

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church
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October 15, 2023

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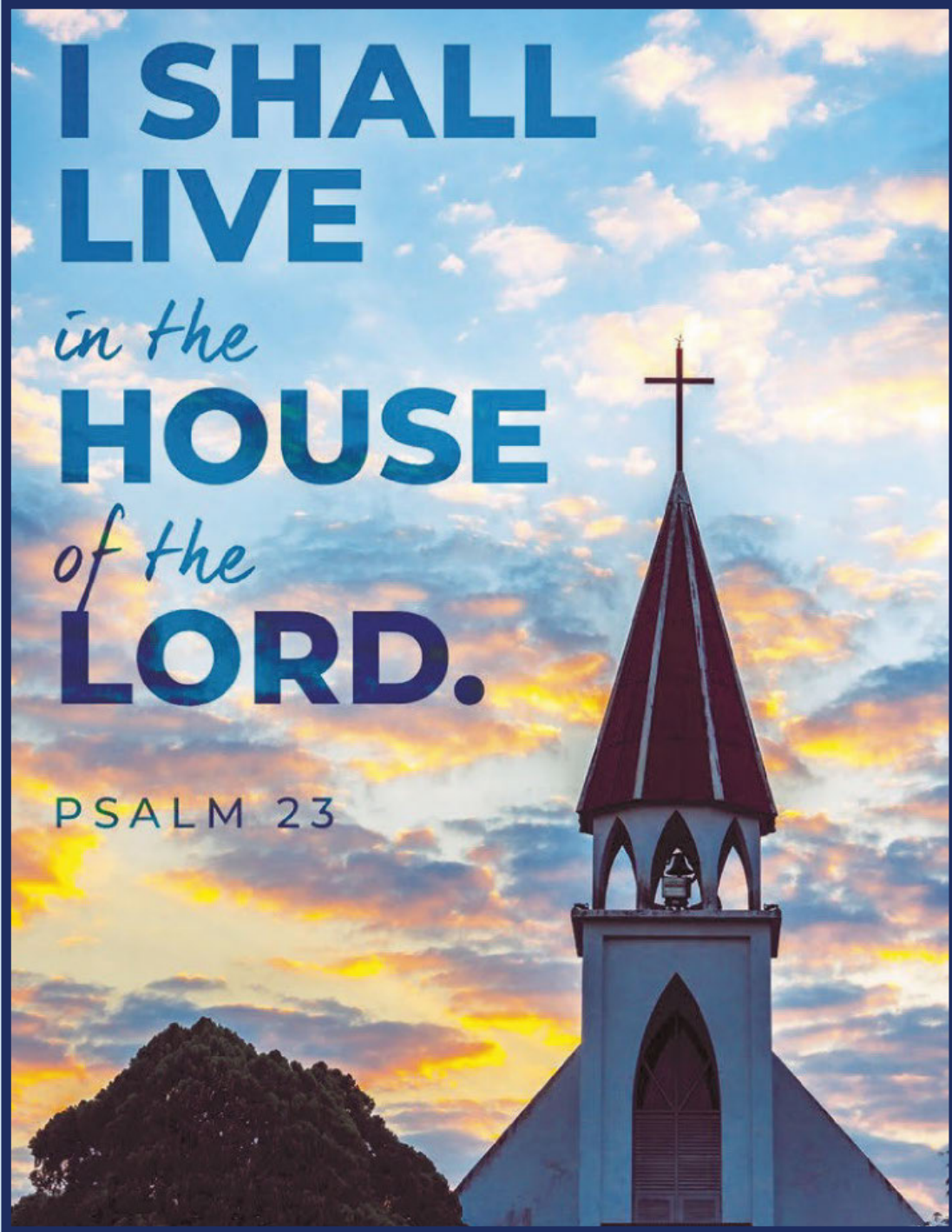
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PSALM 23



28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

We, the faith community of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, strive to live, share and be Christ in all we do.

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation: Saturday 4-4:30 p.m.
You may also call the parish office to arrange for an appointment.

