



# MERCY ALIVE

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*Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church*

We tend to think of Christ's final coming in judgment only in terms of the end of time. Jesus surprises us with this revelation: "When the Son of Man comes..." is now in others, no matter what their guise or condition. There is an urgency about now: how we respond here and now to others bears eternal consequences. There is a propinquity about who: the person near us is Christ and how we respond determines how we will be judged.

- LIVING LITURGY™  
XXXIV SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## THIS WEEK

### SATURDAY NOVEMBER 22

- 8:00 am.....Daily Mass
- 9:00-3:00 pm.....Marriage Encounter-*St. Jerome*
- 3:00-4:00 pm.....Confessions
- 4:00 pm.....Vigil Mass
- 5:15-6:00 pm.....Confessions
- 6:00 pm.....Vigil Mass

### SUNDAY NOVEMBER 23

- 7:00 am.....Mass
- 9:00 am.....Mass
- 9:00 am ...Nursery & Bible Class-*Guardian Angels*
- 10:30 am.....Mass
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- 12:00 pm.....Mass
- 1:00 pm.....Baptisms
- 6:00 pm.....Mass

### MONDAY NOVEMBER 24

- 8:00 am.....Daily Mass
- 12:00 pm.....Daily Mass
- 6:00-7:00 pm ... KC Meeting-*St. Joseph*
- 7:00-8:00 pm ... *St. Vincent de Paul-St. Jerome*

### TUESDAY NOVEMBER 25

- 12:00 pm.....Daily Mass
- 6:00 pm.....Mass & Novena
- 6:30-8:00 pm.....Life Teen Bible Study-*JP II House*
- 7:00-9:00 pm.....Charismatic Prayer-*St. Gabriel*

### WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 26

- 8:00 am.....Daily Mass
- 10:30 am.....K C Turkey Pick Up-*PAC*
- 12:00 pm.....Daily Mass
- 6:00 pm ...Thanksgiving Vigil Mass

### THURSDAY NOVEMBER 27

- 8:00 am.....Daily Mass

### FRIDAY NOVEMBER 28

- 8:00 am.....Daily Mass
- 12:00 pm.....Daily Mass

## Thanksgiving Mass Schedule

Join us for the **Thanksgiving Vigil Mass** to be held on **Wednesday, November 26 at 6:00pm**. Save the date and plan to join your fellow parishioners for a beautiful evening of prayer as we give thanks to God for the many blessings we have received.

### Thanksgiving Mass Schedule:

Wednesday, November 26 - 8:00am, 12:00pm, 6:00pm Vigil

Thursday, November 27 - 8:00am

Friday, November 28 - 8:00am & 12:00pm

## Food for the Holidays

During the month of November, Fr. Cleo is personally encouraging each of us to be Jesus, the Bread of Life, for the hungry in our community. Empty baskets are arranged around the Tabernacle in the sanctuary. Please bring non perishable food items to be given to the needy. *"For I was hungry and you gave me to eat."* Matthew 25:35

## Guardian Angels Nursery

Nursery and Bible School classes will be closed for the Thanksgiving holiday on Sunday, November 30th.

## St. Matthew's Guild

Stalls Team

## Second Collection

Campaign for Human Development

## Prayer Line

For Prayer Line requests, contact Ms. Genie Ogden: (225) 293-2367



# THE GIVING TREE

Your generous gifts through the Giving Tree will brighten the lives of many during this Holy Season. Your donations of cash and items listed below support the following organizations:

LOLO Elderly Housing  
Heritage House  
St. Anthony House  
LA War Veterans Home

Military Outreach  
St. Clare Manor  
St. Vincent de Paul  
OLOM Parish Families

Make credit card donations on the church website at: [www.olomchurch.com](http://www.olomchurch.com) - Home Page - Donation/Parish Support or you can drop off your donation at the church office. Contact the church office, (225) 926-1883 for more details.

## LA War Veterans Home Collections

Gift bags prepared for residents including cards of appreciation from school children and donated items needed by residents. (No large sizes)

- Mens or ladies spray deodorant
- Shampoo - regular and dandruff
- Bar Soap
- Hand/body lotion
- 'Lectric Shave
- "Nic-Stix"
- Floss sticks
- Denture cups
- Chap Stick
- Handkerchiefs
- Small combs
- Pudding or Jello cups
- Diabetic socks
- Batteries AAA/AA/C
- Microwave Popcorn

The church office will accept donations through December 12th.

