



Love God, Love Others, Make Disciples of Jesus Christ  
**OUR LADY OF THE LAKE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Jesus Rescues at Vacation Bible School



This past week our Parish Center was busy with our yearly summer Vacation Bible School. Seventy kids, forty teens, and a dozen adults filled the gym and halls, which were brought to life to be a castaway island! This year's theme was Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus.

Each day, the children learned and experienced a different reason Jesus Rescues along with a Bible story for illustration.

On Day 1, in Bible Discovery, we learned about the Parables of Lost Things (Luke 15) and we were given the phrase *When you're lonely, Jesus Rescues!*

On Day 2, Bible Discovery was transformed into Mary and Martha's home (Luke 10:38-42) to teach us *When you worry, Jesus rescues!*



Day 3 brought along the story of Jesus' friends trying to rescue Him in the Garden (Luke 22:39-54) and we learned that *When you struggle, Jesus Rescues!*

Day 4 was the story of

Jesus on the cross. In Bible Discovery, we heard the story of the criminal being forgiven on the cross (Luke 23:26-24:12), just like we are forgiven, because *When you do wrong, Jesus Rescues!*



On the last day we learned the story of Peter and John healing a lame man (Acts 3:1-26) and we learned that, just like the man, *When you're powerless, Jesus Rescues!*

We cannot wait for next year and hope you can join us! Registration begins Easter Sunday, keep an eye out in the bulletin and online!

As for leaders, sign up now! If you would like to be a part of next year's Vacation Bible School as a teacher or team member, we'd love to have you! Mary Brunette is putting together a leadership team now. Contact Mary at [maryb@ollparish.com](mailto:maryb@ollparish.com) to learn how you can be a part of next year's team!

For more information on children's activities at OLL, visit [www.ollparish.com/life-kids](http://www.ollparish.com/life-kids).



### WEEKDAY SERVICES

**Mass** at 8:15 AM Monday - Saturday

**Mass** at 6:30 AM Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

**Morning Prayer** at 6:30 AM Monday, Friday

Recitation of the **Rosary** after Mass on Monday - Saturday

### SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM,  
 Sunday Morning 7:30, 9:00, 11:30 AM,  
 Life Teen Mass 5:00 PM

### LOCATED AT

790 A Avenue  
 Lake Oswego, OR 97034

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30-4:30 PM or by Appointment

### ADORATION OF THE EUCHARIST

First Friday of the Month  
 8:45 AM to 12:00 PM in the Church

### SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Call the Parish Office

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## Focus on Faith Schedule

**Focus on Faith takes place  
from 10:20 – 11:15 AM for the summer**

For more information see  
[www.ollparish.com/focus-on-faith](http://www.ollparish.com/focus-on-faith)

### July 29, 2018

#### Lectio Divina: Reflecting on the Sunday Scriptures

*The practice of Lectio Divina, as a way of praying the Scriptures, has been a fruitful source of growing in relationship with Christ for many centuries and in our own day is being rediscovered by many individuals and groups. The Word of God is alive and active and will transform each of us if we open ourselves to receive what God wants to give us. Pope Benedict Emeritus said, "Lectio Divina is the key to 'A New Springtime.'" Do you need a 'New Springtime' in your life, in your work, in your marriage, in your prayer time? The religious order of Carmelites has been praying Lectio Divina daily for over 800 years.*

**We will pray the Sunday Gospel reading for July 29.**

Brant Crabbe and members of  
*Centering Prayer Group*  
Parish Center – Newly Carpeted Area

### August 5, 2018

#### Lectio Divina: Encounter Jesus Christ through the Word of God

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### New! Life Kids Beginners

**Every Sunday • 8:45–11:30 AM ~ Continuing through the Summer**

*Nursery for children 9 Months to 3 years old. Safe, enriching environment for young children during Mass or while you take advantage of Focus on Faith presentations.*

Parish Hall - West Alcove

## This Week

### Sunday, July 29, 2018

*Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**Homilist: Fr. John Kerns**

Fellowship After Mass	8:30 AM PH-FRONT
Life Kids Beginners	8:45 AM PH-CC
Focus on Faith	10:20 AM PC-NAZ

### Monday, July 30, 2018

Boy Scouts	7:30 PM PH-FRONT
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### Tuesday, July 31, 2018

