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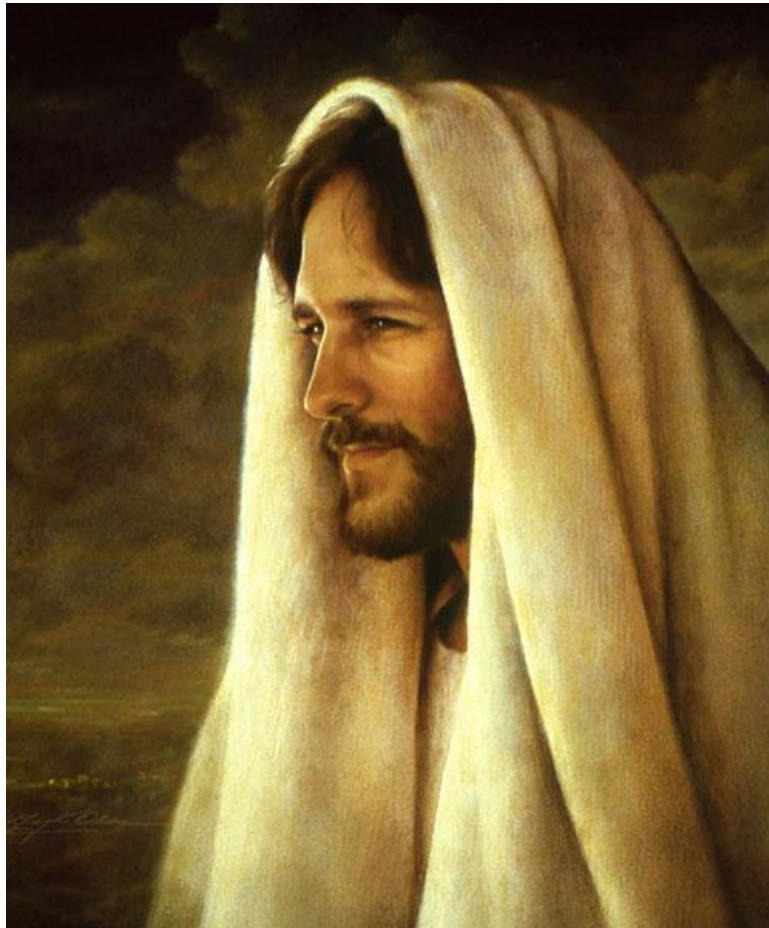
Mission:
OUR LADY OF THE LAKE
120 RR 2233
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Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 10, 2015

Pastor: Rev. Anthony Alphonse ~ Diocese of Austin



A Gospel reflection from Fr. Alphonse:

Love originates in God, for God is love; His very nature is love. Love makes us one with Him and others. It is a gift that we must accept gratefully. When we love God we love our neighbors, too. Thus, the love of the neighbor becomes a characteristic feature of the love of God, so He says *"What I command you is love one another."* (Jn 15:17)

"With a drop of honey you can catch more flies than with a barrel of vinegar", says St. Francis de Sales. He means that by being loving and kind, by extending a helping hand, by lending an ear to others, we can win people.

What we often experience is lack of love and understanding, envy and mistrust. Jesus showed us the way we must travel. God loves us so much more than any father or mother on earth. He is LOVE and we must abide in this love as true children of God. St Francis de Sales says: *"We cannot be real without having this inclination to love God alone above all things, or true Christians without following this inclination."*

Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him. Jn 14

As the Father loves me, so I also love you. Remain in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love. Jn 15

Mass Intentions

Sat. 5/9	OLOL	4:00 pm	Special Intention
		5:30 pm	Gisela Kornwebel †
Sun. 5/10		9:00 am	All Parishioners
Mon 5/11		NO MASS	
Tues. 5/12		6:00 pm	Special Intention
Wed. 5/13		8:00 am	Ivan Getschmann †
Thurs. 5/14		8:00 am	Matthew Turlak
Fri. 5/15		NO MASS	
Sat. 5/16	OLOL	4:00 pm	Mother's Day Novena Mass #1
		5:30 pm	Mother's Day Novena Mass #2
Sun. 5/17		9:00 am	All Parishioners

St. Charles Altar

Flowers this weekend to honor All Mothers



Ladies club meeting will be on Monday May 11 at 11:30am. Please bring a dish to share. We will have a speaker, Carole Hess, give us a summary of her Africa trip and safari. Hope to see many of you there. Diane



A Mother is a symbol of love, who gives everything. As we celebrate Mother's Day, I ask God to bless all the living Mothers a hundredfold, and grant eternal rest to all deceased Mothers.

I wish you a Happy Mother's Day.....Fr. Alphonse

St. Charles Prayer Blanket Ministry (better known as St. Charles Needlers) wishes to thank all who donated sewing machines, fabric and notions. This translated into over 500 lap quilts which were donated to Linus Connection (for children), Highland Lakes Pregnancy Resource Center (for babies), Oars (Older Adult Rural Services) (for adults) and Catholic Charities (a mix) in McAllen, TX.