## Military Mailbox

Christmas cards for all active duty military personnel.

Bring your own cards or select a card at the table in the back of church. Inside each card, please:

\*Write a personal message of appreciation for their service

\*Write a prayer intention

\*Sign the card

\*Leave the envelope blank. Names and addresses will be added by the Military Outreach Ministry.

Place the card in the Military Mailbox after each Mass on the following days to ensure timely delivery:

November 29

November 30

December 6

December 7



## PARISH LIFE

### Thirty Niners Christmas on the River

Sunday, January 4, 2015

11:45am-7:00pm

Nottoway Plantation/St. John the Evangelist Church

Join us for brunch in the White Ballroom at Nottoway Plantation and a Christmas Concert at St. John the Evangelist Church featuring Fr. Greg Daigle. Please register by December 19th.

*\*cost- \$95 per person*

**For more information, contact:**

Ms. Carolyn Guidry

[carolyn.guidry@olomchurch.com](mailto:carolyn.guidry@olomchurch.com)

(225) 929-9353

### Cards for Prisoners

Our Lady of Mercy is collecting new, unsigned Religious Christmas cards to distribute to prisoners at Angola and Hunt Correctional. These cards will be given to prisoners to allow them to write to their families during the holidays. Cards may be dropped off at the church office.

### Come Lord Jesus! Anniversary Mass

Saturday, November 22

10:30am

St. Thomas More Catholic Church

All members of Come, Lord Jesus! groups in the Diocese of Baton Rouge are invited to attend the Diocesan Anniversary Mass. A special invitation is extended to everyone who has ever served as a youth leader for Come, Lord Jesus! in area Catholic schools, and to anyone interested in more information about the program. All attending are asked to bring a covered dish to be shared at a luncheon immediately following the Mass.

**For more information, contact:**

Ms. Cheryl Geiger

(504) 460-2453

### Little Blue Books

Little Blue Books, used for Advent Reflection, are now available in the church office for \$1 each.

### Knights of Columbus Turkeys

Wednesday, November 26

pick up from 10:00am-12:00pm

Parish Activity Center

The KC's are offering a limited number of smoked turkeys for Thanksgiving. Order your turkey today!

*\*cost- \$35 per turkey*

**For more information, contact:**

Ms. Theresa Foster

(225) 926-1883

[theresa.foster@olomchurch.com](mailto:theresa.foster@olomchurch.com)

### Handel's Messiah

Sunday, December 14

4:30pm

Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church

Get in the Christmas Spirit with this timeless classic and holiday favorite, presented by the Our Lady of Mercy Chancel Choir and Chamber Orchestra.

**For more information, contact:**

Ms. Mary Kannenberg

[mary.kannenberg@olomchurch.com](mailto:mary.kannenberg@olomchurch.com)

(225) 928-6339

### SVDP Christmas Baskets

Tuesday, December 16 - Assembly

Wednesday, December 17 - Delivery

8:30am

Parish Activity Center

The St. Vincent de Paul Society needs your help. Each year the group delivers 100 Christmas food baskets to the needy in our community.

**For more information, contact:**

Mr. Ken Eiswirth

(225) 383-5092

### 2015 Sacred Art Calendars

Sacred art calendars are now available for pick-up in the vestibule of church. The sponsorship of Greenoaks Memorial Park and Funeral Home allows these calendars to be available for our parishioners.

## PARISH LIFE

### OLOM School Open House

Wednesday, January 28, 2015

8:00am - 1:00pm

Our Lady of Mercy School Gym

At Our Lady of Mercy, we believe in educating the whole person, giving your child the foundation for a balanced and purposeful life. Your child will benefit from a comprehensive and Catholic education, one that brings children closer to God, develops their minds, and builds character. Join us for our upcoming Open House.

***For more information, contact:***

Ms. Mari Buzbee

[mbuzbee@olomschool.org](mailto:mbuzbee@olomschool.org)

(225) 927-2341

### Job Opening

Our Lady of Mercy School

Our Lady of Mercy School seeks a joyful, hard-working, energetic employee to serve as part of our maintenance team. Duties will include custodial, janitorial and landscape work on a daily basis as we strive to provide our students, faculty and staff with a clean and orderly environment.

