

November 7th, 2021

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: A reading from the first Book of Kings,
1 Kings 17:10-16 (155B)

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 *"Praise the Lord, my soul."*

Second Reading: A reading from the Letter to the Hebrews: Hebrews 9:24-28

Gospel: Mark 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

Events for this week

Sun: 10:00 AM Mass - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
K-8th RE after Mass

Mon. 7:35 am-Rosary
8:00am-Mass
9:00 am-6:00 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
2:00 pm- †Funeral Mass for Mary Lou Schlichting

Tue. 7:35 am-Rosary
8:00am-Mass

Wed. **No Mass**
7:00pm High School RE-Parish Hall

Thur. **No Mass**
9:00am-Bible Study-Conference Room

Fri. 3:00 PM Rosary and Divine Mercy Prayers

Sat. 3:00 PM Rosary and Divine Mercy Prayers
4:00 - 4:30 PM Confessions
5:30 PM Vigil Mass

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND THOSE THAT NEED YOUR 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, Carmen Lopez Sotelo, Ki E. Russell, Andy, Jeremy & Keller Younggren, Sheri Entrikin, Deacon Caleb Cunningham, Parker McCauley, Martha Renteria & Family, ROS Virginia Wimer, ROS Josh Burright and ROS Dante 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 Feast.

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

Reconciliations—Confessions

Saturday 4:00 PM —4:30 PM

or by appointment.

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



The application deadline for Thanksgiving baskets has been extended.

Applications are being offered to our parishioners first, and the ten available baskets are on a first come, first serve basis. All applications are confidential and can be picked up at the Parish Office or on the table at the back of church. Applications must be in by **Monday, November 15th.**

Bible Study Classes Have Begun!

Don't forget that Bible Study classes take place every Thursday at 9:00am in the Conference Room. The topic of this session is the Book of Deuteronomy.

Everyone is welcome!

No Morning Mass on Wednesday and Thursday

There will be no 8:00 am Mass on Wednesday and Thursday this week as Fr. Saji will be attending a retirement program in Redmond.

New Educational Series for Families Starts November 14th

Bishop Cary and the Diocese of Baker have developed a new educational series for families. This year it will focus on the Sacraments. On November 14th at 11:30, we will have our first Family session on Baptism in the Parish Hall. This will substitute for Religious Ed classes that Sunday. All families young and old are invited to attend this session. There will be subsequent home sessions available for everyone to use. There will be coffee, fruit and donuts for attendees.

Please pray for the Repose of the Soul of †Mary Lou Schlichting

The funeral Mass will be held at Our Lady of the Valley on Monday, November 8th at 2:00pm. Adoration will be closed from 2:00 pm to 3:00pm but all other Adoration hours will take place. The 8:00 am Mass will also take place that day.



Office Closed for Veterans Day

The Office will be closed on Thursday, November 11th in observance of Veterans Day.

Women of Our Lady of the Valley Altar Society News

The November Altar Society meeting will take place on Tuesday, November 16th at 6:00 pm. This month's meeting will be at Next Step Pregnancy and Relationship Center located at 902 D Avenue in La Grande. The ladies will be given an introduction and tour of the facility by Laurie Kemp and coffee, cider and treats will be served. Hope to see you there!

CATHOLIC 101

What does the word "purgatory" mean? "The concept of Purgatory can be a strange one for many to accept, as it can seem like a middle place, between Heaven and Hell," writes Philip Kosloski. "Yet, in reality, Purgatory is much more related to Heaven, and its name helps explain what happens in this stage of the after-life." The English word purgatory **comes from the Latin *purgare*, "to make clean, to purify."** It is a place of final purification before a soul reaches the gates of Heaven. Not all souls require this final purification, but many will, and it is seen as a part of God's Divine Mercy that it exists, to give our souls the chance to reach Heaven.

Weekend of November 13th & 14th, 2021

Saturday, November 13th at 5:30 PM

Acolyte: Jerry Mesa
Reader: Clare Espinola
Server: Clinton Tarvin

Sunday, November 14th, at 10:00 AM

Acolyte: Jason Kehr
Reader: Lyle Schwarz
Server: Ridge Kehr & Kris Lim

Weekend of November 20th & 21st, 2021

Saturday, November 20th at 5:30 PM

Acolyte: TJ Yiftheg
Reader: Bill Rosholt
Server: Elphirene & Michael Yiftheg

Sunday, November 21st at 10:00 AM

Acolyte: Jimmy Zamora
Reader: Jenell Zamora
Server: Jacob Reynolds & Hannah Zamora

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Almighty and merciful God, graciously keep from us all adversity, so that, unhindered in mind and body alike, we may pursue in freedom of heart the things that are Yours. Through our Lord, Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

ONLINE GIVING:

Our Lady of the Valley is offering parishioners a simple, dependable way to make their donations through a secure on-line site called Parish Soft. Parish Soft is a program that we have used for many years in this parish. 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 re-occurring contribution for any amount you wish.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

NEEDED TO MEET BUDGET: **\$3,400.00**

Collection for Oct. 30/31: \$1,700.00

Online Giving \$1,258.00

Repair & Main. \$10.00

Social Outreach: \$30.00

