



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

Respect Life Ministry



The Respect Life ministry desires to promote life and stand up for those most vulnerable in a world that embraces the “Culture of Death.” We work in collaboration with other parish ministries and outside organizations to evangelize, advocate, pray and promote activities that foster a culture of life here at Our Lady of the Lake. This includes the Church’s teaching in the areas of abortion, assisted suicide/euthanasia, capital punishment, human trafficking, and embryonic stem cell research. Our outreach also advocates protection for people with disabilities and the protection of individual conscience rights.

Each October, the Catholic Church in the United States celebrates **Respect Life Month**, and the first Sunday of October is observed as **Respect Life Sunday**. As Catholics, we are all called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable from the beginning of life to its end, and at every point in between. During the month of October, the Church asks us to reflect more deeply on the dignity of every human life. This year’s theme is “**Christ Our Hope: In Every Season of Life.**”

Join us today at 1:00 PM — or Tuesday at 6:30 PM — for the movie **UNPLANNED**, in the Parish Hall (*Jerusalem Room on Tuesday*). It is the true story of Abby Johnson’s journey of transformation from a director of Planned Parenthood to one the most ardent pro-life speakers today.

Listed to the right are some of activities that we participate in throughout the year, in addition to parish movies and speaker events, so those interested can become involved in many ways. The committee meets monthly and the meetings are usually posted in the bulletin. Contact Sharon, committee lead, for more information at 503 675-1874.

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Mass at 8:30 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

Respect Life Activities

At the Parish Level

Baby Bottle Fundraiser
 Traveling Crib
 Natural Family Planning
 Day of Remembrance
 Respect Life Month
 Political/Legislation

At the Regional Level

Roe vs. Wade Memorial Rally & Walk for Life
 Oregon Right to Life Conference
 Archdiocese Quarterly Meeting

At the National Level

West Coast & National Walk for Life
 40 Days for Life -Spring & Fall



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Focus on Faith Schedule

Focus on Faith is from 10:20 – 11:20 AM

For more information see ollparish.com/fof

Every Sunday — Explore the Sunday Readings

Join us for video presentations by Dr. Brant Pitre, exploring the 1st century Christian understanding of today's scripture readings and how it applies to us today.

Parish Center, Bethlehem Room

October 6

The Rosary

The Rosary is a wonderful gift from God to the Catholic Church. Discover its rich meaning and traditions. Join us to learn more about praying with our Queen Mother and the effects it can have on our daily lives.

Parish Hall, Carpeted Area

First Reconciliation Parent Meeting

All parents of children preparing for the First Communion are asked to attend one of the meetings presented by Fr. John Kerns.

Parish Center, Nazareth Room

October 13

Creating & Living Your Family Mission

Join us for the first Parent Session of the year with Patricia Mackie, a licensed professional counselor. Identify your family's core values by asking: How does your family relate to God?

Parish Center, Nazareth Room

Anointing of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick will be offered for all those who experience chronic illness, are expecting surgery, or are in need of other physical or spiritual healing.

Church

This Week

Sunday, October 6, 2019

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Homilist: Fr. John Kerns

Fellowship After Mass	8:30 AM PH-FRONT
Life Kids Beginners	8:45 AM PH-CC
Life Kids	10:15 AM SCH
EDGE	10:15 AM PC-JSLM
Focus on Faith	10:15 AM PC-BETH
1st Communion Meeting	10:15 AM PC-NAZ
Confirmation/Life Teen	6:30 PM PH-FRONT

Monday, October 7, 2019

Alcoholics Anonymous	6:30 AM PC-PLIB
Centering Prayer	9:30 AM PC-PLIB
Creed Study	10:00 AM PC-JSLM
Boy Scouts	7:30 PM PH-FRONT

Tuesday, October 8, 2019

Revelation Study	9:30 AM PC-NAZ
Fatima Rosary	6:00 PM PC-PLIB
Unplanned Movie	6:30 PM PC-JSLM

Wednesday, October 9, 2019

Alcoholics Anonymous	6:30 AM PC-PLIB
Charismatic Prayer Group	11:00 AM PC-PLIB
Fulfilled Study Part 1	11:00 AM PC-NAZ

