

**September 02, 2018**

**22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Mass Readings: Deut. 4:1-2, 6-8 (125B) James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27, Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23, Resp.: "The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord."

**Events for this week**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: 9:00 am to 9:00 pm in the Marian/Day Chapel in the church.

- Sun. 10:00 am Mass—Second collection Flood Victims
- Mon. 8:00 am Rosary – No Morning Mass
- Tue. 8:00 am Rosary – No Morning Mass
- Wed. 8:00 am Rosary – No Morning Mass
- Thur. 8:00 am Rosary – No Morning Mass
- Sat. 4:00 pm Confessions  
5:30 pm Vigil Mass
- Sun. 11:00 am Mass—Parish Picnic Riverside Park

**Babysitting during the 10:00 am Mass is downstairs in the Rainbow Room with Linda.**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND THOSE THAT NEED OUR PRAYERS:** Rita DuBernay, Mark Lowery, Susan Hoyt, David Walker, Mary Fiorillo, Gayle Knight, Debbie Knight, Roxanne Gibson, Bill Brown, Ella Rogers, Valentino Ricciotti, Quenten Fabiano, Laurel Olmsted, Marie Hannah-Hamer, Laulima Lyman, Ruby Annalora, Cindy Hagness, Kay Frost, Louise Mitchell, Boomer Doell, Joseph Vaughan, Todd Wilson, Frank Elliott, Katie Sheere, Bob McBride, Kay Sheere, Bird Dobbins, Merrill Gorham, Correne Bonkowski, Maria Haney, Virginia Wimer, Anna Melba Astitas Aliaga, Dave Fischer, Bob Hazlett, June Shira, Chelsea Tose, Ken Gannon, Penny Lane Forrest, Jody Schlieski Hanson, Phil Hansen, Janet McLaughlin, Lorini Morehead, Ryan Lund, and Donna Hartley. **To update this list, call or email the parish office.**

**Welcome**

We extend a special welcome to those that are passing through, those that have made this their home and those still searching for their parish family. We are glad you are here and celebrating God's word and presence with us in today's Eucharistic celebration.

**Last Week for Ministry Schedule**

Dear Eucharistic Ministers, Readers and Parents of Altar Servers, **the deadline** to let me know of any days that you or your child will not be able to serve during the months of October, November, December and January is **THIS Thursday, September 6th by 1:00 pm**. Please email, call or stop by parish office as soon as possible to let me know of any days. Thank you, Nancy.

**Help Keep Donuts Available**

There is no coffee hour this week. Please help keep coffee hour available Sunday mornings by signing up to host a week. **Please sign up at the back of church if you would like to host, or call the office.**

**Community Help: Donations Unlimited**

To donate household items, linens, clothing, lamps & microwaves, please call Linda Williams at 541-963-2282.

**Thank You to Our Bulletin Sponsors**

The businesses advertising on the back of the bulletin make it possible to provide the bulletin at no cost to the parish. Let them know you saw their ad in our bulletin!

**Prayer Request Line**

Please contact Mary Gover 963-3042 or Theresa Beery 963-2372.

**Baptism**

Preparation is required for parents. Please call the office for further information.

**Marriage**

Preparation and instruction classes at least 6 months before the wedding. Contact Fr. Saji at the parish office.

**Communion to the Sick**

If you know of anyone who is homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist, please contact the parish office at 541- 963-7341.

**Website**

www.olvcatholic.org

**FORMED**

Online resources to build your faith. Register for free at FORMED.ORG and enter parish code: **MAMWFF**

**Thank You Fr. Victor Mena!**

We are thankful and grateful to have Fr. Victor Mena from Bend, OR here for the weekend while Fr. Saji is till on Vacation. Fr. Saji will be back Friday, Sept. 7. Please keep Fr. Victor, Fr. Saji and all the other priests in our Diocese in your prayers.

**Special Collection**

We are having a special **second collection this weekend Saturday & Sunday, Sept. 1—2** for the victims of the floods in Kerala, India.

