



June 25, 2023

## 12<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Do not be afraid; you are worth more  
than many sparrows.” - Mt 10:31

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## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, June 26

8:00am Father's Day Novena

### Tuesday, June 27

6:30pm †Thomas Cooney by Rick & Susan Goebel

### Wednesday, June 28

8:45am Special Intentions of Anthony Stone  
by Theresa McCrorey

### Thursday, June 29

8:00am †Fr. Ed McDonagh by Fr. Bob & Fr. Dariusz

### Friday, June 30

8:00am - NO MASS

### Saturday, July 1

4:00pm People of the Parish

6:00pm †Barbara Bohach by Don & Kitty Bergin

### Sunday, July 2

8:00am †Nicholas & Aida Joaquin  
by Flor & Marilyn Mangosing

10:00am †Kris Ross by the Serra Club

5:00pm †Mary Kay Temp by Karen Wertzberger

## PRIEST MASS SCHEDULE



### Saturday, July 1

4:00 pm - Fr. Steve Stavoy

6:00 pm - Fr. Steve Stavoy

### Sunday, July 2

8:00 am - Fr. Bob Chorey

10:00 am - Fr. Bob Chorey

5:00 pm - Fr. Bob Chorey

SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

## GOSPEL REFLECTION

### TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jeremiah 20:13

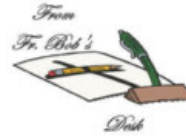
Psalm 69

Romans 5:15

Matthew 10:28

When I was in middle school, there were times I didn't want my fellow students to see my parents drop me off or pick me up in the school parking lot. I was embarrassed of my parents. Why? I have no idea. Maybe it was our station wagon. Or I didn't want to look like a little kid. But in retrospect that was a silly thing to do. I was a kid. And I had two parents who loved me and had built a wonderful family. I was afraid of the other kids' judgment. How silly! I should have been afraid of forgetting or downplaying my family, which is where my identity had its deep roots.

This is a way to understand Jesus' words to his disciples this Sunday, when he says, "Don't be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna." Fear, in this sense, refers to where we find our deepest identity and our highest love. That's why Jesus says next that when we acknowledge him before others, he will acknowledge us before the Father. It doesn't mean we're brash or boastful. But rather we unhesitatingly and humbly embrace our identity as followers of Jesus and children of God the Father. After all, if we love who we are and where we come from, who cares what the other kids think about us? — Father John Muir ©LPi



Dear Parishioners,

Every year at this time people ask me if the summer time will be easier; every year I hope the summer time will be easier...but usually not. The months of June, July and August will be spent with normal things, like administration, funerals, VBS. I also have a couple of weddings coming up. As well, the new Confirmation program requires a lot of work with staff to have it in place by September. Then eventually I need to prep for my sabbatical and visit with my family. Summer flies by really quickly. I will do my best, though, to get onto the river and do a little fishing; head up to the mountains with Rusty for some walks; maybe some yogurt at Yogurt Beach, ice cream at IceCycle Creamery, or a beer at the Brewer's Lair. If you see me, say hi!

Eucharistic Renewal -Prayer Change-- Recently we transitioned from the "Anima Christi" prayer to that of St. Teresa of Avila. This was done throughout all of the diocese to remind us that Communion, the Eucharist, is not merely to be adored but to be lived. We will use this prayer for this next year and when the Renewal completes next year that prayer will also be done. We will return to "normal" mass.

Welcome Home Project - We hope to begin the *Conditional Use Permit* process later this month. This can take up to 90 days. Thanks to all for your support, vocal and quiet! it truly means a lot.

Stewardship - CSA 2023 still at 19% participation (298 pledges) with \$213,028 pledged and \$122,886 paid. Please continue to make payments so that rebates can get here sooner than later. If you have not made your pledge, please make that happen. Thank you.

Enjoy Weddings?? Want to help coordinate the big day? We could use a few more persons to help. Contact Fr. Bob at [pastor@olsparish.com](mailto:pastor@olsparish.com) if you are interested.

Your Pastor, Fr. Bob

## VOCATIONS MINISTRY



Discernment is the process of discovery through which an individual discovers how God calls him or her to love and serve him through prayer, reflection, and discussion.