Thursday, October 10, 2019

CASE Training	9:30 AM PC-NAZ
Caregiver Support group	3:30 PM PC-PLIB
Matthew Bible Study	7:00 PM PC-JSLM
Alcoholics Anonymous	7:00 PM PC-NAZ

Friday, October 11, 2019

Alcoholics Anonymous	6:30 AM PC-PLIB
Alcoholics Anonymous	8:00 PM PH-CARP

Saturday, October 12, 2019

DOGS Men's Group	7:00 AM PC-NAZ
Liturgy Reflection Morning	9:00 AM PH-FRONT
Confessions	3:30 PM CH
Saturday Wine/Cheese	6:00 PM PH-FRONT

Sunday, October 13, 2019

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
KC Breakfast	7:30 AM PH-FRONT
Blood Pressure Check	8:30 AM PH-BRIDE
Life Kids Beginners	8:45 AM PH-CC
Life Kids	10:15 AM SCH
EDGE	10:15 AM PC-JSLM
Focus on Faith	10:15 AM PC-BETH
Confirmation/Life Teen	6:30 PM PH-FRONT

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

Liturgy, Music, & Prayer

The Month of the Rosary

October is the Month of the Rosary, an annual opportunity to pray and give more attention to this contemplative spiritual practice. The rosary can be recited in group settings, with one or more persons taking turns leading individual decades. As an individual prayer, the rosary is an any-time, any-where chance to pray and meditate on God's continuing presence in your life.

The exact origin of the Rosary as a prayer is less than clear and subject to debate among scholars. The use of knotted prayer ropes in Christianity goes back to the Desert Fathers in the 3rd and early 4th centuries. These counting devices were used for prayers such as the Jesus prayer in Christian monasticism. The period after the First Council of Ephesus in 431 witnessed gradual growth in the use of Marian prayers during the Middle Ages by lay people as well.

According to some Catholic traditions, the Rosary was given to Saint Dominic in a vision of the Blessed Virgin Mary and it was then promoted by Blessed Allan de la Roche. Some historians see a more gradual development for the Rosary, in that the repetition of Marian prayers which form the basis of the Rosary needed counting devices, which resulted in the modern form of the Rosary prayed on beads.

The practice of meditation during the praying of the Hail Mary's is attributed to Dominic of Prussia, a 15th-century Carthusian monk, who called it the "Life of Jesus Rosary." The Christian victory at the Battle of Lepanto in 1571 was attributed to the praying of the Rosary by many Europeans based on the request of Pope Pius V and eventually resulted in his establishing the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary in 1569. In 2002 Pope John Paul II introduced the Luminous Mysteries.

Why Pray the Rosary?

There are many spiritual approaches to praying the rosary both individually and in groups. For example, a number of parishioners who attend our morning Masses at OLL frequently recite the rosary together after Mass as an extension of their celebration of the Holy Eucharist. Praying the rosary together as a group or as a family also provides the daily or weekly discipline to maintain a prayer practice.

Some people find that praying the Rosary in the evening or just before bed helps to provide a perspective on the day and a sense of peace about life's difficult moments. Many people find that praying the rosary while driving – either a longer distance, or in commuting to or from work, allows time to re-focus their heart and mind and renew their spirit for the day. It's also pretty difficult to succumb to "road rage" while reciting a Hail Mary!

Pamphlets on "How to Pray the Rosary" are always available in the back of our church or from the parish office. If it has been some time since you have prayed the Rosary, consider this month of October as a new opportunity to meet Our Lord and Our Blessed Mother in prayer. They are waiting for you!