**Parish Office will be closed for Labor Day!**

The Parish Office will be closed for Labor Day, **Monday, September 3**. It will open on Tuesday at the regular time

**Adoration**

There will be **no Adoration Monday, September 3rd** due to Labor Day and many people being out of town.

**September 09: All Parish Mass and Picnic**

**The only Mass in Union County for Sunday, September 09** will be at **11:00 am at Riverside Park**. There will be family fun & games. Hamburgers and drinks will be provided by the Knights of Columbus. Please **bring your favorite picnic side dish to share**. Sacred Heart and St. Mary's will provide desserts and salads.

**2018-2019 Youth Programs**

The regular youth sessions for 1st grade - 12th grade will be **after Mass on Sundays until 12:30 pm** beginning on Sunday, **September 16**. There will be additional meetings for those preparing for sacraments. **Registrations** will be on **Sunday, September 9 at Riverside Park** after Mass during the Parish Picnic and **during the K of C breakfast on Sunday, September 16**. **Registrations** will also be **available online** at olvcatholic.org and **on the bulletin board** in the hallway. **Registrations that you pick up are due by Friday, September 14**. Please contact Jimmy or Jenell Zamora at youth@olvcatholic.org with questions.

**Youth Choir**

Youth Choir will sing at the 10:00 pm Mass on **Sunday, September 16**. To prepare, you may listen to the following **songs on You Tube:**

**Sing Out, Earth and Skies** by Haugen

**Whatsoever You Do** by Jausch

**Behold the Lamb** by Willett

**Lord of All Hopefulness** by Slane

Please **meet in the conference room at 9:15 on Sunday, September 16** to warm up and rehearse before Mass.

## OLV Catholic Women Fall Sale

OLVCW will be having a **Fall Sale on Saturday, September 8th by the playground starting at 8 am.** Donations may be placed on the stage. Clothing, indoor and outdoor household items, toys, furniture, and small appliances are all appreciated. Please call Phyllis Kemp at (541) 963-0274 if you have any items that you would like picked up, if you have any questions or if you would like to volunteer with this event.

## Help Make the Picnic Fun For The Kids!

**We are looking for families or older teens that would like to volunteer and help set up and organize a game for our Parish Picnic on Sunday, September 9.** We currently have only 2 families sign up to help with games. We have games available at the church, or if you have any ideas for new games, we would love to hear from you. **We also need donations of candy and trinkets for prizes.** These can be dropped off at the office or on the basket located next to the table at the back of the church. **To volunteer** to help with games, we have a signup sheet located on the table at the back of the church, or **please call/email the office** if you would like to help with this event.

## Adorer Needed

Why is Eucharistic Adoration important? We have the gift of being able to pray before the Blessed Sacrament, the very wellspring of grace. St. Alponus Liguori noted, "of all devotions, that of adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the greatest after the sacraments, the one dearest to God, and the one most helpful to us." (Catechism of the Catholic Church No. 1418). **An adorer will be needed starting October 15, for the Monday night 8-9 pm hour.** Could Jesus be calling you to spend time with him in adoration during this hour? Call the office with questions or to sign up.

## Knights of Columbus News

Please mark your calendars for Sunday, September 16. The Knights of Columbus are again providing a delicious breakfast: pancakes, ham/sausage, eggs, and biscuits and gravy for just \$5 per person or \$15 per family. Breakfast is in the hall immediately following the 10 am Sunday Mass

**OPEN TO ALL MEN OF THE PARISH,** our K of C are also holding their monthly meeting on Tuesday, September 18 at 7 pm in the Rectory basement. Come and find out what the Knights do.

## Formed Pick of the Week: Saint Augustine's Confessions

The Confessions of Saint Augustine is considered one of the greatest Christian classics of all time. It is an extended poetic, passionate, intimate prayer that Augustine wrote as an autobiography sometime after his conversion, to confess his sins and proclaim God's glory. Just as his first hearers were captivated by his powerful conversion story, so also have many millions been over the following sixteen centuries. His experience of God speaks to us across time with little need of transpositions. This version of Augustine's Confessions contains each "book," or chapter, in the original Latin, followed by the same book translated into English by William Watts.

