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ORDINARY TIME
JANUARY 28, 2024

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

Catholic Schools Week

Jesus said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men."

Mark 1:17

he week of January 28th through February 2nd is National Catholic Schools Week. This year's theme is "United in faith and community," and each day will have special events to celebrate.

The week starts with Mass on Sunday the 28th. Students who wear their school uniform to Mass will be awarded an exciting "Free Dress Pass" as a thank you for representing the school. Students with Free Dress Passes are allowed to attend school in non-uniform clothes for a day!

Monday's special focus is on celebrating the parish. The school is so well-supported by

the parish and it's blessed to be a part of its wider community. To start the day, the entire school will gather for a prayer service where all students will perform a song and cheer for the parish staff. For those who are not able to attend, a video will be shared so that our hard working parish

staff understands how grateful we are for them.



Catholic Schools

United in Faith and Community



Tuesday is "Day of the Student." On this day, teachers plan a special treat, game, or activity that shows students how special they are. Students also are allowed to wear sports-related free dress as a thank you from the school.

Wednesday's theme is on celebrating family. Teachers in all grades will take time to reflect and appreciate the blessings of family with their students. Kids will write thank you letters to their parents for blessing them with a Catholic school education.

On Thursday the school is inviting all parents, grandparents, and special family

friends to celebrate Mass with our community.

After Mass, students will meet in their "family groups" to complete a special community-building activity.

To round out the week on Friday, all Catholic school teachers and staff are scheduled for an Archdiocesan faith-formation training and day

of reflection.





THIS WEEK

Saturday, January 27

7:00am Mercy Teams Street Ministry - PH 7:00am DOGS Men's Group - Naz. 8:00am CYO Basketball Games - Gym

8:30am Mass

9:15am Reconciliation

11:30am Funeral Mass for Tricia Coveny,

followed by luncheon

3:00pm St. Vincent de Paul - Beth.

4:00pm Choir Practice

5:00pm Mass

Sunday, January 28

7:30am Mass

8:00am Music Ensemble Rehearsal - PH:Carp

8:30am Hospitality After Mass - PH 9:00am Mass

9:15am Children's Liturgy of the Word -

PH:Carp

10:15am Middle School Ministry -Naz.

11:15am Mass

12:30pm High School Ministry - Parish Center

7:00pm Recovery in Motion AA - Naz.

Monday, January 29

8:30am Mass

9:30am Bible Timeline - PH

10:00am Awakening Faith - Parish Library

10:00am Centering Prayer - Naz.

4:00pm CYO Basketball Practice - Gym

7:00pm Men's God Shots Recovery Grp. - Naz.

7:00pm Boy Scout Mtg. - PH:Carp

Tuesday, January 30

8:30am Mass

2:00pm Liturgy Staff - Beth. 4:00pm CYO Basketball - Gym

4:30pm ACTS Women Retreat Team - Naz.

6:00pm Mass

7:00pm Admin. Council

7:00pm Awakening Faith - Parish Library

Wednesday, January 31

6:30am Mass

7:00am Exodus 90 - Beth.

8:30am Mass

9:30am Vatican II - Naz.

9:30am Parish Leadership Staff Mtg. - Beth. 11:00am Charismatic Prayer Group - Lib.

4:00pm CYO Basketball Practice - Gym 5:00pm Magnify 90 - Parish Library

6:30pm OCIA - Lib.

6:30pm OLL Choir Rehearsal - PH:Carp

6:30pm Vatican II - Beth.

Thursday, February 1

6:30am Mass 8:30am Mass

9:00am Walking with Purpose - Naz. 10:00am Faith Formation Mtg. - Beth.

4:00pm CYO Basketball Practice - Gym

4:45pm AA Consults - Lib.

5:30pm AA CIR Women's God Shots - Lib.

6:30pm Walking with Purpose - PH:Carp.

7:00pm Catholic Social Justice - Beth.

7:00pm AA OMAR Meeting - Naz.

7:00pm Exodus 90 - Parish Lib.

Friday, February 2

8:30am Mass

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9:30am First Friday Eucharistic Adoration 4:00pm CYO Basketball Practice - Gym

8:00pm AA 4th Dimension Meeting - Naz.

