

EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK
Second Sunday of Ordinary Time
January 14, 2024

First Reading: 1 Samuel 3: 3b-10, 19
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 40: 2, 4, 4-8, 9-10
Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 6: 13c-15a, 17-20
Gospel: John 1: 35-42

Sun/14th	10:00am-Mass
Mon/15th	7:35am—Rosary 8:00am—Mass +ROS Joseph Frederick
Tue/16th	7:35am—Rosary 8:00 am— Mass + ROS Dee Weatherman
Wed/17th	7:35am—Rosary 8:00am- Mass +ROS Kenneth Gannon
Thurs/18th	7:30am— Rosary 8:00am-Mass + ROS Dick Gannon 9:00am— Bible Study
Fri/19th	No Mass
Sat/20th	4:30pm to 5:00pm—Confessions 5:30pm—Vigil Mass +ROS Teresa DiFalco

welcome

Welcome to Our Church

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.

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

Bird Dobbins, Merrill & Kathy Gorham, Betty Gannon, Jody Schlieski Hanson, Phil Hansen, Bryan Lund, Carmen Lopez Sotelo, Andy Youngren, Parker McCauley and ROS Virginia Wimer, Jacob and Jaxson Rivera, Ellen Hector, Jeannette Knott, David & Tristan Morris, Zee Koza & Karen Waldrip.

To update this list, call or email the office.

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. Parents of children to be baptized must be registered members of the parish at least six months prior to baptism. Contact Fr. Noby at the Parish Office.

Marriage

Preparation and instruction classes at least six 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 weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.

A Message from Bishop Cary

Join Bishop Cary for a Holy Hour for Life
Jan. 18th, 8-9pm (PT)

at St. Francis of Assisi Church in Bend or via Livestream by going to DioceseOfBaker.org. Bishops across America will be leading hours of prayer before our Lord in the Holy Eucharist throughout the night of the 18th as part of the 2024 National Prayer Vigil for Life. We hope you can join us in this important time of prayer.

Cathedral Conservation Collection

Thank you for your generosity in 2023 towards the Cathedral Conservation Collection. Please consider supporting your Cathedral again this year through the collection on the weekend of January 20-21 2024. Envelopes are located at the back of the church.

Weekly Offertory Goal: \$3,400.00

1/6 & 1/7 Collections: **\$3715.00**

this includes Online Giving

Repairs & Maintenance: \$ 85.00

Thank-you for your generosity!



Knights News



Coats for Kids Distribution Dates Tell Your Friends!

The Knights would like to thank everyone who generously donated to their Coats for Kids Drive throughout the past couple of months. The Knights will be handing out the coats starting with the mission churches and ending with La Grande. The order of distribution has been determined to need within the different areas. If you know of anyone in need of a good, warm coat this Winter, please tell them about the Knights distribution days and sites.

Here are the dates and distribution locations:

ELGIN: January 20th, 10:00am-2:00pm, at St. Mary's Church.

LA GRANDE: January 27th, 10:00am-2:00pm, at Our Lady of the Valley Church. NOTE: the La Grande date is tentative according to availability of coats.

The Knights need assistance in setting up the sites. Set-up will be from 8:00-10:00am at all three locations. Your help will be greatly appreciated. Please contact Tony Farro if you can help.

Thank-you!

The Altar Society will meet for their January meeting on Tuesday January 16th at 6:00pm in the Parish conference room.

Knights of Columbus will be meeting Tues. Jan. 16th at 7pm in the Parish Hall. Please plan on attending if possible.

The Young Adult Group is meeting Monday Jan. 16th at 7:00pm. Dinner will be provided.

*****Important Notice*****

As a lot of you already know, one of our long-serving parishioner volunteers, Sheldeen Yiftheg, is in the process of being placed on a kidney transplant list. As you know, Sheldeen and T.J. have served diligently in our parish and have continued to do so, even during her health issues. Sheldeen is one of our music directors, led the Divine Mercy Chaplet in the past on Friday and Saturday, as well as spending an hour each week in Adoration. T.J. is an Acolyte and their children attend C.C.D, serve as Altar Servers, and are in the choir.

The family will be incurring a large amount of expenses as Sheldeen and T.J. will have to remain in Portland close to the hospital after surgery for at least 30 days. In your generosity for this worthy cause to this long-serving family, please consider personally donating to Sheldeen and T.J. God Bless this family and keep them in your prayers.

Weekend of Jan. 13th & Jan. 14th, 2024

Saturday, Jan. 13th at 5:30pm

Acolyte : unassigned

Eucharistic Ministers: Susan Selman
& Amanda Villagomez

Lector: Bill Rosholt

Server: Benedict & Joseph Yiftheg

Sacristan: Nancy Allen

Sunday, Jan. 14th, at 10:00am

Acolyte : Joe Petrussek

Eucharistic Ministers: Will Lehnertz
& Jimmy Zamora

Lector: HS/MS Students

Server: Camila Villagomez & Justin Zamora

Weekend of Jan. 20th & Jan. 21st , 2024

Saturday, Jan. 20th at 5:30pm

Acolyte : unassigned

Eucharistic Ministers: John Herman
& Amanda Villagomez

Lector: Nancy Allen

Server: Clinton Tarvin & M. Yiftheg

Sacristan: Lisa Davis

Sunday, Jan. 21st , at 10:00am

Acolyte : Jimmy Zamora

Eucharistic Ministers: Amanda Lehnertz
& Corrine Dutto

Lector: Lyle Schwarz

Server: Cecelia Villagomez & Damian Avitia

Inviting Young Adults, 18-39:

Diocesan Lenten Retreat "Sacrificial Love;

"The Redemption of Suffering"

February 17-18, 2024

Come begin your Lenten journey with engaging speakers (including Bishop Liam Cary, Sr. Ignacia Carrillo, FMA, Fr. Caleb Cunningham), Eucharistic Adoration with an opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Penance. For more info, or to register, visit DioceseofBaker.org. *early/late arrival/departure available by request.