



November 24, 2024  
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

## OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH

### MASS TIMES

**Thursday & Friday:** Mass at 9:00 am  
**Saturday:** Mass at 5:00 pm  
**First Saturday of the Month:** Mass at 9:00 am - Rosary will begin at 8:15 am  
**Sunday:** Masses 9:00 & 11:00 am

### SACRAMENTAL NEEDS

**Confessions:** 3:30-4:30 pm Saturdays  
8:30-9:00 am Fridays, or  
by appointment  
Adoration of the Blessed  
Sacrament is held every  
Friday at 10:00 am in the Church  
**Sacrament of the Sick:** Call the  
Parish Office

**Baptisms, Marriages, Funerals and Pastoral  
Care:** Call the Parish Office at 360-695-1366

### STAFF

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KING OF THE UNIVERSE

“Everyone who belongs to the truth  
listens to my voice.” - Jn 18:37

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### OUR MISSION

Encounter Christ by living our faith, serving the community,  
and supporting each other.

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Dear Friends in Christ,

It is hard to believe that we have come to the end of another liturgical year. The liturgical calendar will change to a new year on the first Sunday of Advent. On the last Sunday of the liturgical year, we celebrate Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. This is a lofty title. However, Jesus deserves it. After all, He is our Savior.

Jesus is God's presence amongst us. Jesus is the One that God the Father sent into the world to let His people know that God is truly with us. He is not just some mighty power in the heavens looking down upon His poor people. No, God wanted to be with us in the flesh, which is why Jesus came in the Incarnation. The whole liturgical calendar celebrates this fact.

The liturgical year starts with Advent, which is the preparation for the coming of the Lord. Many of the prophets of the Old Testament foretold that a Messiah would be coming. Advent anticipates His first coming, which happened almost two-thousand years ago, and Advent anticipates the second coming of Jesus at the end of time. As we prepare our hearts to celebrate Jesus' birth at Christmas, so we prepare our hearts to receive Jesus when He comes again.

Christmas celebrates the coming of our Savior in the flesh. God is now amongst His people. What joy those people must have felt at the birth of this holy child. They were the first to see God face to face. The Christmas season does not last long though. Jesus did not come into this world to remain as a child. He had an important mission. This is why the Christmas season ends with the Baptism of the Lord. This event inaugurates Jesus' public ministry.

Jesus' mission was to teach the people about the great love and mercy that God the Father has for His people. As Jesus said, "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him." (Jn 3:16-17)

The first part of Ordinary Time does not last too long as we enter the season of Lent. How are Lent and Easter calculated? Easter is on the first Sunday after the first full moon after the spring equinox. Once Easter is determined, one counts backward from that day to determine when Lent begins. Lent is a time of preparation for the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus. During Lent, we join Jesus on His journey to Jerusalem. It is a time of fasting and prayer to enter more fully into His sacrifice.

We celebrate Easter with such joy that it lasts for fifty days! Jesus has conquered sin and death and given us new life! The Easter season also celebrates the beginning of the Church. The spread of the Gospel to all nations. Easter ends with Pentecost, the gift of the Holy Spirit.

After the Easter season concludes, we are back in Ordinary Time. We continue with Jesus' public ministry which will eventually lead us to His predictions of the end of time. Our liturgical year concludes with Jesus as our King. All things will culminate in Him. The Preface for the Mass on this solemnity states: "For you anointed your Only Begotten Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, with the oil of gladness as eternal Priest and King of all creation, so that, by offering himself on the altar of the Cross as a spotless sacrifice to bring us peace, he might accomplish the mysteries of human redemption and, making all created things subject to his rule, he might present to the immensity of your majesty an eternal and universal kingdom, a kingdom of truth and life, a kingdom of holiness and grace, a kingdom of justice, love and peace."

This is the kind of King that we have. This is the kind of Kingdom that we should hope to live in forever. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, King of eternal glory!