Fatima Rosary	6:00 PM PC-PLIB
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### Wednesday, August 1, 2018

Charismatic Prayer	11:00 AM PC-PLIB
Women's CoDA	7:00 PM PC-CANA

### Thursday, August 2, 2018

Alcoholics Anonymous	7:00 PM PH-CARP
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### Friday, August 3, 2018

First Friday Adoration	9:15 AM CH
Seniors Potluck	11:30 AM PH-FRONT
Alcoholics Anonymous	8:00 PM PH-CARP

### Saturday, August 4, 2018

DOGS Men's Group	7:00 AM PC-NAZ
Prayer Shawl Ministry	10:00 AM PH-MID
Confessions	3:30 PM CH

### Sunday, August 5, 2018

*Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**Homilist: Fr. John Kerns**

American Red Cross Blood Drive	8:00 AM SCH-LOT
Fellowship After Mass	8:30 AM PH-FRONT
Life Kids Beginners	8:45 AM PH-CC
Focus on Faith	10:20 AM PC-NAZ

*PC=Parish Center Building—Cana, Nazareth, Bethlehem and Jerusalem Rooms; SCH=School—Multipurpose Room, Gym; PH=Parish Hall—Front, Mid, Carpet, Child Care, Kitchen CH=Church—Church, Loft, Narthex; OTHER=Off Campus Event*



## Liturgy, Music and Prayer

### Sound System Tune Up

This week we asked Rose City Sound engineers to give our church sound system a “tune up” to improve the balance and coverage through the seating area. Here is a photo of the equipment they brought in to test and balance the signals through our main speakers. The tune up involved pushing white noise through each speaker and then balancing the sound waves. It was fascinating to watch them work!



Over the last few months, a number of parishioners have come up to me to say that they had a difficult time hearing the singers, musicians or priests at Mass. I have noticed troubles as well. Also, as we have added more instruments at 9 AM and 11:30, sometimes it is an adventure to balance the sound through all the church.

Look up and notice that there are two speakers overhead – the rear speaker is on a millisecond “delay” from the front speaker, which causes a few problems when things get out of balance. That’s one of the troubles Rose City discovered this week. They also adjusted the sound to account for the new carpeting in the sanctuary, which also had an impact on the reverberation and time delay.

The tune up was successful in improving the overall balance and frequency response. Our sound system was installed some years ago, however, and technology has greatly improved since then. So, there is a limit to what sound improvements can be made until we can update our speakers. For example, many of you have noticed the “sound shadow” in pews two and three, where the overhead speaker just doesn’t reach. You will always need wait to hear the actual sound to fill in when sitting there.

### Hearing Assist System

Our hearing assist system is also in need of upgrade. The current transmitter is still crystal technology and the newer digital units would greatly improve coverage and consistency. We will be looking into that improvement in the coming year.

Finally, here is an invitation to adults and teens who would like to help monitor sound at our Masses. One simple improvement we always can make is to have someone in the middle of the church listening and adjusting. Let me know if you can help us with that on a regular basis. It’s easy – but greatly appreciated!

## Red Cross Summer Blood Drive At Our Lady of the Lake

The American Red Cross will be on our campus again with their American Red Cross Bus on Sunday, August 5, 2018, from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM. You can donate blood either before or after the Mass you will be attending.

**Blood donations are by appointment.**

To schedule an appointment, or for more information call **1-800-RED-CROSS (800-733-2767)**

or visit [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org)  
and enter the sponsor code: **LakeO**.

**American Red Cross**

*Give blood.* Help save lives.



### **Blood Drive** **Lake Oswego Community** **Our Lady of the Lake** **Catholic Church**

American Red Cross Bus  
790 "A" Avenue  
Lake Oswego, OR 97034

**Sunday, August 5th**  
**8:00 AM to 1:00 PM**

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please call 1-800-RED-CROSS

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sponsor code: **LakeO**



Scan to schedule  
an appointment.

### Family Inner Healing Retreat

A Family Inner Healing Retreat, led by Rev. Fr. Augustine Vallooran, V.C. with Glen and Teresa from South India, will be held at Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church, 5239 SE Woodstock Blvd, Portland OR 97206 on August 10 – 12, 2018. Presentations are Friday, August 10 from 6:30 to 8:30 PM, Saturday, August 11 from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM, and Sunday, August 12, 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM. No Retreat Fee (including free childcare, lunch and snacks on Saturday and Sunday). For more information contact Jackie Moeller, [mtmjmoeller@gmail.com](mailto:mtmjmoeller@gmail.com).

