

April 28, 2019

**Second Sunday of Easter
Sunday of Divine Mercy**

Mass Readings: Acts 5:12-16 (45C) Rev. 1:0-11a, 12l-13, 17-19, John 20:19-31, Resp.: "Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting.

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. 10:00 am Mass—2nd Sunday of Easter
11:20 am Religious Education/Youth Program.
- Mon. 7:35 am Rosary, No Mass
- Tue. 7:35 am Rosary, No Mass
- Wed. 7:35 am Rosary, No Mass
- Thur. 7:35 am Rosary, No Mass
9:00 am Bible Study—Conference Room
- Sat. 9:00 am 1st Communion Practice & Confessions
4:00 pm Confessions
5:30 pm Vigil Mass
- Sun. 10:00 am First Holy Communion Mass
Candidates, Please meet in Parish Hall by 9:15 am

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, Cindy Hagness, Kay Frost, Louise Mitchell, Boomer Doell, Joseph Vaughan, Todd Wilson, Frank Elliott, Katie Sheere, 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, Kathy Gorham, Karen Seagal, Andy Younggren, Dee Weathermon and Tom Crayton. **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.

Coffee Hour After Sunday Mass

Please join us after Sunday Mass in the Parish Hall for coffee hour. If you would like to host a week, there's a signup sheet located on the table at the back of the church or call the Parish office for more information.

Community Help: Donations Unlimited

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

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Prayer Request Line

Please contact Kathy McGee 541-663-1255
or Theresa Beery 541-963-2372.

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 **olvcatholic.formed.org**

Fr. Saji will be gone the week of April 29 thru May 3 for the annual retreat, there will not be morning Mass this week. Please pray for all the priests and the Bishop as they attend the annual retreat at Mount Angel Seminary.

IMPORTANT: First Holy Communion Parents

Sunday May 5th: First Holy Communion Mass 10 am. Please arrive by 9:15 in the Parish hall to pray together before Mass and be ready to receive Jesus Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity in Holy Eucharist. This is such a special occasion!

IMPORTANTE: Padres de Primera Comuni3n

Domingo 5 de mayo: primera misa de comuni3n. 10 h. Por favor llegue a las 9:15 en el sal3n parroquial para orar juntos antes de la misa y est3 listo para recibir el Cuerpo, la Sangre, el Alma y la Divinidad de Jes3s en la Sagrada Eucaristia. ¡Esta es una ocasi3n tan especial!

Pastoral Council Meeting

Tuesday, **May 14 at 6:00 pm** in the Parish Conference Room. All who would like to attend are welcome.

Upcoming Ministry Schedule

Eucharistic Ministers, Readers and Parents of Altar Servers, I am currently working on the **ministry schedule** for the **following four (4) months: June, July, August & September.** If there are any days that you or your child are not able to serve, **please email or call the parish office by Monday, May 13.** I will be sending an email as a reminder and giving a call to those whose email we don't have. If you or your child are no longer wanting to serve, please let the office or Fr. Saji know so we can take your name off the schedule list. Thank you, Nancy.

Pr3ximo Calendario de Ministerio

Ministros de la Eucaristia, lectores y padres de monaguillos, Actualmente **estoy trabajando en el calendario del ministerio** para los siguientes cuatro (4) meses: **junio, julio, agosto y septiembre.** Si hay alg3n d3a en que usted o su hijo no puedan servir, env3e un correo electr3nico o **llame a la oficina de la parroquia antes del lunes 13 de mayo.** Yo enviar3 un correo electr3nico como recordatorio y llamar3 a aquellos cuyo correo electr3nico no tenemos. Si usted o su hijo ya no desean servir, por favor, comun3quese con la oficina o el Padre Saji para que podamos sacar su nombre de la lista. Gracias, Nancy

Would you like to Bring The Gifts to the Altar?



If you or your family would like to volunteer to bring The Gifts to the Altar during Mass on Saturdays and/or Sundays, there is a sign-up list located on the table at the back of the Church or call the office with any questions or to volunteer.

K-House Dinner—Thursday, May 09

Please help provide dinner for college students on Thursday, May 9th. The Knights are doing the entrée. Sign-up sheets for sides and desserts are available on the table at the back of Church. If you have any questions, please call the office.

OLV Catholic Women Meeting

Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Women are having their monthly meeting on Thursday, May 9th at 5:30 pm at La Fiesta Mexican Restaurant. All who are interested in learning what the OLVCW do for our church are welcome to attend.

