

March 14, 2021

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Mass Readings: 2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23 (32B); Ephesians 2:4-10; John 3:14-21; Resp. Psalm: "Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!"

Events for this week

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

- Sun. 10:00 am Mass—**Fourth Sunday of Lent**
CCD Classes after Mass—Classrooms Downstairs
- Mon. 7:35 am Rosary
8:00 am Mass
- Tue. 7:35 am Rosary
8:00 am Mass
6:00 pm Parish Council Meeting –Conference Room
- Wed. 7:35 am Rosary
8:00 am Mass
7:00 pm Youth Group—Parish Hall
- Thur. 7:35 am Rosary
8:00 am Mass
9:00 am Bible Study—Parish Conference Room
- Fri. 5:30 pm Mass - St. Joseph Feast Day
6:00 pm Stations of The Cross
- Sat. 4:00 - 4:30 pm Confessions - In the Day Chapel
5:30 pm Vigil Mass
- Sun. 10:00 am Mass - **Fifth Sunday of Lent**
CCD Classes after Mass—Classrooms Downstairs

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND THOSE

THAT NEED OUR PRAYERS: Bird Dobbins, Merrill & Kathy Gorham, Astitas Aliaga, Dave Fischer, Bob Hazlett, Betty & 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, Lindsey Martin-Bowen, Parker McCauley and Martha Renteria & Family. **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

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

Bible Study Group

Bible Study Group will meet on Thursdays, from 9:00—10:00 a.m. The group will meet in the Parish Conference Room. All who are interested are welcome to attend.

'Living Lent': 40-Day Lenten Devotions

Join Our Lady of the Valley as we make the most of our Lenten journey with daily devotions from Online Catholic.

Each devotion includes a scripture reading, prayer, meditations, and a small act that will reinforce your faith.

Commit to your faith and choose to 'live' Lent. Join our 40-day challenge to authentically live the Lenten season. Get inspired, explore the Bible, reflect on prayers and take actions. Don't just observe Lent, live it!

Visits our website to begin your journey!

<http://olvcatholic.org/our-lady-of-the-valley-bulletins/>
Or follow us on FaceBook- <https://www.facebook.com/olvg>

OLV OFFICE POSITION OPEN

We would like to let everyone know that Nancy has decided to step down as the OLV office secretary. Our Lady of The Valley would like to thank her and wish her well. Nancy's last day at the office will be Thursday, March 18th.

We are looking for someone who would be willing to take on the responsibilities as the OLV office secretary. If you know of anyone, please have them stop by the office Monday—Thursday 9am—1pm and speak with Fr. Saji. Thank you.

OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY

LENTEN FRIDAYS

EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT

Mass: 5:30 p.m.

Stations of The Cross: 6:00 p.m.

Year of St. Joseph

December 8, 2020—December 8, 2021

Pope Pius X composed this prayer to St. Joseph, patron of working people, that expresses concisely the Christian attitude toward labor. It summarizes also for us the lessons of the Holy Family's work at Nazareth.

Prayer:

Glorious St. Joseph, model of all who devote their lives to labor, obtain for me the grace to work in the spirit of penance in order thereby to atone for my many sins; to work conscientiously, setting devotion to duty in preference to my own whims; to work with thankfulness and joy, deeming it an honor to employ and to develop by my labor the gifts I have received from God; to work with order, peace, moderation, and patience, without ever shrinking from weariness and difficulties; to work above all with a pure intention and with detachment from self, having always before my eyes the hour of death and the accounting which I must then render of time ill spent, of talents wasted, of good omitted, and of vain complacency in success, which is so fatal to the work of God. All for Jesus, all through Mary, all in imitation of you, O Patriarch Joseph! This shall be my motto in life and in death.
Amen.

THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR MARCH

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

Pope Francis Reflections

-Mercy Impels-

"Mercy impels us to roll up our sleeves and set about restoring dignity to millions of people; they are our brothers and sisters who, with us, are called to build a 'city which is reliable' [Encyclical Letter Lumen Fidei, 50]."

— Pope Francis

Reflection:

What is your typical reaction to being asked to reach out to someone whom society typically considers less deserving of respect? When was the last time you rolled up your sleeves to make a positive, physical difference in your neighborhood? How are you contributing to making your local parish and civic communities places that treat people with dignity?

This content comes to you from Our Sunday Visitor.

ONLINE GIVING:

OLV is offering the 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 webpage at www.olvcatholic.org, click on the link that will direct you to the site that allows you to make a one time or recurring contribution for any amount you wish.

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.
<https://www.facebook.com/olvlv>

Community Help: Donations Unlimited

To donate household items, linens, clothing, lamps and more please call Linda Williams at 541-963-2282.

Friday Lenten Mass

Friday, March 19: 5:30 pm St. Joseph Feast

Reader: Nancy Allen

Acolyte: Jimmy Zamora

Sunday, March 21, 2021

Saturday, March 20: 5:30 pm

Reader: Nancy Allen

Acolyte: Jerry Meza

Sunday, March 21: 10:00 am

Reader: Elizabeth Zamora

Acolyte: Jason Kehr

Usher: Jimmy Zamora

Friday Lenten Mass

Friday, March 26: 5:30 pm

Reader: Meldy Lim

Acolyte: Dan Gonzalez/Jason Kehr

Sunday, March 28, 2021

Saturday, March 27: 5:30 pm

Reader: Lindsey Martin-Bowen

Acolyte: TJ Yifheg

Sunday, March 28: 10:00 am

PALM SUNDAY

Reader: Lyle Schwerz

Acolyte: Jimmy Zamora

Usher: Mike Morehead

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PICK OF THE WEEK

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WATCH

JOSEPH OF NAZARETH: THE STORY OF THE MAN CLOSEST TO CHRIST

With this year being consecrated to St. Joseph, we celebrate the feast day of Christ's foster father with even more joy and respect! Enter into the life of this great saint through the movie Joseph of Nazareth!



Beloved

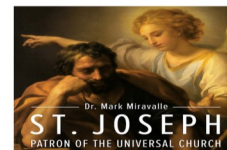
BELOVED - SESSION 4: THE TOTAL GIFT OF SELF

As foster father of Christ and virginal husband of Mary, St. Joseph fully gives himself to both his family and to God. Explore how we can emulate this gift of self in this episode of our Beloved series!

LEARN

LISTEN

ST. JOSEPH: PATRON OF THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH BY MARK MIRAVELLE
St. Joseph, the holiest of the patriarchs, serves as a model of fatherhood, obedience, chastity, and so many other virtues. Join Dr. Mark Miravalle as he shares incredible lessons found in the hidden life of Joseph.



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COLLECTION

NEEDED TO MEET BUDGET: \$3,400

Sunday's Collection for 03/07 \$2,535.27

Social Outreach \$110.39 Repair & Main. \$406.00

Online Giving \$913.55

