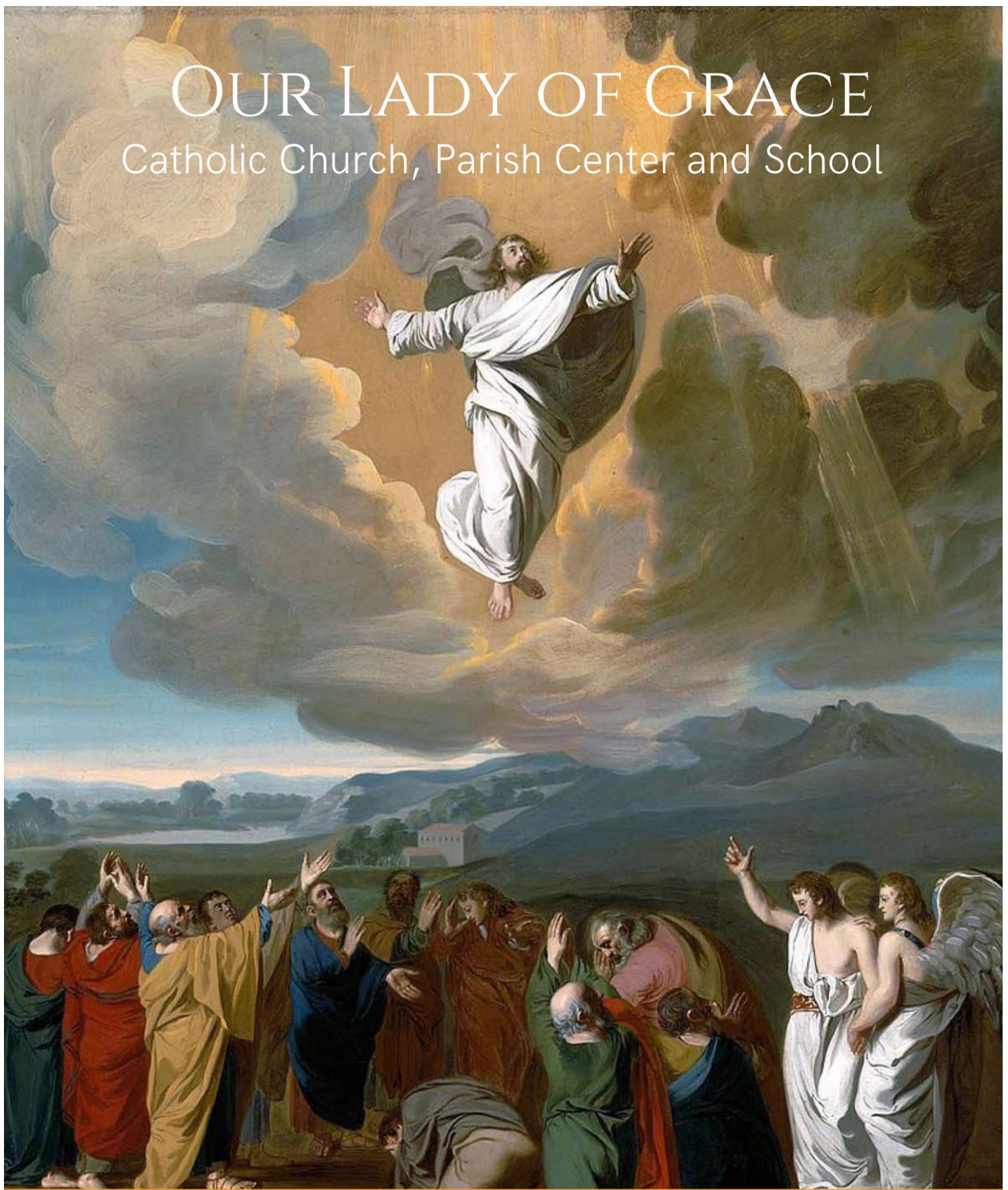


OUR LADY OF GRACE

Catholic Church, Parish Center and School



May 5, 2024

Ascension of the Lord

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FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS

Congratulations to our new Communicants who received their First Holy Communion the last 2 Saturdays of April. The kids and their families spent 7 months learning about the greatest love of all-Jesus in the Eucharist. They had time to share and serve as a family, and grew in their faith! Below are some of the best scenes from these past 7 months.