## Offertory

We thank all those who contribute to the support of Our Lady of the Lake Church. Our fiscal year runs July 1 through June 30.

**THIS YEAR: Week ending 07/22/2018**

Weekly Collection: \$28,219

Fiscal Year to Date: \$97,410

### LAST YEAR:

Weekly Collection: \$24,092

Fiscal Year to Date: \$102,437

### BUDGET:

Fiscal Year to Date: \$96,800

From the St. Vincent  
de Paul Pantry  
Thank You For  
Your Continuing Support

## Mass Intentions

*Sunday, July 29*

7:30 AM For the Parishioners

9:00 AM +Mario Tedeschi

11:30 AM +Ann Marie Theander

5:00 PM +Armel Freed

*Monday, July 30*

6:30 AM Mass

8:15 AM Int. Fr Gregg

*Tuesday, July 31*

6:30 AM Int. Rebecca Mlinar

8:15 AM +Art Finklea

*Wednesday, August 1*

6:30 AM Int. Kaelynn Sherlock

8:15 AM +John Kleinheinz

Thursday, August 2

6:30 AM +Gene Wizer

8:15 AM +Gene Wizer  
and Bob Bonney

*Friday, August 3*

6:30 AM +Armel Freed

8:15 AM Mass

*Saturday, August 4*

8:15 AM +Jim Vincent

5:00 PM +Helen Eileen Cromer

*Sunday, August 5*

7:30 AM For the Parishioners

9:00 AM +Azilda Parrent

11:30 AM +Anthony "Tony"  
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5:00 PM Int. Sally Hill



## OLL Knights Of Columbus Charity Golf Tournament CHARBONNEAU GOLF CLUB ~ SEPTEMBER 23

Proceeds Benefit

Fr. Taaffe Homes for Unwed Mothers

**When:** Sunday, September 23, 2018

**Time:** Shotgun Start at 12:45 PM –

**Dinner:** 5:00 PM - Followed by Program and Awards

**Where:** Charbonneau Golf Course

**Cost:** \$95.00 (Golf, Salmon & Prime Rib dinner, all beverages)

\$55.00 Jr. Rate (15 and under)

\$35.00 Dinner Only (Children 12 and under free!)

Bring the whole family!

**Tee Prizes:** Long Drive - Men's/Women's/Juniors,

K.P. - Men's/Women's/Juniors

Raffle Prizes


## ONLINE GIVING IN 3 EASY STEPS

If you are already using online giving skip step 1  
and 2. (if you forgot your user ID or password  
click the forgot button and they will  
email a new password to you)



### STEP 1 - REGISTER

- From OLL website [www.ollparish.com](http://www.ollparish.com)
- Click "Give" in top right navigation bar

- Click on  Online Giving
- Click on **CREATE A NEW ACCOUNT.**
- Fill in the information boxes that contain a red asterisk. Make sure to write down your User ID and Password (put in a secure and safe place.)
- **Submit.** You will receive an email to confirm your information.

### STEP 2 – SET UP PAYMENT METHOD

- Now log into your account, click on **MY PAYMENT METHOD.**
- You will need to **ADD NEW BANK ACCOUNT** (if using your checking account) OR **ADD NEW CREDIT CARD** (if using your credit card).
- Provide all the information requested. Then click **SUBMIT.**

### STEP 3 – SET UP DONATION

**OPTIONS:** You can choose multiple funds (RE, Building Maintenance, SVdP)

- Now return to **MANAGE MY ACCOUNT** and choose **GIVE A NEW GIFT.**
- Choose **OFFERTORY** (fund), then select gift type **RECURRING.**
- Select payment and frequency and start date.
- Select the account (check or credit card), then enter amount and frequency.
- Click **NEXT** (at the bottom of the page)
- In the **CONFIRM MY GIFTS** window, review the details to insure everything is correct. Click **SUBMIT.**



## RESPECT LIFE CORNER

A letter to Archbishop of Denver, Most Reverend Samuel Aquila S.T.L. as quoted in his pastoral letter Splendor of Love celebrating the 50th Anniversary of Humanae Vitae:

