

**Feb 16 Septuagesima (Violet)**  
**Sunday Proper, "Circumdederunt", NO Gloria, 2<sup>nd</sup> to Saints, 3<sup>rd</sup> of Choice, Tract, Credo, Preface of Holy Trinity, Benedicamus Domino**  
Coffee and Sweets after the 7:30 Mass

**15 Decade Rosary** recited weekdays at 8 AM when no Mass is available

Mon 17 Ferial Day  
Tue 18 St. Simeon, B, M  
Wed 19 Ferial Day  
3:00 PM Holy Hour of Reparation  
Thu 20 Ferial Day  
Fri 21 **Mass 8:15 AM** – Ferial Day  
Sat 22 **Mass 8:00 AM** St. Peter's Chair at Antioch  
Vigil of St. Matthias  
\*\*Confessions 4 PM Saturday\*\*

**Rosary Rally** is Saturday March 1<sup>st</sup>, here in the Chapel at 12 noon.

**Mass Requests** for the living, dead or special intentions-\$20 stipend per Mass.

#### **Death Remembrances February**

Agnes Selway, Cynthia Bower, Hector Vargas, Judy Kerber, Nestie Joy Escaro, Angeline Paajanen, Ich Tran, Fr. Benedict Ashley, Eugene Reyno, Sr. Mary Amata, Andy Tarby, Francisco Sanchez, Bob Haviken, Bill Ammann, Angela Heiner, Frances Ridino, Arnold De Clarke, Frank Brix Sr., Ina Smith, Adele Thompson, Virginia Chambers, Betty Parker, Maryjane Smith, Tony Gorsich, Joe Lyons, Cyril Crowley, Tom Hewko

#### **Death Remembrances March**

Paul Isley, Gloria Biehl, John Healy, Betty Dulay, John MacArthur, Bernard Candela, Lawrence O'Neill, Roy Foote, Victoria Lauriello, Joann Green, Fr. Agustin Escobar, Alice Hubbard, Arthur Kerber, James Berthelot, Mrs. Soute, Stan Nelson, Hazel Odash, Yvonne Brown, Tatsuko Mitani, Dorothy Cimino, Chia Tiang, Paul & Margaret Nemecek, Ernest Heinz, Everett Martinet, Fr. Daniel Johnson, Elizabeth Gorsich, Bob O'Connor, Helen Cherry, Tony Candela, Fran O'Mara, James Coco, Msgr. William Barry, Fr. Marcel Nault, Dale Kirn, Herbert Hammond, Joan Burke, Alfred Krebsbach, Irene Walterscheid, Evelyn Voda, Helen Giltzow, Tom Thompson, Barbara Jean Seymour, Virginia Sullivan, Edna Browning, Alice Hubbard, Bob O'Connor, Shirley Charters, +Marcel Lefebvre.

#### **Parish Illness and other Prayer Intentions**

Andrea Williams-Soto, Dorothy Neff, Noah Crostic, Nancy Lewis, Joseph Pleier, Ray Heinz, Jaime Soto, Camilla and Isabella Codeceira, Homer Sweeney, Inez Williams, Ida Ramirez, Peggy Perez, All Priests  
(renewable monthly OLHCbulletin@yahoo.com)

# Our Lady Help of Christians Chapel Padre Pio Academy

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School Office: 714-530-6840

(Please direct all correspondence and church business here)



**Masses** Sunday 7:30 & 10:00

**Always** check website for most current schedule

**15 Decade Rosary** recited weekdays at 8am when no Mass is available

**Confession** All Masses typically preceded by substantial time for confession, which must end 10 minutes before Mass begins. Out of consideration for others, please don't use the confessional for lengthy counseling. Be brief. Be blunt. Be gone!

**Streamed Mass** <https://www.ourladyhelpofchristians.us> Select Mass Stream & Subscribe (Televised Mass located in Father Schell Hall)

**Saint Patrick's Mission - Northridge** Mass is temporarily unavailable at this location

**Sacramental Planning:** (626) 447-1752

**Emergency Contact ONLY:** (626) 355-0845

**To Modern Catholics** We are what you once were. We believe what you once believed. We worship as you once worshiped. If we are wrong now, you were wrong then. If you were right then, we are right now.

**February 16, 2025**  
**Septuagesima Sunday**

**Modesty in Church** Out of respect to our Lord, we beg all to appear in church modestly dressed. No shorts allowed. Ladies heads must be covered, no slacks or pants, low cut or sleeveless tops. Your cooperation is evidence of your love for our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament and respect for the House of God.