***For more information, contact:***

Ms. Jerri Trahan

[jtrahan@olomschool.org](mailto:jtrahan@olomschool.org)

(225) 924-1054

## MERRY MERCY

Saturday, November 29

3:00pm - 8:00pm

Our Lady of Mercy

Merry Mercy: SHARE OUR LIGHT - is a celebration in anticipation of the birth of Jesus Christ; a celebration of the Gospel call to first serve the least among us in His name. A portion of the proceeds from Merry Mercy will benefit our St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Each year on the vigil of the First Sunday of Advent, OLOM will ceremonially "Share Our Light" with the first lighting of the grand live oak trees around our church and school campus. Thousands of tiny twinkling lights will symbolize our parish's commitment to making the seasons of Advent and Christmas centered around the light of God's great Love.

Families will love the traditional Children's Village - a craft area, and children will be thrilled to play in six tons of snow in South Louisiana! Friends can enjoy a gumbo dinner, Christmas BINGO, and take \$1 chances to win turkeys, hams, and tur-duck-ens. Bishop St. Nicholas will pay a visit and our Children's Chorus will sing. We will also offer our parish-wide Blood Drive in the PAC. Stay with us until 7:30pm for a firework show and toast Faith, Family, and Friendship at Mercy. Learn more about the event at: [MerryMercy.com](http://MerryMercy.com)

***Please contact Ms. Becky Bourg, [rmbourg@gmail.com](mailto:rmbourg@gmail.com) to Volunteer.***



## IN REMEMBRANCE

### NOVEMBER 29, SATURDAY

8:00 am.....Joe Rea  
4:00 pm.....Lynn Roberts / Lan Hoang /Floyd Joseph Roberts, Sr. / John Thibodeaux / Dickens Wall / Brassett Fmly / Mancuso & Sparacino / William Spanakos / Al J. Ransome / Joyce Conway / Bill Elam / Mrs. Lucy M. Sparacino / Jane LeBlanc / James "Mal" Hill / Rita Primeaux / Mareetta Guedry / SPECIAL INTENTION - Sybil & Jon Savoie Fmly / Kathryn Fulmer & Fmly / Gerald Deaton / Felicia Lowman & Fmly / Norma Kirkland & Fmly  
6:00 pm.....Joyce & John Jolissaint

### NOVEMBER 30, SUNDAY

7:00 am..... All People  
9:00 am.....Dorothy Duncan  
10:30 am.....Jill Barfield Hamilton  
12:00 pm.....Mary Elizabeth Porter  
6:00 pm.....Agnes Gagliano

### DECEMBER 1, MONDAY

8:00 am.....Billie Barton /  
SPECIAL INTENTION - Harry Barton  
12:00 pm.....Samson, Simoneaux & Garcia Fmlys

### DECEMBER 2, TUESDAY

12:00 pm.....Anna Lucia  
6:00 pm.....M/M Emanuel Chatelain / Christian Marchiafava / Dickens Wall / Al Ransome / Anna Lucia / Jane

LeBlanc / Enos & Amanda Chauvin / Cecil Ethridge / James "Mal" Hill /Rita Primeaux / Amelia Nicole Procell / Edward Haskell / Morgan & Sliman Flys / Bill Elam SPECIAL INTENTIONS - Charlie & Nancy Valluzzo / Ray & Anne Shore / Angels of Mercy / For the Poor Souls in Purgatory

### DECEMBER 3, WEDNESDAY

8:00 am.....Joyce Conway  
12:00 pm.....Charles C. Healy, Sr.

### DECEMBER 4, THURSDAY

8:00 am.....Bill Elam  
12:00 pm.....Alvin Hotard

### DECEMBER 5, FRIDAY

8:00 am.....Kevin Rozas  
12:00 pm.....Malvin & Lena Chauvin

## Mercy Prays

Reagan Angers

Audrey Blache

Drew Moscona

Jerri Trahan

The men & women serving in our Armed Forces

## IN REMEMBRANCE

### Sanctuary Light Memorials

The sanctuary light in the church burns this week in loving memory of **Jeff Nola**

The sanctuary light in the Adoration Chapel burns this week in loving memory of **Anne Marie Kuyt Benanti**

### In Sympathy to the Families of

- Dr. Thomas Kiebach

### Altar Flowers Memorial

Each week you may honor a loved one with a gift of \$150 to dedicate the floral arrangement that adorns our sanctuary. Please call the Church Office to make your gift.