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 09/29/2019

Weekly Collection: \$24,972

Fiscal Year to Date: \$328,815

LAST YEAR:

Weekly Collection: \$25,690

Fiscal Year to Date: \$326,391

BUDGET:

Fiscal Year to Date: \$332,245

Stay up to date with events at OLL

- > Read the Bulletin!
- > Sign up for Weekly Parish emails by calling the office!
- > Visit the Website at ollparish.com!
- > Check us out on Social Media!
Twitter@OLLLakeOswego
Facebook@OLLCatholicChurch
Instagram@OLLCatholicChurch

Mass Intentions

Sunday, October 6, 2019

7:30 AM +Norman Myhr

9:00 AM +Pius Chow

11:30 AM +Margo Francis

5:00 PM +Dawn O'Reilly

Monday, October 7, 2019

6:30 AM Prayer Service

8:30 AM Int. Sharon Mlinar

Tuesday, October 8, 2019

6:30 AM +Harvey Osborn

8:30 AM +Russ Sacco

Wednesday, October 9, 2019

6:30 AM +Lottie Sacco

8:30 AM Int. Jeff Becker

Thursday, October 10, 2019

6:30 AM +Dr. Peter Roberts

8:30 AM Int. Sandy Cobb

Friday, October 11, 2019

6:30 AM Prayer Service

8:30 AM +PJ White

Saturday, October 12, 2019

8:30 AM +Dawn O'Reilly

5:00 PM +Morgan Moroni

Sunday, October 13, 2019

7:30 AM +Gavino Say

9:00 AM For the Parishioners

11:30 AM +Joyce Bastasch

5:00 PM +Bob Barta

Life Kids Beginners

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

Life Kids

Sundays 10:20 to 11:15 AM
Preschool—5th Grade

Where children are inspired with prayer, song,
and faith-filled learning

www.ollparish.com/life-kids

For more information about Children's Ministry,
contact Mary at maryb@ollparish.com or call
the parish office.

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EDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Join us for EDGE Middle School group on Sundays,
10:15 to 11:15 AM in the Parish Center, Jerusalem Room.



LIFE TEEN & CONFIRMATION

This weekend

KICKOFF

for Life Teen and Confirmation.
Sunday, October 6 from 6:15 to 8:30 PM in the Church.

OLL School: Seventh Grade

Seventh grade students are starting off the school year with the excitement of learning new things and building friendships with each other. In social studies, students completed and created their personal Life Islands that illustrated important events in their life. Our one to one middle school chromebook instruction continues to engage students learning with access to additional learning resources, and creating digital projects. Being a big buddy to our first graders continues to be a favorite time for seventh grade students. Whether that be taking them to weekly mass, helping them engage in academic activities, or just mentoring them.



CYO Sports at Our Lady of the Lake

Basketball 2019-2020

Boys and Girls in 3rd-8th Grades
Season runs from
November-March



Winter Hotshots 2019-2020

Co-Ed for 1st & 2nd Grades
Season runs December-February 22

Register Now!

Registration ends November 10
For more information and to register,
visit www.cyocamphoward.org

Contact OLL CYO Athletic Director, Cathy Foy, with
questions at ollcyosports@gmail.com

Join a Small Group or Start Your Own!



Join an existing small group or begin a new one based on neighborhood, life stage, or gender! We have groups meeting in West Linn, Tigard, Lake Oswego, and Canby. We have groups for Mom's dad's, women, men, and young adults.

Check out our Small Group directory at www.olpparish.com/small-groups and click on **Visit our Small Group Directory to Sign Up!**

Explore Your Faith



Midweek studies on the Bible, Church History, and Catholic Biblical Foundations. Classes are offered Monday-Thursday, in the morning or evening.. This season, attend a class on the Creed, Biblical Roots of the Catholic Faith, Church History, or the books of Matthew and Revelation.

Visit www.olpparish.com/bible-study to see what is being offered and to sign up.

Fall Day of Renewal with Bishop Peter Smith

**Saturday, October 19 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM
"Build Unity in the Power of the Holy Spirit"**

Bishop Peter Smith, a priest of the Portland Archdiocese since 2001, became auxiliary bishop in 2014. Among his archdiocesan duties he is Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia (essentially, the archbishop's chief of staff). He was formerly the archdiocesan Catholic Charismatic Renewal (CCR) liaison.

Bishop Peter is in the Brotherhood of the People of Praise, a Catholic religious community of lay and ordained celibate men which is part of the People of Praise a lay-based, ecumenical charismatic community.

