

October 7, 2018

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Readings: Genesis 2:18-24; Hebrews 2:9-11; Mark 10:2-16 Resp. "May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives."

Events for this week

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday—Thursday
9:00 am to 9:00 pm in the Marian Chapel in the church.

Sun. 10 am- Mass
Mon. No Mass—7:35 Rosary
Tue. No Mass -7:35 Rosary
Wed. No Mass—7:35 Rosary
Thur. No Mass—7:35 Rosary
9 am—Bible Studey "Gospel of Luke" - Parish Hall
6:00 pm—OLV Catholic Women-Conference Rm.
Fri. No Mass—7:35 Rosary
Sat. 4:00 pm Confessions
5:30 pm Vigil Mass
Sun. 10:00 am Mass

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, 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.

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Help Keep Donuts Available

Please help keep coffee hour available Sunday mornings by signing up to host a week. Consider co-hosting with another family. One family can set up before Mass and one can clean up after Mass. **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.

Adorer Needed

"Could you not keep watch for one hour? Matt: 14:

An adorer is 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.

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**

Our Youth Choir Needs You!

We are currently looking for someone that would be **willing to take on the position as our OLV Youth Choir Director.** Please call or email the office if you would like to help our children.

YOUTH CHOIR—Oct. 21st

Any youth interested in singing at the Sunday liturgy on Oct. 21st plan to warm up and practice before Mass at 9:00 am in the Conference Room. Look up the following songs on YouTube to get acquainted with the music ahead of time: #567—What Wondrous Love Is This; #527—Here I Am, Lord by Schutte; #566—Christians, Let Us Love One Another by Picardy & #353—Give Me Jesus

Bishop Liam Cary's Visit to OLV

Please save the date and mark your calendars for Saturday and Sunday, October 27 & 28 Bishop Liam Cary will be here with us that weekend. Bishop Cary has a special weekend planned for us, on Saturday, there will be an Exhortation in English from 3-5 pm and Vigil Mass at 5:30 pm, followed by a potluck. On Sunday, 10 am Mass will be followed by an Exhortation in Spanish from 11:30 am-to 1 pm. We hope you are able to take time out of your schedule to join us. For questions, please call the office.

Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Women

All women of the Parish are invited to join in fellowship, service and spirituality. The next monthly meeting will be Thus., Oct 11 at 6 pm in the Conference Rm. Come join us in planning the Bazaar and get to know other women in the Parish.

There will be no Mass next week as Fr. Saji will be in Bend at the Retreat Center for the annual Clergy Assembly.

HOLIDAY BAZAAR

The annual Holiday Bazaar is scheduled for Sat., Nov. 17 in the Parish Hall. Please consider donating crafts, food and/or time. Watch the bulletin for an information flyer coming soon!

Bible Study “Gospel of Luke”

The Bible Study Group will meet Thursdays from 9–10 am in the Parish Hall. The focus is on the Gospel of Luke. For more info or to acquire a book, contact Lucy Fredrick at (858) 705-7403.

Come Sing in Handel’s Messiah

If you have ever wanted to sing in Handel’s Messiah your chance is now. Rehearsals for the choir are on Sunday’s at 6:00 pm at 1802 Gekeler. The first practice for the Orchestra is Nov. 4 from 5-8 pm at the La Grande High School Auditorium. The performance for the 2018 Messiah will be Dec. 16 at 6:30 pm at the LHS auditorium. Questions: Call Wes or Marie Rampton 541-8902

Formed Pick of the Week **Divine Mercy in the Second** **Greatest Story Ever Told**

Do you believe God is present and active in the historical and current events of the world you know today? In this FORMED Pick, join Fr. Michael Gaitley as he weaves together history, Sacred Scripture, the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima, and the witnesses of Saints Faustina, John Paul II, and Maximilian Kolbe to reveal the intricate ways God is preparing the world for his divine mercy. As one viewer said: “This series will change your life!”

Marriage Retreat - Retrouvaille -

1 week to Sign up for Retrouvaille Weekend Program. Last Oregon Weekend Program for 2018!

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? This program has helped 10's and 1000's of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about or to register for the weekend of October 12-14, 2018, please call 1-503-225-9191 or visit www.helpourmarriage.org.

Its October and its Baby Bottle Boomerang Time!

Please take a baby bottle for Next Step Pregnancy Center and fill it with your change. Then return the bottle to Our Lady of the Valley by November. For questions or more information contact Laurie Kemp at 541-910-0826 or call the office.

***“Tragedy to Grace”* by Daniel Pokorney**

Longtime parishioner Daniel Pokorney has written an autobiography and would like to make it available to his friends. The title of the book is *Tragedy to Grace*, and sells for \$15. Daniel will be available to sign books after Mass on Saturday, Oct.13th and Sunday, Oct. 14th

Sunday, Oct. 14, 2018

Saturday, October 6, 5:30 Vigil Mass:

Lector: Amanda Villagomez

Altar Servers: Elphirene and Michael Yiftheg

Acolyte: John Herman

Eucharistic Ministers: Kris Ann McDonald, Janis Bozarth

Sunday, October 7, 10:00 Mass

Lector: Phil Mendiguren

Altar Servers: Cecilia Villagomez, Marylyn Zaragoza,

Marisol Villagomez

Acolyte: TJ Yiftheg

Eucharistic Ministers: Elizabeth Robles, Corrine Dutto,

Delia Jaramillo, Lucy Fredrick.

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

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. Upcoming retreats: Eugene, October 23-25 (weekdays) in English and Medford, November 9-11 in Spanish. Call Araceli at 541-621-7047. www.Project-Aurora.org www.RachelsVineyard.org

Free Health Insurance for COFA citizens

If you moved to Oregon from the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated State of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau, you may qualify for free healthcare or financial assistance with health insurance premium. For more information please call Teresa Aguilera @ NEON 541-910-0336 or 541-624-5101 Ext 1.

“2018 Disasters”

Bishop Cary has asked that a special collection for “2018 Disasters”, including Hurricane Florence and any other disaster that may come in 2018, be taken up. Our Parish will have this collection the weekend of Oct. 13-14. Please make your checks to the parish and one check will be sent to the Diocese. The money will then be sent by the Diocese to Catholic Charities, or Catholic Relief Service, depending on the disaster.

COLLECTION

NEEDED TO MEET BUDGET: \$3,400

Sunday’s 9/30 collection \$3468.36

Bldg. Fund: \$50.00