Saturday, February 3

7:00am DOGS Men's Group - Naz. 8:00am CYO Basketball Games - Gym

8:30am Mass

9:15am Reconciliation

10:00am Prayer Shawl Ministry

4:00pm Choir Practice

5:00pm Mass

Sunday, February 4

7:30am Mass

8:00am Music Ensemble Rehearsal - PH:Carp

8:30am Hospitality After Mass - PH

9:00am Mass

9:15am Children's Liturgy of the Word - PH:Carp

10:15am Middle School Ministry -Naz.

11:15am Mass

12:15pm Confirmation Session

1:30pm Retrouvaille

7:00pm Recovery in Motion AA - Naz.

ABBREVIATIONS KEY:

Naz. - Nazareth Room N.J. - New Jerusalem Beth. - Bethlehem Room Lib. - Parish Library

PH - Parish Hall (Sections: Front,

Middle, Carpet) Sch. - School Kit. - Kitchen

Ash Wednesday February 14

Masses at 6:30am, 8:30am, 12pm & 6pm.



Support Catholic Education



Catholic Schools

January 28 through Feb. 3 is Catholic Schools Week. You will find an envelope for **Tuition Assistance** in your envelope packets for the months of January and June. You can also find these envelopes at the entrances of the church. By focusing on faith, knowledge, and service, Catholic schools prepare children to

use their God-given talents to the fullest later in life. Please join us in supporting our Tuition Assistance Fund to benefit Our Lady of the Lake School children.

JANUARY 28, 2024

CHILD & FAMILY FAITH FORMATION



Nursery Open Today

Children from 6 months–3 years are welcome to visit the Nursery during the 9am and 11:15am Masses. No registration required; visiting families are welcome. Please visit us in the OLL School building

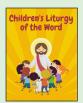
(AKA the Parish Center). Contact Krista Bryant at kristab@ollparish.com for more information.



Life Kids, Middle School & First Sacrament Classes in Session Today

Please join us from 10:15–11:00am. Contact Krista Bryant (Life Kids) at

kristab@ollparish.com, Luke Brooks (Middle School) at lukeb@ollparish.com and Melissa Hanifan (First Sacraments) at melissah@ollparish.com for more information.



Children's Liturgy of the Word

This program is available this Sunday during the 9am Mass. Children sing songs, pray together, and learn the gospel. Please contact Melissa Hanifan at melissah@ollparish.com for more information.

THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL

Jesus Heals a Man with Unclean Spirit



In this gospel reading we learn that Jesus astonished and amazed the people who witnessed his healing and teaching. News rapidly spread throughout all of Galilee be-

cause of Jesus' compelling words and actions. Even today, 2000 years later, Jesus' message continues to spread. Each of us are called to participate in sharing the Good News of Jesus with others in our words and actions. How do we do this? In the simple everyday opportunities, hold the door open for someone, smile at a person, speak kind words and forgive others.

UPCOMING FAMILY FAITH EVENTS

1/28 Life Kids & First Sacrament Classes Resume

2/11 Family Lenten Event 10-11am

3/31 Easter Sunday- Family Easter Egg Hunt

5/12 End of the Year Celebration 10-11am



First Friday Eucharistic Adoration

Join us in prayer before the exposed Blessed Sacrament, **Friday, February 2** beginning after morning Mass at 9:15am and concluding with a Holy Hour and Benediction, 7-8pm. Sign up here

Beautiful Eucharist Books Still Available



Parishioners have been enjoying Beautiful Eucharist, a stunning collection of reflections about Jesus truly present in the Eucharist and wonderfully present in our lives. Nothing will transform your life quite like a personal encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist. Copies are available in the

narthex as an invitation to encounter Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. Take one for you and a friend!



family Lenten Event

February 11th 2024 10-11am Parish Hall

Enjoy family
friendly crafts &
activities to prepare
for the Lenten
Season

More information at ollparish.com/family

Retreats with Dina Marie Hale



For details visit dinamarie.org.
Sat. March 2, 9:30-llam Lenten
Day of Recollection at St. Jude
Catholic Church in Eugene. The
theme is: "Behold the Lamb of
God." Doors open at 9am and a
free will offering is appreciated.

Wed. March 6, 7-9pm - Lenten Twilight Talk at Our Lady of Peace Retreat House in Beaverton. The theme is: "Behold the Lamb of God." Enhance your Lenten journey in preparation for Holy Week. Doors open at 6:30pm; a free will offering is appreciated.

