



## OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS CHURCH

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**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2024**

## 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT



Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him." Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them.

- Mk 9:7-8

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, February 26

8:00 am John DeBord - Happy Birthday

### Tuesday, February 27

6:30 pm Albert Gargiulo by Anne-Louise & Mike Bennett

### Wednesday, February 28

8:45 am ✠Theresa Kennedy

### Thursday, February 29

8:00 am ✠Aileen & John Branick by Barbara Clark

### Friday, March 1

8:00 am ✠Pat Glenn by Serra Club

11:00 am ✠Tim Heydon Funeral Mass

### Saturday, March 2

4:00 pm ✠Michael Curtius by Chickie & Joe Capotrio

6:00 pm ✠Marguerite & John Callahan  
by Charlotte & Rod Callahan

### Sunday, March 3

8:00 am ✠Patricia & Gerard Glenn by Kathleen Rossi

10:00 am People of the Parish

5:00 pm Special Intentions of Sr. Ofelia Roibas  
by Chuck & Carol Burr

## GOSPEL REFLECTION

### 2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

Genesis 22:12

Psalm 116

Romans 8:32

Mark 9:7

As a college student, my prized possession was an after-market car stereo. It was my pride and joy: glorious audio, eye-catching display screen, and multi-disc CD changer. It drained my hard-earned dollars, but it was totally worth it. It drenched me in music everywhere I drove. On Ash Wednesday of my senior year of college, Father Tom, the Jesuit priest at my university said, "Pray for God to tell you what he wants you to sacrifice for Lent." I did. In my heart, the answer came: "Give up listening to your car stereo for forty days." I winced. Not possible, I thought. Can't do it. I made other plans. The next morning, I was stunned to find that my car had been broken into, and my fancy stereo ripped out and stolen.

God's command to sacrifice what we love is no joke. This week in Genesis 22, God says: "Abraham!" "Here I am," he replied. Then God said, "Take your son, your only son, whom you love — Isaac — and go to the region of Moriah. Sacrifice him there as a burnt offering on a mountain I will show you." Believe me, I know. We like to be in control. It chafes us that God sets the terms of what we must sacrifice, and how. But this is no impersonal, tyrannical process. Remember that God uses their names, Abraham and Isaac. God knows each one of us and the precious gifts He commands us to offer. Finally, our sacrifices are for our own good. Do we trust this enough to do what Father Tom asked me to do?

Lenten challenge: This week, I dare you to ask God: "What do you want me to give up?" He may ask for that which you love most. It will be something precious to you: time, money, a relationship, a dream, an opportunity. What matters is we trust Him and act sacrificially in line with His command. Whatever we sacrifice will of course come back to us as surely as the Risen Jesus — but that doesn't make it easy  
— *Father John Muir* ©LPi

## PRIEST MASS SCHEDULE



### Saturday, March 2

4:00 pm - Fr. Bob Chorey

6:00 pm - Fr. Bob Chorey

### Sunday, March 3

8:00 am - Fr. Dariusz Miskowicz

10:00 am - Fr. Dariusz Miskowicz

5:00 pm - Fr. Dariusz Miskowicz

### SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE



### Our Lady of the Snows Parish Reconciliation Service February 28 - 6:30 pm

An opportunity for renewal!



Dear Parishioners,

Vintage Affair was a success! Thank you to the team that did such a tremendous job of getting it all together! Thanks to those who donated and bid, too.

Engage in Lent! The more we give to this season, the more we open ourselves to God's graces. There is a lot going on too: Click [HERE](#) for the events.

Our **Parish Lenten Reconciliation** service will take place on Wednesday, Feb. 28, at 6:30 pm. This is an excellent opportunity for families to celebrate together God's forgiveness. I especially encourage families of teens in Youth Ministry/Confirmation to attend.

The funeral for Tim Heydon will be Friday, March 1, at 11:00 am. Please keep Lynn and family in prayers.