To help our funding, we are holding two separate raffles for the two full size quilts, each hand-stitched by Miss Barron, that were donated to us. We had them machine stitched by Anita Howell. Tickets will be available in the next two weeks and through the summer at \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00. Quilt winners will be announced at the St. Charles Borromeo Garage Sale on October 3.

Thank you for your support. For more information, call June Schuh at [325-388-3789](tel:325-388-3789).



Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:00 pm at Our Lady of the Lake, Sunrise Beach

Saturday 5:30 pm at St. Charles, Kingsland

*Sunday 9:00 am at St. Charles, Kingsland

(*The rosary will be prayed every Sunday at 8:30 a.m. Please join us each Sunday for this special prayer before the Mass.)

Weekday Masses at St. Charles

6:00 pm Tuesday

8:00 am Wednesday - Friday

Reconciliation

Before Masses and by appointment

The Sacrament of Baptism

on the 3rd Saturday of the month immediately following the 5:30 pm Mass at St. Charles.

If you have questions or need to schedule a Baptism please contact the office.

Office Hours

Tuesday and Thursday

9:00 am till noon



WELCOME NEWCOMERS OR VISITORS: Newcomers or visitors wishing to become members of St. Charles or Our Lady of the Lake, please fill out a membership form located in the back of church and give the form to one of the greeters/ushers.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS

St. Charles	\$2373
Poor Fund	\$ 421
Our Lady of the Lake	\$ 410
Poor Fund	\$ 189
7 Ashes to Easter Boxes	\$ 201.24

The Offertory is more than the "collection of money." Our offerings represent ourselves and our dedication to God. God loves a cheerful and generous giver. We have freely received an abundance of his blessings; let us freely and humbly return thanks to him by giving of our material gifts.

Please drop any notes to Fr. Alphonse or reimbursement forms, mass intentions, flower requests, etc. in the secure locking mailbox that has been placed on the wall by the rectory office door.



If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord. Jn 14

IN CASE OF DIRE EMERGENCY OR DEATH ONLY ~ THE CHURCH EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBER IS 512-756-9003

The following women have lovingly been entered into the Mother's Day Novena of Masses. Masses will be celebrated: May (16 - OLOL & St. CB) May 19, 20, 21, 22, (23 - OLOL & St. CB) 26

Shantha Anthony, Mary, Lillian Embrey, Rosa Jungman, Lola Belle Embrey, Esther Sanders, Ellen Jungman, Rosemary, Brenda, Patricia, Tracia & Mary Freehill, Rose Brady, Sue Colburn, Kelly Barry, Mary Flood, Vivian Battaglia, Anna Battaglia, Mary Battaglia, ?Viola Carroll, Gwendolyn Carroll, Sybil Carroll, Margie Carroll, Lillia Carroll, Connie Ryan, Anna Devine, Lorine Sadler, Florence Clendener, Jan Corn, Ollie Lea Haile, Henrietta Binder, Cathy Widner, Karen Cude, Julie Cude, Amanda Florell, Marian Tice, Sue Engbrock, Georgie Hughes, Mary Lee Webb, Marie Beal, Blanche Bale, Belva Ball Fraser, Joyce Fraser, Graham, Senchak, Maly, Lambert, Sullivan, Meyer, Rihacek Families, Catherine Finn, Katherine Masan, Mary Okaly, Mary Maksymuk, Kay Owens, Anna Morgan, Marguerite Violante, Judy Knowlton, Kellie York, Sue Rainwater, Denise Kerbs, Krista Myrick, Shanda Cowley, Alkema Beran, Ruth Tomka, Helen Bednarz, Yvonne Moody, Joaid Elmer, Philomene Kozlak, Romaine Cameron, Mary Moody, Agnes Dulak, Ruth Golson, Carol Monfelt, Julitta Mayer, Ida Wenzel, Angela Parker, Roberta Timrick, Sandra Henderson, Andrea Ball, Michelle Thornton, Elsie McDaniel, June, Anna, Adeline, Beverly, Rose, Mary, Blanche Wieschowski, Jamie Emerson, Michele Louis, Viola Mantz, Emma Klein and her sisters, Maria Bellah, Jan Sapp, Hazel Kuberski, Ruby Tudyle, Diana Seerey, Mindy Jordan, Kelli Michal, Katy Butts, Dawn Glasgow, Jennifer Woods, Fran Ready, Ola Busenlehmer, Tara Goetz, Betty Fest, Pamela Mosman, Christine Westenberg, Michelle Jordan, Pamela Lheis, Cynde Zietlow, Judy Trojanowski, Pearl Trojanowski, Albina Jezek, Frances Heitman, Pauline Braden, Mary Ann Niccoli, Mary Jo Niccoli, Sophie Rapoza, Zoffie Beran, Frances Beran, Sophie Zavada, Christine Garton, Florence Turlak, Ksenka Tomchesson, Patricia Turlak, Mary Turlak, Rosie Groholski, Josie Turlack, Bea Coates, Ronnie Baldon, Doana Fite, MerleAnn Yeakley, Jeanette Southard, Lori Fox, Brittany Breaux, Dottie Walts, Alice Nicholson, Alicer Grosdidier, Mary Nicholson, Bernice Musgrave, Elizabeth Kyle, Elizabeth Stark Kyle, Theresa Julian, Lauree Schwausch, Karin Julian, Innocenza Sturino, Helen Bryant, Frances Dimitriou, Josephine Angelos, Adeline Cesario, Ida Miele, Jeny Trela, Trudy Sturino, Sandy Sturino, Lily Bryant, Beve Butler Smith, Goldie Acuria, Eleanore Karasick, Elizabeth Butler Irwin, Sadie Huro, Sandra Williams, Judy Dean, Barbara Huber, Elda Ledezmos, Nelda Bernat, Susan Blotz, Elisa Acosta, Roxanne Burrage, Donna Arrick, Sylvia Acosta, Nelia Flores, Audrey Grohman, Hattie Grohman, Marisa Grohman, Jessica Brown, Bernice Tanksley, Darlene Posey, Diana Weunsche, Lillie Howard, Cindy Grohman, Lorene M. Phillips, Eloise Mayo, Maxine Phillips, May Lawson, MaryLou Harris, Ruth Harris, Claire Harris, Deanna Bradshaw, Guadalupe Aceves, Norma Rodriguez, Norma Kiker, Franchelle Link, Elizabeth Gonzales, Ana Maria Castaneda, Martha Campa, Linda Najera, Lucy Solorzano, Sylvia Reyes, Josie Romero, Nanele Slaton, Andrea Maldonado, Vincenta Gonzales, Mariana Torres, Dolores Lawson, Mary B Rothmeyer, Anita Felan, Celeste Grillo, Shirley Scordato, Diana Losciale, Grace Losciale, Pamela Getschmann, Bertha Waligura



