items, click here to visit the Hand 'n' Hand webpage for more information.

If you are in need of food, please contact Tom Baumann at the parish office at 310-372-7077.

Open for Enrollment

Our Lady of Guadalupe Preschool is a year-round program that provides services for children ages 3-5 years old.

We provide children opportunities to grow intellectually, socially, emotionally, physically, and spiritually in a warm, loving Christian environment.

For more information, contact:
Mrs. Maritza Corleto, Preschool Director
mcorleto@ourladyofguadalupeschool.org
(310) 372-7486 Ext. 399 Or visit https://ourladyofguadalupeschool.org/preschool/

Building a strong parent-teen relationship

As pandemic lockdowns continue, parents and teenage children are spending more and more time together. It is not always easy to connect with teens, because they often feel their parents do not understand them and prefer to confide in their friends instead. Nevertheless, the time at home offers an opportunity for parent-teen relationships to evolve and for trust to grow in developmentally appropriate ways. Teens need the guidance and support of a parent as
an important balance to the permissive understanding of a “friendship” relationship. As children become teenagers, parental authority does not diminish but may be better served by involving the teens in a dialogue about rules and limits. For more information on building relationships with your teenagers, visit https://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

Construir una relación sólida entre padres e hijos adolescentes
A medida que continúan los cierres por la pandemia, los padres y los hijos adolescentes pasan cada vez más tiempo juntos. No siempre es fácil conectarse con los adolescentes, porque a menudo sienten que sus padres no los entienden y prefieren confiar en sus amigos. Sin embargo, el tiempo en casa ofrece una oportunidad para que las relaciones entre padres e hijos adolescentes evolucionen y para que la confianza crezca de manera apropiada para el desarrollo de los jóvenes. Los adolescentes necesitan la guía y el apoyo de un padre de familia, como un equilibrio importante para la comprensión permisiva de una relación de “amistad”. A medida que los niños se convierten en adolescentes, la autoridad de los padres no disminuye, pero puede ser más útil involucrar a los adolescentes en un diálogo sobre reglas y límites. Para obtener más información sobre cómo establecer relaciones con sus adolescentes, visite https://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/.

Weekly Collection
Sunday, January 17
Envelopes Mailed: $1,653.00
Mass Collection: $2,757.00
Online: $4,177.49
Total Collection $8,587.49

Thank you for your financial contributions!
Giving with a cheerful heart is one of the ways we not only show our obedience to God but also demonstrate our recognition that we are only stewards of our earthly possessions while He is the true owner.

God gives to you so He can give through you.

2020 Contribution Statements
All tax letters will be going out by Jan 31, 2021, for those that have donated more than $250 to the Church. If you feel we may have incorrect mailing information
We have reached our Goal!
Thanks to all for your generosity. What we have accomplished so far is amazing! Thanks be to God, and thanks to all who have helped.

There is still an opportunity to join in if you have not already. Remember a donation of $2,000 over up to 5 years will allow us to put your name on our donor wall. Although we've reached our goal there is a need for additional funds for furniture, equipment, etc.

Be part of this historic project…
To make a donation, click here.
To make a NEW PLEDGE, click here.
To extend or increase your current pledge, click here.
For more information and a description of the project, click here.

Please email Robin the Bookkeeper at robinboz@msn.com or call 310-372-7077 ext 227 and leave a message.

Mass Intentions For The Week

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 2021
8 AM +Primo Azures (Peggy Sadowski)
5 PM +Lula Rivera (Mike Dahlhausen)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 24, 2021
7 AM +Ricardo Gonzalez (Miguel & Christine Ruiloba)

Prayer Requests

Please remember to pray for the sick and the homebound of our parish who cannot celebrate the liturgies with us.

We pray that God's tender mercy be upon those we love, especially:
Jannett Grey, Arturo Velga, Oscar Pena, Augusto Camacho, Ana Maria Rocha, Victor Guerrero, Juan Flores, Andrew Faris, Carmen Santiyan, Vickie Lopez,
Sunday Mass Intentions listed here include pre-COVID Mass times. Our current schedule of Masses is [here on the parish website](#).