### Steps of Discernment — Research

For Men — Use the following books and resources to help you discern fully God's will in your life:

Learn more about Diocesan Priesthood from [www.DiocesanPriest.com](http://www.DiocesanPriest.com). This website has a wealth of knowledge including:

- Helping you discover "Am I Being Called"
- What does it look like?
- Who do I talk to?
- What can I read?
- What do the saints say? What do the Popes say?

(Resources for Women to be listed here next week)



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## Do you want to be a Youth Leader? Join the CORE TEAM!!!

Youth Ministry is looking for teens eager to lead their fellow youth!

### Why Join the Core Team?

Help lead fellow teens through Youth Ministry / Confirmation!

The ability to meet with the Youth Team and share your thoughts to better the program!

Earn Service Hours for outside programs that require them!

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9th - 12th Grade

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Completed the application

Regularly attends Mass



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<https://form.jotform.com/231286134322044>



# OLS YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY

## FAITH SHARING AND S'MORES

Join us for a meal and smores as we read the Gospel and see how it relates to our lives.

July  
18th  
7PM  
Rock  
House  
1045  
Lander  
Street



Let's go to the beach!



July 22nd

Join us for our beach day at Sand Harbor!

We will be meeting at the Rock House at 7:30AM to drive up to Sand Harbor beach! We will be carpooling there! Bring sunscreen, a lunch, water, snacks, a beach towel, and friends!

QUESTIONS? EMAIL [SNOWSYOUNGADULTS@GMAIL.COM](mailto:SNOWSYOUNGADULTS@GMAIL.COM)

# MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

We come together and talk about the Mass readings for the upcoming Sunday.  
Monday Evenings  
7PM-8PM  
Parish Center  
June 26th

Hosted by Josh Totten

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If you want to help with RCIA in any way, please email Mariah at [adultfaith@olsparish.com](mailto:adultfaith@olsparish.com)

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**GIVING OF OUR TIME & TALENT**



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Msgr Patrick J. Conors Council #4997

**July 3 - Officers' Meeting - 5:15 pm**

**July 12 - Business Meeting**

6:00 pm - Social, 6:30 pm Meeting

Become a Knight! Serve your church, help your parish! All Catholic men are invited.

**Contact:**

Ryan Harris, Grand Knight  
406-452-0444  
[olsknights4997@gmail.com](mailto:olsknights4997@gmail.com)



**CENTERING PRAYER GROUP**

The Centering Prayer group meets each Thursday via Zoom from 10:15 am to 11:45 am.

This method of silent prayer is based on that taught by Fr. Thomas Keating in his book, "Open Heart, Open Mind." In silence, we open ourselves to awareness of God's presence.

In addition, every few months a Centering Prayer workshop is offered at various parishes in the diocese for those interested in learning more about this method of prayer.

For more info: Rosemary at 775-544-7802.

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"O God our Creator... we ask you to bless us in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty. Give us the strength of mind and heart to readily defend our freedoms when they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of your Church and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith."  
~ USCCB "Prayer for the Protection of Religious Liberty"

**ADULT RECEPTION & CONNECTIONS (ARC MINISTRY)**

Family-friendly

# Game Night

Join us after 6:30 Mass. All parishioners welcome. We'll have pizza, drinks, card games, and board games. Feel free to bring your favorites to share.

**Tuesday, June 27 at 7 p.m.**

**The parish Rock House**

1045 Lander St., across Walker Ave.  
from the church entrance



**ARC MINISTRY**  
[OurLadySnows.ARC@gmail.com](mailto:OurLadySnows.ARC@gmail.com)

# Lake Tahoe Beach Day



**Saturday, July 15**      **9 AM to 4 PM**

## North Tahoe Beach



All parishioners are invited to join the fun. Look for the shade tents and tables with the ARC logo. We'll have some refreshments and games, but this is a Bring Your Own food, chairs, etc. event.

Questions?  
Contact  
[OurLadySnows.ARC@gmail.com](mailto:OurLadySnows.ARC@gmail.com)

## DIOCESAN YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY

### RETIRO PARA JÓVENES ADULTOS / *YOUNG ADULT RETREAT*

July 28th – 30th, 2023

**Bilingual: Spanish and English**

La Diócesis de Reno, a través de la Pastoral Juvenil, invita a jóvenes adultos de 20 - 35 años a participar en el retiro espiritual: “¡Sé Amigo De Ti Mismo!” *The Diocese of Reno, Through the Pastoral Juvenil, invites young adults ages 20 - 35 to participate in our spiritual retreat: “Be a Friend to Yourself” Encountering Yourself in God’s Love*. This retreat has been designed to help young adults explore priorities, deepen their relationship with God, and more readily discern the purpose of life. The Retreat will be in the language of the participant’s preference (Spanish-English). El propósito de este retiro es que los jóvenes aprendan a quererse, estimarse, ser amigos de sí mismos y de Dios, y discernir el propósito de su vida.