Pope Francis named Bishop Peter to the International Service of Communion of CHARIS (Charismatic Renewal International Service), which the Pope inaugurated on Pentecost 2019 as a Vatican-based service providing pastoral support for the unity of all expressions of the CCR worldwide. In his new role, Bishop Peter has oversight of the English and French-speaking CCR in North America and the Caribbean.

Location is the Parish Hall at Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church.

Please bring your own lunch. Coffee, Tea and morning snacks provided. No registration fee. A free will offering will be taken during the day. Music by Dan Scott. Event contact number is (503) 913-6232.



Upcoming Retreats



If you have not yet attended an **ACTS Retreat**, now is your chance! **ACTS (Adoration, Community, Theology, Service) Retreats** are an opportunity to enter into a new or deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and your fellow parishioners. ACTS Retreats are four days (Thursday-Sunday).

Women: June 18-21, 2020

Men: Fall 2020 TBD



Two-by-Two Couples Retreat • November 15-17, 2019: Couples, join us on this *Sacred Path* retreat to reflect on your spiritual life as a couple and as an individual. Our hope is that you will be renewed in relationship and spirit as disciples.

For more information on Upcoming Retreats and to register, visit olpparish.com/retreats.

Women's Retreat • February 28-29, 2020: Women, join other women of the parish for two days of rest and reflection at Mary's Woods.

For more information and to register for a Retreat at OLL, visit www.olpparish.com/retreats

Christian in the World Lecture Series — Next Lecture: *Physics, Cosmology, & the Hidden Presence of God*

The Fall 2019 Lecture Series, "Interfacing Science and Religion" continues on **Saturday, October 12, 2019**, in the Mount Angel Abbey Library, St. Benedict, OR.

Register by phone by calling Mary Ann Amsberry at 503-769-3844 or on the day of the presentation at 8:45 AM.

Dr. Thomas Hosinski, C.S.C., Professor Emeritus, Department of Theology at the University of Portland, will speak on Physics, Cosmology and the Hidden Presence of God.

Cost for this and each of the three remaining sessions is \$15 (\$5 for students).

For more information, visit [www.mountangelabbey.org/citw](http://mountangelabbey.org/citw).

White Mass: Dinner & Talk • Saturday, October 19

The White Mass is at the Cathedral at 5:30 PM for members of the **Health-care Profession** and open to all. The Most Reverend Alexander K. Sample will be the celebrant and homilist.

Following the Mass, you are invited to dinner with Dr. Ashley K. Fernandes, MD, PhD, FAAP, at the MAC Club at 7:30 PM. **The Mass and dinner can be attended separately or as one event.**

To register for the dinner & talk: contact Paul Cieslak, MD at prcieslak@gmail.com. Dinner is \$95 (\$35 for students and residents).

Mount Angel Seminary Benefit Dinner • Sunday, November 3

Join the monks and seminaries for an evening filled with faith and hope!

Sunday, November 3 at the Oregon Convention Center. Reception begins at 4:00 PM and the Dinner & Program at 5:30 PM.

Table Sponsorships & Tickets Available at mountangelabey.org/sbd-pdx or 503-845-3030

3rd Annual Regina Caeli Academy Priest Talent Show Friday, November 8 at 6:30 PM

Join us for an evening of dinner, entertainment and auction excitement with our guest emcee, Mr. Tim Staples of Catholic Answers and a performance by Fr. John Kerns!

Doors open at 6:30 PM. Purchase your tickets at www.rcahybrid.org or contact Kathleen Campos at kcampos.por@rcahybrid.org. Full table of eight is discounted at \$10 off per ticket!

Help support Catholic homeschooling families and your local priests and seminarians - you never know what hidden talents will be revealed! The event is held at Aquinas Hall next to Holy Rosary Church in NE Portland.

Regina Caeli Academy is a university-style hybrid™ homeschool resource in the Catholic tradition located in Vancouver, WA and serves homeschooling families in Portland and SW Washington.

Wine & Cheese Fellowship Saturday, October 12

If you attend the Saturday Evening Mass at 5:00 PM at Our Lady of the Lake, please join your fellow parishioners for a friendly gathering right after Mass in the Parish Hall. This month we get together Saturday, October 12 at 6:00 PM. We will enjoy some wine, cheese and other light fare. This is a great opportunity to meet and spend time with some great people in a relaxed atmosphere. Feel free to bring a snack to share!