**A Prayer for Healing & Protection During The Pandemic**

Most merciful and loving God, We come to you in our weakness. We come to you in our fear. We come to you with trust. For you alone are our hope. We place before you the pandemic present in our world. We turn to you in our time of need. Bring wisdom to doctors. Give understanding to scientists. Endow caregivers with compassion and generosity. Bring healing to those who are ill. Protect those who are most at risk. Give comfort to those who have lost a loved one. Welcome those who have died into your eternal home. Stabilize our communities. Unite us in our compassion. Remove all fear from our hearts. Fill us with confidence in your care. Jesus, I trust in you. Jesus, I trust in you. Jesus, I trust in you. Amen

God who traveled before and behind the Israelites in their journey from slavery to freedom, surround and support the men and women working in your healing ministry today. Never leave them, comfort them, and keep them well. Give them the strength to care for those who are sick and dying as well as the strength to receive help from others. Be with their families of all who serve. Send your peace for their anxieties, joy for their fears, hope for their despair, and light for their darkness. We pray in the confidence of your love. Amen.

Please pray for all who are working on the front lines of this pandemic. Doctors, nurses, all who are in the healthcare profession, first responders, and all essential workers:

Chuck Anderson
If you have a loved one that you would like to pray for during this difficult time, please send their name to bulletin@olgmail.org or call during parish phone hours at 310-372-7077.

Welcome home!
SFC David Dougherty
US Army Special Forces

Do you have a family member currently serving in the military? Please forward their names, rank, and branch of service to bulletin@olgmail.org or call during parish phone hours at 310-372-7077.

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children - January 22

Friday, January 22, the Church in the United States observes the annual "Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children." This day is set aside to pray for the legal protection of human life and to do penance for the violations to human dignity through abortion. We are called to observe this day through prayer and penance. More information: respectlife.org/january-22

9 Days for Life

Join thousands of Catholics nationwide in the annual Respect Life novena, 9 Days for Life, Thursday, January 21 – Friday, January 29. Get daily intentions, brief reflections, and more. Sign up at 9daysforlife.com

Healing after Abortion
If you or someone you know is suffering after abortion, confidential, compassionate help is available. Visit [HopeAfterAbortion.org](http://HopeAfterAbortion.org)

### In Our Community

**January 23 @ 10:00 am - 12:00 pm**
**Stress Management 101**

“Remote Via Zoom” Learn basic techniques using the art of Stress Management through fast and easy methods to keep you balanced and relaxed. [For more details visit maryjoseph.org/all-sponsored-retreats-and-events/](http://maryjoseph.org/all-sponsored-retreats-and-events/)

**February 27 @ 10:00 am - 12:00 pm**
**The Wisdom of Angels**

“Remote Via Zoom” Come learn about the angels as Heavenly Messengers. This program will take a deeper look at the role angels play in helping humanity. [For more details visit maryjoseph.org/all-sponsored-retreats-and-events/](http://maryjoseph.org/all-sponsored-retreats-and-events/)

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### ONELIFE LA 2021

**Saturday, January 23 – JOIN US VIRTUALLY OR IN PERSON**

OneLife LA 2021 invites people to join us for a procession through the streets of downtown LA on Saturday, January 23. We will also offer an online event for those who choose not to join in person. And, EVERYONE, whether you attend in person or watch online, will be challenged to bring the joy of life to people you encounter in big and small ways.

We invite you to join us to share the joy! Help us share the message of OneLife LA and celebrate the beauty and dignity of every human life! Together we can overcome the polarization created by our politics and the division created by racial injustice. We can welcome every new child and help every family to thrive! We can share the gifts that we have, even if all we have is a smile and a kind word.

[Click here to register for OneLife LA 2021](https://onelifela.org/)
HELP SAVE LIVES IN LAWNDALE

You can protect mothers, children and families by joining this worldwide mobilization! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil, and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 3,000,000 volunteers!

With God’s help, here are the proven results:

- 18,000 babies saved from abortion
- 211 abortion workers converted
- 107 abortion centers closed

Here’s how to take part:

- **Vigil location:** Outside Planned Parenthood, 14623 Hawthorne Blvd, Lawndale 90260
- **Vigil hours:** 7 am to 7 pm daily, 7 days a week
- **Local contact:** Laura Frederick 202-361-3166, 40Days4LifeLawndale@gmail.com

Learn more...get involved...sign up for prayer times at:

40daysforlife.com/Lawndale

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Do you have an article for the OLG Weekly Bulletin?

If you would like to submit an announcement or article for the Bulletin, please send a draft via email to bulletin@olgmail.org by noon on Tuesdays. Include images separately as jpeg or png files.
Direct replies to this email can only be seen by admins and OLG Bulletin. Click the blue Reply button above to leave a public comment.

Email me when people reply to this note.

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