

July 05, 2020

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Readings: Zach. 9:9-10 (100A); Rom. 8:9, 11-13; Matt. 11:25-30; Resp. Psalm: "I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God."

Events for this week

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Mondays 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Marian Chapel. **Please RSVP first.**

Sun. 10:00 am Mass—**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Mon. 8:00 am Mass—**Office Is Closed Today.**

Tue. 8:00 am Mass

Wed. 8:00 am Mass
6:00 pm Confirmation Class/Meeting

Thur. 8:00 am Mass

Sat. 4:00—4:30 pm Confessions
5:30 pm Vigil Mass

Sun. 10:00 am Mass—**15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL THE PARISH OFFICE TO MAKE YOUR MASS RESERVATIONS

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND THOSE THAT NEED OUR PRAYERS: Bird Dobbins, Merrill & Kathy Gorham, Virginia Wimer, Astitas Aliaga, Dave Fischer, Bob Hazlett, Ken Gannon, Penny Lane Forrest, Jody Schlieski Hanson, Phil Hansen, Lorini Morehead, Bryan Lund, Karen Seagal, Andy Younggren, Dante & Mary Fiorillo, Carmen Lopez Sotelo, Jose Rivera Lopez, Bob Wadlinger, Virginia Weiss, Ki E. Russell, Tony Faro, Jeremy & Keller Younggren, and Sheri Entrikin.

To update this list, call or email the 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 celebrating God's word and presence with us in today's Eucharistic celebration.

Building Repair Fund

When donating to the Building Repair Fund, please write a separate check. Thank you.

Sunday Mass Dispensation

The general **dispensation from the Sunday Mass obligation will remain in place until further notice.** Once the dispensation has been lifted we will let all parishioners know by email, phone call or mail.

Reconciliations—Confessions

Reconciliations are still being offered on **Saturday 4:00 pm—4:30 pm or by appointment.**

If you would like to schedule and appointment, please call or email our Parish Office.

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.olvatholic.org

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Online resources to build your faith. Register for free at olvatholic.formed.org



Wishing Everyone A Happy & Safe 4th of July Weekend.

Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord, the people whom he has chosen as his heritage! Psalm 33:12

Diocese of Baker Family Camp

We are very happy to announce that the Diocese of Baker will be hosting Family Camp this summer with proper social distancing between households. The Family Camp will be held **July 11th-14th** at the **Diocese of Baker Retreat Center.**

More Info: Contact Bryce Herrmann bryce@dioceseofbaker.org - 541.388.4004



Face Masks/Coverings

Governor Brown announced Monday that Oregonians statewide will be required to wear face coverings in indoor public places, beginning Wednesday, July 1st. We continue to encourage our parishioners to wear masks as we have been doing for your safety and that of others. **Those who are reluctant to do so, will not be turned away from church or forced to wear a covering.** Thank you for your understanding.

2020 Confirmations

Fr. Saji will be conferring the Sacrament as Bishop Liam Cary is unavailable. **We ask that you please wear your face mask or face covering.** Parent, Sponsor/Student last **meeting & class** will be on **Wednesday, July 8, 6:00 pm—9:00 pm.** Practice and Confessions will be on **Saturday, July 18, practice** will be at **1:00 pm** and **Confessions** from **2:00 pm—4:00 pm.** Confirmation will be on **Wednesday, July 22 at 6:00 pm.**

OUR OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, JULY 6, 2020

July 05, 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time:

"I give praise to you, Father, Lord of Heaven and earth, for although you have hidden these things from the wise and the learned you have revealed them to little ones. Yes, Father, such has been your gracious will. All things have been handed over to me by my Father. No one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son wishes to reveal him" (Matt 11:25-27).

Today is the feast of St. Anthony Mary of Zaccaria and St. Elizabeth of Portugal.

St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria was the founder of the Clerks Regular of St. Paul, later called the Barnabites from the name of their principal church in Rome. He also founded a congregation of nuns which now no longer exists. He was a great admirer of St. Paul and was himself imbued with the teaching of the great Apostle, whom he gave to his followers as a model and a patron. He was a zealous and untiring preacher and completely wore himself out at this work; he died at the age of 36 on July 5.