*"When I was told that we would have to take a full course of NFP over a 3-4 month period for our marriage preparation, I was not happy. However, after the course, which included the Theology of the Body, I was filled with joy and the question I have for you, bishop, is: Why I did not receive this valuable teaching in high school as it would have saved me much heartache and confusion in my college years. I have shared the teaching with my younger sister who is in high school so she doesn't make the same mistakes I made." To read the entire document go to [http://archden.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/splendor-of-love\\_web.pdf](http://archden.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/splendor-of-love_web.pdf).*

### Upcoming Events in the Archdiocese

#### 8/5 Human Trafficking Silent Prayer

**Vigil:** St. Andre Bessette Catholic Church, 601 West Burnside Street, Portland, August 5, from 11:15-11:45 AM. Please join together to pray for victims and an end to human trafficking.

**8/12 Monthly Prayers for Life:** There will be a prayer service including the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy for the culture of life at St. Agatha's Catholic Church on August 12 at 12:30 PM. St. Agatha's is located at 7960 SE 15th Avenue, Portland.

*"Our defense of the innocent unborn, for example, needs to be clear, firm and passionate, for at stake is the dignity of a human life, which is always sacred and demands love for each person, regardless of his or her stage of development. Equally sacred, however, are the lives of the poor, those already born, the destitute, the abandoned and the underprivileged, the vulnerable infirm and elderly.... We cannot uphold an ideal of holiness that would ignore injustice in (the) world". Pope Francis, Gaudete et Exsultate*

RESPECT LIFE



## Faith Formation



### My Long Journey to the Catholic Church

By Kasey Macsenti

I grew up as a half-hearted Methodist in the Colorado Rockies. I found communion with God easier in the great outdoors, rather than inside a church. Sunday school was particularly difficult. Adults telling bible stories with felt cut-outs over-simplified it and the stories always left me feeling a bit empty and confused. But in the wide-open spaces, God was always near. However, my disinterest in church stunted my religious growth until moving to Oregon in 1988. As a high school junior, I re-found my faith, became 'born again,' and was baptized at a Beaverton bible church. Suddenly, I was very interested. I studied, went to bible college, learned to read Greek, and started holding discussion groups to work through the more difficult topics of our day. Christianity became very relevant to me... and I was keenly aware of its abilities to help people work through their questions and to find a more solid footing in life.

But as time passed in the 1990s, I started sensing a widening gap from my newly found Christian Evangelical community and my own convictions. With each passing year, I found myself focusing on philosophy over theology. My discussion groups turned to the great thinkers of Western Culture, and away from biblical scholars. I could sense that I was living my Christianity in a faith-vacuum, distanced from my evangelical community. Although I didn't feel like I was moving towards something at the time, I now see that I was actually being drawn...I was being called to become a Catholic.

Some important events occurred that recaptured my interest in religious studies. I married a Catholic, spent more time studying Catholic theologians, and ended up at Our Lady of the Lake. These past few years have provided a wonderful awakening for me. Last year I started RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) with excitement and many questions. Some of the questions still remain, but the Sacraments have captured my imagination and once again I find myself excited to be a believer in Christ. The Sacraments of Confession and Communion provided an anchor that I had not experienced in a long time.

### Have You Ever Thought of Becoming a Catholic?

Contact Laura at [LauraP@ollparish.com](mailto:LauraP@ollparish.com)



### Important Dates

- August 12 & 13 – Next **Parent Baptism Class** register on line at [www.ollparish.com/baptism](http://www.ollparish.com/baptism)

## Seminary Burse Luncheon and Silent Auction

Celebrating God's Harvest is the theme of this year's Seminary Burse Luncheon and Silent Auction. It will be held at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 10955 SE 25th Avenue, Milwaukie, OR on August 16, 2018 at 11:00 AM. Luncheon tickets are \$15.00, raffle tickets are \$1.00 each or six for \$5.00. Raffle prizes include: first prize, \$ 100.00 cash; second prize, \$ 75.00 cash; third prize, \$ 50.00 cash; and fourth prize, \$ 50.00 Fred Meyer Gift Card . There will also be door prizes. Seating is limited and prepaid. Please call Michele Murphy (503) 653-6264 to purchase your tickets. The event is wheelchair accessible. Sponsored by Young Ladies Institute Queen of the Universe no. 216.

