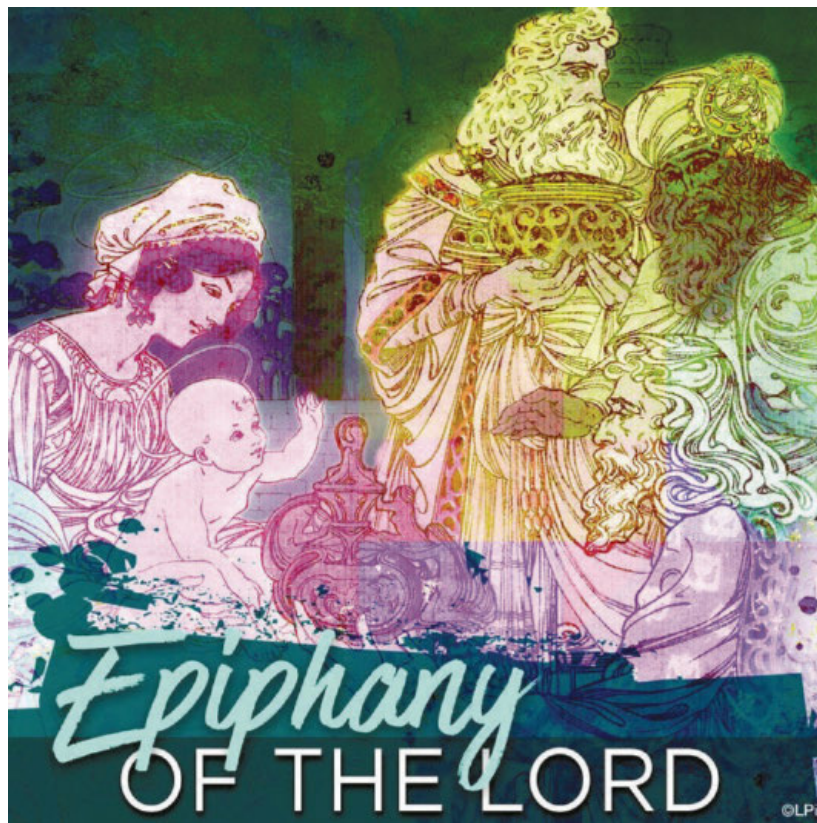




OUR LADY OF THE LAKE CATHOLIC CHURCH

January 2nd, 2022



MASS & DEVOTION TIMES

Daily Mass - Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 8:30am.

Weekend Mass Times - Saturday at 5pm and Sunday at 9:30am*

Confession - Saturday 4-4:45pm

Anointing of the Sick - First Friday of every month at 8:30am Mass.

Holy Hour: First Sunday of every month 3-4pm

*Livestreamed on our YouTube Channel

Pastor | Priest Administrator: Father Timothy J. Clark

Deacon: Denny Duffell

Pastoral Assistant for Administration: David Delestine

Director of Development | Stewardship: Torrie Smith

Director of Faith Formation: Kendra Baker

Director of Music and Liturgy: Abbie Naze

Office Administrator: Jody Fitts

Safe Environment | Communication Coor.: Liz Jackman

Facilities Project Manager: Bart Blair

Director of Maintenance: Tim Pruss

Bookkeeper: Neda Waggoner

For a full list of our parish staff, please see our website

Readings for the week:

Sunday: Is 60:1-6

Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf.11]

Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6

Mt 2:1-12

Monday: 1 Jn 3:22—4:6

Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a

Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10

Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8

Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18

Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13

Mk 6:45-52

Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19—5:4

Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17

Lk 4:14-22a

Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13

Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20

Lk 5:12-16

Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21

Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b

Jn 3:22-30

Next Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7

Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]

Acts 10:34-38

Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Or

Is 40:1-5, 9-11

Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]

Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7

Lk 3:15-16, 21-22



Due to holiday schedules and end of year, we hope to report updated numbers mid-January 2022.

Calling All Lakers for Life!

If you or your student attended OLL, even for one year, you are a Laker for Life. You are invited to stay connected to our school by updating your alumni profile on our school's website.

Lord, Hear Our Prayers

For all who are ill, and those who care for them: especially **Dominique Place, Nancee Wallin**, mother of **Korrin and Erik Walerius; Mirek Radziun**, friend of **Marita Simpson; Lorraine Hartmann; Fenn Shrader & Elaine Larsen**, friends of **John Landon; Joseph Li**; and **Ann Leachman**. May God's healing love sustain and comfort them.

Christ is that Morning Star which never sets. May all who have died; know the brightness of His presence.