Fri. March 15, 9:30am-1:30pm - Lenten Day Retreat in The Grotto Conference Center. The retreat theme is "Behold the Lamb of God" and the day includes: two conferences, Holy Mass & Rosary, small group discussion, and an optional lunch. Reservations are requested by contacting Dina Marie at <u>dinamarie.org</u>.

Pray for World Peace: Five First Saturdays Devotion



The next First Saturday is **February 3, 2024**

"Whether the world has war or peace depends on the practice of this devotion, along with the consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. This is why I

desire its propagation so ardently, especially because this is also the will of our dear Mother in Heaven." -Sr. Lucia, Fatima visionary (March 19, 1939). firstsaturdaydevotion.com

On the First Saturday of the Month during 5 Consecutive Months, the Devotion consists of: (1) Going to Confession, (2) Receiving the Sacrament of Holy Communion, (3) Saying five decades of the Rosary, and (4) Meditating for 15 minutes on the mysteries of the Rosary. www.bluearmy.com/first-saturday-devotion/

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel." Deepen your communication, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on **February 16-18, 2024** in Beaverton, Oregon. To apply for YOUR WWME Experience or search other dates go to rediscoverthespark.org. For information about WWME call 503-704-0836 or by email at reservations@rediscoverthespark.org.

Women's Silent Retreat

March 1-3 with Fr. Eric Andersen

Location: Our Lady Of Peace Retreat In Beaverton Theme: "Lent, Laetare and Passiontide"



The retreat begins Friday with dinner at 6 pm and concludes after a late-morning Brunch on Sunday. To register, visit us online at www.olpretreat.org, phone the retreat house at 503-649-7127 or email us at sisters@olpretreat.org.

\$255 for the weekend; Commuter rates available.

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Come to Our Lady of Peace Retreat for the: ASH WEDNESDAY DAY RETREAT

Theme: "God's Love Story" according to Saint John the Apostle and Benedict XVI

Wed Feb 14, 2024 9am-2:30pm

Retreat Fee: \$50 includes lunch

To register: olpretreat.org or 503.649.7127





With retreat master Archbishop John G. Vlazny

hosted by the Franciscan Missionary Sisters of Our Lady of Sorrows 3600 SW 170th Ave., Beaverton, OR

Our Lady's Luncheon Tea and Silent Auction

In Honor of Our Lady of the Pillar
Saturday, February 3, 2024
at Our Lady of Peace Retreat House

All funds raised go toward the Retreat House HVAC Project (10 heating/ventilation and cooling units in retreat rooms)



Silent auction begins at 11am Luncheon Noon-2pm



Reservations Required - R.S.V.P. your seat today: Call: 503-649-7127 or register online: www.olpretreat.org



ACTS stands for Adoration, Community, Theology, and Service. Revitalize your faith life, spend time with our Lord, and bond with your brothers in Christ. Experience joy, prayer, authenticity, and holy friendship.

April 11–14, 2024 at Our Lady of Peace Retreat center in Beaverton.

SCAN TO REGISTER or visit <u>ollparish</u>. com/retreats





Sack Lunch Meals of Mercy

Our Adopt-a-Mission teams deliver an average of 1,200 sack lunches each week to eight missions. We collect sack lunches and sandwiches during our Drive-Thru Drop-Off held twice a month. Donate sack lunches containing granola bar, chips, Capri Sun fruit punch, apple sauce cup, or PB&J sandwiches. Visit the parish website for pledge sheets and details for the next Drop-Off on **February 11**.

4th Saturday Street Ministry to the Unsheltered

Every 4th Saturday we share love, socks, and clothing items, a hot breakfast and a sack lunch. Smoothies, water, and hygiene kits are handed out. This is a great hands-on service opportunity for all ages. Our guests look forward to the time we spend and the love we share. To sign up for **February 24th** Street Ministry, visit ollparish.com/serve-others and click on Mercy Teams.

Sock Donations: We welcome donations of new white socks during our drop-offs, or place them in Mercy Teams' space in the parish hall. For more info, contact Michael Backus at mercyteams@ ollministry.com or 503-708-9503.

RESPECT LIFE

'Thoroughly Surround Mothers in Need with Loving Support,' says Bishop Burbidge, Marking Anniversary of Roe v. Wade

January 16, 2024

WASHINGTON – Human life remains gravely threatened by legalized abortion in most states and it continues to be aggressively promoted at the federal level, said Bishop Michael F. Burbidge of Arlington, chairman of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops' Committee on Pro-Life Activities. Our prayers, sacrifices, and efforts to protect human life have never been more essential as we mark the anniversary of Roe v. Wade.