Baptism: 3rd Sunday of the month during or immediately after 10 a.m. Mass, or at another pre-arranged time. Preparation classes are held quarterly. Please call the parish office for additional information.

Marriage: Please contact the pastor at least six months in advance. No wedding dates will be set until a couple has met with the pastor.

Communion Calls: Please call the parish office to arrange Communion calls for the home-bound.

Anointing of the Sick: If you are going to have surgery, or have a chronic illness and wish to be anointed, please contact the parish office. If a family member is in or admitted to the hospital, please call the parish office at **317-356-7291**.

PARISH SCHOOL

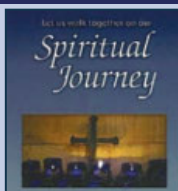
Our Lady of Lourdes offers preschool and kindergarten through 8th grade classes. Please call the School Office for more information at **317-357-3316**.

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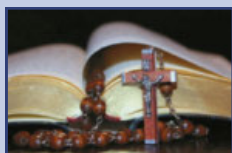
Welcome to our Parish Family!

To register or to schedule a tour of Our Lady of Lourdes, please call or stop by the parish office.

PRAY THE ROSARY WITH US



AT HOME OR IN CHURCH:
TUESDAYS/THURSDAYS
AT 5:30 P.M.



BULLETIN DEADLINE

Please send your entries by **NOON** on **MONDAYS** to ensure your article will appear in that week's printing. If you have flyers to be inserted into the bulletin, please bring them to the parish office by 3 p.m. on Thursday.

THANK YOU!

parishsecretary@ollindyo.org

Pastor's Corner

Dear brothers and sisters of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish,

Last Saturday, October 7, would have been my mother's 107th birthday. It was also the Feast of Our Lady of Rosary. The two concurrent celebrations have always allowed me to remember my mother's role in forming my faith, and the Mother of God's role in the mystery of faith!

While praying the Office of Readings and Morning Prayer that day, I noted that the concluding Collect for each (as well as the Collect for the Feast), was a most familiar prayer.

Pour forth, we beseech you, O Lord,
your grace into our hearts,
that we, to whom the Incarnation of Christ your Son
was made known by the message of an Angel,
may, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
by his Passion and Cross
be brought to the glory of his Resurrection.
Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.
– Amen.

In recent months, with the restoration of the tower bells, the Angelus bells have rung at the noon hour and 6 p.m. The hour is not struck, as at the other hours. Rather, the Angelus is a call to prayer.

In centuries past, this daily invitation peeled out a call to workers, especially in the fields, to pause and pray. It also called them to rest and eat, after their prayer.

The prayer which they said (and which we pray here at OLL before the commencement of the 6 p.m. Masses on Tuesday and Thursday) has a biblically based format. It flows from the Gospel of Luke and the Gospel of John. Here it is in its entirety.

V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.
R. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit. *Luke*

Hail Mary, full of grace,
The Lord is with Thee;
Blessed art thou among women,
And blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
Pray for us sinners,
Now and at the hour of our death. Amen

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
R. Be it done to me according to thy word. *Luke*

Hail Mary. . .

V. And the Word was made flesh.
R. And dwelt among us. *John*

Hail Mary. . .

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.
R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

V. Let us pray.
R. Pour forth... *(as above)*

In this month of the Rosary, it is good to pray this prayer that our ancestors relied upon to remind them daily of God's goodness and love and of the role of the Spirit and Mary in our salvation.



Father Rick

Coffee & Doughnuts: October 15

Our next Doughnut Sunday will be October 15. Our sponsor will be the Men's Monday Night Prayer group. If your group would like to sponsor a Sunday, please email Sally Bennett at: sallyb718@aol.com



“Ordinary Women” Meeting

Our next meeting will be **Monday, October 16**, in Bernadette Hall at 7 p.m. Please join us! All women of the parish are welcome. For information, call Pat: **317-395-8186**.