El retiro será facilitado por un grupo de jóvenes adultos, bajo la asesoría del Padre Eduardo Gutiérrez y de Maripaz Ramos.

Para más información, llama a la Pastoral Juvenil al 775-326-9423, o 775-326-9415 con Lilanne Aguirre e-mail us at: [maripazr@catholicreno.org](mailto:maripazr@catholicreno.org) or [lilannea@catholicreno.org](mailto:lilannea@catholicreno.org) encuéntranos en facebook e Instagram en Pastoral Juvenil Hispana Diócesis de Reno de Reno, or <https://www.instagram.com/pastoraljuvenil.dioceseofreno/> or visit us at: <https://>

## INSTITUTO OCP

### *Instituto OCP–¡Cantemos al Señor!: Diócesis de Reno*

La parroquia de la Little Flower, en colaboración con la Diócesis de Reno, NPM y Oregon Catholic Press (OCP), les invita al Instituto OCP–¡Cantemos al Señor!: Día de formación y capacitación para músicos pastorales. Con los presentadores, Anna Betancourt y Rodolfo López. El Instituto OCP–¡Cantemos al Señor! tomará lugar el sábado 8 de julio de 9 AM – 4 PM. ¡No se lo pierdan!

OCP Institute–Sing to the Lord! Diocese of Reno  
Saint Therese Church of the Little Flower, in collaboration with the Diocese of Reno, NPM, and OCP, proudly invites you to a day of training and formation for all liturgical music ministers. Presented by Anna Betancourt and Rodolfo López. The OCP Institute– Sing to the Lord! Day of Training and Formation will take place on Saturday, July 8, from 9 AM to 4 PM. The Instituto OCP will be presented exclusively in Spanish.

# BRING THE WORLD INTO YOUR HOME

HOST AN ALGERIAN STUDENT  
JULY 7 - 21, 2023

Please help the Northern Nevada International Center at UNR welcome Algerian high school students into our community!



All students are ages 15-17 & speak fluent English

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The Program is sponsored by the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs and is administered by the Northern Nevada International Center.

Program dates and in-person exchange are contingent upon the continued stabilization of the COVID-19 pandemic, the easing of travel restrictions, and the safety of travel.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT:



[HTTPS://WWW.UNR.EDU/NNIC/OPPORTUNITIES/HOME-HOST](https://www.unr.edu/nnic/opportunities/home-host)

## HOSTING DETAILS

Host 1-2 students in a shared /private room

Get to know other hosts & students through BBQs and fun cultural events.

Convenient pick-up & drop-off at UNR- we provide all daily transportation from there.

Students participate in program activities all day on weekdays-lunches & some dinners are provided. Hosts provide breakfast & some dinners.

# *This Week*

**Monday, June 26 - Friday, June 30**  
**Vacation Bible School at OLS School**

**Monday, June 26**

7:00 pm - Men's Bible Study in Parish Center

**Tuesday, June 27**

7:00 pm - ARC Family Game Night at OLS Rock House

**Thursday, June 29**

8:30 am - Eucharistic Adoration—**CANCELLED**  
 10:15 am - Centering Prayer Group via Zoom

**Friday, June 30 - Mass Cancelled**

**Sunday, July 2**

4:00 pm - Korean Mass in Parish Center



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

There **will not be** Eucharistic Adoration this Thursday, June 29.

**WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS**

To register with us, please complete the registration form found in the church vestibule, or visit our website at [olsparish.com](http://olsparish.com). Return the form either through the collection basket or bring/mail it to the parish office.

Please remember that registration is required to obtain a letter of good standing or for school affidavits; etc.



