



OUR LADY OF THE LAKE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Love God. Love Others. Make Disciples of Jesus Christ.

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
JULY 24, 2022

Ask and You Will Receive

"And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened."

Luke 11: 9-11

Have you experienced the power of intercessory prayer? Have you asked God in prayer for resolution to a difficult situation in your life, or for understanding as you faced a complex decision, or for healing from a mental or physical illness? Most likely, we have all heard or graciously experienced miracle stories of prayers being answered as well as known times when our prayers seemed to go unanswered. Though we cannot always know the outcome of prayer, Jesus assures the disciples in this week's Gospel passage to ask, seek, and knock in prayer for: *"how much more will the Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?"* Notice that what is *always* given is the Holy Spirit. God accompanies us in all things great and small.

Jesus at Prayer

St. Luke, throughout his Gospel account, describes Jesus praying at all the important moments of his life. Jesus demonstrates for us the intimacy of prayer with his Father at his baptism; before the choice of his disciples; through temptations in the desert; at the Transfiguration with Peter, James, and John; and, most memorably, in the garden before his passion and death. In this passage, Jesus reminds the disciples to pray *each day* for our "daily bread" knowing and affirming our dependence upon God. St. Luke's emphasis on



"each day" stresses that our prayer must be persistent and continual, reflecting deep relationship with our heavenly Father.

In our first reading from the Book of Genesis, Abraham demonstrates the power of persistent prayer as he petitions God for mercy upon the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah. Abraham insistently "bargains" with God to spare the city for the sake of the innocent, and God relents. Psalm 138 is our response to these readings as we declare: *"Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me."* Our Gospel antiphon reminds us of the intimacy of calling God, our "Abba"—adopted sons and daughters.

Pray ALL-ways

St Paul reminds the early community at Colossae that, through our baptism, we have been united in

Christ and through Christ's death and resurrection. The sacrifice of Christ on the Cross is the complete expression of obedience to the Father, which restores our loving relationship to the Father. This week, as we hear Jesus teach the disciples "the Our Father," let's recommit ourselves to offering this daily prayer of intimacy and relationship with our "Abba" and find other regular prayer practices to deepen that bond. Moms and dads: summer is a great time to teach your children these foundational prayers and to pray them as a family.

- Tom Tomaszek, Pastoral Associate

THIS WEEK

Saturday, July 23

7:00am Mercy Teams Street Ministry
8:30am Mass
9:15am Reconciliation
12:00pm Helene Bradley Funeral
5:00pm Mass

Sunday, July 24

7:30am Mass
9:00am Mass
11:00am Mass

Monday, July 25

8:30am Mass
10:00am Centering Prayer
11:00am Colonel Bob Bonthius Funeral
7:00pm Boy Scout Meeting - PH:Carp.

Tuesday, July 26

8:30am Mass
6:00pm Mass
7:00pm Admin. Council
7:00pm Capernaum Young Life - PH:Carp.

Wednesday, July 27

6:30am Mass
7:00am Exodus 90 Group
8:30am Mass
11:00am Charismatic Prayer Group - PC:Lib.
7:00pm Small Church Community

Thursday, July 28

6:30am Mass
8:30am Mass
4:45pm Alcoholics Anonymous - PC:Lib.
7:00pm Alcoholics Anonymous - PH:Front

Friday, July 29

8:30am Mass
5:00pm Wedding Rehearsal
8:00pm Alcoholics Anonymous - PH:Carp.

Saturday, July 30

8:30am Mass
9:15am Reconciliation
1:30pm Kizito/Madu Wedding
5:00pm Mass

Sunday, July 31

7:30am Mass
9:00am Mass
11:00am Mass

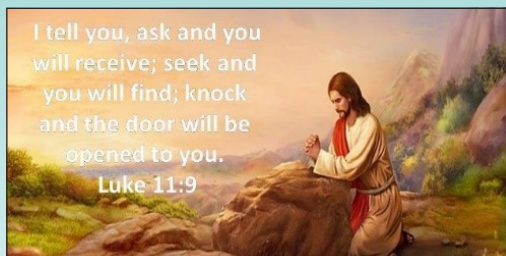
ABBREVIATIONS KEY

CH - Church; PH - Parish Hall: Front/Mid/
Carpet; PC - Parish Center: Parish Office,
Nazareth, Bethlehem & Jerusalem Rms.,
Parish Library; SCH - School: Multipurpose
Rm., Gym; Off Campus

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

SUPPORTING AND INSPIRING FAMILIES
TO GROW IN THEIR CATHOLIC FAITH.