Knights of Columbus Breakfast



Next Sunday - October 13

7:30 to 11:00 AM.

**Quiche * Scrambled Eggs * Bacon & Sausage
Biscuits & Gravy * French Toast & Pancakes**

**Strawberry or Blueberry toppings, Whipped cream,
Orange Juice & Starbucks Coffee**

Adults \$9.00 – Family \$22.00

**Kids age 7 to 12 - \$5.00 & Under age 7 Free
Proceeds Go to Charity**



Family Pumpkin Carving

Saturday, October 26

6:00 PM to 8:00 PM

OLL Parish Hall

*Event is sponsored by
OLL Knights of Columbus.
Food is provided.*



**Carve pumpkins and
socialize without having
to clean up!**

**Bring your own
pumpkins and
carving tools**

**All are welcome:
families, teens, adults!**

Visit ollparish.com/events for more information and to download waiver (*all participants under 18 must have a waiver*).

Thanks to the 25 parishioners that joined us on our Street Ministry to the homeless and Union Gospel Mission's Operation Overcoat on Saturday, September 28

Street Ministry to the Homeless - Join us October 26, November 23, & December 28 - Come share the love of Jesus on the street.

Compassion Connect Taste of Portland - October 18 – Learn more about Compassion Connect service opportunities? Reach out to Michael Backus for a ticket to this free interactive event featuring live music, appetizers and more.

Mercy Teams - Winter Clothing & Blanket Drive for the Homeless – Our friends on the street will thank you!

Sign up for these projects - olpparish.com/mercy-teams



Communion to the Homebound

Our Lady of the Lake provides a ministry to bring communion to the homebound.

If you know of anyone who would benefit from this ministry, call the Parish Office at 503-636-7687 or email communionministry@olministry.com.

"Threads of Comfort" OLL Prayer Shawl Ministry

Join us in knitting/crocheting! We enjoy novice and experienced hands. Join us the first Saturday of each month in the Parish Hall, Carpet Area from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM. The ministry is an informal group who share tricks, designs, personal stories and prayers. We can start you out. Visit www.olpparish.com/prayer-shawl for more information.



L'Arche Portland has had two Southeast homes where adults with intellectual disabilities share life with adults who do not experience disability for many years. Now they are in the process of opening a new home on the Westside to create space for more community living.

Join L'Arche Portland for monthly potluck dinners (next October 10) and community celebrations at Holy Trinity in Beaverton! This is an exciting opportunity to build relationships and establish a community of belonging on the Westside as we prepare our newest L'Arche Portland home there. Open your hearts to friends with and without intellectual disabilities, discover a community of inclusion, and engage in activities and discussions that feed our spirits.

If you would like to bring a dish to the potluck, we would greatly appreciate it! Dessert will be provided by a designated volunteer, so please only bring appetizers or other dishes.

What: L'Arche@Westside

When: Second Thursdays, 6-8 PM

Where: Holy Trinity Catholic Church's Fireside Room

If you would like to help L'Arche Portland fill their new home in Beaverton with essential items for community living, please check out their wish list. Use this link and click on "Donate an Item From Our Registry" www.larche-portland.org/anewhome.html

Upcoming Events in the Archdiocese

9/25-11/3 40 Days for Life: Join others for 40 Days for Life - 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Lovejoy Surgicenter at 933 NW 25th Ave in Portland. If you'd like more information - and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help - please contact Julie McConnell at 40dayswithjulie@gmail.com or go to 40daysforlife.com/portland. To go on Wednesdays with other OLL parishioners, call Sally at 503-793-8307.

10/6 Respect Life Sunday

10/6 Human Trafficking Silent Prayer Vigil: St. Andre Bessette Catholic Church, 601 West Burnside St, Portland. 11:15-11:45 AM. Join us to pray for victims and an end to human trafficking.

10/13 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 (7960 Se 15th Ave, Portland) on October 13 at 12:00 PM.