**PARKING!** - PLEASE be aware of our neighbors when parking on the street. One neighbor has a reserved space in front of her house, so we cannot park there. Be sure to NOT block driveways as well. We need to be good neighbors, and good parkers.

**CSA 2024** has started. Unfortunately due to timing of surgery and other events, I have been unable to speak at the masses in an orderly way. PLEASE do consider making your pledge soon! This appeals helps the diocese in its ministries, and it helps us in our rebates to increase our Building Fund. Pledge cards have been mailed. Click [HERE](#) to find out more and learn how to make a pledge.

Your Pastor, *Fr. Bob*



## ***Sacred Flames: Fanning the Flames of Faith through Confirmation a retreat for Middle School Teens***

Join us as we embark on an unforgettable journey of spiritual discovery, as we immerse ourselves in dynamic activities, fostering bonds with like-minded peers through community-building activities, engage in powerful prayer experiences, and participate in small group sharing sessions that ignite the sacred flames within, illuminating the path to a deeper understanding of your faith as you prepare for the sacrament of Confirmation.

**Hosted by John  
Rinaldo**



**When? March 10th 12:30pm to 4:30pm**

**Where? Parish Center**

**RSVP REQUIRED BY March 1st**

**Email [youthm@olsparish.com](mailto:youthm@olsparish.com)**

**HIGH SCHOOL TEENS REQUIRING  
SERVICE HOURS OR FALL RETREAT  
MAKEUP CAN VOLUNTEER AS YOUTH  
LEADERS. Email [youthm@olsparish.com](mailto:youthm@olsparish.com) to  
volunteer.**

### **ATTENTION ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

## ***COME HOLY SPIRIT***

**Please join us for this epic retreat**

**Featuring**

**JOE MELENDREZ!!!**



Joe Melendrez is an exceptional musical artist. Joe also leads retreats all over the country! At OLS Joe will be leading a retreat that brings teens closer to Christ through the Holy Spirit! This retreat is required for all teens being Confirmed this year. However, due to the significance of this retreat, we are inviting all High School Teens.

**When: 04/20/24 8am to 8pm**

**Where: OLS Parish Center**

**To register email [youthm@olsparish.com](mailto:youthm@olsparish.com)**



## YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY

Join us for dinner and watching Sister Act together!



**FEBRUARY 27TH**  
**7PM**  
**ROCK HOUSE**  
**(1045 LANDER STREET)**  
**BRING A FRIEND!**



### THEOLOGY ON TAP

Join us for dinner,  
drinks and Theology!

March 9th  
6pm  
Rock House  
1045 Lander Street  
Please RSVP to  
[snowsyounadults@gmail.com](mailto:snowsyounadults@gmail.com) by  
March 6th

We will have a 30 minute talk about  
Encountering God in the Busyness of  
our Daily Lives and then an open  
dialogue about the Catholic Faith.  
Bring your questions! John Rinaldo is  
our speaker for this event.

Ages 21  
and older



## YOUNG ADULTS LENTEN PAINT NIGHT



Join us for Stations of the Cross hosted by the  
Young Adults, Soup Suppers with the Parish, and  
then a paint night led by Sharon Cortez.

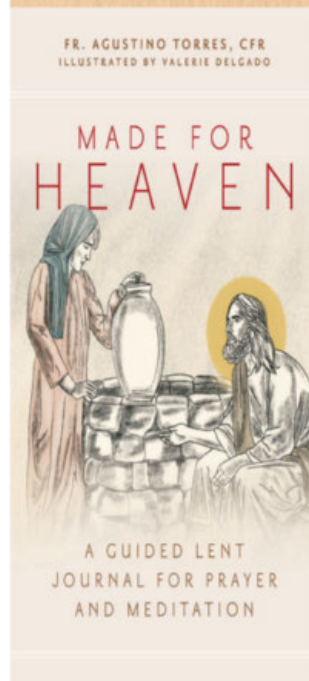
Bring a vegetarian soup, salad,  
or bread if you desire.

There will be snacks and  
beverages at the paint night.