Since faith begins at home, we encourage families to eat, pray, and live their faith together. That is why we provide online lessons for parents to share with their children at home.



Jesus Teaches Us How to Pray

Jesus prayed often. He wanted his followers to pray often too, so he taught them the prayer in today's Bible

reading. It is called "The Lord's Prayer" or "Our Father." When we say this prayer, we are talking directly to God our Father, just what Jesus taught his followers 2000 years ago.

Check out the ["Faith In The Home"](#) section on our website for more faith activities for children.



Dan Ferebee Memorial Summer Food Drive July 15 - September 4

Thank you all for your participation in our **Summer Food Drive!** You are helping

families feed their children over the summer while school is out. We have named this food drive after Dan Ferebee in honor of all the years he worked so hard to make our food drives a success. Let's make this one a success!



Most needed food items this week:

- **Peanut butter and jelly (plastic containers)**
- **canned tuna or chicken**
- **chili**
- **baked beans**

And what are we doing if not doing God's will?

-St. Vincent De Paul

Prayer Shawl Retreat and Ministry

On Saturday, July 16, Our Lady of the Lake's Prayer Shawl Ministry, "Threads of Comfort," hosted a retreat for their members involved here at OLL as well as attendees from other parish's prayer shawl outreach. Fr. Gregg Bronsema (former OLL Parochial Vicar) was the retreat's spiritual director and offered an inspirational talk as part of the program. Fr. John was also in attendance and Karl Hein, our Choral Director, assisted with Morning Prayer and music during the retreat.

Michelle Mosgrove coordinated the successful retreat planning, which involved many other members of our local group as hosts. Michelle reports that the retreat was enthusiastically received and shared a few comments from participants. One woman said, "This is what



a retreat is supposed to be." Another wrote she had attended the retreat "just to keep her daughter company and didn't realize how moved she would be. Fr. Gregg Bronsema was so endearing and heartfelt—his talk was just on target." **The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets the first Saturday of each month from 10am-12pm in the parish hall carpeted area** to knit prayer shawls and pray for grieving families who have experienced the loss of a loved one, or those confronting serious illness or need of prayer. They also produce the mini-prayer cloths that can be found in the church narthex. You can find out more about the ministry on our parish website: ollparish.com/parish-life/pastoral-care or by calling the parish office and requesting a group member to contact you.

Sign Up for Sunday After-Mass Hospitality

After Mass "Coffee and Donuts" is a great way for new and returning parishioners to extend the celebration of Mass each week. We still need a few more helpers each month for Sunday After-Mass Hospitality. The schedule is posted at our **Sign Up Genius** sheet—easily found on our homepage slider at ollparish.com. Consider how you might offer your time for Sunday Hospitality.



FORMED® PICK OF THE WEEK

July 24, 2022

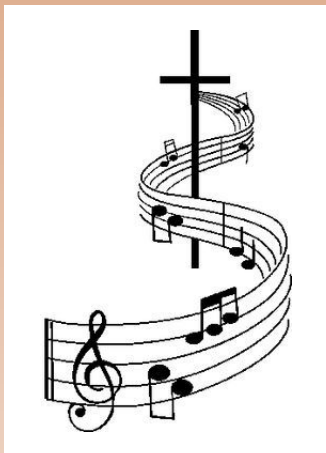
SAINT IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA: SOLDIER FOR CHRIST



At the end of this week, we celebrate the feast of St. Ignatius of Loyola, the "Soldier for Christ." While Martin Luther's interior troubles plunged Europe into a maelstrom of controversy, Ignatius of Loyola set out on an extraordinary interior pilgrimage of grace. Taught directly by God, Ignatius offered the Church a new spirituality of devoted service to Christ and founded a religious order dedicated to evangelization, the Jesuits.

To set up your free account visit formed.org/signup and select our parish.