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| Emma Alden       | Michelle Lingad  |
| Sr. Carmen Baca  | Jeff Lieberstein |
| Silvia Barragan  | Sonia Lopez      |
| Roberto Banuelos | Tony Lowdon      |
| Mike Blane       | Nelda McGee      |
| DeDe Bradshaw    | Sandy McGowan    |
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| Fred Elezi       | Al Roth          |
| Ron Gunderson    | Mark Schinzing   |
| Dave Higgins     | Kay Seeliger     |
| Mary Johnson     |                  |

Please contact the parish office to add or remove a name from the prayer list.

**FINANCIAL COLUMN**

**WEEKLY OFFERING**

WEEK ENDING	AMOUNT	SPECIALS	AMOUNT
May 21	18,316		
May 28	14,112		
June 4	19,353		
June 11	16,072	Catholic Communications	2,055
June 18	15,832		

**CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL (CSA) - 2023**

<b>GOAL</b>	<b>\$178,000</b>
Families Pledged	298
% of Families (Goal 30%)	19%
Amount Pledged	213,028
Amount Paid	121,586



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- Visit [olsparish.com](http://olsparish.com)—scroll down to “GIVE OLS OnLine Giving” This will bring you to our WeShare site. Just sign in and follow the prompts.
- Call Joe Anne at 775-323-6894 ext. 502
- Scan the QR Code



Thank you and may God bless your generosity.

**FUNERAL SERVICES**

Please call the parish office at 775-323-6894. If you have already made arrangements with a funeral director, a staff member will coordinate with them to meet your needs. Assistance with music is available on request.

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Reverend Bob Chorey, Pastor

Reverend Dariusz Miskowicz, Parochial Vicar

**Office Hours:** Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm  
Saturday & Sunday 9:00 am - Noon

**Weekend Masses:** Saturday Vigil- 4:00 pm & 6:00 pm  
Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am & 5:00 pm

**Weekday Masses:** Monday, Thursday, Friday - 8:00 am  
Tuesday - 6:30pm  
Wednesday - 8:45 am

**Civic Holiday Masses:** 9:00 am

**Holy Days of Obligation:** 8:30am, 12:10pm and 6:30pm

**Mission Statement:** *We, the Body of Christ at Our Lady of the Snows, are a community of disciples on a journey of faith. To live the gospel message as listeners, learners, and leaders, we will: Enrich our liturgies as the foundation for greater spirituality; nurture an awareness of Christ in one another—see and reach out to those who long for mercy, healing, and justice; and facilitate the sharing of our Catholic legacy in the diverse settings of our lives.*

## SACRAMENTS

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturdays: 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm  
or by appointment

**Anointing of the Sick:** Those wishing to receive the Anointing of the Sick are asked to speak with any of the priests or call the office at 323-6894. Masses for Anointing of the Sick are celebrated throughout the year, and are announced in the bulletin.

**Baptisms of Infants through 2nd Grade:** Parents are asked to attend our Baptism Preparation class on the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. **via Zoom.** Sponsors are also invited to attend. Please call the office at 323-6894 or email [secretary@olsparish.com](mailto:secretary@olsparish.com) for more information and to sign up.

**Baptisms of third graders and older:** Parents are asked to call our Director of Children's Sacraments, Lauri-Anne, for information at 329-6147 or [dre@olsparish.com](mailto:dre@olsparish.com).

**Communion to the Homebound:** If you are ill at home and wish to receive the Eucharist, call the office at 323-6894.

**First Holy Communion and Confirmation:** The Diocese of Reno requires a two year preparation for children and teens receiving these Sacraments. Please contact Lauri Anne Reinhart at 329-6147 or [dre@olsparsh.com](mailto:dre@olsparsh.com).

**Marriage:** Couples wishing to be married at Snows need to make their initial contact with the parish six months before their wedding date. Couples are asked to contact the office at 323-6894.

**R.C.I.A.:** Adults wishing to become Catholic or Catholic adults needing to receive First Communion and /or Confirmation, should contact [adultfaith@olsparish.com](mailto:adultfaith@olsparish.com), or call 323-6894 ext. 525.

## MINISTRY COORDINATORS

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### ADULT RECEPTIONS & CONNECTIONS MINISTRY

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## PARISH

## LEADERSHIP

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(meets 3rd Wednesday of each month)

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### Parish Building

#### Committee

Fr. Bob Chorey  
Shauna Meyers  
David Mieding  
Greg Erny  
Paul Gordon  
Tim Heydon, Jr.  
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### School Board

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Noelle Davis-Marinaccio  
Tim Fuetsch, Principal  
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Heather Parks, Sec.  
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