FORMED: The Resurrection of Jesus

Come to grips with what really happened to Jesus as Dr. Steven Smith explores Resurrection narratives from the vantage point of each of the four Gospels as well as many of the vital medical details of Roman crucifixion. Dr. Steven Smith is a professor of Sacred Scripture at Mount Saint Mary's Seminary, in Emmitsburg, Maryland. Dr. Smith earned his Ph.D from Loyola University in Chicago, where he specialized in the study of the Gospels and their relationship to the Old Testament.

Bible Study Group

The Bible Study Group meets every Thursday, from 9—10 am in the Conference Room. The focus will be on Genesis. All are welcome to attend. If you wish to join and do not have a book, please contact Lucy Fredrick at (858) 705-7403.

Items Still Missing; Please Help!!

Does anyone have information on the whereabouts of the **2 folding screens** used to cover the rest room doors in the parish hall. They have been missing since before the rummage sale. **Also missing are 5 red tablecloths** loaned to the church for use during the dinner theater. If you have either items or know where they might be, please contact the Parish office as soon as possible.

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 program beginning with the weekend on June 21-23, 2019, please call 1-503-225-9191 or visit <https://www.helpourmarriage.org/>

Rotary Youth Exchange

Go see the world...or bring the world to you! Send a Student! Host a Student! If you are interested in Hosting a foreign exchange student or if your child would like to be a foreign exchange student, please join us on Monday, April 29 from 6:30pm—8pm at the La Grande High School Library to get your questions answered. Hosted by Rotary International. Questions? Call Michelle Long at 541-910-5137 or go to www.youthexchange5100.org

COLLECTION

NEEDED TO MEET BUDGET: \$3,400

Good Friday Pontifical Collection 4-19

\$579.85

Easter Sunday's Collection 4/21 \$3,207



Sunday, May 05, 2019

Saturday, May 04: 5:30 pm

Lector: Amanda Villagomez

Altar Servers: Makena Shaw, Riley Gregg

Acolyte: John Herman

Eucharistic Ministers: Walt Beery, Janis Bozarth

Sunday, May 05: 10:00 am

Lector: Delia Jaramillo

Altar Servers: Cecilia Villagomez, Gabriel Zamora,

Natalia Villagomez

Acolyte: Joe Petrussek

Eucharistic Ministers: Joe Petrussek, Cathy Petrussek,
Jim Wimer, Carol Wimer

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

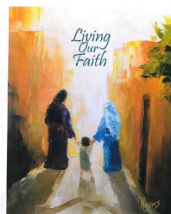
OLV Security Training

Even churches need to think about safety and security. As history has shown, no place is exempt from a mass casualty attack. In the event an attack were to take place, lives can be saved through training and preparation! Far too often we hear in the news of violent acts or acts of terror occurring in churches. And, when these acts occur, you always hear the same answers from the people that were in the church when they are interviewed. They speak of the chaos that occurred and how they did not know what to do. In light of recent events, we know church security is on a lot of people's minds, and ours. Our Lady of the Valley will be hosting a Church Security Training provided by the La Grande Police Department on **Wednesday, May 15 at 1:00 pm for our OLV Staff and 2:00 pm—3:00 pm for all of our volunteers/ministries** (OLVCW, K of C, Acolytes, etc.) and those who would like to attend the training.

Bishop's Annual Appeal 2019

The 2019 Bishop's Annual Appeal Campaign will begin this week. This year the theme is *Living Our Faith* and the campaign goal is \$635,000. **Our parish goal is \$15,005.** With your help, we can assure the continued support of many important programs that help thousands in our diocese each year; education of our children and seminary students, evangelization and Christian Initiation, ongoing formation for our clergy and more. Great news for those who are Registered—you will be receiving a packet from Bishop Cary though the mail.

And for those who are not Registered, we encourage you to use the Pledge Envelopes and Prayer Cards in the pews on Commitment Weekend, May 18-19. For more information, please visit the diocesan website.



Don't Miss the "Alive from New York" Live Stream on **May 4!**

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Register Today for the **FREE** live stream event. Join thousands of viewers across the country to celebrate the sanctity of human life and encourage the support of women facing unplanned pregnancies. **Watch as we light up Times Square with a live 4D ultrasound** broadcast on massive digital screens to help the world **See Life Clearly!**

