#### **EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK**

Third Sunday in Advent Dec. 14th & Dec. 15th , 2024

First Reading: Zephaniah 3:14-18a Responsorial Psalm: Isaiah 12:2-6

Cry out with joy and gladness; for among you is the great and Holy One of Israel. Second Reading: Philippians 4:4-7

**Gospel:** Luke 3: 10-18

Sun/15th 10:00am–Mass

Mon/16th 8:00am- Mass

8:30am – 5:00pm - Adoration

+ROS Will Chamber

Tue/17th 8:00am- Mass -

+ROS John Chamber

6:00pm Altar Society meeting

Wed/18th 8:00am-Mass

+ROS Janet Parker

7:00pm-RCIA Class

Thurs/19th 8:00am Mass- Emily Hoyt

9:00am Bible Study

7:00pm Knights of Columbus meeting

Fri/20th 6:00pm Reconciliation Service

Sat/21st 5:30pm—Mass

+ROS Laura Espinola



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:

Merrill & Kathy Gorham, Jody Schlieski Hanson, Carmen Lopez Sotelo, Andy Youngren, Parker McCauley Jacob and Jaxson Rivera, Ellen Hector, Jeannette Knott, David & Tristan Morris, Zee Koza, Karen Waldrip, Julia Samples, & Betty & Gary Riebe and ROS Virginia Wimer. **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.
-Matt. 11:28

The Knights of Columbus will be serving Breakfast following the 10:00 am Mass on Sunday Dec.. 15th. They will be serving, pancakes, ham, eggs, biscuits and gravy, coffee and juice. Cost per person is \$6.00 or \$25.00 per family.

The Altar Society will be meeting Tuesday December 17th at 6:00pm at Kathy Gorham's for a potluck and meeting.

We are taking donations for Christmas Flowers and Décor. Envelopes are available at the back table, please make check out to Our Lady of the Valley-Catholic Women

(OLVCW)

Weekly Offertory Goal: \$3400.00

12/7/24 & 12/8/24 Collections: \$8642.00 Repairs and Maintenance: \$25.00 This includes online giving Thank You for your generosity



# Weekend of Dec. 14th & Dec. 15th, 2024 Saturday – Dec. 14th at 5:30pm

Acolyte:

Eucharistic Ministers: Kathy MaGee

& Clare Espinola

Lector: John Bozarth

Servers: Sacristan:

Sunday-Dec.15th at 10:00am

Acolyte: Isaac Zamora

Eucharistic Ministers: Jenell Zamora

& Amanda Lehnertz

Lector: Lyle Schwarz Servers: Adam Zamora & Damian Avitia

A huge THANK YOU to Matt Allen for cleaning the carpets in the church this past week. We appreciate your kindness and dedication to the church.

The Knights of Columbus will be meeting at 7pm in the Parish Hall on Thursday December 19th.

## **Religious Retirement Collection**

Our Diocesan priests have served the Church and they have done so for relatively little material reward. These dedicated priests deserve a just retirement for their service to the diocese. While we committed years of understand the importance of supporting the national collection, we too must take care of our own priests who have served so faithfully in the Diocese of Baker. We will continue to support the religious sisters and brothers who have served in our Diocese by remitting a portion of this collection to the national office. This collection and our own Bishop's Annual Appeal are two of their major funding sources. We ask that you please consider donating to this most deserved retirement plan. Collections will begin the weekend of December 7th.

Giving envelopes are at the

back of the church

Conference of Major Superiors of Men Council of Major Superiors of Women Religious Leadership Conference of Women Religious Weekend of Dec. 21st & Dec. 22nd, 2024

Saturday- Dec. 21st at 5:30pm

Acolyte:

Eucharistic Ministers: Kathy MaGee

& Susan Selman

Lector: Bill Rosholt

Servers: Sacristan:

Sunday- Dec. 22nd at 10:00am

Acolyte : Joe Petrusek

Eucharistic Ministers: Jimmy Zamora

& Delia Jaramillo Lector: Jenell Zamora

Servers: Mayes & Aiden Ortiz

### Advent Reconciliation Service

Friday, December 20th at 6:00pm, there will be 5 priests including Fr. Noby to hear reconciliations for the Advent season. There will also be a Spanish speaking priest available for those who need one.

#### Thank You!

The Knights of Columbus gives thanks to all who donated warm coats to give to kids. Approximately 180 coats were given to kids from Elgin, Union and LaGrande.