"The Men's Club Meeting will be held Thursday May 14th at 6:30 PM in Lee Hall. Please come and join us for a short meeting and a nice meal after the meeting."

Pope Francis thanked all mothers for their precious role in society and for what they give to the Church and to the world. Pope Francis continued his catechesis on the family, inspired, he said, by the Christmas image of Our Lady who presents her Son to the world.



Reflecting on the role of mothers in society and in the Church, he pointed out that the Church too is a mother, "our mother" and that no believer is an orphan.

The Pope said that for all our symbolic glorification of mothers, their important contribution to the life of society, their daily sacrifices and their aspirations are not always properly appreciated.

Even in Christian communities – he said – often mothers are not listened to. He said that their voices should be taken more into consideration and they should be supported in their aspirations.

Mothers, Pope Francis said, "are an antidote to the spread of self-centeredness, a decline in openness, generosity and concern for others".

And speaking of motherhood, the Pope said that it "is more than childbearing; it is a life choice, entailing sacrifice", respect for life, and commitment to passing on those human and religious values which are essential for a healthy society.

A society without mothers, the Pope said, would be an "inhuman society" because even in the darkest moments "mothers are witnesses of tenderness, dedication and moral strength". Mothers - he continued - are the ones who transmit "the deep sense of the practice of religion, the first prayers, the first gestures of devotion. The value of faith in the life of a human being is a message that mothers transmit without having to give too many explanations". He said that explanations come later, but the "germ of faith is in those first, precious moments" of life, and without mothers, Francis pointed out, "not only there would be no new faithful, but faith itself would lose a good part of its simple and profound warmth."

Recalling the words of Archbishop Oscar Romero who was assassinated while serving Mass in El Salvador in 1980, Francis said he spoke of a "martyrdom of mothers", whose sensitivity to all that threatens human life and welfare is a source of enrichment for society and the Church. "To be a mother does not only mean to give life to a child, it is a choice of life, the choice of giving life. This is beautiful" he said.

Concluding his catechesis, Pope Francis asked all to join him in thanking mothers everywhere for what they are, and for all that they give to the Church and to our world.

Our Lady of the Lake... Our Lady of the Lake...

OLL's library has many new books of various interests. The library is open on the 1st and 3rd Saturday before Mass from 3:00 pm to 3:45 pm . For more info, contact Nancy Winkler at 325-388-3296.

Rosary will be prayed at Our Lady of the Lake before Mass on Saturday at 3:30 pm, please join us.



Our Lady of the Lake has Altar flower sponsors for May 23, June 6, and August 22. All other dates are available at this time. Forms can be found at the entrance of Church.

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FR. ALPHONSE WILL

CELEBRATE A NOVENA OF MASSES FOR THE MEN IN OUR

LIVES THAT WE LOVE OR APPRECIATE. SIGN UP YOUR FATHERS, GRANDFATHERS, GODFATHERS, BROTHERS, HUSBANDS, SONS, GRANDSONS, GODSONS, UNCLES, FATHER-IN-LAW, BROTHERS-IN-LAW, BOYFRIENDS, COUSINS AND FRIENDS BOTH LIVING AND DECEASED.

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