Socialaires

The Socialaires will be meeting at Southeastway Park at the Activity Center on **October 18**, at 11:30 a.m. Bring a dish for a pitch-in lunch. We'll play games, play on the playground and/or walk the trails. When we're done playing, we'll go to the Pleasant View Apple Orchard. There is a back-up plan in case of rain. Please call Diane Beasley at **317-527-5749** by October 16, to confirm your attendance. Thank you.



Our archdiocesan ministries and programs allow us to walk alongside those who are on their faith journey, as well as those who are lost and in need of God's healing. Your gifts to the United Catholic Appeal allows us to:

- Form and walk beside young adults seeking the faith
- Celebrate and affirm cultural diversity in our Church
- Walk with those hurting or in crisis
- Uphold the sacredness of marriage and support and strengthen families
- Welcome and include persons with disabilities
- Promote the dignity of life

Scan to watch a video about the importance of SHEPHERDING.



FRIENDS IN UKRAINE

We pray for all people in Ukraine, especially our friends: Dmitriy Gvozdk, Yosyp Heletei, Vlad Mokryi, Ihor Liutak, Oleksii Shtefan, and Illia Bezsmertnyi.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Susan Abel, Pam Aiello, Emilia Atkinson, Harold Barthé, Paula Bittelmeyer, Rose Boggs, Dick & Kathy Burgess, Denise Byers, Catherine C. Coop, Will Christiansen, Deborah Clayton, Marc Davis, Cassandra Budreau Dunne, Gilbert Durham, Debby Eha, Mona Eitel, Norma Faye, Tina Fields, Teresa Foster, Jim Funk, Steve Gray, Katie Guzman, Ben Hall, Charles Hart, Isabelle Hofmeister, Kevin Houppert, Harold Irons, Michael James, Karen Jaskelski, Teresa Kerns, Randy Kidwell, Peggy Kloenne, Joseph Kossack, Joe Leach, Emerson Linde, Paul Linne, Mitzi Loomis, John Maag & Ellen, Jerry MacKenzie, Marilyn May, Mike Miller, Glenda Moore, Victoria O'Neil, Dale Page, Bernie Price, Joseph Rogers, Irene Roseman, Rhonda Roseman, Karen & Larry Thomas, Barb Tittle, Jimmy Warrenburg, Arianna Williams

Parish Office

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8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

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Mass Schedule

Tues & Thurs 6 p.m.

Wed & Fri 8:15 a.m.

Sat 5 p.m.

Sun 10 a.m.

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Confirmation Retreat Coming Up

Our Confirmation candidates will be going on retreat November 4-5. Please pray for them to have an enriching experience.

Letters of Encouragement Requested

Your letter can help prepare and form our candidates for Confirmation! Please send a letter of encouragement sharing what your own confirmation meant to you. Why you remain in Christ and in his Church. Also, how you respond to God's grace, the fullness of the Holy Spirit and its gifts. Which you received at confirmation. Reading about different perspectives on the sacrament and living a Spirit-filled life will help them form their own understanding. Please send letters to: mfallon@ollindy.org

Share Your Faith

Here is a way to fulfill your Christian obligation to evangelize without going door-to-door: share your faith with our RCIA participants who wish to join the Church. Beginning November 26, we will be excusing the catechumens from Mass (after the Liturgy of the Word) to discuss the readings for that day. We need 4-5 volunteers to lead the informative and faith-sharing discussion, on a rotating basis. A guide-book for the readings will be provided. Talk with Matthew to serve God and the parish in this way. And thank you!



**Spooky Organ
Concert
& Canned
Food Drive**
Sunday,
October 22, 6 p.m.
Our Lady of
Lourdes Church:
Admission Free,
but canned goods
will be gratefully
appreciated.