The Court overturned the Roe decision in 2022, marking a critical new phase in protecting human life. "We remain steadfast in our commitment to work for the legal protection of every human life from conception to natural death. This is a responsibility that we all must share – especially now when this very protection is being undermined," said Bishop Burbidge, referencing the proposed laws and ballot initiatives at the state level to enshrine abortion-on-demand.

"Each of us is called to radical solidarity with women facing an unexpected or challenging pregnancy," he said, and reminded all that the most immediate way to protect babies and mothers from abortion is to thoroughly surround mothers in need with loving support, 'walking with' them in their journey of motherhood. Read Bishop Burbidge's statement in its entirety at usccb.org/news.

Pregnancy Help: To help pregnant moms in our own community, please visit ollparish.com/love-others/#Respect-Life and click on "Pregnancy Services" or call Sharon at 503-313-3689.

Rachel's Vineyard: If you are suffering after abortion, experience a Rachel's Vineyard healing weekend Feb. 16–18 in Portland, sponsored by Project Aurora. Call or text Karen 541-350-812 or email info@project-aurora.org.for more information.

Stand for Life: Please consider praying at local abortion clinics Thursdays, Fridays or Saturdays. Call Sharon at 503-313-3689 for details.

Upcoming Events in the Archdiocese:

2/3 - St. Pius X Knights of Columbus Pro-Life Rosary: The Knights would like to invite you, your family, and friends to join every first Saturday of the month to honor our Blessed Mother Mary and seek her intercession by praying the Rosary to end

abortion, protect the unborn, uphold dignity of all human life from conception to natural death, and advance world peace and justice. Following the Rosary we will pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. St. Pius X is located at 1280 NW Saltzman Rd, Portland.



2/14 - 40 Days for Life begins at Lilith Abortion Center, 511 SW Washington Street, Portland. <u>www.</u> 40daysforlife.com/Portland.

2/17 - 40 Days for Life Opening Event with the Sisters of Life outside the Lilith late-term abortion center which is in the Portland Medical Building. Join us from 12–1:30pm.

3/2 - Oregon Right to Life Conference, *Together We Advocate*, at Rolling Hills Community Church, 3550 SW Borland Road, Tualatin from 8am to 5pm including lunch. To register, go to www.ortl.org.

Sign Up for Coffee & Doughnuts



After Mass Hospitality (coffee and doughnuts) is a great way for parishioners and visitors to extend the celebration of Mass each week. We could use more

helpers each month. The schedule is posted at our **Sign Up Genius** sheet—easily found on our homepage slider at <u>ollparish.com</u>.

Offertory December 2023

 Gross:
 \$329,768

 Transfer to Outreach:
 \$9,895

 Net:
 \$319,873

 Year to Date:
 \$950,537

 Budget Year to Date:
 \$918,669

 December 2022

Net: \$236,648 Year to Date: \$806,675

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Parish Office Hours

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

Phone: 503-636-7687

Weekend Mass Schedule

Sat. 5:00pm

Sun. 7:30am, 9am, 11:15am

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

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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 submissions to annb@ollparish.com.

Mass Intentions

January 27-February 4, 2024

Saturday, January 27

8:30am Int. Xavier & Zahng Gil-jah (Living)

5:00pm † Joshua Scott Edgerton

Sunday, January 28

7:30am Int. For the Parishioners

9.00am † Pius and Veronica Chow

11:15am Int. The Feltes Family (Living)

Monday, January 29

9:00am † Mike Higgins

Tuesday, January 30

8:30am Int. Fr. John Marshall (Happy Birthday) (Living)

6:00pm † Susie LaVelle

Wednesday, January 31

6:30am + Ronald E. Hill

8:30am † Joe Breimayer

Thursday, February 1

6:30am Int. Walter and Florence Weber (Living)

8:30am Zoltan Lehel +

Friday, February 2

8:30am Int. Cynthia Barr (Living)

Saturday, February 3

8:30am Ofelia Gonzalez Mendoza

5:00pm † Luis Mario Lopez

Sunday, February 4

7:30am Dave Fredericks

9:00am Pat Toohey

11:15am Int. For the Parishioners

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

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