

**December 27, 2020**

**THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH**

Mass Readings: Gen. 15:1-6; 21:1-3 (17B); Heb. 11:8, 11-12, 17-19  
Heb. 11:8, 11-12, 17-19; Resp. Psalm: "The Lord remembers his covenant for ever."

### Events for this week

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

- Sun. 10:00 am Mass—**The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph**  
No CCD Classes after Mass
- Mon. 7:35 am Rosary  
8:00 am Mass
- Tue. 7:35 am Rosary  
8:00 am Mass
- Wed. 7:35 am Rosary  
8:00 am Mass  
7:00 pm **No Youth Group**—Happy New Year
- Thur. 7:35 am Rosary  
8:00 am Mass  
9:00 am - **Office is Closed**
- Fri. 10:00 am New Year's Mass—**Solemnity of Mary**
- Sat. 4:00—4:30 pm Confessions  
5:30 pm Vigil Mass
- Sun. 10:00 am Mass—**The Epiphany of The Lord**  
No CCD Classes after Mass

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND THOSE THAT NEED OUR PRAYERS:** Bird Dobbins, Merrill & Kathy Gorham, Astitas Aliaga, Dave Fischer, Bob Hazlett, Ken Gannon, Penny Lane Forrest, Jody Schlieski Hanson, Phil Hansen, Lorini Morehead, Bryan Lund, Carmen Lopez-Sotelo, Ki E. Russell, Andy, Jeremy & Keller Younggren, Sheri Entrikin, Deacon Caleb Cunningham and Mary Fiorillo.  
**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.

### 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](http://www.olvcatholic.org)

### FORMED

Online resources to build your faith. Register for free at [olvcatholic.formed.org](http://olvcatholic.formed.org)

### New Year's Day Mass: Solemnity of Mary

The Solemnity of the Virgin Mary, Mother of God, and New Year's Day Mass will be on **Friday, January 1st at 10:00 am.**

### Youth Group and CCD Classes

**NO CCD classes on Sunday, Dec. 27** in celebration of Christmas, and **NO classes on Sunday, Jan. 3rd** in celebration of the New Year.

**Youth Group, NO classes on Wednesday, Dec. 30th** in celebration of and the New Year.

### Schedule for Liturgical Ministries

The February-May schedule for the Liturgical ministries is being prepared. If you and know that there are specific dates you will not be available, please let the office know by January 7th, you can call 541-963-7341 or email Nancy at [Offcie@olvcatholic.org](mailto:Offcie@olvcatholic.org). Once the schedule is complete, substitutes will need to be arranged individually.

### Lectors Needed

Our lectors number have gone way down, **we Need More Lectors for the Saturday, Sunday and special Weekday Masses.** Please contact the Parish Office 541-963-7341 - [Offcie@olvcatholic.org](mailto:Offcie@olvcatholic.org). Please prayerfully consider joining this wonderful ministry.

### ONLINE GIVING

Are you aware that OLV is offering an opportunity for parishioners, to make their donations through a secure on-line site called Parish Soft? The process is simple and safe. Go to our home page at [www.olvcatholic.org](http://www.olvcatholic.org), in the middle of the page just click on the link that will direct you to the site that allows you to make a one time or reoccurring contribution for any amount you wish, to one or all of many categories. You can have it taken directly from your checking account, or run through as a debit/credit card. You receive a message in your email very soon that the transaction is complete and you can print out a receipt. The donation is credited to OLV's bank account immediately and you name is listed as the donor. **As an incentive, any parishioner who uses the service between December 5<sup>th</sup> and January 10<sup>th</sup> 2021 will have their name put in a drawing for \$100.00**



*My most heavenly Lord, I pray that in this New Year, I will be closer to You! ... In this New Year 2021, may the grace and peace of my Lord Jesus Christ bless me now and in the days ahead! Oh Jesus, via the immaculate heart of Mary, I commit the New Year 2021 unto your hands!*

### **Pope Francis Reflections**

*-There is none besides him-*

“God willed to share in our human condition to the point of becoming one with us in the Person of Jesus, who is true Man and true God. However, there is something even more surprising. The presence of God among men did not take place in a perfect, idyllic world but rather in this real world, which is marked by so many things both good and bad, by division, wickedness, poverty, arrogance, and war. He chose to live in our history as it is, with all the weight of its limitations and of its tragedies. In doing so, he has demonstrated in an unequalled manner his merciful and truly loving disposition toward the human creature. He is God-with-us. Jesus is God-with-us.”

— Pope Francis

#### **Reflection:**

*O Emmanuel, our King and Giver of Law, come to save us, Lord our God!*

*Do you believe that Jesus is Emmanuel, God-with-us? If not, what holds you back from accepting this gift of faith? If yes, how is your belief evident in what you do, think, and say?*

*This content comes to you from Our Sunday Visitor.*

### **SCAVENGER HUNT INSIDE OUR CHURCH!**



DO YOU RECOGNIZE THIS SYMBOL?  
HAVE YOU SEEN IT AROUND CHURCH?

If you have, Father Saji would like to know how many are found the inside the church Sanctuary and what this symbol means and represents? Father will be giving out a small gift to the FIRST person that contact the parish office with the correct answers either by phone: 541-963-7341 or

email: office@olvcatholic.org

We hope that you join the fun and safely, keeping social distance you look around the church.

#### **COLLECTION**

NEEDED TO MEET BUDGET: \$3,400

Sunday's Collection for 12/20 \$2,033

Social Outreach \$00 Repair & Main. \$00

Online Giving \$130.00



## **New Year's Day: Solemnity of Mary**

**Friday, January 01: 10:00 am**

Reader: Amanda Villagomez

Usher: Jimmy Zamora

## **Sunday, January 03, 2021**

**Saturday, January 02: 5:30 pm**

Reader: Charlene Storoe

Acolyte: Dan Gonzalez

**Sunday, January 03: 10:00 am**

Reader: Jimmy/Jenell Zamora

Acolyte: Jason Kehr

Usher: Branden Reynolds

## **Sunday, January 10, 2021**

**Saturday, January 09: 5:30 pm**

Reader: Amanda Villagomez

Acolyte: TJ Yiftheg

**Sunday, January 10: 10:00 am**

Reader: Lyle Schwarz

Acolyte: Jerry Meza

Usher: Jimmy Zamora

### **Have you visited our Facebook page?**

For information about upcoming events as well as pictures from those that have occurred, see the “Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church” Facebook page.

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PICK OF THE WEEK

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#### **FORGIVEN—SESSION 1: WHERE ARE YOU?**

As we make resolutions for 2021, don't forget about your spiritual well-being! Through our Forgiven series, you can help guide friends and family to new spiritual beginnings!



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#### **FORMED NOW! WHO IS SAINT STEPHEN?**

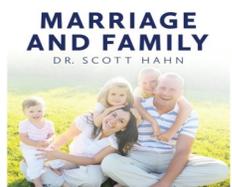
This past week, we celebrated the life of St. Stephen, heroic leader of the early Church. Join Dr. Gray and Dr. Barber as they discuss the first Christian martyr.

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#### **MARRIAGE AND FAMILY: LOVE UNVEILED BY DR. SCOTT HAHN**

The feast of the Holy Family reminds us to help our own families grow in holiness. With this in mind, join Scott Hahn as he shares his advice on how to bring sanctity into the home.



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