All things in Christ,  
Fr. Tim Ilgen





SCHOOL NEWS



**SANTA'S POSSE NEEDS YOUR HELP!**  
 Santa's Posse, a partnership between the Clark County Sheriff's Office and the local community, needs our help to give over 4,000 children in our area a Christmas gift. Please consider bringing a new and unwrapped stuffed toy or animal to the alcove near the north door between November 18 - December 9. **THANK YOU!**



**IGIVECATHOLIC CAMPAIGN, DECEMBER 3RD.** Our families make significant sacrifices to pay tuition, and we are incredibly grateful for their dedication to the education of their children. However, tuition alone doesn't cover the full cost of educating each student. To bridge this gap, we rely on fundraising efforts like iGiveCatholic, an online fundraiser taking place on Giving Tuesday. Your support helps us in a variety of ways:

- Enhancing Education**
- Supporting Tuition Assistance**
- Improving Our Facilities**
- Strengthening Our Spiritual Mission**
- Building Community**

By contributing to iGiveCatholic, you are not just making a donation; you are investing in the future of our children, our school, and our community. Every gift, no matter the size, helps us achieve our goal of offering the best education possible while remaining true to our Catholic values. We are truly blessed by your support!

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- 11/25 Adore & More - 7-8:00 pm
- 11/25-29 Parish Office closed for Thanksgiving Holiday**
- 11/28 Thanksgiving Mass at 9:00 am**
- 12/2 Adore & More - 7-8:00 pm
- 12/7 First Saturday of the Month Mass at 9:00 am
- 12/8 Knights of Columbus Breakfast in the Gym
- 12/8 Altar Server Training 12:15 pm to 1:30 pm Church
- 12/9 Immaculate Conception Virgin Mary Mass at 9am**
- 12/12 Parish Lunch in the Gym 12-1:00 pm
- 12/12 Feast Day of Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe
- 12/16 Adore & More - 7-8:00 pm
- 12/17 Penance Service at St. Joseph Church at 6:00 pm
- 12/18 Simbang Gabi Mass at 6pm, followed by a Reception in the Gym**
- 12/23 Adore & More - 7-8:00 pm
- 12/24/24 - 1/5/25 Parish Office will be closed for the Christmas Holiday**
- 12/24 Christmas Eve Mass at 5:00 pm and 7:30 pm
- 12/25 Christmas Day Mass at 9:00 am
- 11/31 New Years Eve Mass at 7:00 pm
- 1/1/25 Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass at 9:00 am
- 1/1/25 NO Novena for Our Lady of Perpetual Help -6:00 pm**
- 1/4/25 First Saturday of the Month Mass



**STEWARDSHIP 2025**

We are grateful to the many parishioners who have returned a Stewardship of Treasure pledge to the parish. Your generosity directly supports the mission and the ministries of Our Lady of Lourdes. As people that are entrusted with so much, let us acknowledge with gratitude all we have been given. We thank you for your good stewardship and for your incredible support of our parish and our family of faith. If you are still discerning your pledge, please go to our website or scan the QR code to make your pledge.

Sermon on the Amount						
Last Weekend Received Nov, 16/17, 2024	November-Month to date	November-Monthly Budgeted	Month Difference	FY 24/25 Actual YTD	FY 24/25 Budgeted YTD	Year Difference
\$11,557.00	\$ 24,344.00	\$59,004.00	(\$34,660.00)	\$254,691.00	\$314,129.00	(\$59,438.00)
If you are not currently giving online or using EFT, (electronic transfer of funds), please consider this convenient and safe giving option! Look for online giving at: <a href="http://www.ollparish.org">www.ollparish.org</a> .						

## **ALTAR SERVER TRAINING**

Anyone interested in becoming an Altar Server, you are invited to attend the training session on Sunday, December 8<sup>th</sup> after the 11 am Mass. Requirements are that you are in the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and have received your 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion. Questions, contact John Scheissl at [johnjackie@comcast.net](mailto:johnjackie@comcast.net)

## **PENANCE SERVICE**

We wish to inform you the Parish Family 45 will be having one (1) Penance Service. This will take place on **Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm at St. Joseph's Catholic Church.**

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The parish has an immediate need for two volunteers willing to lead Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 11 a.m. Mass on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month. Volunteers will work together to lead a pre-planned lesson for 15 minutes during Mass and will be back in time to receive the Eucharist. Please discern if you can fill this need and contact Mary Hernandez in the Parish Office.

## **FALL WELCOME DINNER**

The Welcome Committee was honored to host our Fall Dinner for new Parishioners! We are very glad you have joined our community. It was great fun, a chance to visit and connect. We were also happy to honor our new Priests. Our Winter Welcome dinner for new Parishioners will be the last Saturday of January. Our Lady of Lourdes is excited you have joined us and feel free to reach out with any questions about the many opportunities here.