### Keep up with events at OLL

- > Read the bulletin
- > Check the weekly email
- > Log on to [ollparish.com](http://ollparish.com)
- > Update your email

## Senior Pot Luck Group



Come join us in the parish hall every first Friday of the month, It is a good way to meet new people and enjoy good food.

We meet at 11:30 am and eat at noon.

WHERE: Parish Hall

WHEN: Friday, August 3, 2018

Bring food according to your last name:

A-E Salad	I-N Dessert
F-H Main Dish	O-Z Main Dish

More Information:

Call Pete or Yvonne Yray - (503) 246-4404



## OLL Knights of Columbus All American Summer Food Drive To Benefit St. Vincent de Paul July 1 to September 9, 2018



Imagine having to choose between food and medical care when your funds are limited. Imagine facing an increased risk of chronic health conditions as you age because you are unable to afford enough healthy food choices. More than 5 million senior citizens currently experience hunger in our nation and that number increases yearly as baby boomers age.

Food-insecure seniors are at greater risk for depression, heart attack, asthma, and other serious health conditions. Your generous donations to our annual food drives help ease the worry over monthly bills senior citizens often face.



<http://www.feedingamerica.org/hunger-in-america/senior-hunger-facts>.

For a printable list of items needed : [www.ollparish.com/st-vincent-de-Paul](http://www.ollparish.com/st-vincent-de-Paul).



## Mercy Teams

**Clothing Donations** – Thank you to all the parishioners who dropped off their donated clothing before or after mass last weekend. Your generous donations will be a great comfort to many who are homeless.

### Summer Parishioners Support Volunteer Sign Up

In late August and September, we plan to reach out to parishioners in need of light home cleanup, yardwork or other assistance. If you are interested in helping with these projects, add your name to a volunteer document with any special skills you have...plumbing, electrical, painting or general cleanup and yard work.

As we move into the summer, we hope to build a list of parishioners in need and match them with our list of volunteers available. We will reach out to you as we identify needs.

If you are interested in getting more involved, please reach out. Contact the parish office or email us at Mercy Teams: [mercyteams@ollministry.com](mailto:mercyteams@ollministry.com).

Sign up now through the parish website  
[www.ollparish.com/in-our-community](http://www.ollparish.com/in-our-community)

## OLL Maintenance and Improvements Report

### Roof:

- Asbestos tiles are being removed in sections, then tarped over in the (unlikely) case of rain
- Underlayment will be added in sections, in preparation for the new tiles

### Parish:

- Painting touchups
- Replacement of broken ceiling tiles
- Sprinkler system adjustments
- Parking lot light maintenance

### School:

- Painting and general maintenance projects continue this week
- "Detail" cleaning of classrooms

We thank you for your patience and understanding for any inconvenience you may experience during these projects. If you have any questions or comments feel free to email me at [sharonb@ollparish.com](mailto:sharonb@ollparish.com).

*Sharon Burk, Business Manager*

## Faith Programs for Children and Youth

### **Beginners**

Every Sunday • 8:45–11:30 AM  
Nursery for 9 Months – 3 Years Old  
Parish Hall Transept

### **Life Kids**

Life Kids resumes September 9 • Register for next year!

[www.ollparish.com/life-kids](http://www.ollparish.com/life-kids)

Sundays 10:20 to 11:20 AM • Preschool-5<sup>th</sup> Grade

**Seeking Teens and Adults for  
lead teacher beginning in the fall!**

**Inspire kids to grow in their faith!**

**Looking for teachers in Kindergarten and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade.**

Contact Mary | [maryb@ollparish.com](mailto:maryb@ollparish.com)



Don't forget to register your  
Second Grader for First  
Communion Prep which runs as  
part of Life Kids!

[www.ollparish.com/LK-Register](http://www.ollparish.com/LK-Register)



## OUR LADY OF THE LAKE YOUTH MINISTRY

### MIDDLE SCHOOL EDGE

**EDGE resumes September 9**

Register at [www.ollparish.com/edge](http://www.ollparish.com/edge)

### HIGH SCHOOL LIFE TEEN

Visit [www.ollparish.com/lifeteen](http://www.ollparish.com/lifeteen)

For more information on Youth Ministry, including Confirmation, at Our Lady of the Lake, contact Tom Tomaszek, Pastoral Associate, by email, [tomt@ollparish.com](mailto:tomt@ollparish.com) or calling the parish office, 503-636-7687