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Y DE LA EUCHARISTÍA

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Our Lady of Grace-Centro parroquial
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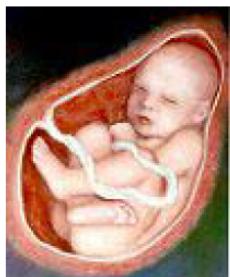
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Spiritual Adoption - Eight Month Developing Baby - **"I like to listen to my Mommy's voice!"**



Now your spiritually adopted baby is finished developing and is concentrating on gaining weight; she might be making her mother uncomfortable with her size. He needs a layer of fat to help him stay warm after he leaves the perfect temperature inside his mother's womb. For some weeks now he has recognized his mother's voice. Your baby's mother is thankful for the prayers you have said for her and her baby throughout the pregnancy. Your prayers have given her the grace she needed to bring her baby to term.

Dear Our Lady of Grace Family,

Dear Faith Family of Our Lady of Grace,

Praised be Jesus Christ...now and forever!

It is an exciting time for us here at OLG. So many of our children, teenagers, young adults, and adults are receiving the sacraments. More than that they are deepening their relationship with Jesus. We are all called by God, gathered as a community of disciples, and sent as missionaries. I want to welcome you to OLG if you are visiting us for the first time or returning to celebrate Confirmation this Sunday with a family member or friend! You are blessed!

Congratulations to our teenagers and adults who this Sunday receives the sacrament of Confirmation! Much thanks go to both to our Sacred Heart Sisters, the director of faith formation, the catechists, the peer/ young adult leaders, and their parents/families for helping our candidates know and love the Faith Jesus has given us. The newly confirmed have studied the gifts of the Holy Spirit and learned how they help them become mature Christians. They learned they received these gifts at Baptism and how each is strengthened through Confirmation. The purpose is for them to truly live the Catholic Faith as the Saints did!

Our confirmation candidates devoted these past two years to preparing for the sacrament. They came to understand that receiving this sacrament does not make them “an adult of the Church” nor is it them “making the Faith their own”. These statements are said by well-meaning people who do not understand the purpose of Confirmation. The word “Confirmation” tells us something about its purpose. If you know any Spanish, which has similarities to Latin, then you probably know that “con” means “with”. From this we begin to understand that the sacrament is meant to help us be “firm” (strong) in living the Faith of the Church.

The reason why Confirmation is not about “making the Faith their own” is that they have been doing this and will (hopefully) continue to do this their entire life. Receiving the sacrament of Confirmation gives them the necessary grace to live more and more according to all that God has taught us. Those who do so are grow-

ing in Christian maturity, which is a requirement for entering into heaven, as we read in the New Testament.

Maturity is not measured by age but instead by the qualities and characteristics of a person. As a result, Confirmation does not make a person an adult of the Church but gives them the grace to become fully mature- ALIVE IN THE HOLY SPIRIT! We are also alive to bear the fruit of the Holy Spirit. Last Sunday I spoke about how St. Paul in his letter to the Galatians chapter five describe the fruit of the Spirit are, “love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control” (Gal. 5:22). God’s help is always near! In my conversations with some of the newly confirmed and when I have stepped into the adult confirmation program, we talked about how a mature Christian is someone who prays daily and keeps holy the Lord’s Day each Sunday, which includes going to Mass. A mature Christian does not use God’s name in vain and does not use vulgar language. We talked about how some words that are common today would never come from a mature Christian’s mouth.

We also discussed how a mature Christian does not lie, cheat, or steal. The mature Christian is charitable to other people and tries to lead them closer to God. Such a person forgives others and even prays for those who are uncharitable to him or her. The mature Christian does not follow the trends of society but instead the will of God. That person treats sexuality as sacred and respects life at every stage. A Christian stands as a sign of contradiction in the world so that others may see that God “has a heart for them.”

Let us pray for our newly confirmed and for all of us that we may be bold and courage missionary disciples! Have a great week!



In the Risen Savior,

Fr. Marinello Saguin

Querida familia de Nuestra Señora de la Gracia,

Querida Familia de Fe de Nuestra Señora de la Gracia,

¡Alabado sea Jesucristo... ahora y por siempre!

Es un momento emocionante para nosotros aquí en OLG. Muchos de nuestros niños, adolescentes, jóvenes y adultos están recibiendo los sacramentos. Más que eso, están profundizando su relación con Jesús. Todos somos llamados por Dios, reunidos como comunidad de discípulos y enviados como misioneros. ¡Quiero darle la bienvenida a OLG si nos visita por primera vez o regresa para celebrar la Confirmación este domingo con un familiar o amigo! ¡Eres bendecido!

