

**EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK**  
**Presentation of the Lord**  
**Feb. 1st and Feb. 2nd, 2025**

**First Reading: Malachi 3: 1-4**  
**Responsorial Psalm: 24: 7-10**  
**Who is this king of glory? It is the Lord!**  
**Second Reading: Hebrews 2: 14-18**  
**Gospel: Luke 2: 22-40**

- Sun/2nd 10:00am–Mass
- Mon/3rd 8:00am– Mass  
 +ROS Ronald Jaramillo  
 8:30am-5:00pm-Adoration  
 7:00pm Young Adult Group
- Tue/4th 8:00am-Mass  
 +ROS Louise Reinecke
- Wed/5th 8:00am– Mass  
 +ROS Ralph Reinecke
- Thurs/6th 8:00am– Mass  
 +ROS Stewart Colpitts
- Sat/ 8th 5:30pm—Mass  
 +ROS Bill DuBray

**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



*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.*

**Upcoming on the Calendar!**



**Young Adult Group will be meeting Monday, Feb. 3rd at 7pm in the conference room for game night.**

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**Knights of Columbus are distributing complementary snow shovels after mass to those who would like one.**

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**Linda Williams is in need of a small microwave and a chest of drawers for a child. Please call Linda at 541-963-2282 if you have these items to donate.**

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**Men's group will be meeting Thurs. Feb. 13th at 7pm in the conference room.**

**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, David & Tristan Morris, Zee Koza, Karen Waldrip, Julia Samples, & Betty & Gary Riebe and ROS Virginia Wimer.

**Weekly Offertory Goal: \$3400.00**

**1/25/24 & 1/26/25 Collections: \$2668.00**

**Repairs and Maintenance : \$0**

**This includes online giving**



## St. Francis DeSales 2025

### Cathedral Conservation Collection

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#### Have you been to St. Francis de Sales Cathedral in Baker?

If you have, then you know how beautiful this historic church is and how blessed we are to call it our Mother Church. If you have not been there-the Cathedral, built in 1906, is located in Baker City. Although parishioners and visitors from afar have enjoyed its quiet grace for over 100 years, it was the local parishioners who have watched over its welfare.

Today, Feb. 2nd, we are having the 2nd collection of the Cathedral Conservation Collection across the diocese to support our mother church, St. Francis de Sales Cathedral. I encourage you to prayerfully consider your support of its essential needs ensuring its legacy for another 100 years. Please pick up today's bulletin that includes more information and please drop off your donation (in this yellow envelope) in this week's collection basket. We also ask that you make your **checks payable to our parish** so that we can send in one check to the Diocese at the end of this collection. I pray that you share my enthusiasm in conserving our historic Cathedral.

#### How do we become humble?

In one account of the life of Saint Anthony, it is said that God showed him the world full of the snares of the devil. Following the vision, the saint was filled in trepidation and said, "Lord who can escape the snares? And he heard the voice that answered, Anthony, he who is humble can escape, for God gives the grace to the humble, but the proud fall into all sorts of traps set by the devil. The devil does not dare attack the humble man.

If we truly desire to be humble we must strive to overcome the sin of pride. The greatest obstacle to becoming holy is the sin of pride. In fact, this is the first sin we can all confess when going to confession because it is the root of all sins. This root must be pulled up if we want to become humble.

In Bethlehem, there is a small door you must enter in order to be in the place of Jesus's birth. It was said that they lowered the Church door so that the Roman horses could not enter, but later it was said, that in order to see the baby Jesus you must bend down very low in order to enter the place of Jesus' birth, you must also become humble in order to enter Heaven. How do I become humble? The answer is through the grace of God. Only grace from God can give us the clear vision and the dignity that comes from humility.

### Weekend of Feb.1st & Feb. 2nd , 2025

#### Saturday- Feb. 1st at 5:30pm

Acolyte : TJ Yiftheq

Eucharistic Ministers: Kathy McGee  
& Susan Selman

Lector: Bill Rosholt

Servers: Benedict & Michael Yiftheq

Sacristan: Lisa Davis

#### Sunday- Feb 2nd at 10:00am

Acolyte : Jimmy Zamora

Eucharistic Ministers: Efrain Villagomez  
& Maria Ortiz Villagomez

Lector: Amanda Villagomez

Servers: Justin Zamora

& Aiden Ortiz

### Weekend of Feb.8th & Feb. 9th , 2025

#### Saturday- Feb. 8th at 5:30pm

Acolyte :

Eucharistic Ministers: John Herman  
& Susan Selman

Lector: Clare Espinola

Servers:

Sacristan:

#### Sunday- Feb 9th at 10:00am

Acolyte : Joe Petrussek

Eucharistic Ministers: Jenell Zamora  
& Amanda Lehnertz

Lector: MS/HS Students

Servers: Adam Zamora

& Liam Mayes

## Discover Your Charisms

Amanda Villagómez will be leading three sessions for the young adult group. February 10th will be an introduction to the concept of charisms and preparation for the Many Parts Ministries Charism Assessment. February 17th will be an opportunity to review the assessment results and consider next steps for charism discernment. The final session on March 10th will focus on commitment and on-going discernment.