March 15th  
Parish Center  
6pm

Please RSVP to [snowsyounadults@gmail.com](mailto:snowsyounadults@gmail.com) by  
March 10th, so that we have a head count for supplies.

## ADULT FAITH FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES



*Join us for our  
Lenten Small  
Groups  
Mondays at  
3PM or 7PM  
Parish Center  
February  
12th through  
March 25th*

*Questions? Email Mariah at [adultfaith@olsparish.com](mailto:adultfaith@olsparish.com)*

Our Lady of the Snows presents  
**Encountering God  
in the Busyness  
of Our Daily Lives**  
Parish Lenten Retreat



March 9th  
10AM-3:30PM  
Lunch is provided  
Our Lady of the Snows Parish Center  
1200 S. Arlington Ave.  
Reno, NV 89509

"God? Are you there?" For me, the problem is not whether God is answering, but rather, am I paying attention? Join us on a transformative journey where we will delve into a spiritual oasis amidst life's hustle this Lent. Engage in enlightening talks that explore the intersection of faith and the chaos of daily routines, fostering a deeper connection with God. Through guided prayer, intimate small group sharing, and reflective journaling, discover the divine amidst the busyness, inviting a renewed sense of purpose and peace into our Lenten journey.

\$20 per person

Please register by March 1st

Cash or check, mail or bring your registration form to Our Lady of the Snows

Parish Office:

Attn: Mariah Nickerson

1138 Wright St.

Reno, NV 89509

All adults are welcome!



John Rinaldo is a highly sought-after retreat facilitator and speaker renowned for his insights in spirituality, leadership development, and organizational management. With a career spanning over 25 years in Catholic ministry, John has passionately guided individuals and organizations toward spiritual growth and effective leadership. His engaging and impactful presentations reflect a deep commitment to fostering personal and professional development within the context of faith, making him a respected and influential figure in the Catholic Church in the United States.

**FOR FAMILIES AND ALL AGES — OLS YOUTH MINISTRY IS PROUD TO  
PRESENT JOE MELENDEZ IN CONCERT!!!**



ALL ARE WELCOME! FOOD WILL BE PROVIDED

**APRIL 21—**

**6:00 PM - 8:30 PM**

**IN THE OLS PARISH CENTER**

Featuring Joseph DeRosa  
and





## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS



### Meet our Candidates.....

**Tanya Lachenauer**



Tanya is from Carson City and her favorite color is silver. She loves skiing. What Tanya is most excited for in her new journey of faith is to have a stronger faith and learn about her faith. Tanya will be receiving First Communion and Confirmation at the Easter Vigil on March 30th. Join us as we celebrate with Tanya on her beautiful journey of faith.

**Will Lachenauer**



Will is from New York and his favorite color is dark blue. He enjoys sports. What Will is most excited for in this journey of faith is having his faith be a part of his life. He will be receiving First Communion and Confirmation at the Easter Vigil on March 30th. Join us as we celebrate Will on his journey.

**Gail Pittsford**



Gail loves to cook and do crafts. Her favorite color is light purple, and she is from New Jersey. What Gail is most excited about in her journey of faith is feeling a part of something, of a family. She is also excited about making new friends and not feeling alone. Gail will be receiving First Communion and Confirmation at the Easter Vigil on March 30th! Join us as we witness the beauty of Gail receiving her Sacraments.

**Interested in becoming Catholic?**

**Need First Communion and/or Confirmation?**

Join RCIA! To join RCIA, please email Mariah at [adultfaith@olsparish.com](mailto:adultfaith@olsparish.com)

## GIVING OF OUR TIME & TALENT

### RCIA PARISH-WIDE SERVICE PROJECT

**Help RCIA!**

RCIA is doing a service project and we need your help! We will be making care packages for the homeless and we need help with gathering items for the care packages. If you would like to donate any items to our care packages, please donate them by March 11th at the parish office. Items we need are pens, sharpies, snacks, dog treats, hand warmers, hand sanitizer, baby wipes, sun screen, chap stick, baseball caps, gloves, rosaries, water bottles, socks, tooth paste, and tooth brushes.



