



Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Church

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Temporary Office Hours:

Tuesday to Thursday: 9:30am - 3:30pm

Fridays: 10:00am - 3:00pm

Saturdays: 9:00am - 12:00pm

**Office remains closed during Holy Mass*

Weekend Mass

Bilingual: Saturday: 7:00am

English: Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm

English: Sunday: 9:00am

Español: Sunday: 11:30am

Español: Sunday: 1:00pm

Weekday Mass

Monday: 8:00am

Tuesday to Friday: 12:15pm

Wednesday: 6:00pm

Thursday (Spanish): 6:30pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Wednesday: 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Thursday: 5:00pm - 6:30pm

Friday: 11:00am - 12:00pm (English)

Saturday Adoration 6:00am - 7:00am

1st Sat, Devotion - Immaculate Heart of Mary

2nd Sat. Adoration - Children

3rd Sat. Adoration - Youth's

4th Sat. Adoration - Couples

5th Sat. Adoration - Singles, Widow's, Widower's

Reconciliation (Confession)

Tuesday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Wednesday: 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Thursday: 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Confession by appointment; Contact the office

Confesión por cita; Contacta con la oficina

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Rev. Huver E. Navarro Vigo,

Parochial Administrator

Maria Segura,

Administrative Assistant

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time September 20, 2026



Parish Mission Statement

To foster the Solidarity of Our Lady of the Rosary Parish as Church through Unity, Evangelization and Education. To encourage participation and sharing among our members, both active and inactive.

Memorial Candle for September 2026

Sammy Day †
By: The Day Family



MEMORIAL CANDLE

2026 Sign up sheets for the Memorial Candle will be available at the office beginning February 1, 2026

VELA CONMEMORATIVA

Las hojas de inscripción para la Vela Conmemorativa de 2026 estarán disponibles en la oficina a partir del 1 de enero de 2026



OFFERTORY: Sept 12-13, 2026 \$ 3,445.00
E-Giving : August , 2026 \$ 2,510.00

September 12-13, 2026

Sat. Sept. 12	5:00 pm	No Mass
Sun. Sept. 13	9:00 am	152
Sun. Sept. 13	11:30 am	281
Sun. Sept. 13	1:00 pm	164

St. Monica Ministry

Our parish St. Monica Ministry; devoted to praying for those who have left our faith, continues to meet in Rosary Hall on the second Thursday of each month, with both daytime (10:30 am) and evening (5:30 pm) meetings to help fit everyone's schedule. All parishioner's are invited to attend.

Marriage Troubles? Retrouvaille

If your marriage has become troubled and stressed, unloving or uncaring; if you might have grown cold and distant; or even if you are divorced or separated, or are thinking about it, Retrouvaille can help...as it has already helped tens of thousands of others. Our next program begins **Oct 2-4th, 2026**. For information, visit www.helpourmarriage.org, or call Bill & Lyn Folsom (727) 343-6701. Not counseling or group therapy. All contacts and names held in absolute confidence.



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* If you would like to add or remove a name from the prayer list, please call or email the church office.

* Si desea agregar o eliminar un nombre de la lista de oración, llame o envíe un correo electrónico a la oficina de la Iglesia

Bible Study

Are you looking for a relaxed and welcoming Bible study? Our Lady of the Rosary is pleased to announce that we will have an on-going Bible Study program that will take place on Mondays at 11 am and at 7 pm.

We welcome people of all levels. Whether you are completely new to scripture study or a seasoned Bible reader, you will find kind engagement in this group. You can drop in at any point in the study, but we recommend you come soon because, well, it's a lot of fun and you are certain to make friends and enjoy yourself!

Join us on September 14 for a 7-week program called **"The Search"**

Workbooks are available (but not required) for \$13

The Search guides viewers through seven episodes to examine life and death, sorrow and happiness, and science and faith. Through interviews with astrophysicists, psychologists, astronauts, neuroscientists, professors, athletes, artists, and the beauty of the cosmos all point to one big conclusion: Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church.

Call or text Marla Silbernagel at (845)258-8649 for additional information.



Are you considering joining the Catholic church?

Check out Our Lady of the Rosary's OCIA (formally RCIA) classes

If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church, please come to the church office to register.

OCIA Classes will begin on **Tuesday, October 13** and will be held in the Parish Center from **6:30-8 pm**. New attendees must bring copies of sacramental certificates as well as a birth certificate.

Tuition: \$60

¿ Está interesado en unirse a la Iglesia Católica? Visita la oficina de la iglesia para registrarse.