Contact Jody Fitts at the parish office to add names to the prayer list.

UPCOMING EVENTS

JAN 1, SAT: Mary, the Holy Mother of God Mass 9:30am (No 5pm Mass)

JAN 2, SUN: Epiphany 9:30am Holy Hour 3-4pm

JAN 3, MON: Parish Office Closed

JAN 7, FRI: Sacrament of the Sick 8:30am

JAN 9, SUN: Baptism of the Lord Mass Pax Christi's Vow of Non-Violence Parent/Child First Reconciliation Walk Through (Mandatory) 1pm Confirmation Info Night 7pm



Confirmation Info Night:
Jan. 9th at 7pm in Jubilee Hall

We invite all 7th-12th graders to prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation. If you are interested, please fill out the registration form on our website and attend the Info Night.

Being Catholic Info Session-January 23rd

The Being Catholic Program is for anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith. Whether you have grown up Catholic and want to dive deeper or you are exploring your faith for the first time, you are most welcome to join us on this journey of faith and learning! We will tentatively meet once a week to learn what it means to be Catholic. We will discuss topics such as the Creed, liturgy & sacraments, Christian morality and prayer. Please join us for an information session after Mass on Sunday, January 23rd, to learn more about the program.



What is a Sister Parish?

During the month on January we are focusing on our sister parish in San Sebastian de Yali, Nicaragua but some of you may ask, "What is a Sister Parish?" Sister parishes enter a relationship where both have something to offer each other to build a community. It is much more than a financial relationship. We become knit together like members of the same family - in this case, it is the Catholic family with shared values, rites, and practices.

The San Sebastian de Yali parish in Nicaragua, has a very strong faith that is part of their daily life and a strong sense of sharing everything they have with others - and I do mean everything. Our Lady of the Lake has a close knit membership, an excellent Catholic school, and a great sense of social justice.

Sister parishes are mutual support entities that looks after each other. That means praying for each other, frequent communication via letters, emails, visits, and financial support. We are fortunate to have developed a great relationship with a small parish in the village of Yali in northern Nicaragua.

To learn more about or get involved with our Sister Parish, please check our website under Get Involved/Ministries.

How are you, OLL? An Update on the Korch Family...In January, Benjamin moved to Bellingham where he's enjoying life sharing a rental house with four WWU students. After spending the summer working in Glacier National Park, Annalise and Elena are busy seniors at Nathan Hale where they're involved with soccer, ultimate frisbee, and the Outdoors Club. Annalise is also on a robotics team, and Elena is getting ready for her second winter teaching ski lessons at Snoqualmie. They've applied to a number of universities so it will be exciting to see where they each head next fall. Michael made a career change this year and now works for Brighton Jones. Dana just celebrated her 24th year working for Micro Focus, a software company where she manages the corporate brand. We're all looking forward to having some downtime and hanging out together this Christmas season.

If you would like to submit an update and a picture, please send it to Liz Jackman

WORLD DAY OF PEACE

The World Day of Peace is a feast day of the Catholic Church that is celebrated on January 1st of each year. This feast day was established in 1967 by Pope Paul VI and dedicated to universal peace and the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God. In the spirit of this feast day we offer the 2022 message from Pope Francis which can be found here: https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/peace/documents/papa-francesco_20201208_messaggio-54giornatamondiale-pace2021.html. During services next weekend learn about Pax Christi's Vow of Nonviolence from Deacon Denny Duffell and join parishioners in taking the vow as a community. You can find a link to the Livestream of that Mass on our website. To learn more about Pax Christi and the Vow of Nonviolence go to: <https://paxchristiusa.org/resources/vow-of-nonviolence/>

What A Wonderful Night to Share the Light



Thank you to all who joined us for our ONE OLL Luminary Walk. The

wet weather held off just long enough for all of us (over 60 people) to take advantage of our beautiful church, Father Tim's words, the choir and of course the hot coco! Thank you to all the volunteers from both the parish and school. A beautiful way to bring us all together!!!

Dr. Elizabeth Lyons

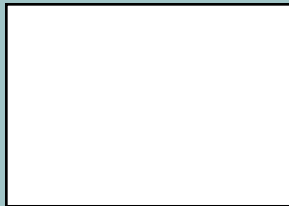



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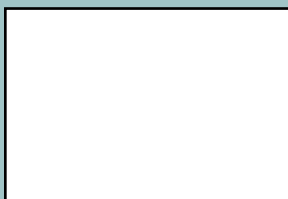



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