OLL Summer Choir Welcomes You!



Between now and Labor Day, the choir welcomes you to come sing with us for our Saturday vigil Mass—all skill levels welcome! We meet at 4pm Saturday evening in the carpeted area of the parish hall to rehearse for the 5pm Mass; no advance

notice is necessary, so feel free to drop in. This is a great opportunity to check out our ministry, and your commitment is just for that day, so why not polish off those vocal cords and give it a try? Minors are also welcome with a parent present, so bring your kids! Music will be provided, and our dress code is simply clean, modest, and presentable. We look forward to making music with you!



Summer Playgroup

**Wednesday Mornings after the
8:30am Mass - Begins July 27**

Want to meet other new moms in our OLL community? Moms with babies and young children are welcome to come to a new playgroup that will meet each week on the OLL Playground. It is a great opportunity for moms and children to meet one another. If interested, please contact Patricia at mackie.patricia@gmail.com



First Friday Eucharistic Adoration

Join us in prayer before the exposed Blessed Sacrament, **Friday, August 5, 9:30am-12:30pm**. The Blessed Sacrament will be reposed at 12:30pm, as there will be a wedding rehearsal later that afternoon. **Please sign up at** tinyurl.com/fridayadoration

Upcoming Men's and Women's



RETREATS

ACTS stands for Adoration, Community, Theology, and Service. Join us to revitalize your faith life, spend time with our Lord, and bond with your sisters and brothers in Christ. Come and experience three days of joy, prayer, authenticity, and holy friendship. These retreats will take place at the Father Bernard Youth Center in Mt. Angel.

Men's ACTS Retreat October 6-9, 2022

**REGISTER NOW
ON OUR WEBSITE
OR SCAN HERE →**



SAVE THE DATE

Women's ACTS Retreat April 27-30, 2023

**Find current information on all
upcoming ACTS and other parish
retreats at ollparish.com/retreats**

Socks for Souls



The Parish Health Ministry, in collaboration with Mercy Teams, is asking for socks, socks

and more socks. Shelters' sock surplus is dwindling. Please consider dropping socks off when you come to church. Just remember that without socks the homeless are at a higher risk for disease and exposure to the cold and wet weather. Drop your socks off in a socks box at the main entrance of the church in the Narthex or in the socks box at the Parish Hall entrance. Please bring new socks only. White crew socks are preferred for men, women and children. Help us warm the souls of those in most need.

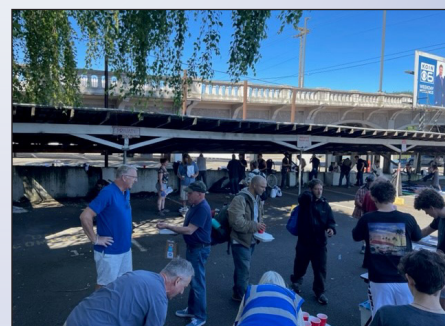


Meals of Mercy Semi-Monthly Drive-Thru Drop-Off

Our next donation drop-off date is **Sunday, July 31 from 8:30-10:45am** Location: Our Lady of The Lake School, between the school and sport field. Thank you for your generosity! Visit ollparish.com/serve-others to sign up for Mercy Teams email updates, make a sack lunch pledge, or sign up for 4th Saturday Street Ministry. Thank you all!

Street Ministry to the Unsheltered

Every fourth Saturday we share food, love, clothing and so much more. Meet in the parish hall at 7:15am, prep a hot breakfast, make sack lunches, and serve a hot breakfast to unsheltered guests on the streets. Contact Michael Backus (mercyteams@ollministry.com) with questions. Find the sign up links at ollparish.com/serve-others and click on Mercy Teams. Next day of Street Ministry to the Unsheltered: **Saturday, Aug. 27.**



Adult Formation Opportunity

The Archdiocese of Portland's **Institute for Catholic Life & Leadership** offers a two-year Foundational Certificate in Theology and Pastoral Ministry with an emphasis on the four pillars of formation: spiritual, intellectual, pastoral and human. A new "year one" cohort will begin this fall at Mt. Angel. Contact Rolando at rmoreno@archdpdx.org for more information.