Things to Do:

St. Anthony promoted devotion to the Eucharistic Christ in the form of the Forty Hours devotion, public and solemn adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Our church offers adoration on Monday's.

St. Elizabeth of Portugal was the daughter of Peter III of Aragon and was named after her great-aunt, St. Elizabeth of Hungary, whose virtues she also inherited. In her married life with King Denis of Portugal she had to undergo a series of heavy trials which she endured with heroism. On more than one occasion she went to considerable pains to bring about peace between her children and their father. After her husband's death she became a Franciscan Tertiary and showed unfailing charity towards the poor. She died in 1336; her body has remained incorrupt. Before the reform of the General Roman Calendar St. Elizabeth's feast was celebrated on July 8.

Things to Do:

Our own circle of personal influence is usually where we can do the most good. It is useless to dream of going to faraway places to accomplish great deeds, when there is much to be done in our own backyard. We can influence those around us and, like St. Elizabeth of Portugal, we can accomplish wonders.

Collect Prayer

O God, who in the abasement of your Son have raised up a fallen world, fill your faithful with holy joy, for on those you have rescued from slavery to sin you bestow eternal gladness. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

"Go first to be reconciled to thy brother, and then come and offer thy gift" (Gospel).

This is Brotherhood Sunday! Human experience confirms the need of this Divine teaching. Only when the Fatherhood of God is recognized, will the Brotherhood of Man be realized. Returning good for evil is possible only to those who love God (Epistle). Oh, how much our hate-torn world needs this prayer: "Pour into our hearts. . . an experience of They Love" (Prayer). In the practice of the Golden Rule, we plead with the Divine "Helper" against worldly persecution (Introit) and diabolical "enemies" (Postcommunion).

How can one who harbors anger, envy, bitterness, indifference, aversion of any kind against his neighbor, have part in the Sacrifice of Him Who offers Himself for His enemies? The sacrifice of our selfish or even wounded feelings for Christ's sake, is a most acceptable "gift" to "leave. . . before the altar" (Gospel).

Excerpted from My Sunday Missal, Confraternity of the Precious Blood



Sunday, July 05, 2020

Saturday, July 04: 5:30 pm

Reader: Nancy Allen

Sunday, July 05: 10:00 am

Reader: Meldy Lim

Readers please meet in the Sacristy 15 min. before Mass.

Sunday, July 12, 2020

Saturday, July 11: 5:30 pm

Reader: Amanda Villagomez

Sunday, July 12: 10:00 am

Reader: Jim Jones

Readers please meet in the Sacristy 15 min. before Mass.

Pope Francis Reflections

-Humility is necessary-

"If God prefers humility it is not to dishearten us; rather, humility is the necessary condition to be raised by him, so as to experience the mercy that comes to fill our emptiness."

— Pope Francis

Reflection: Are you experiencing emptiness right now? Where or how? What would feel like God's mercy in these circumstances? One description of Christian humility is "taking up the right amount of space, not too little or too much." When are you likely to belittle or discount your personal impact on a larger cause? Where in your life do you give too much emphasis on your own achievements or desires?

THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JULY

For Our Families

We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

Adoration

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament has re-opened on **Mondays 9:00 am—7:00 pm**. We have started with one day per week until further notice, if we see the need to add more days, accommodations will be made. We can have up to three (3) people per hour. Only those scheduled for Adoration are allowed to enter. We ask anyone wanting to attend Adoration to please call or email the Parish office to let us know, we need to keep a list for Contact Tracing for your safety and the safety of those in the Adoration Chapel.



Mass RSVP

Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church is **REQUIRING EVERYONE TO RSVP FOR WEEKDAY AND/OR WEEKEND MASSES** until further notice. We apologize for the inconvenience and ask for your patience, cooperation and understanding. **The main Church door entrance will be locked at the beginning of Mass, please arrive on time.** Mass times are: **Daily Mass (Mon.-Thurs.) 8:00 am, Saturday Vigil 5:30 pm and Sunday 10:00 am.** Please RSVP day prior to mass.

RSVP at: 541-963-7341 - office@olvcatholic.org

COLLECTION

NEEDED TO MEET BUDGET: \$3,400

Last Sunday's Collection for 06/28 \$1,081.80

Social Outreach: \$30.00 Repair & Main.: \$0