Las clases de OCIA comenzarán el martes 13 de octubre y se impartirán en el Centro Parroquial de 6:30 a 8:00pm

Los nuevos participantes deben traer copias de certificados sacramentales, así como un certificado de nacimiento.

Scripture Readings

For the Week of September 20, 2026

Sunday	Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Phil 1:20 c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a
Monday	Feast of Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Mt 9:9-13
Tuesday	Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday	Memorial of Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest Prv 30:5-9; Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163; Lk 9:1-6
Thursday	Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17bc; Lk 9:7-9
Friday	Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b and 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22
Saturday	Eccl 11:9-12:8; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Lk 9:43b-45
Sunday	Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Ez 18:25-28; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Phil 2:1-11 or Phil 2:1-5; Mt 21:28-32



Sacrament of Baptism:

Parents requesting baptism for their child should call or come by the parish office.

Sacrament of Matrimony:

Couples interested in marriage at Our Lady of the Rosary should contact the parish office before scheduling a wedding date. Please do not make any preparations or fix an event before speaking with the Priest.

Anointing of the Sick:

Please call the parish office if you or your loved one wish to receive the Sacramental anointing of the sick. Contrary to the misguided believe that the Anointing of the sick is for the dying, the Church offers the Sacrament of the anointing to sick members to experience the healing grace of God that flows from this Sacrament.



Sacramento del Bautismo:

Padres que quieran bautizar a sus hijos deben de llamar a la oficina. No hay bautizos durante la Cuaresma o el tiempo de Adviento.

Sacramento del Matrimonio:

Parejas interesadas en casarse en Nuestra Señora del Rosario deben contactar a la oficina antes de escoger su fecha preferida de matrimonio. porfavor, no haga ningún preparativo ni arregle un evento antes de hablar con el sacerdote.

Unción de los Enfermos:

Llame a la oficina parroquialsi usted o su ser querido desean recibir la unción sacramental de los enfermos. Contrariamente a la creencia errónea de que la Unción de los enfermos es para los moribundos, la Iglesia ofrece enfermos para que experimenten la gracia sanadora de Dios que fluye de este Sacramento.



SEPTEMBER 2026

Sept. 20 Hispanic Festival @10:00am and No 1:00pm
Mass

Sept. 21 Bible study @ 11:00 am & 7:00 pm (RH)

Sept. 23 Faith Formation **grades 6-8 begin @ 6:30pm (PC)**

Sept. 27 2nd Collection for Priests' Retirement and Benefits

Sept. 27 Faith Formation **grades 1-5 begin @ 10:00am (PC)**

Sept. 28 Bible study @ 11:00am & 7:00pm (RH)

OCTOBER 2026

Oct. 5 Bible study @ 11:00 am & 7:00 pm (RH)

Oct. 8 St. Monica meeting @ 10:30 am (RH)
and 5:30 pm (office)

Oct. 12 Bible study @ 11:00 am & 7:00 pm (RH)

Oct. 13 OCIA begins @ 6:30 pm-8:00 pm (PC)

** (CH) Church, (RH) Rosary Hall, (PC) Parish Center,
(SP) Spanish, (E) English

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OLR Youth:

The OLR Youth would like to thank our parishioners for their generous support of our Academic Angels School Supply Drive. Thanks to your donations, they were able to assist OLR families and also make donations to the Backpack Program and The American Children's Home in Lexington.

The next OLR Youth meeting will be **Thursday, September 24, at 7:00 PM at the Parish Center.**

All teens are welcome to join!

Juventud de OLR:

La Juventud de OLR desea agradecer a nuestros feligreses por su generoso apoyo a nuestra Colecta de Suministros Escolares Ángeles Académicos. Gracias a sus donaciones, pudieron ayudar a las familias de OLR y también hacer donativos al Programa de Mochilas y al Hogar Infantil Americano en Lexington.

La próxima reunión juvenil de OLR será el **jueves 24 de septiembre a las 7:00 PM** en el **Centro Parroquial.**

¡Todos los adolescentes son bienvenidos a unirse!

Evangalization Corner

OLR Prayer Warriors

If you have a prayer request, or would like to pray for others, please email the information to:

ourladyoftherosaryprayerline@gmail.com

Guerreros de Oración OLR

Si tienes una petición de oración, o quieres orar por otros, por favor envía la información por correo electrónico a:

ourladyoftherosaryprayerline@gmail.com

Faith Facts

Did you know the English and Spanish words "Mass" and "Misa" started as just a nickname? At the end of the liturgy, you hear Fr. Huver give the final dismissal "go in peace." In the early Church (around 380 AD), this dismissal phrase was *Ite, missa est*. The word *missa* means "sent forth." (Specifically, "Go, She [the church/the offering] is sent forth"). Because people heard the word *missa* at the very end of every single liturgy, they began using it as a shorthand nickname for the entire service. Over time, the Latin *missa* evolved into the word we use today. Our celebration takes its very name from these final words of sending forth both us as the Church and the Eucharist within us ("the offering"). This makes it clear that the end of Mass is actually the beginning of that week's mission to bring Christ into the world. (CCC 1332)