### Memorial Gifts

Ms. Deanie Smith can discuss beautiful ways for you to remember a loved one who has passed this year, or on the anniversary of his or her death. Supporting our church or school through a memorial gift is a way to bring hope and salvation to the living faithful.

*Consider adding a planned gift in your last will and testament to remember Our Lady of Mercy.*

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*“Since happiness is nothing else but the enjoyment of the Supreme Good, and the Supreme Good is above us, no one can be happy who does not rise above himself.”*

ST. BONAVENTURE (1221-1274)

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### Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions

November 2014

*Universal:* That all who suffer loneliness may experience the closeness of God and the support of others.

*Evangelization:* That young seminarians and religious may have wise and well-formed mentors.

*“You are called to stand up for life! To respect and defend the mystery of life always and everywhere, including the lives of unborn babies, giving real help and encouragement to mothers in difficult situations.”*

- POPE ST. JOHN PAUL II

## ADORATION CHAPEL

### Commitments Needed for Our Adoration Chapel Ministry

Committed adoration is a beautiful way to express your faith and devotion. Our Adoration Chapel is open to you 24 hours a day. We invite you to come visit the Lord and seek His counsel. Although every hour of the day is opened for commitment, your devotion is especially needed during the following times:

SUNDAY.....12 am, 2 am, 3 am, 4 am, 6 am, 2 pm, 4 pm, 7pm

MONDAY.....2 am, 4 am\*, 6 am, 11 am, 3 pm, 4 pm  
*We have an urgent need for the 4 am hour*

TUESDAY.....12 am, 1 am, 2 am, 3 am, 11 am, 11 pm

WEDNESDAY.....12 am, 1 am, 2 am\*, 3 am\*, 9 pm, 11 pm  
*We have an urgent need for the 2 am and 3 am hour*

THURSDAY.....12 am, 1 am, 2 am

FRIDAY.....1 am, 2 am, 1 pm

SATURDAY.....3 am, 4 am, 10 am, 11 am, noon, 6 pm

We provide campus security personnel each evening.

*If you are able to offer yourself in prayer to the Lord, please contact Ms. Martha Wells at (225) 928-5157.*

## SAINT OF THE WEEK

### *Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro (1891-1927)*

FEAST DAY: November 23

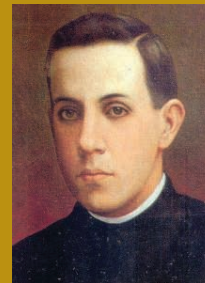
Miguel Agustin Pro Jaurez, the eldest son of a mining family, was born on January 13, 1891 in the town of Guadalupe, Mexico. As a mischievous child, Miguel was often involved in pulling practical jokes on his family. His precociousness sometimes went too far tossing him into near-death accidents and illness.

Particularly close to his older sister who entered a cloistered convent, Miguel came to recognize his own vocation to the priesthood renouncing a prospective lucrative career, and entered the Jesuit novitiate at the age of 20.

During the Mexican Revolution, Pro's novitiate was dissolved, forcing the Jesuits to flee to the United States. After leaving California, Pro continued his studies at a seminary in Spain. While in Belgium after his ordination, Pro suffered from a severe stomach problem, which led to declining health. He was finally

allowed to return to Mexico in spite of the religious persecution in that country.

Priests went into hiding as churches were closed and Fr. Pro spent the rest of his life in a secret ministry, celebrating the Eucharist and ministering to a small group of Catholics. In order to fulfill their spiritual needs, Miguel adopted many interesting disguises to carry out his secret ministry. His many exploits could rival those of the most daring spies, all the while remaining obedient to his superiors as he served for Christ his King.



Fr. Pro became a wanted man after he was falsely accused in the bombing attempt of a former Mexican president. Betrayed by the police, he was sentenced to death without the benefit of any legal process. On the day of his execution, Fr. Pro forgave his executioners, knelt in prayer, and bravely refused the blindfold. As he died, he proclaimed, "Viva Cristo Rey," "Long live Christ the King!"