Contribute to the NCYC Fund

The upcoming National Catholic Youth Conference (mid-November) is an intense, "mountain top," Catholic experience. Teens who attend come back energized in their faith. If you would like to contribute funding to help make the conference more affordable to attend, please write a check to Our Lady of Lourdes, with "NCYC" in the subject line. Thank you for your generosity to the faith formation of our youth.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 14.....28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm Pro Populo

Sunday, October 15.....28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
10:00 am Pro Populo
†Monica W. Baldwin Req. by Angela Gilmer

Tuesday, October 17...St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr
5:30 pm Rosary
6:00 pm †John Collins Req. by Sally Welch

Wednesday, October 18.....St. Luke, Evangelist
8:15 am †Carolyn Gallagher Req. by Steve & Susan Koers

**Thursday, October 19.....Ss. John de Brebeuf, Isaac Jogues
& Companions, Martyrs**
5:30 pm Rosary
6:00 pm †Mary Ann Henneghan Bennett Req. by Fred Bennett

Friday, October 20.....St. Paul of the Cross
8:15 am Int. of Dan Broers & children Req. by Mary Lemus

Saturday, October 21.....29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm Pro Populo

Sunday, October 22.....29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
10:00 am Pro Populo
†Mike Bisesi Req. by Richard & Penny Moss

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, October 21 - 5 p.m. 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

EMHC: Mary Ann Coffey (Host), Priscilla Campbell (Host),
Deacon Tom (Cup), Jan O'Brien (Cup),
Sally Budreau (Main Host)

Hospitality
Ministers: Don Flick (Team Leader-UW), Kay Campbell (GE),
Lisa Flick (GN), _____ (GW)

Lector: Paige Kervan (A), Mark Pittman (B)

Sacristan: Mary Morois Servers: Andrew Wilhelm, Nate Wilhelm

Cantor: Michele Kite

Sunday, October 22 - 10 a.m. 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

EMHC: Mike Guinan (Host), Sally Krause (Host), Deacon Tom (Cup),
Beverly Durham(Cup), H. Chris Houppert(Cup),
Linda Caraher(Sup), Sue Wilson (Main Host)

Hospitality
Ministers: Gilbert Durham - Team Leader (UW), John Lockhart (GE),
Tim McDonnell (GN), Vic Berlage (GW), _____ (Y1)

Lector: Andrea Aikman (A), Sally Welch (B)

Sacristan: Bernice Berlage

Servers: Dominic McKiernan, Henry McKiernan

Cantor: Sylvia Zimmerman

Small Linens
Sacristan: Penny Moss

Mass Childcare: Carissa McNulty, Shea McNulty

C.L.O.W. Emily Reuhs, _____

READINGS: WEEK OF OCTOBER 15, 2023

Sunday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Phil 4:12-14,19-20; Mt 22:1-14

Monday: Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13,17-18; Lk 10:1-9

Thursday: Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1-6; Lk 11:47-54

Friday: Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32:1-2,5,11; Lk 12:1-7

Saturday: Rom 4:13,16-18; Ps 105:6-9,42-43; Lk 12:8-12



NCYC BAKE SALE October 28-29

Proceeds will benefit our OLL teens who will attend the National Catholic Youth Conference. Help make our trip a success!

Calendar of **EVENTS**

Saturday, October 14	The 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00 pm Reconciliation	Church
5:00 pm Mass	Church
Sunday, October 15	The 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 a.m. SRE	School
10:00 am Mass	Church
11:00 am Coffee & Doughnuts	BH-A&B
11:30 am Parish Council	BH-C
Monday, October 16 - FALL BREAK	
7:00 pm Ordinary Women	BH-A
Tuesday, October 17- FALL BREAK	
5:30 pm Rosary	Chapel
6:00 pm Mass followed by Holy Hour	Chapel
7:00 pm Boy Scouts Troop #8	Cafeteria
7:00 pm School Commission	BH-C
Wednesday, October 18 - FALL BREAK - Report Cards Today	
8:15 am Mass	Chapel
7:00 pm SVdP	BH-B
7:30 pm RCIA	BH-A
Thursday, October 19 - FALL BREAK	
10:00 am In Stitches	BH-A&B
5:30 pm Rosary	Chapel
6:00 pm Mass	Chapel
7:00 pm Finance Committee	BH-C
Friday, October 20 - FALL BREAK	
8:15 am Mass	Chapel
Saturday, October 21	The 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00 pm Reconciliation	Church
5:00 pm Mass	Church
Sunday, October 22	The 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 a.m. SRE	School
10:00 am Mass	Church
6:00 pm Spooky Organ Concert	Church
7:00 pm Confirmation Class	BH-A

The Good Life Method: How to Find Meaning in Life and Work Thursday, October 26, at 6:30 p.m.