Adult Ed Workshops

Through its partnership with the Archdiocese of Portland, **Franciscan University's Catechetical Institute** offers many theology and catechetics workshops and resources free to parishes across the archdiocese, including OLL. To view more information, visit franciscanathome.com/portland-oregon. For questions, email Rolando at rmoreno@archdpdx.org.

Marian Retreat

"True Devotion to Mary: Mary Revealed in the Old and New Testaments" with Br. Louis de Montfort Nguyen, O.S.B. will be held **August 12-14** at Mount Angel Abbey. A spiritual and contemplative journey into Marian devotion, touching on the teachings of St. Louis de Montfort Grignon and unpacking the richness of Mary as found in the Bible. For more information, email retreat@mtangel.edu. Also visit mtangelabbey.org > Guesthouse > Retreat Calendar.

RESPECT FOR LIFE

USCCB National NFP Awareness Week July 24-30

Natural Family Planning (NFP) is the general title for the scientific, natural and moral methods of family planning that can help married couples either achieve or postpone pregnancies. The dates of National Natural Family Planning Awareness Week highlight the anniversary of the papal encyclical *Humanae Vitae* (July 25), which articulates Catholic beliefs about human sexuality, married love, and responsible parenthood. The dates also mark the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne (July 26), the parents of the Blessed Mother. Couples' stories, sample intercessions, homily notes, graphics, and more can be found online at www.USCCB.org/NFP

Feast of Sts. Joachim and Anne: July 26

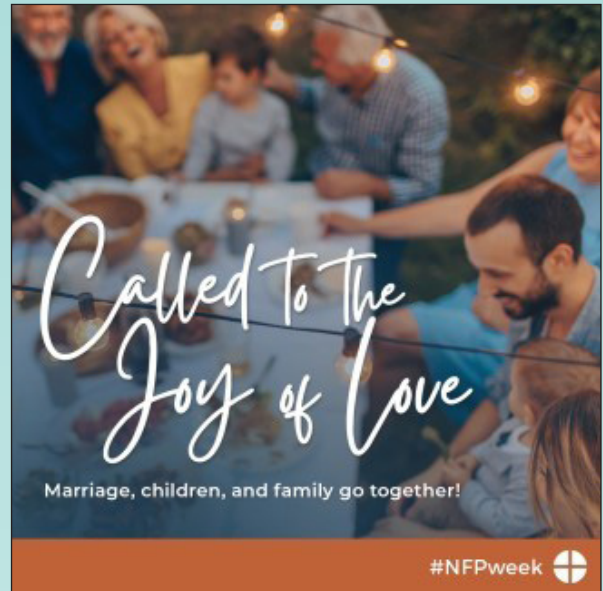
The Feast of Saints Anne and Joachim, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary, is celebrated on July 26. They are powerful intercessors for all married couples, expectant mothers, and married couples who are having difficulty conceiving, as well as those who are aging. www.usccb.org

We are blessed to have a local resource for NFP. Contact **Holy Family Catholic Clinic** at 503-994-4353 or go to their webpage at www.holyfamilyclinic.com. *HFCC provides life-affirming healthcare, respecting the dignity of each person: mind, body, and spirit.*

Adoption is worth considering. **Choice Adoptions** is located at 12901 SE 97th Avenue, Suite 150, Clackamas; online at choiceadoptions.org. Contact Tara O'Flynn at 502-232-1211.

To help pregnant moms in our own community, please go to: <https://www.ollparish.com/serve/love-others/> and click "**pregnancy resources.**"

If you are suffering from the effects of abortion, you can experience healing at a Rachel's Vineyard healing weekend sponsored by Project Aurora. www.project-aurora.org. If you are in crisis (whether as a survivor or as a woman or man who has been impacted by abortion) and need to talk to someone right now, call the 24-hr national helpline for abortion recovery, toll-free, at 1-866-482-5433.



OFFERTORY

THIS YEAR:

June 2022: \$110,110

Year to Date: \$1,579,578

BUDGET:

Year to Date: \$1,660,197

LAST YEAR:

June 2021: \$136,689

Year to Date: \$1,425,057

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:

Holy Father/Peter's Pence:
\$3,093



Checks Payable To:

As a friendly reminder, please make checks payable to **Our Lady of the Lake**. If you'd like to

specify a particular ministry or program, please note this in the memo line of your check.