**Communion Fast** Holy Communion may be received only by Catholics believing themselves to be in the state of Sanctifying Grace, who are observing at least one hour fast prior to reception of the Sacrament. We are urged, however, to observe the fast from midnight, or, at least for three hours. While always welcome, non-Catholics and those who do not accept the traditional teachings of the Church in matters of faith and morals, are NOT to receive Communion at this Mass. To receive Holy Communion do so in silence- do not say Amen.

**Confession Procedure** Begin your confession with "BLESS me Father for I have sinned", when you have received your penance, immediately begin your Act of Contrition.

**Mass Requests** \$20 stipend per Mass, intention box located on the wall in the gift shop.

**Chapel Etiquette** Food, drink and matches are not allowed. Please use the butane lighters to light the votive candles. When the Blessed Sacrament is exposed, genuflect on both knees and bow. Otherwise, genuflect with the RIGHT knee touching the floor.

**OLHC** is an independent Traditional Chapel. We maintain no association whatsoever with Kentucky Resistance.

**No unapproved literature** may be left on the premises. It will be discarded.

**Need something blessed?** The first Sunday of each month after each Mass. The next blessing will be March 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please be there to pick up your item, it will not be held.

**Lost and Found** Please remember to identify your Missals and prayer books for a safe return. If you have lost something, check the lost and found bin in the bookstore or table outside on Sundays and if you find something left in the pews, please return it to the bin to find its rightful owner.

**Have you Registered?** To register and receive your offering envelopes, see the breezeway sign-up table or the gift shop.

**Checks Payable to** OLHC or Our Lady Help of Christians. Please DO NOT seal envelopes with scotch tape or stickers. By request, Venmo is also available for donations.



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### **Useful Links**

**fsspx.org** - Find a Mass Worldwide – scroll down

**Traditionalcatholic.co** - Spanish & English Traditional Catholic Books (Audio, PDF, Kindle, etc.)

**ksmk.org** - Catholic Radio Station

**thanhlemisa.wordpress.com** - Vietnamese/Latin Missal

**CatholicFamilyNews.com** - search: Archbishop Viano

## **Padre Pio Academy News**

**Celebrating 41 Years of Catholic Tradition in Education**

www.padrepio-academy.com email: padrepioacademy@sbcglobal.net

**Bishop Bernard Fellay** will honor Our Lady Help of Christians with his presence on Sunday, March 2nd, only two weeks away. It would seem at this point that Confirmations will occur in the timeframe of the 10:00 Mass; we will advise you as soon as we receive definite word. Everyone of course, is invited to attend, but be advised, it's sure to be crowded considering confirmands, their sponsors and their families. We will email the Confirmation families with all specific details as soon as they are available. Families are asked to please return your Confirmation Registration Forms to the school office ASAP!!! Most importantly, we need your phone number as well as your email. If you are one of the families not providing us with an email address, it is vitally important that you do so IMMEDIATELY!

**The IRS hasn't gotten the axe.** Yet. You will still need your contribution tax forms from OLHC for year ending 2024. They are available for pick-up in the breezeway after Mass today!

**Ah! must— Designer infinite!— Ah! must Thou char the wood ere Thou canst limn with it?** ~ Francis Thompson: The Hound of Heaven

**Today is Septuagesima Sunday;** we find ourselves on the threshold of Lent, a season of prayer and penance set apart by the Church to recall our Lord's 40 day fast in the desert and to prepare us for Easter. This season of preparation and sanctification can be fittingly accomplished through voluntary amendment of life, acts of penance and works of charity. Lent is a time to learn to love our souls more than our bodies. Thus every Christian should make a special effort to practice mortification and strive for holiness during the forty days of Lent. Do not let this time to grow in holiness pass you by! Consider the following categories if you need to fix a regimen for Lent.

1. *Voluntary Amendment of Life:* Give up those things now that you need to give up sooner or later, namely, bad habits. The goal here is to break a bad habit forever and Lent is a good time to do it. Love your soul more than your body! Examples: gossiping, surfing the web, television, over-eating, junk food, extended happy hours, complaining, bad language, video games, useless internet chatter, etc.
2. *Acts of Penance:* Perform some kind of penance. The goal here is to train yourself to say "no" to minor, legitimate things, making it easier to say "NO" to big temptations later. You may resume doing the legitimate things you have given up once Lent is over. Love your soul more than your body! Examples: avoid eating or drinking things you enjoy, or doing things you enjoy; rather do things you are disinclined toward and do them when they need to be done. Don't procrastinate!
3. *Works of Charity:* Perform some good and holy actions. The goal here is to strengthen your relationship with Christ and His Beloved Church. Ideally what you start here would continue in some way even after Lent is over. Love God more than yourself! Examples: daily Rosary, go to Mass an extra day of the week, spend additional time with the family or the sick, increasing spiritual reading or read Sacred Scriptures.