**ALL ARE INVITED !!!**

Knights of Columbus

**Fish Fry**

**Friday, March 22**

Parish Center, 1200 S. Arlington  
Sit-down dinner served from 5:00-7:00 pm.  
Takeout orders will be available.

Adults \$16, Children \$8 (under 12)

Stop by the Church office to buy your ticket -  
Cash or Checks only. (Make check out to K of C)  
All tickets must be purchased in advance.

**Deadline for tickets sales is March 18.**

Lenten dinner menu: Fish, French Fries, Cole Slaw

Beverage bar available

No tickets sold at the door.







## Snows Women's Auxiliary Easter Bake Sale

PRE-ORDER DEADLINE is MARCH 15, OR until we sell out.

CREDIT CARD-use secure online form or scan QR Code below.

Link to form: <https://neartail.com/sm/kiEnAKfir>



CASH or CHECK-pay in person at the PARISH OFFICE by March 15th

1138 Wright Street in Reno, NV 89509.

MAIL-Mail your order and check to OLS Parish office to arrive no later than March 15th.

**PICK UP YOUR BAKE SALE PURCHASES at the OLS Parish Center 1200 S. Arlington in Reno  
FRIDAY March 29th 10:00am – 3:00pm**

2024 SWA EASTER BAKE SALE	PRICE
<b>QUICK BREAD-Sweet or Savory 4 X 8 loaves</b>	
Classic Coffee Cake-Brown sugar & cinnamon, Swirl w/crunchy topping	\$15.00
Zesty Lemon-tart lemon "cake", lemon glaze, lemon icing, lemon zest	\$15.00
Tuscan Herb-reggiano-parmesan, garlic, savory herbs	\$15.00
Wisconsin Cheddar Beer-pilsner beer, sharp cheddar cheese	\$15.00
<b>CAKES-Bundts &amp; our famous "Big Island"</b>	
Carrot Bundt-warm-spiced cake, fresh carrots, cream cheese icing	\$23.00
Chocolate Chocolate Bundt-rich chocolate cake, fudge frosting	\$23.00
April Showers Bundt-white cake, vanilla icing, springtime sprinkles	\$23.00
Big Island Pineapple Upside Down Cake-XL in size and-Serves 16-20	\$25.00
<b>QUICHES-9" flaky pastry, creamy custard</b>	
Ham and Cheese-black forest ham, swiss cheese -classic	\$15.00
Mushroom and Spinach-variety of mushrooms, spinach, pepper jack cheese	\$15.00
Gluten Free Ham and Cheese-our classic with a gluten free flaky pastry	\$15.00
<b>SINGULAR SENSATIONS-Hand Held Delights</b>	
Greek Baklava-pastry, butter, walnuts, honey, cinnamon & clove	\$15.00
Lebanese Baklava-pastry, butter, pistachios, walnuts, orange blossom syrup	\$15.00
Italian Biscotti-twice baked crunchy cookie, almonds & anise	\$15.00



Catholic Charities  
of Northern Nevada

## OPERATION EASTER BASKET

The annual Operation Easter Basket Event provides Easter gifts for children in need.

As the Easter season approaches, Catholic Charities is rallying the support of the community to collect 1,400 Easter baskets for children in Washoe County and throughout northern Nevada who might otherwise miss out on the joy of this festive occasion.

You can help by donating essential items such as empty baskets, books, coloring books, toys and cellophane in addition to pre-filled Easter baskets for children spanning from infants to 18 years old. With a suggested value of \$25 per basket, the contents can include an array of age appropriate toys, books, bubbles, coloring books, outdoor games and activities, toiletries and gift cards. Kindly refrain from including perishable items or wrapping individual gifts. Please clearly label baskets with the intended age and gender. As a finishing touch, please secure all baskets with cellophane.

Additional ways to help include: shop CCNNs Amazon Wishlist (<https://a.co/2NalrFT>), donate on the website at [ccsnn.org](https://ccsnn.org), or send a check to CCNN, PO Box 5099, Reno, NV 89513, Attn: Operation Easter Basket.

