

July 12, 2020

15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Readings: Isa. 55:10-11 (103A); Rom. 8:18-23; Matt. 13:1-23 or 13:1-9; Resp. Psalm: "The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest."

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—**15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Mon. **No Mass**

Tue. **No Mass**

Wed. **No Mass**

Thur. 8:00 am Mass

Sat. 1:00 pm **Confirmation Practice**

2:00 pm **Confirmation Confessions**

4:00—4:30 pm Confessions

5:30 pm Vigil Mass

Sun. 10:00 am Mass—**16th 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.

New OLV Mail Box

Our new mailbox is located outside the double doors as you enter the Parish Office building (doors in front of playground) mounted on the wall. If our office is closed, you are welcome to drop off any mail/papers or your kindly donations.



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

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The Chrism Mass via Live-Stream
St. Francis de Sales Cathedral

On July, 15th, Bishop Cary and the clergy will celebrate the long-awaited Chrism Mass when almost all the priests of the Diocese travel to the Cathedral in Baker City to participate. In this Mass, the unity of the priests of the Diocese of Baker with Bishop Cary is manifest as they concelebrate the Mass and renew the vows they made at priestly ordination. Additionally, the bishop blesses the oils of catechumens, the oil of the infirm, and the holy chrism for sacramental use throughout the diocese during the year. **Bishop Cary invites you to attend the Chrism Mass via Live-Stream on Wednesday, July 15 at 11:00 a.m.** Please go to the Diocese of Baker website to find the Live-Stream link. <https://dioceseofbaker.org/>

There Will Be No Mass On:

**Monday, July 13, Tuesday, July 14
& Wednesday, July 15**

2020 Confirmations

We ask everyone attending to please wear your face mask or face covering. This coming Saturday we will have **Confirmation Practice and Confessions on Saturday, July 18, 2020.** Practice will be at **1 pm** and **Confessions from 2 pm – 4 pm.** Confirmation will be on **Wednesday, July 22 at 6 pm.** Fr. Saji will be conferring the Sacrament as Bishop Liam Cary is unavailable at this moment.



Pope Francis Reflections

-Dialogue is a bridge-

"Dialogue is a bridge. Do not be afraid to dialogue.... Everyone wins in dialogue; no one loses. In an argument, one wins and the other loses or both lose. Dialogue is gentleness, the capacity to listen, it is to put oneself in the other's place, it is to form a bridge, and within the dialogue, if I have a different opinion, not to argue, but rather to seek to persuade with gentleness."
— Pope Francis

Reflection:

How do you usually react when talking with someone who has a different opinion than you? Are you a person who enjoys arguing? What is your experience of respectful dialogue? How might you help those around you, including your local parish, build bridges toward understanding among people who currently seem stuck in "win or lose" arguments?

This content comes to you from Our Sunday Visitor.

July 12, 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time:

"A sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some seed fell on the path, and birds came and ate it up. Some fell on rocky ground, where it had little soil. It sprang up at once because the soil was not deep, and when the sun rose it was scorched, and it withered for lack of roots. Some seed fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked it. But some seed fell on rich soil and produced fruit, a hundred- or sixty- or thirty-fold. Whoever has ears ought to hear" (Matt 13:3-9).

Today is the feast of Sts. Louis and Zélia Martin

Sts. Louis and Zelia Martin are best known as the parents of St. Therese of Lisieux (the Little Flower), but they are models of holiness in their own right. They are only the second married couple to be canonized. According to the 1962 Missal of St. John XXIII the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite, today is the feast of St. John Gualbert, a native of Florence, Italy. One Good Friday, accompanied by armed servants, he met his brother's murderer, unarmed and alone; he was about to slay him when the murderer fell at his feet begging forgiveness for the love of Christ crucified. John was touched by grace, recalling our Lord's command to love one's enemies and embraced him as a brother. Soon afterwards he became a monk, and founded the new order of Vallombrosa under the Rule of St. Benedict. At this period simony and clerical immorality were rife in Italy. By his firmness and preaching St. John Gualbert successfully opposed these grave disorders.

He died in 1073, having paved the way for the Gregorian reform. This is also the feast of Sts. Nabor and Felix, Roman martyrs whose bodies were taken from Rome to Milan. St. Ambrose preached their panegyric (a formal public speech delivered in high praise of a person, and generally high studied or undiscriminating eulogy) at the solemn translation of their relics. Historically it is the feast of St. Veronica of the Veil, the woman of Jerusalem who wiped the face of Christ while He was on the way to Calvary.

Things to Do:

Read The Holy Household of Louis and Zélie Martin and The miracle behind the canonization of the parents of St Therese of Lisieux

Collect Prayer

O God, who show the light of your truth to those who go astray, so that they may return to the right path, give all who for the faith they profess are accounted Christians the grace to reject whatever is contrary to the name of Christ and to strive after all that does it honor. 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.

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

"Taking the seven loaves. He gave thanks, broke them and gave them to His disciples to distribute; and they set them before the crowd. . .(about four thousand). . . And they ate and were satisfied" (Gospel).



"I have compassion on the crowd." Some of us may "have (had to) come from a distance" in our wanderings from God. But this sentiment of His Heart, so human, inspires our plea to "save" us from eternal hunger in "the pit" of hell (Introit).

At Baptism we were reborn to a new life, to be "dead to sin, but alive to God" (Epistle). Daily with Christ we must die to sin and evil. Daily with Him we must rise to God and good works. Daily we would "faint on the way," famished with hunger, crying out: "How will anyone be able to satisfy (us in (the) desert" of life(Gospel)?

At the altar of sacrifice God will not allow the hopes of anyone to be "in vain" (Secret). Only at the altar will our instinctive hunger for God be really "filled" (Postcommunion).

Excerpted from My Sunday Missal, Confraternity of the Precious Blood

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.

Sunday, July 19, 2020

Saturday, July 18: 5:30 pm

Reader: Charlene Storo

Sunday, July 19: 10:00 am

Reader: Jenell Zamora

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

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 is in the Day Chapel on **Mondays 9:00 am—7:00 pm**. We can have up to three (3) people in the chapel per hour. If you would like to attend Adoration, please call or email the office to put your name on the list.

"Gaze upon Him, consider Him, contemplate Him, as you desire to imitate Him" - St. Clare of Assisi

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PICK OF THE WEEK



33 Days to Morning Glory

Stage 1 of the Hearts Afire Parish-based Program offers individuals a quick and easy way to withdraw from the demands of daily life and enter into a peaceful interior reflection on their relationship with Christ in the context of Marian devotion.

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NEEDED TO MEET BUDGET: \$3,400

Last Sunday's Collection for 07/05 \$2,025.00

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