

Fr. Dan Shea, Sacramental Minister
Deacon Steve Barry, Pastoral Administrator
Deacon Randy Fraser, (Senior Status)



SACRED HEART CHURCH
125 Walsh St Wolf Creek, MT

Sacred Heart Church

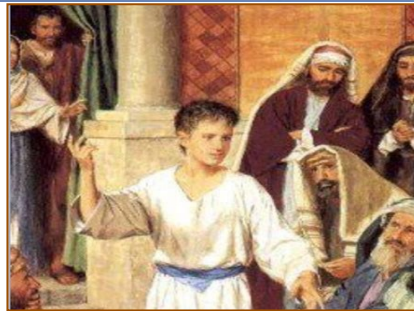
Office Hours: 10 am-3 pm
Monday-Friday

Parish Office: 458-6114

Fax: 458-8179

E-mail: olvoffice@olvmt.org

Web Page: www.olvmt.org



Weekend Eucharist

OLV Saturdays 6:00 pm
Sundays 8:00 am, 10:30 am (live-streamed)

Wolf Creek Saturdays 3:00 pm
1st and 3rd Saturdays November through April
Every Saturday May through October

Weekday Eucharist

OLV Wednesdays 6:30 pm

Reconciliation

OLV Wednesdays 5:45 pm or by appointment



After three days they found him in the temple.
- Luke 2:46

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The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph December 26th Readings

1st Reading: 1 Samuel 1:20—22, 24—28

Hannah conceived and bore a son, Samuel, whom she presented to the Lord in the temple at Shiloh saying, "As long as he lives, he shall be dedicated to the Lord."

2nd Reading: Colossians 3:12—17

And whatever you do, in word or in deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Gospel: Luke 2:41—52

At age twelve, Jesus sat in the temple at Jerusalem listening to the teachers and asking them questions. He astounded everyone by his understanding and answers.

HEARING DEVICES are available for anyone interested in using them. They are located in the drawer beneath the holy water font.

LOW GLUTEN HOSTS are available. Please contact the parish office at 458-6114 to inquire.

Parish Office Staff

Office Manager: Kelly Bond
Bookkeeper: Cathi Nelson

Youth Ministry

Aaron Mayernik (PreK-6th) 459-8943
David Casey (Middle School) 443-4750
David Casey (High School) 443-4750

Music Ministry

Maggie Brennan

AFF (formerly RCIA)

Dennis O'Reilly 266-1181
Carleen Layne 594-6489

Finance Council Members

Bob Bennett Pete Oljar
JoAnne Canney Sharon Richetti
Dan Gengler Larry Thomas (Chair)
Charlotte McMilin

Pastoral Council Members

Bob & Micki Bennett Emily Frazier
Hugh & Mary Grace Black Dennis Mayernik
James Bond Kiley Nelson
Mark & Laurie Bowlds Paul Tschida

Baptism Classes

January-April-July-October (Contact Parish Office)

Marriage Preparation

6 months' notice required (Contact Parish Office)

Please call the parish office at 458-6114 to update any address or phone number changes. ~ Thank you!

A Welcoming Community

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

December 25 — January 9, 2022

Saturday 25th 9:00 am Christmas Mass *for Keith Konola*

3:00 pm NO Wolf Creek Mass

6:00 pm NO Mass



Sunday 26th 8:00 am Mass



9:15 am NO Pre-K—6th Faith Formation FF Center

9:20 am NO Tween the Masses (church)

10:30 am Live Stream Mass "missa pro populo"

Wednesday 29th 5:45 pm NO Reconciliation

6:30 pm NO Mass

7:00 pm NO 7th—12th Faith Formation

Friday 31st Office Closed

Saturday 1st 3:00 pm NO Wolf Creek Mass

6:00 pm NO Mass



Sunday 2nd 8:00 am Mass

9:15 am NO Pre-K—6th Faith Formation FF Center

9:20 am NO Tween the Masses (church)

10:30 am Live Stream Mass "missa pro populo"

EPIPHANY

Wednesday 5th 5:45 pm Reconciliation

6:30 pm Mass

7:00 pm 7th—12th Faith Formation
Ice Skating at Memorial Park



Saturday 8th 3:00 pm NO Wolf Creek Mass

6:00 pm Mass

Sunday 9th 8:00 am Mass

9:15 am Pre-K—6th Faith Formation FF Center

9:20 am Tween the Masses (church)

10:30 am Live Stream Mass "missa pro populo"

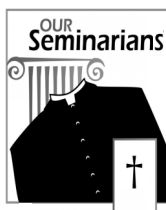


The link to join the 10:30 am streaming Mass is at olvmt.org.