Please deliver donations to the St. Vincent's Thrift Stores located at 500 East Fourth Street, Reno, or at the St. Vincent's Super Thrift Store, 190 E. Glendale Ave., Sparks, Monday through Sunday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Donations accepted for this event through March 8, 2024.

For additional information regarding Operation Easter Basket, please contact Lisa Ross at [lzross@ccsnn.org](mailto:lzross@ccsnn.org) or call (775) 322-7073 extension 235.

## CATHOLIC CHARITIES ST. PATRICK'S DAY FUNDRAISER

Please join Catholic Charities of Northern Nevada for their annual St. Patrick's Day themed dinner and fundraiser Leprechauns and Libations on Thursday, March 14, from 5:30-8:30 pm at South-40. This event supports the poverty assistance programs of Catholic Charities and is an evening of friendships, libations and a traditional Irish meal. Tickets are \$60 for adults, \$30 for children under 12 and a package of 20 Arcade Credits can be purchased for \$10. The dinner includes corned beef and cabbage, shepherd's pie, salad, potato pancakes, Irish potato salad and dessert. South-40 is located at 1445 South Meadows Parkway in Reno. To purchase your tickets for a night of fun, visit <https://ccsnn.org/pages/leprechauns-and-libations>.



# THANK YOU Stephanie!



**Stephanie is one of the most pivotal volunteers we have. She teaches Confirmation, helps with retreats, and always contributes great ideas to enhance Youth Ministry. Thank you Stephanie for everything!!!**



**For those who have recently gone to God:**

†Tim Heydon, beloved husband of Lynn and father of Tim, Jr., Cathy Retterath, Maureen Koski, and the late Kelley Depoali.

## CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL



Office of the Bishop

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

I am reaching out to ask for your support for the 2024 Catholic Services Appeal. This year's theme "***We are His Body***," tells us something very important about ourselves. As people of faith, we are a Eucharistic people. We are **one body with many members** because we are the first partakers of the Body of Christ, the Eucharist (1 Cor 10:16-17).

As recipients of the Eucharist, **the real presence of Jesus**, we are meant to be transformed to become what we receive — the very presence of Christ in the world. This means our lives as individuals in the Church must be directed toward the good of others as **ministers of Christ's mercy, love, and compassion**.

This mercy, love, and compassion is clearly **demonstrated in the many ministries** that take place within the Diocese of Reno. Perhaps your children have benefited from religious education in one of our parishes. Deacons have been taught to provide pastoral care for those in need and for people who are grieving. You have made it possible to **foster and enrich vocations to the priesthood**. These and other things are made possible by the Catholic Services Appeal.

Please allow me to introduce the **updated format of the pamphlet and pledge card**. If you prefer to make your donation online, go to <https://www.highdesertcatholic.org/csa/> and complete your pledge form and other related materials.

I am **humbled and thankful** for your generous continued support, and I ask you to prayerfully consider a gift to the Catholic Services Appeal 2024.

Please know that I keep you and your loved ones in my daily prayers. God bless you always!

With every best wish and assurance of prayers, I remain,

Yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Daniel H. Mueggenborg  
Bishop of Reno

## LETTER FROM PASTOR OF ST. PETER CANISIUS CHURCH



### St. Peter Canisius Catholic Church

225 E. 5th Ave. Sun Valley, NV. 89433  
Telephone: (775) 673-6800 Fax: (775) 673-2028  
E-mail: [st.petercanisius@hotmail.com](mailto:st.petercanisius@hotmail.com)

Dear Pastor Robert W. Chorey and Our Lady of the Snows:

On behalf of St. Peter Canisius Catholic Church, I want to extend my sincerest gratitude for your support of the One Church 2nd Collection at Christmas — your Christmas gift of **\$16,516**. Our goal for this campaign is to raise \$5.5 million for our much needed church in Sun Valley.

Without the support of congregants like you, our church wouldn't be able to spread God's word and touch the lives of everyone in our community.