Reception following at 7:45 p.m.
St Thomas Aquinas Church - Admission is free.
Professor Paul Blaschko is a teacher of philosophy at the University of Notre Dame and Assistant Director at the Notre Dame Institute for Advanced Study.
(This event is a part of the Hesburgh Lecture Series.)

IN GRATITUDE WE SHARE



October 8, 2023

Actual.....	\$	4,502.00
Online Giving		4,605.00
Budgeted.....		11,371.00
Difference +/-.....	\$	(2,264.00)
YTD Sunday & Holy Day		
Actual.....	\$	177,861.42
Budgeted.....		175,796.00
Difference +/-.....	\$	2,065.42
World Mission Sunday.....	\$	20.00
Fire Extinguisher Fund.....	\$	100.00
Endowment Fund.....	\$	210.00
SVdP.....	\$	148.00



“My God will fully supply whatever you need...”

- PHILIPPIANS 4:19

God really does provide for those who are grateful and generous. This is very difficult for people that don't live a **Stewardship** lifestyle to believe. People are skeptical and say it's just a coincidence. If you are skeptical, try living a **Stewardship** lifestyle for just one month – be generous with your gifts of time in prayer, talent in charitable works, and treasure, then see how God provides for your needs.

“O Blessed Mother, at the angel's word you went in haste to the aid of your cousin Elizabeth.

Although pregnant yourself, you placed her needs before your own. By your example of radical solidarity, teach us to reverence and protect those in need, without conditions or expectations.”



Central Indiana Life Chain 2023 & Students for Life of America
Sunday, October 15, 2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Downtown Indianapolis, Along both sides of West Street
(from 0 - 200 N. West St., i.e. from W. Washington St. - W. Ohio St.)



Our Lady of Lourdes Versiti Blood Drive

Save the Date: Sunday, Nov. 12 - 9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Our Goal is to collect 20 blood products, to help meet the demand from hospitals in our community. - You are a beacon of hope, whose kindness saves lives.

https://donate.indiana.versiti.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/159359



Scan this QR code to sign up for OLL online giving or to make changes to your current online giving account.



CORRECTION: OCTOBER 1

Actual.....	\$	9,627.00
Online Giving		4,028.00
Budgeted.....		11,371.00
Difference +/-.....	\$	2,284.00
YTD Sunday & Holy Day		
Actual.....	\$	168,754.42
Budgeted.....		164,425.00
Difference +/-.....	\$	4,329.42
Catholic Universities.....	\$	20.00
Little Sisters of the Poor.....	\$	1,588.00
World Mission Sunday.....	\$	95.00
Fire Extinguisher Fund.....	\$	20.00
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Endowment Fund.....	\$	140.00
SVdP.....	\$	215.00

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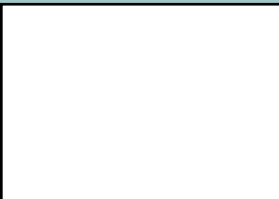
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School News!

During the month of October, we will be focusing on a new Lifeline, Respect. As we shared in a previous article, each month we have a schoolwide focus on something that is a lifeline to Jesus. We receive Him through the Eucharist, but do we always remember to live His message? This month we will be reminded through weekly challenges and teachable moments in the classroom to have respect for others, our property, ourselves, and God.