## **OLL PARISH & SCHOOL 2024 CHRISTMAS GIVING**

This year we offer two opportunities for Christmas Giving in support of the local conference of St. Vincent de Paul as well as Santa's Posse.

**St. Vincent de Paul:** We invite you to purchase gift cards for food, gas and laundry services in support of St. Vincent de Paul. You may drop off your gift cards in the weekend offertory or deliver to the parish office.

**Santa's Posse:** We invite you to purchase NEW stuffed animals in support of Santa's Posse and drop off in the alcove near the north door entrance to the Church. New and unwrapped stuffed animals may be dropped off beginning November 18<sup>th</sup> and through Monday, December 9<sup>th</sup>.

Families who reach out to Our Lady of Lourdes parish for holiday assistance this year will be directed to St. Vincent de Paul. We thank you in advance for your generosity.

## **SAVE-THE-DATE**

**January 25, 2025**, is the 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Archdiocese of Seattle Mass at the Proto-Cathedral St. James the Greater.



Kandy Thomas, Wayne & Carol Anderson, Elizabeth Vandeberg, Mary Lois Dam, Paul O'Neil, Jackie Stephens, Sharon Rollins, Mary Franck, Lucy Miller, Jim McClafferty, Brysen Tyler Kubat, Arlene Klobucnik, McKinsey Boyer, Ray Schmidt, David Beamguard, Adam & Anthony Morison, Lois Bourinskie, Lisa Bayautet, Matt Wood, Phillip Lundy, Marion Kanthak, Don Mattes, Gerald Kiely, Brady Gordon & Family, Josh Lingo, Dennis Meade, Sharon Telkamp, Regan Smith, Barbara Kilpatrick, Evelyn Allen and Family, Kathy Rawitzer, Donald Sorenson, Carol Fox, Rob Durgan, Andrew & Pamela Morison, Debra Gordon, Jack and Maggie Gordon, Lois Garwood, Klaras Ihnken, Jim Rubbelke, Dorothy Marks, Marie Della, William Flannery, Kevin Bruce, John Nye, Barbara Wills, Stephanie White, Deacon David Robinson, Kent Bjorklund, Victoria MacKenzie, Mark Stolberg, Jacob Abbinatti, Mary McDaniels, Leonard O'Donovan, Jesse J. O'Donovan, Clow Family, Debbie Durgan, Buford Pappan, Jesse Hayf and his dog Ruby, Geanna Smith, Cheryl Thomas, Wayne Harry, Diane Helley, Jim & Leslie Repman, Nora Repman, Deibert Family, Barry Repman, Joe and Arlene Klobucnik, Joanne Moore, Marlyne Wilkinson, Andrea Madison, Bob & Aida Leverman, Sister Andrea Nerves and all in need of our prayers. Call 360-695-1366 to add someone to the prayer list.

**Mass Intentions**

- Nov 21 Mass, 9:00 am Sister Andrea Nerves - Health
- Nov 22 Mass, 9:00 am
- Nov 23 Mass, 5:00 pm Diane Helley - Health
- Nov 24 Mass, 9:00 am Ryan Kuzma+
- Nov 24 Mass, 11:00 am Michelle Neth - Health  
Fred Neth Jr.+

**Weekday & Weekend Mass Schedule**

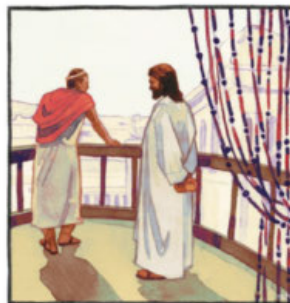
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**Confessions**

Fridays from 8:30-9:00 am  
 Saturdays from 3:30-4:30 pm, or by appointment

**Devotions**

Fridays Adoration from 10-11am in the Church  
 Adore & More on Mondays from 7-8pm in the Church



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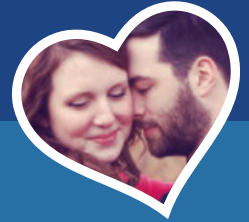
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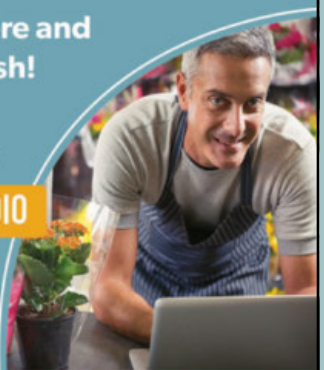
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