We're on Social Media!

Like and follow our accounts:



@OLLCatholicChurch



@OLLCatholicChurch



@OLLLakeOswego



Our Lady of the Lake
Catholic Church

Miss a Homily?

Our homilies are available anytime to watch on YouTube or listen to online. Visit ollparish.com/homily for more.

Parish Office Hours

Mon.-Fri. 9am-4:30pm
Located on the 2nd floor
of the Parish Center.

Phone: 503-636-7687

Weekend Mass

Schedule

Sat. 5:00pm
Sun. 7:30am, 9am, 11am

Daily Mass Schedule

Mon.-Sat. - 8:30am
Tues. - 6:00pm
Wed. & Thurs. 6:30am

Church Open Hours

For quiet prayer
Mon. - Fri.
9:30am - 4:30pm

Church Location

790 A Avenue
Lake Oswego, OR 97034

Mailing Address

650 A Avenue
Lake Oswego, OR 97034

Reconciliation

Saturday 9:15 - 10:30am
and by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

First Fridays 9:15am-8pm

Baptism, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick

Contact the office

Bulletin Insert Deadline

Thursday at 12pm
(1 ½ weeks before)
Email information to
annb@ollparish.com.

Mass Intentions

July 23-31, 2022

Saturday, July 23

8:30 am † Dr. Fahmi Jazrawi
5:00 pm † Angela Bonnington

Sunday, July 24

7:30 am Int. For the Parishioners
9:00 am † Raymond Vesbach
11:00am † Pius & Veronica Chow

Monday, July 25

8:30 am † Maura Philips

Tuesday, July 26

8:30 am † Mary Buck
6:00 pm † Patricia Corder

Wednesday, July 27

6:30 am † Bob Dunne and the intention
for his family
8:30 am † Joseph Dylag Sr.

Thursday, July 28

6:30 am Int. Michael Raounas (Living)
8:30 am † Sergio Cunanan

Friday, July 29

8:30 am Int. Elizabeth Thiede

Saturday, July 30

8:30 am † David Theroux
5:00 pm † Alex Stebbins

Sunday, July 31

7:30 am Int. For the Parishioners
9:00 am Int. Jovin D'Costa (Living)
11:00am † Tyler Eckle

To view the Mass Intentions Calendar or request an
intention online, visit ollparish.com/intentions.

OLL PARISH STAFF

Phone: 503-636-7687 | Fax: 503-636-9415

Email: office@ollparish.com

Website: ollparish.com

Fr. John W. Kerns

Pastor
frjohn@ollparish.com



Tom Tomaszek

Pastoral Associate &
Dir. Music & Liturgy
tomt@ollparish.com

Dcn. Kevin Welch

deaconkevin@ollparish.com



Mary Brunette

Dir. Family
Faith Formation
maryb@ollparish.com

Laura Patton

Dir. Adult Faith
Formation
laurap@ollparish.com



Agnes Zueger

Coordinator of
Music & Liturgy
agnes@ollparish.com

Luke Brooks

Dir. Youth Ministry
lukeb@ollparish.com



Kristen Young

Business Manager
kristeny@ollparish.com

Karl Hein

Choral Director
karlh@ollparish.com



Georgeann Boras

Admin. Assistant
georgeannb@ollparish.com

Ann Barba

Admin. Assistant
annb@ollparish.com



Marsha Casillas

Bookkeeper
marshac@ollparish.com

Allison Moen

Admin. Assistant
allisonm@ollparish.com



Kimi Tomaszek

Sacred Heart
Cemetery Coord.
cemetery@ollparish.com

Bamba Figueroa

Facilities Coord.
bambaf@ollparish.com



Brenda Freeman

Funeral & Wedding
Coordinator
brendaf@ollparish.com

OLL CATHOLIC SCHOOL

503-636-2121 | office@oll.school | oll.school

Corrine Buich, Principal
cbuich@ollstaff.org

Matt Gregor, Vice Principal
mgregor@ollstaff.org

Kim Heinrich, Admin. Assistant
kheinrich@ollstaff.org