¿Sabías que las palabras en inglés y español "Misa" y "Misa" comenzaron solo como un apodo? Al final de la liturgia, escuchas al P. Huver dar la despedida final "ve en paz." En la Iglesia primitiva (alrededor del año 380 d.C.), esta frase de despedida era *Ite, missa est*. La palabra *missa* significa "enviado hacia adelante." (Específicamente, "Ve, ella [la iglesia/la ofrenda] es enviada"). Como la gente escuchaba la palabra *missa* al final de cada liturgia, comenzaron a usarla como apodo abreviado para todo el servicio. Con el tiempo, el latín *missa* evolucionó hasta convertirse en la palabra que usamos hoy. Nuestra celebración toma su nombre de estas palabras finales de enviarnos tanto como Iglesia como la Eucaristía dentro de nosotros ("la ofrenda"). Esto deja claro que el final de la Misa es en realidad el inicio de la misión de esa semana para traer a Cristo al mundo. (CEC 1332)



Sun. Sept. 20 9:00pm Charles Harris (Healing)
 Req. by: Joyce Harris

Wed. Sept. 23 12:15pm Ben Bauer (Sp. Intent)
 Req. by: Deanna Erdman

Sat. Sept. 26 5:00pm Sammy Day †
 Req. by: David and Mary Sampson

From General Audience of Pop Leo XIV

Dear brothers and sisters, in our series of catecheses on the Second Vatican Council, we continue our reflection on Gaudium et Spes, focusing on the dignity of the human person. Human dignity flows from our identity as children made in the image and likeness of God. We are endowed with the gifts of intelligence, for seeking truth; conscience, for recognizing our ultimate calling; and freedom, for choosing the good. Only through Christ do we understand that our personhood implies relationship and the call to give ourselves as a gift to God and others. May we therefore help each other to guard and defend our God-given dignity and journey together toward our heavenly homeland.

Queridos hermanos y hermanas: Para continuar con nuestras catequesis sobre la Constitución Gaudium et spes, hoy he querido hablar sobre la dignidad de la persona humana. El documento conciliar subraya que la misma nos viene de la divinidad, porque la identidad del ser humano es la de haber sido creado a “imagen y semejanza de Dios”, capaz de conocer y amar a su Creador (GS, 12). Más aún, la encarnación de Dios Hijo «manifiesta plenamente el hombre al propio hombre y le descubre la sublimidad de su vocación» (n. 22). Por ello, la persona humana exige relación, primero con Dios y después con los demás. En este sentido, el hombre es siempre un don que se comparte, que crece y madura al acoger a los otros, en la reciprocidad y en el servicio.

Las tres expresiones más significativas de la dignidad de la persona humana son: la inteligencia, que hace al hombre buscador insaciable de la verdad (cf. n. 15); la conciencia, por medio de la cual da unidad y sentido a la propia vida (cf. n. 16); y la libertad, que lo hace responsable de sus decisiones (cf. n. 17).

Join Flocknotes Communication

Our lady of the Rosary is now officially part of the **Flocknotes Parish communication platform!** This will enable us to communicate much more effectively through email and/or texts. In addition, we can create “groups” within the network to enable us to communicate to smaller, more focused audiences, when needed.

How to Sign Up:

- Text OLRNC to the number: 84576
 - You will be sent a text asking for your name and email.
- That's It!

If you are in charge of a group that you would like to communicate with, simply tell the office the name of the group and we will create a group and set you up as an administrator.

Únete a la comunicación de Flocknotes

¡Nuestra Señora del Rosario ahora es forma parte oficialmente de la **plataforma de comunicación parroquial de Flocknotes!** Esto nos permitirá comunicarnos mucho más eficazmente por correo electrónico y/o mensajes de texto. Además, podemos crear “grupos” dentro de la red para poder comunicarnos con audiencias más pequeñas y específicas, cuando sea necesario.

Cómo registrarse:

- Envía un mensaje OLRNC al número: 84576
- Te enviarán un mensaje pidiéndote tu nombre y correo electrónico. ¡Eso es todo!

Si estás a cargo de un grupo con el que te gustaría comunicarte, simplemente dime el nombre del grupo y crearé un grupo y te nombraré administrador.