Your donation to our general fund supports our building project and enables us to continue to serve our community in northern Nevada.

Generosity brings you closer to God, as it helps others grow closer to Him, too. Thanks to donors like you, our church will be able to help our brothers and sisters in northern Nevada. Your generosity is no small thing; there is mightiness in the meek.

Thank you again for your kindness and your impact on our community.

You and your parishioners will be kept in our prayers.

+A personal thank-you letter to each parishioner who provided an address will be mailed in the next few days.

Sincerely,

Fr. Edgar Villanueva



# *This Week*

## **Monday, February 26 -**

3:00 pm - Lenten Small Groups in Parish Center

7:00 pm - Lenten Small Groups in Parish Center

## **Tuesday, February 27**

10:00 am - Knit & Crochet and Arts & Crafts in PC

7:00 pm - Young Adults Movie Night in Rock House

## **Wednesday, February 28**

6:30 pm - Parish Reconciliation Service

7:00 pm - YA Women's Bible Study in Rock House

## **Thursday, February 29**

8:30 am - Eucharistic Adoration

10:15 am - Centering Prayer Group via Zoom

## **Friday, March 1**

6:00 pm - Stations of the Cross in Parish Center

6:30 pm - Soup Supper in Parish Center

## **Sunday, March 2**

4:00 pm - Korean Mass in Parish Center

6:00 pm - Youth Night in Parish Center



### **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Eucharistic Adoration every Thursday following the 8:00 am Mass until 11:00 am

- **Stations of the Cross** in the Parish Center Chapel — Fridays at 6:00 pm.
- **Friday Soup Suppers**—6:30 pm in Parish Center OLS Room. Join us on Fridays during Lent for meatless soup suppers following Stations of the Cross. Please bring either a meatless soup or salad to share. We ask that you not bring a dessert.

### *IN OUR Thoughts and Prayers*

Emma Alden	Dave Higgins	Pat O'Grady
Mike Blane	Mary Johnson	Sofia Padilla
DeDe Bradshaw	Jennifer Justus	Nellie Perazzo
Pat Brochtrup	Karen Kottinger	Gabe Perry
Carol Burr	Michelle Lingad	Earl Piercy
Korey Calhoon	Jeff Lieberstein	Sofia Porper
Dorothy Carroll	Sonia Lopez	Ed R.
Anita Culannay	Tony Lowdon	Ro Reviglio
M.J. Diarte	Nelda McGee	Al Roth
Fred Elezi	Sandy McGowan	Carol Roth
Russ Goebel	Jose Nogueira	Mark Schinzing
Ron Gunderson	Maria Nogueira	Kay Seeliger
Cabujal Gutieng	Terry Norman	John Sokol
		Pat Thomas

Please contact the parish office to add or remove a name from the prayer list. Email [secretary@olsparish.com](mailto:secretary@olsparish.com) or call 775-323-6894.

## **FINANCIAL COLUMN**

### **WEEKLY OFFERING**

WEEK ENDING	AMOUNT	SPECIALS	AMOUNT
January 21	14,904		
January 28	14,211		
February 4	17,444	Priests' Relief	3,415
February 11	18,368		
February 18	19,207	Central & Eastern Europe	2,029

### **CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL (CSA) - 2024**

<b>GOAL</b>	<b>\$168,308</b>
Families Pledged	21
% of Families (Goal 25%)	01.3 %
Amount Pledged	\$17,300
Amount Paid	\$5,865

## *WeShare*

**eGiving** is a way to simplify your giving and provide steady, consistent support that helps us be ready with programs, services, and ministries for our church families and for those in our community. Your recurring gifts will help strengthen our parish and sustain our ministries throughout the year, even if you need to miss a Sunday Mass. It's easy to get started. Here are some ways to sign up:

- 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.

Click on **Funeral** under **Ministries** at [www.olsparish.com](http://www.olsparish.com)



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Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am & 5:00 pm

**Weekday Masses:** 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.*

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**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.

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