# MASS SCHEDULE & TIMES

## WEEKDAYS

MASS TIMES:

M, W, Th, & F: 8:00 am & 12:00 pm

Tues: 12:00 pm & 6:00 pm

RECONCILIATION:

M - F: 25 minutes prior to Mass

## SATURDAY

MASS TIME: 8:00 am

RECONCILIATION: 3:00 - 4:00 pm & 5:15 - 6:00 pm

VIGILS: 4:00 pm & 6:00 pm

## SUNDAY

MASS TIMES: 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am,  
12:00 pm & 6:00 pm

NURSERY: 9:00 am, 10:30 am

PRE-SCHOOL

BIBLE CLASS: 9:00 am & 10:30 (in the PAC)

## CATHOLIC COMMUNITY RADIO

1380 AM - WPYR

*Listen daily at  
noon and 10:30 am  
on Sunday for Mercy's  
Mass live broadcast*

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 22		SUNDAY NOVEMBER 23				
4:00 pm	6:00 pm	7:00 am	9:00 am	10:30 am	12:00 pm	6:00 pm
Fr. Milano	Fr. Charbel	Fr. Milano	Fr. Milano	Fr. Milano	Fr. Blanchard	Fr. Charbel
Extraordinary Ministers		Extraordinary Ministers				
G Albares	J Blouin	B Babin	K Poiencot	M Johns	D Loar	K Giglio
L Dawkins	M Blouin	J Frederick	D Maggio	P Dazzio	G Anderson	L Falcon
J Stewart	R Poe	A Bergeron	S Maggio	C Dazzio	G Anderson	C Roberts
M Cullen	P Poe	P Samrow	L Lewis	C Benedetto	C DiBenedetto	E Holt
C Kuttruff	R Brian	J Frederick	Dcn Grant	B Benedetto	N Kadair	S Say
R Prince	M Downing	A Wilson	L Gemmill	Dcn Grant	S Harrington	H Coco
C Formeller	E Chenevert	C Abshire	M Savoy	B Moscona	E Hurst	R Coco
R DeNicola	M Bourgeois	M McKeough	J Lewis	A Pocreello	H DeLage	C Schutte
I DeNicola	P Bourgeois	P McKeough	R Beyer	S Pocreello	L Holliday	D Smith
K Kiesel				J Williams		
Lectors		Lectors				
G Lalonde	M Carley	J Hebert	C Price	S Toups	D Loar	C Melder
D Ragusa	D McCrary	P Alford	M Wells	C Lee	H Morrison	H Coco
		S Bergeron				
Altar Servers		Altar Servers				
A Bourg	G Jones	M Mangaoil	K Poiencot	R Toups	T Kadair	N Saurage
B Bourg	E Carley	N Mangaoil	D Poiencot	T Hawkins	T Kadair	H Say
D Duncan	H Carley		C Richard	S Johns	S Kadair	M Hymel

*The complete Ministry Schedule is published on our website at [www.olomchurch.com](http://www.olomchurch.com).  
Called to serve? Contact Deacon Grant to volunteer for liturgical ministry.*

# WE ARE HERE FOR YOU

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VICAR.....Father Philip Eapen  
PERMANENT DEACON.....Deacon Richard Grant  
ADMINISTRATION.....Mr. Randy Arabia  
SCHOOL PRINCIPAL.....Mr. Brian Moscona

### OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY.....8:30 am - 4:30 pm

*Priests gladly see people by appointment.*

## Parish Activity Center

444 Marquette Avenue  
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(225) 928-6216

## Our Lady of Mercy Catholic School

400 Marquette Avenue  
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## Communications

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## *Glorify the Lord by your life*

MEMBERSHIP.....Ms. Tina Graham  
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WEDDING.....Ms. Alison Nodier  
FUNERAL.....Ms. Theresa Foster  
MINISTRIES.....Ms. Carolyn Guidry  
FACILITIES.....Ms. Katie Thorne  
FINANCE & GIFTS.....Ms. Deanie Smith

*To view complete staff list, visit olomchurch.com.*

*Our Lady of Mercy is a family of  
faith united in prayer, love and  
Catholic Tradition.*

We are dedicated to spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ through evangelization, education and Christian example. We strive to be as faithful as the Blessed Virgin Mary and live our faith by serving God, our fellow brothers and sisters and our community.

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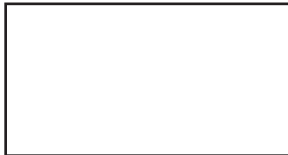
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