Please remember our seminarians in prayer

Matthew Christiaens, Deacon,
Tyler Frohlich, Deacon

Dillon Armstrong, John Cooney, Riley Helgoe,
Kaleb Mitchell, Brett Rotz, Kyle Tannehill,
Alex Olmes, Anthony Olmes, Hadyn Pettersen,
Alex Ramirez, James Semling, and
Jamie Severson



**Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament**

in Trinity Hall Chapel at
Carroll College
Noon to 10 pm daily



Email prayer requests to
Jeaneen at
jeaneen1966@gmail.com

The Epiphany of the Lord January 2nd Readings

1st Reading: Isaiah 60:1—6

Darkness covers the earth, and heavy clouds hang over the people. But the light has come, and the glory of the Lord shines bright.

2nd Reading: Ephesians 3:2—3a, 5—6

In Christ Jesus, Gentiles and Jews are co-heirs of the family fortune and co-sharers in the saving promise.

Gospel: Matthew 2:1—12

The magi from the east followed the star until it stopped still over the house. They entered, found the child with Mary, prostrated themselves, and did him homage.

And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them.

- Matthew 2:9



**For unto us a Savior is Born.
Let us Rejoice and Be Glad!**

—Fr. Dan, Deacon Steve, and the OLV staff

The Baptism of the Lord January 9th Readings

Isaiah 40:1—5, 9—11
Titus 2:11—14, 3:4—7
Luke 3:15—16, 21—22

The **Latin Mass** will be held at SS. Cyril & Methodius on the Second Sunday of each month. The next scheduled Mass is Sunday, January 9th at Noon.



Goal \$57,800

**Pledged
\$41,790 (72%)**

**Participation
135 of 545 households
(24.77%)**

As of 12/22/2021



No Children's Liturgy of the Word December 26th or January 2nd

FOOD SHARE—Kids need us all year!

The "Wish List" food and other items

- canned soups
- canned tuna
- peanut butter
- flour
- canned meals like
- Spaghettios
- chili
- lasagna

ALWAYS NEEDED for Kid Packs

- Easy Mac cups
- pudding cups
- shelf stable milk
- cereal
- Kamut
- Low sugar:
- juice boxes
- fruit cups
- granola bars
- nut butters

WISH LIST—

- ♦Clorox wipes
- ♦Tall kitchen garbage bags

If you can help with
Wish List items please call
Liz 443-3663 x104 for details

Thank you from the bottom
of my cart!

November 108 lbs



OLV Youth and Family Events Calendar

Pre-K—6th Grade

TWEEN THE MASSES

Reflective
time of
prayer for
adults.
9:20 to
10:00
in the
church

Classes 9:15 am Sundays
Faith Formation Area

DECEMBER

26th No Class

JANUARY

2nd No Class

9th Class

16th No Class

23rd Class

30th Class

For more information call
Aaron Mayernik 459-8943



7th—12th Grade

Classes 7 pm Wednesday Nights
Faith Formation Area

DECEMBER

29th No Class

JANUARY



5th Ice Skating Party
at Memorial Park

12th Class

19th Class

26th Class

For more information call
David Casey 443-4750

NEXT BAPTISM CLASS at OLV SUNDAY JANUARY 16 9:15 am

Conference Room

Questions?

Call Parish Office

458-6114



HAPPY
NEW
YEAR



The Synodal Process in the Diocese of Helena

What
is a
Synodal
Process?

Carroll College Scholarships

Fr. Dan Shea Scholarship

This Scholarship shall be awarded to students who meet the
following eligibility requirements:

- Full-time student (12 credits)
- Demonstrates financial need and academic integrity (minimum of 2.5 cumulative GPA)
- Registered parishioner at OLV
- First-time and returning students are eligible
- **How to apply:** Submit a letter to the OLV parish office requesting to be considered for the scholarship and stating that the requirements of the scholarship have been met.