## The Pro-Life Fair Booth Needs Your Help

Daniel Pokorney needs to find a person or organization that will assume the Pro-Life Fair Booth materials. The signs and other materials would be given to whoever will accept this ministry. Daniel and others have sponsored the Pro-Life Fair Booth at the Union County Fair for 22 years. Because of Daniel's Health concerns, he is praying that someone will step forward to continue this important ministry. If you can help, please call 541-910-6585.

## Sunday, Sep. 09, 2018

### **Saturday, September 08, 5:30 Vigil Mass:**

Lector: Nancy Allen

Altar Servers: Clinton Tarvin, Carson De Clue

Acolyte: John Herman

Eucharistic Ministers: Elaine Acevedo, Janis Bozarth

### **Sunday, September 09, 11 am Mass—Riverside Park**

Lector: Lyle Schwarz

Altar Servers: Gabriel Zamora, Michelle Silva, Stephanie Silva

Acolyte: Jimmy Zamora

Eucharistic Ministers: Efrain Villagomez, Lupe Villagomez, Jim Wimer, Carol Wimer

**All Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, and Altar Servers please meet in the Sacristy 15 minutes before Mass.**

**For the Parish Picnic Mass on Sunday, Sept. 09, please be at Riverside Park by 10:30 am to check-in with Fr. Saji for any possible changes. Thank you.**

## Marriage Retreat - Retrouvaille -

Rediscover Your Marriage – Retrouvaille simply means 'rediscovery'. This program offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. 10's of 1000's headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending a weekend. Retrouvaille is a not spiritual retreat, not a sensitivity group, not a seminar, not a social gathering. For confidential information about or to register for the October program beginning with the weekend on October 12-14, 2018, please call 1-503-225-9191 or visit [www.helpourmarriage.org](http://www.helpourmarriage.org).

## I'll Push You

Several downtown churches and Cook Memorial Library are sponsoring the showing of an inspirational documentary. **I'll Push You is an inspirational exploration of the true meaning of friendship, generosity, and vulnerability.** It's about **two best friends who grew up together in Ontario, Oregon who embark on an epic journey** when Patrick Gray agrees to **the crazy proposition to push Justin Skeesuck in a wheelchair across the 500-mile pilgrimage of El Camino de Santiago in northern Spain.** Learn about The Camino and why it draws people from every walk of life and faith tradition as a journey of self-discovery. Follow Justin, Patrick, the filmmakers and their fellow pilgrims as they show how our lives depend on sacrifice not greed, vulnerability not security, community not isolation, and love not fear, true antidotes for our time. I'll Push You is also available in book form for those who wish to read about this adventure before viewing the documentary. Order it wherever books are sold. Come to the **La Grande public library on Friday, September 28th at 6:00 pm** There will be a free showing with discussions.

## Rachel's Vineyard Ministry: Project Aurora

"I feel free to be the person God has meant me to be without hiding my true self. After 39 years, I now feel that the grace to forgive myself has finally been received by me. I never knew I could feel free again. Every part of the retreat was a gift." Rachel's Vineyard retreats are for women and men who have been involved in an abortion(s) in any way or are in relationship with someone who has had an abortion. For more information contact Project Aurora 541-942-2861 [ProjectAurora@aol.com](mailto:ProjectAurora@aol.com). Upcoming retreats: Eugene, October 23-25 (weekdays) in English and Medford, November 9-11 in Spanish. Call Araceli at 541-621-7047. [www.ProjectAurora.org](http://www.ProjectAurora.org) [www.RachelsVineyard.org](http://www.RachelsVineyard.org)



### COLLECTION

**NEEDED TO MEET BUDGET: \$3,400  
Sunday's 8/26 collection: \$2,731**