¡Felicitaciones a nuestros adolescentes y adultos que este domingo reciben el sacramento de la Confirmación! Muchas gracias a nuestras Hermanas del Sagrado Corazón, al director de formación en la fe, a los catequistas, a los líderes de jóvenes adultos y a sus padres/familias por ayudar a nuestros candidatos a conocer y amar la fe que Jesús nos ha dado. Los recién confirmados han estudiado los dones del Espíritu Santo y han aprendido cómo les ayudan a convertirse en cristianos maduros. Aprendieron que recibieron estos dones en el Bautismo y cómo cada uno se fortalece a través de la Confirmación. ¡El propósito es que vivan verdaderamente la fe católica como lo hicieron los santos!

Nuestros candidatos a la confirmación dedicaron estos últimos dos años a prepararse para la Santa Cena. Llegaron a comprender que recibir este sacramento no los convierte en "un adulto de la Iglesia" ni tampoco "hacen suya la fe". Estas declaraciones las dicen personas bien intencionadas que no entienden el propósito de la Confirmación. La palabra "Con-firma-ción" nos dice algo sobre su propósito. La palabra confirmación proviene del latín que significa "fuerte" o "reforzar". A partir de esto comenzamos a comprender que la Santa Cena tiene como objetivo ayudarnos a ser "firmes" (fuertes) al vivir la Fe de la Iglesia.

La razón por la que la Confirmación no se trata de "hacer suya la fe" es que han estado haciendo esto

y (con suerte) continuarán haciéndolo durante toda su vida. Recibir el sacramento de la Confirmación les da la gracia necesaria para vivir cada vez más según todo lo que Dios nos ha enseñado. Quienes lo hacen están creciendo en madurez cristiana, la cual es un requisito para entrar al cielo, como leemos en el Nuevo Testamento.

La madurez no se mide por la edad sino por las cualidades y características de una persona. Como resultado, la Confirmación no convierte a una persona en un adulto de la Iglesia, sino que le da la gracia de llegar a ser completamente maduro: ¡VIVO EN EL ESPÍRITU SANTO! También estamos vivos para dar el fruto del Espíritu Santo. El domingo pasado hablé de cómo San Pablo en su carta a los Gálatas capítulo cinco describe los frutos del Espíritu: "amor, gozo, paz, paciencia, bondad, bondad, fidelidad, mansedumbre y dominio propio" (Gálatas 5, 22). ¡La ayuda de Dios siempre está cerca! En mis conversaciones con algunos de los recién confirmados y en el programa de confirmación de adultos, hablamos sobre cómo un cristiano maduro es alguien que ora diariamente y santifica el Día del Señor cada domingo, lo que incluye ir a Misa. No usa el nombre de Dios en vano y no usa lenguaje vulgar. Hablamos de cómo algunas palabras que son comunes hoy en día nunca saldrían de la boca de un cristiano maduro.

También analizamos cómo un cristiano maduro no miente, engaña ni roba. El cristiano maduro es caritativo con otras personas y trata de acercarlas a Dios. Una persona así perdona a los demás e incluso ora por aquellos que no son caritativos con él o ella. El cristiano maduro no sigue las tendencias de la sociedad sino la voluntad de Dios. Esa persona trata la sexualidad como sagrada y respeta la vida en cada etapa. Un cristiano se presenta como un signo de contradicción en el mundo para que otros vean que Dios "tiene un corazón para ellos".

¡Oremos por nuestros recién confirmados y por todos nosotros para que seamos discípulos misioneros audaces y valientes! ¡Que tengas una buena semana!

En nuestro Salvador resucitado,
Padre Marinello Saguin



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REJOICE
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1 THESSELENIAN 5:16-17

ST. JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE CHURCH
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SUNDAY, JULY 7, 2024
 FROM 1:30 TO 7:00PM



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MONDAY, MAY 13
 6:30 PM

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 MORE DETAILS SOON!

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 5011 WHITE OAK AVENUE, ENCINO CA

DATE: SATURDAY MAY 11, 2024

TIME: 8AM – 4.30pm



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FR. GERALD OSUAGWU

OR CALL/TEXT: 818-987-9135



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FREE CITIZENSHIP WORKSHOP for Permanent Residents

Saturday, June 1

9:00 am-1:00 pm

In the Parish Center



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Sunday, May 19

10:00 AM

NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO 9:30 AM OR 11:00 AM MASSES