(Note: This is different from OLV Parish Scholarship below.)

Closing date: Must be in the OLV office by March 1, 2022.

OLV Parish Scholarship

Parish scholarships to Carroll College are again being offered to Our Lady of the Valley parishioners. \$1,000 is available for scholarships to students planning to attend Carroll for the first time in the Fall of 2022. Applications are online for **registered students** at Carroll College.

Apply at: carroll.academicworks.com/users/sign_in with Carroll-issued login and password.

Questions? Email Lara Thomas

lthomas@carroll.edu or 406-447-5425.

Students need to reach out to the parish by March 1, 2022 and request a recommendation letter from Father Dan Shea.

Questions? Contact Kelly Bond olvoffice@olvmt.org or 406-458-6114

Pope Francis is asking us to consider these questions:

What does the Holy Spirit expect of the Church in the 21st Century?

How is this "journeying together" happening today in our parish community?

How are we "walking together" as a church?



Pope Francis has invited everyone to be involved in an extraordinary task—to listen to each other. He wants to hear from every part of the Church throughout the world: those committed to the church, those who have left the church, those who have never been a part of the church, the poor and marginalized, and those who don't feel welcome in the church. It has been said that this will be the largest single consultation in the world!

You are invited to join in and be a part of this conversation--and to invite others to join as well.

We need you!

How can you participate?

Bishop Vetter, himself, will host 6 gatherings throughout the Diocese, during Lent. These gatherings begin in prayer, with one hour of Eucharistic Adoration, inviting the Holy Spirit to be present and to guide us. A time of discussion with the Bishop will follow. There will be an on-line survey for those who can't meet in person.

This is an exciting time for the Church. More details will be coming soon.

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

SAT 6 PM

SUN 8 AM

SUN 10:30 AM

January 1 – 2

Lectors: No Mass
Eucharistic Ministers:
Greeters:
Altar Servers:

Bill Kearney, Russ Ehman
Shannon Ackeret
Fred & Pat Verzani
Volunteers Welcome

Aurora Sebestyen, Dennis Mayernik
Deacon Randy Fraser
Dylan & Sara Berg
Volunteers Welcome

January 8 – 9

Lectors: Elizabeth Hale
Eucharistic Ministers: Vicky Galt
Greeters: Volunteers Welcome
Altar Servers: Volunteers Welcome

Ed Beall, Mary Dolan
Bruce Coen
Rick & Mary Baker
Volunteers Welcome

Chris McGonigle, Erik Burke
Shirley Timmerman
Pat Zinke
Volunteers Welcome

Bread Bakers (All Masses): Pat Therriault Jan 1—2, 8—9 Up next: Anita Kearney Jan 15—16, 22—23

2022 Offertory Envelopes

Please pick up your 2022 envelopes in the bottom drawer by the office

If you have not used envelopes before and would like to start, please use the yellow sign-up sheet and help yourself to an unlabeled packet.

Questions? Please call the parish office at 458-6114.

Our Parish Stewardship

December 12, 2021 \$ 5,978
December 19, 2021 \$ 8,468

Comparative Cumulative Annual Offering (July 1 to date)

December 13, 2020 \$ 158,155
December 12, 2021 \$ 181,090
December 20, 2020 \$ 165,627
December 19, 2021 \$ 189,559

(Annual totals include online stewardship participation.)



Retirement Fund for Religious
\$5,861 collected

2022 Calendars are here!
Pick yours up today!

On the table in Gathering Space.

Thank you!

Denton Fire Relief Fund
\$2,525 collected
Final funds submitted



Helena Catholic Women's Conference
"Come To Me"

Matthew 11:28

Be Healed

Friday, April 1, 2022~5:30

Mass and Rosary offered for families, all are welcome
Cathedral of St. Helena

Saturday, April 2, 2022~8 am
Women's Conference,
Adoration,
Confessions, Vendors,
Fellowship at Helena Civic Center visit:
Helenacwc.com




SUNDAY

JANUARY 23 4-7 PM

CHILI FEED ~ AUCTION ~ RAFFLE

The Pastoral Council and Social Committee will be looking for items to auction at the event. Anyone that would like to donate an item please see sign up sheet on the table in the Gathering Space or call the parish office.

LOOK FOR MORE INFORMATION IN FUTURE BULLETINS