October also brings a new Student Government administration. Congratulations to E'va Maciotok, president, and Kate Certo, vice president. Other candidates for president were Jaiden Carlyle, David Jackson, and Nico Zepeda. Running against Kate for VP was Wyatt Ochs-Wald. All of these students are excellent leaders in our school community and will contribute to carrying out the whole student government agenda. This group has many plans for service, faith-focused activities, and some fun for our student body.

Take note of photos of students voting with the help of our student government election board and of speech excerpts.



“My greatest strength is my determination. My greatest weakness is probably the fact that I can be stubborn, but I would try to combat this by listening more. If I was elected, I would advise the president as best as I could and I would try to add more fun events for students.” -- Kate Certo

“While my experiences may have centered around the robotics club, where I have demonstrated great communication and teamwork, my consistent academic achievements have underscored my dedication to excellence...” -- Jaiden Carlyle

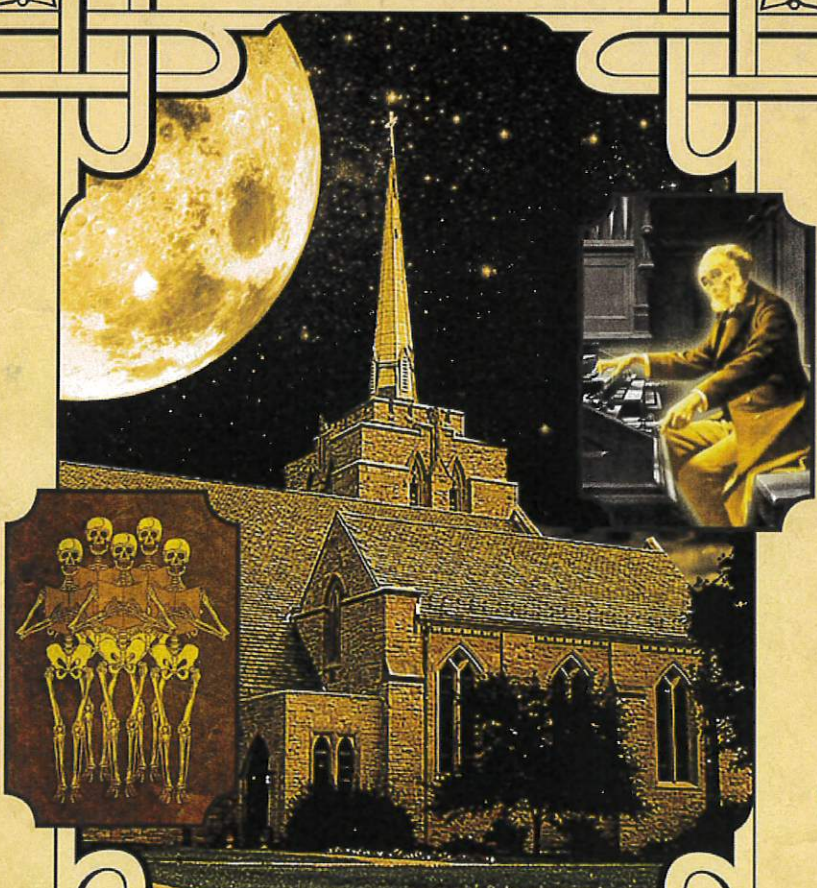
“I will also provide an unbiased voice towards other students and staff. What I mean by this is I don't know most of the people here by heart. I still learn something new about someone every day. This is important because I have a fresh, clean slate towards everybody...” -- Nico Zepeda

SPOOKY ORGAN CONCERT

Admission is FREE!

But canned goods will be gratefully appreciated.

Donations benefit OLL's St. Vincent de Paul and the ICAN Food Pantry located at Downey Avenue Christian Church.



OUR LADY OF LOURDES
OCTOBER 22 AT 6PM



The Spooky Organ Concert is back, featuring Broadway standards, classic rock, and keyboard masterpieces celebrating "Songs and Dances of Death." Baritone Daniel Narducci returns, as do Dominic Duray, Erik Scull, OLL father-and-son power duo Tad and Heath Nelson, and the OLL Choir to close the evening with a few sing-alongs.