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Veronica Pomposa	Nelson Aburto	Karlo Cuesta	Patty Sims
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Phillip Ribas	Angela Rostani	Jeannie Arigei	Lucia Reyes
Allison Arahkn Franklin Moya	Stephanie Rivas	William Hardy	Maria G. Legaspi
Mariano Velazquez	Angela Berry	Tim Grimm	Mary Pham
Susan Morales	Tony Mammo	Hermina Ulloa	Alexa Wilett Olibia
Paula Aguilar	Tonya Fuentes	Sylvia Williams	Dr. Naresh Saxena
Ed Ricard	Fuentes Family	James Pryer	Patricia Yahneke
Patricia Branagan	Mejia Family	Josefina Villalobos	Bill Hughes
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Harolyn Matisoff	Jose Reyes	Leo Quintanilla	
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Julie Sianzon	Chrystal Pritchard	Aguilar	
Yolanda Aburto	Brianna Mantallana	Jason Garcia	
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	Liz Knight	Joanne Williams	

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Jake Schneider
Emily Pomposo
Jordan Arteaga
Jefrey Quintero
Connor M. Coffey

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Luis Mancillas

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Marco Flores
Jorge Godina
Steve Hyath

Philip Rivas
Marc. A. Monreal
Anthony Diaz
Michael Arnold

U.S. Cost Guard

David Scates
Brian Page (LAFD)

MASS SCHEDULE/HORARIO DE MISAS

Daily: 8:00 am (English only)

Saturday/Sábado:

8:00 am; 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)

Sunday/Domingo:

8:00am; 9:30am*, 11:00am (Español); 12:30pm

*translation in sign language available.

Livestream option available

First Friday/Primer Viernes

6:30 pm (bilingual Mass/ Misa bilingüe)

Reconciliation/Confesiones

(Christmas and Lent schedule may change)

Friday: 5:00-6:00 pm

Saturday: 9:00-10:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration/Adoración Eucarística

Every Friday/ cada viernes:

8:30am-6:00pm (chapel)

First Friday/primer viernes:

10:00 am-11:59pm(church)

First Saturday/primer sábado

12:00am-7:45am (church)

Parish Office Hours/Horario de la oficina parroquial

Monday-Friday: 9:00am-6:00pm

(closed for lunch 12:00-1:00pm)

Weekends: CLOSED

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

NOTE: CALL OR COME TO THE PARISH OFFICE 10 DAYS IN ADVANCE TO REQUEST YOUR MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 4-5:00 pm (Vigil Mass): Maurice Cronin (D); For all Souls in Purgatory; Eduardo Zavala (D); Rodrigo Tululak (D)

Sunday, May 5

8:00 am: Diego Villarba (D); Arlene Villarba De Jesus (D); Bennett Marayag (D); Jorge Guiarro Salazar (D); Lourdes Villarba (L); Herbert John Bangoy (D)

9:30 am: Bennett Marayag (D); Diane Paquin (D); Robert Morrisey (D); Gary Baldago Miralles (D)

11:00 am: PRO-POPULO

12:30 pm: Bennett Marayag (D); Maria Emmi Vilavicencio y Family (L)

Weekly Intentions 05/06-05/11

05/06: Fr. Roberto Rueda (L);

05/07: Female soul of the Anderson Family (D); De La Torre Family (L-special intention)

05/08: Manuel & Josephine Garcia (L-wedding anniv); Teodoro C. Rey Jr. (D); Kayla Abe (L-birthday)

05/09: Mary Cronin (D)

05/10: Christopher Barrientos (L- SI); Por todas las madres de la parroquia en su dia.

05/11: for all the souls in purgatory

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SANTAS LECTURAS****SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024**FIRST READING: ACTS 10:25-26, 34-
35, 44-48RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 98:1, 2-
3, 3-4

SECOND READING: 1 JN 4:7-10

GOSPEL: JN 15:9-17

MONDAY, MAY 6, 2024

FIRST: ACTS 16:11-15

PSALM: Ps 149:1B-2, 3-4, 5-6A AND
9B

GOSPEL: JN 15:26-16:4A

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 2024

FIRST: ACTS 16:22-34

PSALM: Ps 138:1-2AB, 2CDE-3, 7C-
8

GOSPEL: JN 16:5-11

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 2024

FIRST: ACTS 17:15, 22-18:1

PSALM: Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14
GOSPEL: JN 16:12-15**THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2024**

FIRST: ACTS 18:1-8

PSALM: ACTS 18:1-8

GOSPEL: JN 16:16-20

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 2024

FIRST: ACTS 18:9-18

PSALM: Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7

GOSPEL: JN 16:20-23

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 2024

FIRST: ACTS 18:23-28

PSALM: 47:2-3, 8-9, 10

GOSPEL: JN 16:23B-28

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