Faith Formation Coordinator Position

Our Lady of the Rosary is looking for a Faith Formation Coordinator (16–20 hours a week, with potential to grow) to lead our 1st through 8th grade religious education and sacrament prep for First Penance, First Communion, and Confirmation. In this role, you will plan curriculum, recruit and support volunteer catechists, host parent meetings, and partner with the Pastor on registration, attendance, and budgeting. We are looking for a practicing Catholic in good standing with formal training or equivalent experience in Theology or Religious Education, strong organizational skills, and English/ Spanish bilingual skills. If you are interested, please contact the parish office or Fr. Huver for further details.

Puesto de Coordinador de Formación en la Fe

Nuestra Señora del Rosario está buscando un Coordinador de Formación de Fe (16–20 horas a la semana, con posibilidad de ampliar) para dirigir la educación religiosa y la preparación de sacramentos de 1.º a 8.º grado, incluyendo la Primera Penitencia, la Primera Comunión y la Confirmación. En este puesto, planificarás el currículo, reclutarás y apoyarás a los catequistas voluntarios, organizarás reuniones con los padres y colaborarás con el párroco en el registro, la asistencia y el presupuesto. Buscamos un católico practicante en buena posición, con formación formal o experiencia equivalente en Teología o Educación Religiosa, sólidas habilidades organizativas y dominio del inglés y español. Si estás interesado, por favor contacta a la oficina parroquial o al Padre Huver para más detalles.

Faith Formation Information

Registration for faith formation continues after the masses. If your child has not been in faith formation at OLR, please bring their birth certificate and baptismal certificate.

Información sobre Formación en la Fe

La inscripción para la formación en la fe continúa después de las misas. Si tu hijo no ha estado en formación en la fe en el OLR, por favor lleva su certificado de nacimiento y certificado de bautismo.





OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH



LA PARROQUIA NUESTRA SEÑORA DEL ROSARIO NOS INVITA A SU CELEBRACION ANUAL DEL

Festival Hispano 2026

**SEPTIEMBRE
20 2026**

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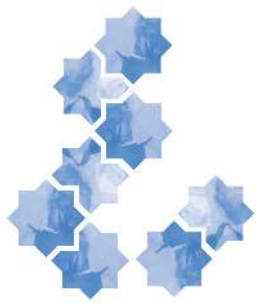
- Debido al aumento de la población hispana en Lexington, estimada en unas 3,000 personas, nació una comunidad hispana. El 16 de septiembre de 1999 se celebró por primera vez una liturgia en español.
- La iglesia se llenó por completo y sigue llenándose en nuestra misa semanal en español.

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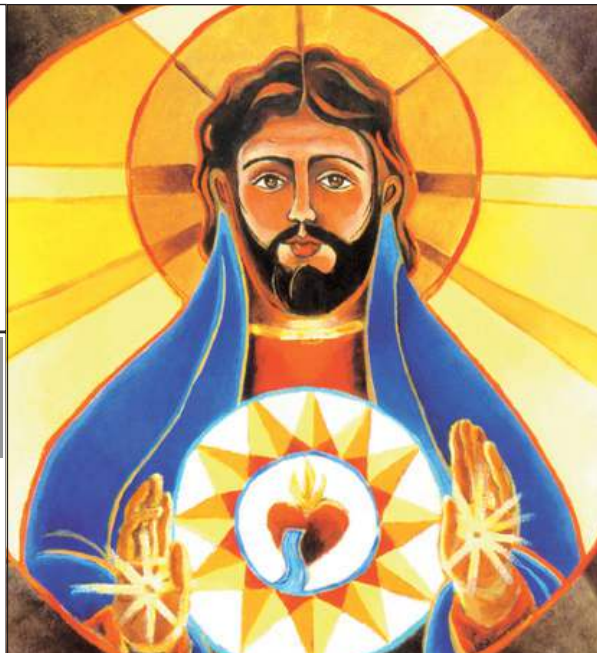
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and defend
the unborn.**

- Anonymous -



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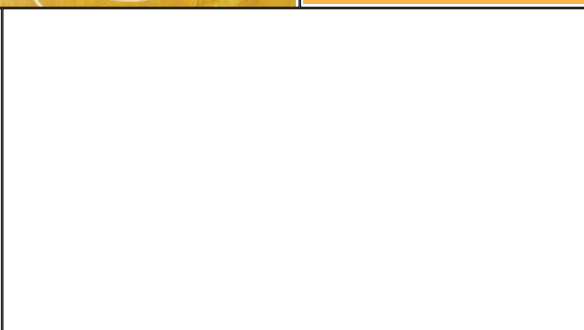
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