## **EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK**

## First Sunday of Lent

February 26, 2023 Sunday Mass—10:00am

First Reading: Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 51: 3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17

"Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned."

**Second Reading:** Romans 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19

**Gospel:** Matthew 4: 1-11 11:20 to 12:30am—CCD Class

Mon/27th: 7:35am—Rosary

8:00am—Mass in the Marian Chapel

**Lv 19: 1-2, 11-18/Mt 25: 31-46** 8:30am to 6:00pm— Adoration

+ Jere McCarthy

7:00 to 8:30pm—Young Adult Group

Tue/28th: 7:35am—Rosary

8:00am-Mass

Is 55: 10-11/Mt 6: 7-15 + Mercedes Boyne

Wed/1st: 7:35am – Rosary

8:00am—Mass

Jon 3: 1-10/Lk 11: 29-32

+Dick Snow

7:00 to 8:30pm—7 to 12yrs Youth Group

Thurs/2nd: 7:35am—Rosary

8:00am—Mass

Est C: 12, 14-16, 23-25/Mt 7:7-12

+Shirley Snow

9:00 to 10:00am—Adult Bible Study

1st Fri/3rd: 5:30pm—Mass

Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26

+ Ada Cunha

Followed by Stations of the Cross and

Soup Supper

1st Sat/4th: 4:30pm-5:00pm—Confessions

5:30pm-Vigil Mass **+Manuel Cunha** 

6:30pm—Spanish Mass



#### **Prayer Request Line**

Please contact Kathy McGee 541-663-1255 or Theresa Beery 541-963-2372.

#### **Baptism**

Preparation is required for parents & godparents. Please call the office for further information.

#### Marriage

Preparation and instruction classes at least 6 months before the wedding. Contact Fr. Noby 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 4:30 PM —5:00 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



# 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, Jacob and Jaxson Rivera, Ellen Hector.

## HOW TO REQUEST A MASS INTENTION:

Is there a special someone you would like honored or remembered on their **birthday**, **anniversary**, **special day**, **memorial day**, etc.? Consider having a mass said in their name. Mass intentions can be requested, for any daily mass with a donation, in any of the following ways. **Email:** office@olvcatholic.org

#### Men's Conference

Join Catholic men from around the diocese for talks that inspire, conversations that give strength, and prayer that will help us become the husbands, fathers, and sons God is calling us to be. See flyer in bulletin for more information.



#### **Lent: An Opportunity for Renewal**

The Lenten season is here and time to prepare yourself for a spiritually fruitful season. We say our prayers. We fast from meat. We give alms. However, many of us allow Lent to become routine. This year, let us hear God's call to reflect and challenge ourselves like we never have before. Dedicate an hour to spend one-onone time with God. Humbly ask him to reveal the ways in which you can grow and how He is calling you to sacrifice this year. Surrender everything to the Lord this Lenten season.

#### Do You Want to Fast This Lent?

In the words of Pope Francis

Fast from hurting words and say kind words.

Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude.

Fast from anger and be filled with patience.

Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope

Fast from worries and have trust in God.

Fast from complaints; contemplate simplicity.

Fast from pressures and be prayerful.

Fast from bitterness; fill your heart with joy.

Fast from selfishness and be compassionate.

Fast from grudges and be reconciled.

Fast from words; be silent and listen.



# Our Church Rummage Sale will be on March 11th this year.

There is still time to bring in good household and outdoor items, clothing, toys, furniture. But please NO electronics. Set up will begin on Thursday, March 9th at 9:00am in the parish hall. For more information you may contact Jeanette Bieker at 541-805-5556 or Phyllis Kemp at 541-963-0274.

### Weekend of March 11th & 12th, 2023

#### Saturday, March 11th at 5:30 PM

Acolyte: Tj Yiftheg Lector: Bill Rosholt

Server: Therese Yiftheg & Joseph

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#### Sunday, March 12th at 10:00 AM

Acolyte: Jimmy Zamora Lector: Lyle Schwarz

Server: Jacob Reynolds & Hannah Z

#### Weekend of March 18th & 19th, 2023

#### Saturday, March 18th at 5:30 PM

Acolyte: Unassigned Lector: Nancy Allen

Server: Clinton Tarvin & Michael

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#### Sunday, March 19th at 10:00 AM

Acolyte: Jason Kehr Lector: Janell Zamora Server: Ridge Kehr

Ashes, are ancient signs of penance. Catholics place ashes on there foreheads at the beginning of Lent as an outward sign of repentance.

#### **ONLINE GIVING:**

Our Lady of the Valley is offering parishioners a simple, dependable way to make their donations through a secure online 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 <a href="https://www.olvcatholic.org">www.olvcatholic.org</a>, 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.

Ask him....... To allow your mouth to utter words of gentle kindness—words that exhibit respect and words that inspire compassion

Ask Him... by Jane Harvey

#### February 2023 Weekly Offertory

Date:	Needed:	Offering:
Feb 5th	\$3,400.00	2944.00
Feb 12th	\$3,400.00	3068.00
Feb 19th	\$3,400.00	2299.00
Feb 26th	\$3,400.00	

Repair and Maintenance for February