

August 7th, 2022 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Wisdom 18:6-9

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 33:1,12,18-19,20-22 *"Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own."*

Second Reading: Hebrews 11:1-2,8-19 or 11:1-2,8-12

Gospel: Luke 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

Events for This Week

Sun: 10:00am-Mass-19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mon: 7:35am-Rosary
8:00am-Mass
9:00am-6:00pm - Adoration-Marian Chapel

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

Wed: 7:35am-Rosary
8:00am-Mass

Thurs: 7:35am-Rosary
8:00am-Mass
9:00am-Bible Study-Conference Room

Fri: 3:00pm Rosary and Divine Mercy Prayers

Sat: **9:00am-Noon: Retreat with Fr. Clemens**
4:00pm-4:30pm-Confessions
5:30pm-Vigil Mass

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND THOSE THAT NEED YOUR PRAYERS:

Bird Dobbins, Merrill & Kathy Gorham, Dave Fischer, Betty & Ken Gannon, Jody Schlieski Hanson, Phil Hansen, Bryan Lund, Carmen Lopez Sotelo, Andy Younggren, Deacon Caleb Cunningham, Parker McCauley, and ROS Virginia Wimer, Greg and Karen Peterson, Shari Entrikin, Jacob and Jaxson Rivera.

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.



Entrance Antiphon for the 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Look to your covenant, O Lord and forget not the life of your poor ones forever. Arise, O God, and defend your cause, and forget not the cries of those who seek you.

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 Parish code: MAMWFF

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.

Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.

-Mat 11:28



Retreat with Fr. Clemens "Two Pillars of the Church: The Holy Eucharist and The Blessed Mother Mary"

Parishioners have asked Fr. Clemens to give a retreat while he's here. In response he will be giving a half day retreat on Saturday, August 13th. It will begin at 9:00am with Mass, and continue with a talk, Confessions and Adoration, and ending at noon followed by a light lunch.

Hope to see you there!

Thank-you, so much!

A special thank-you to Dan and Judy Hagert for taking on the task of managing our food booth at the Union County Fair this year. You made it possible for us to retain our booth spot and worked hard to make it successful.

Thank-you also to those who volunteered at the booth or donated food. You are greatly appreciated!

Mass Schedule

Fr. Clemens is with us again until Monday, August 15th, when he will celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary with Mass at 8:00am before he returns to Burns.

There will be no weekday Mass August 16th-19th. Fr. Saji will celebrate his last Masses here at OLV on the weekend of August 20th-21st before he travels to Redmond to take up his new position as Vicar General of the Diocese.

Fr. Noby will become our new Pastor beginning on Thursday, August 25th.

Idaho Catholic Women's Conference

The 2022 Idaho Catholic Women's Conference, "Triumphant in Joy & Sorrow", will take place on Saturday, September 10th at St. Paul's Church in Nampa, Idaho and online. Flyers are available at the back of the church for more information.

Men's Day of Desert Retreat Sept 17th in Baker

"*Becoming a True Man of God*", a retreat presented by Fr. Bailey Clemens, is scheduled for September 17th from 7:00am to 5:00pm at St. Francis de Sales Cathedral, 2335 First Street in Baker. Registration is \$30.00 per person and includes breakfast and lunch. Mass will be offered, Confessions, two talks, Adoration, and group discussions. Please RSVP by September 10th by calling the Cathedral Office at: 541-523-4521 For more information, flyers are available at the back of the church.

Is the Eucharist Really Christ's Body and Blood?

Recently, a Gallup poll was taken on Catholic attitudes toward Holy Communion. The poll showed serious confusion among Catholics about one of the most basic beliefs of the Church.

- Only 30 percent of those surveyed believe they are actually receiving the Body and Blood, soul and divinity of the Lord Jesus Christ under the appearance of bread and wine.
- 29 percent think they are receiving bread and wine which symbolize the spirit and teachings of Jesus and, in so doing, are expressing their attachment to His person and words.
- 10 percent understand their action to be receiving bread and wine in which Jesus is present. and 23 percent hold that they are receiving what has become the Body and Blood of Christ because of their personal belief.

Any well-informed Catholic will recognize that only the first option, chosen by the 30 percent, is true Catholic teaching. The other options represent various forms of Protestant belief.

SCRIPTURE AND TRADITION

Our Catholic teaching that the Eucharist is the Body and Blood of Jesus, not bread and wine, is clearly taught in the Bible and throughout the 2,000-year tradition of the Church.

The teaching of Jesus in the sixth chapter of John's Gospel is very clear: "Amen, amen I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood you do not have life within you. Whoever eats My flesh and drinks My blood has eternal life and I will raise him up on the last day. For My flesh is true food and My blood is true drink. Whoever eats My flesh and drinks My

Weekend of August 13th & 14th, 2022

Saturday, August 13th, at 5:30 PM

Acolyte: Unassigned

Lector: Clair Espinola

Server: Therese & Joseph Yiftheg

Sunday, August 14th, at 10:00 AM

Acolyte: Jimmy Zamora

Lector: Meldy Lim

Server: Jacob Reynolds & Hannah Zamora

Weekend of August 20th & 21st, 2022

Saturday, August 20th, at 5:30 PM

Acolyte: Unassigned

Lector: Bill Rosholt

Server: Clinton Tarvin & Michael Yiftheg

Sunday, August 21st, at 10:00 AM

Acolyte: Jason Kehr

Lector: Jenell Zamora

Server: Ridge Kehr & Kris Lim

blood remains in Me and I in him" (John 6:53-56). John goes on to say that, even though many disciples would not accept this teaching and went away, Jesus did not attempt to bring them back by saying He was only speaking symbolically. The early Church took this teaching seriously. In his first letter to the Corinthians, Saint Paul says, "Therefore whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord unworthily will have to answer for the Body and Blood of the Lord... for anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body, eats and drinks judgment on himself." (1 Corinthians 11:27, 29) Paul's statement makes sense only if the bread and wine have become the real Body and Blood of Christ.

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 recurring contribution for any amount you wish.

**WEEKLY COLLECTION
NEEDED TO MEET BUDGET: \$3,400.00
July 30/31**

Collection: \$1332.64

Online Giving \$240.00

Repair & Main. \$0

Social Outreach: \$0

