



Office Hours: 10 am-3 pm Monday-Friday

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Parish Office Staff

Office Manager: Kelly Bond Bookkeeper: Cathi Nelson

Youth Ministry

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Music Ministry

Maggie Brennan

AFF (formerly RCIA)

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

Finance Council Members

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

Charlotte McMilin

Pastoral Council Members

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

Baptism Classes

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

Marriage Preparation

6 months' notice required (Contact Parish Office)

Next Baptism class:

Wednesday, April 6, 2022 at 4 pm



received

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

Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you; I no longer deserve to be called your son.

- Luke 15:21

4th Sunday of Lent March 27th Readings

1st Reading: Joshua 5:9a, 10—12

God delivered Israel from Egypt. All the people celebrated Passover with unleavened cakes and parched grain in their new land, the promised land flowing with milk and honey.

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:17—21

We are ambassadors for Christ and ministers of reconciliation to one another. We must all be reconciled to God so that we might "become the righteousness of God in him.

Gospel: Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

Jesus told his followers the parable of the prodigal son. It is never too late to repent, to be received back by a loving father, and to enjoy his presence forever.

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

HEARING DEVICES

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

5th Sunday of Lent April 3rd Readings

Isaiah 43:16-21 Philippians 3:8—14 John 8:1-11

Please contact the parish office at 458-6114 to update your phone records when disconnecting your landline. ~ Thank you!





UPCOMING SCHEDULE

March 26 — April 3, 2022

Saturday 26th 3:00 pm NO Wolf Creek Mass

6:00 pm Mass

Sunday 27th 8:00 am Mass for Gayle Howard

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"

Tuesday 7:00 pm Penance Liturgy

Wednesday 30th 5:45 pm Reconciliation

6:30 pm Mass

7:00 pm NO 7th—12th Faith Formation FF Center

Thursday 31st 1:30 pm Soul Core

Friday 1st 6:00 pm Stations of the Cross Church

6:30 pm Soup and Bread FF Center

7:15 pm Adult Spirituality FF Center

Saturday 2nd 3:00 pm Wolf Creek Mass

6:00 pm Mass

Sunday 3rd 8:00 am Mass

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

Area Lenten Schedules

9:20 am NO Tween the Masses Church

OLV Youth and Family Events Calendar

Pre-K—6th Grade

7th—12th Grade

Classes 9:15 am Sundays Faith Formation Center

MARCH

Classes 7 pm Wednesday nights Faith Formation Center

MARCH

30th No Class ~Spring Break

APRIL Spring Break!

3rd No Class

27th No Class

10th Class

17th No Class

24th Class

MAY

1st Last Class

For more information call





First Eucharist May 1st at the 10:30 Mass

APRIL

6th Class

13th Class

20th Class

27th Class

MAY

4th Class

11th Last Class ~Mario Kart

For more information call **David Casey 443-4750**





Tuesdays

Fridays

Lenten



Email prayer requests to Jeaneen at jeaneen1966@gmail.com

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



Thank you for registering!

James Seymour and Carol Chisholm And Erik, Cassie, Annabelle, Joseph, and Caleb Hall Welcome to our parish!

OLV Holy Week **Schedule**

4/14 **Holy Thursday** 7:00 pm

4/15 **Good Friday** 7:00 pm

Bring vour rocks back to place at the foot of the cross.

4/16 Easter Vigil Saturday 8:00 pm

4/17 **Easter Sunday** 8:00 am 10:30 am

	A	Tea Lenien Schedules			Penance
	Parish	Friday Evening Devotions	Adult Spirituality Series	Confessions	Service
y	Our Lady of the Valley	Stations of the Cross Fridays 6:00 pm 4/1 and 4/8 followed by soup and bread STATIONS CROSS	Fridays Contemporary Catholic Issues after soup and bread	Wednesdays 5:45 pm	Tuesday 3/29 7:00 pm Bring canned food for Helena Food Share
	St. Helena Cathedral	Stations of the Cross 5:00 pm	Works of Louis	Saturdays after 9:00 am Mass	No service
ot	Ss. Cyril & Methodius	Stations of the Cross Fridays 5:30 pm followed by a soup meal	Days	Wednesdays after 12:00 pm Mass April 6th 5:30 to 7:00 pm	No service
y	St Mary's Catholic Community	Friday Evening Prayer 4/1 5:30 pm, followed by soup and bread Living Stations by Youth Group 5:30 pm 4/8 followed by soup and bread	Catholic Social Teaching Sundays 9:15 to 10:00 am 3/27, and 4/3	Wednesdays 3:30 pm to 5:00 pm	

Saturday Rosary Every Saturday at the Cathedral 8:30 am Sponsored by K of C 844



FOOD SHARE—Kids need us all year!

The "Wish List" food and other items

- -canned soups
- -canned meals like
- -canned tuna -peanut butter -flour

-Easy Mac cups

-pudding cups -shelf stable milk

-cereal

-Kamut

Spaghettios

Low sugar:

-juice boxes

-granola bars

-nut butters

fruit cups

-chili

ALWAYS NEEDED for Kid Packs

-lasagna

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

Thank you from the bottom of my cart!

February 238 lbs

D. Carl

WISH LIST—

♦Tall kitchen garbage bags

♦Clorox wipes



IUNIOR HIGH #1 IUNE 19-24 JUNIOR HIGH #2 ····· JUNE 26-JULY 1

HIGH SCHOOL ······ JULY 10-15

LEADERSHIP CAMP JULY 17-22

5TH & 6TH GRADE BOYS ••••• JULY 24-29

5TH & 6TH GRADE GIRLS ****** JULY 31-AUGUST 5



JUNE 12-15, 2022

The St. Kateri Institute provides high school youth with a spiritual and academic experience that develops their understanding of the relationship between faith and reason under the beautiful big skies of Montana.

CARROLL.EDU/KATERI





JUNE 19-24, 2022 BROWNING, MT

A WEEK OF SERVICE. IMMERSION, and SOLIDARITY

JUSTICE OUTREACH PROJECT

Focused on the needs and capabilities of young people by placing them outside their comfort zone. This extraordinarily fun and unique adventure crosses the borders of race and culture. Some highlights: Mass in Glacier National Park, Fireworks and Friendships. DOHYOUTH.ORG/JOP



"When the Well Runs Dry"

Led by Dawn Brannman
Director of Faith Formation, St. Mary's Catholic Community

JULY 15-16, 2022 at Legendary Lodge

For registration and details, visit: www.diocesehelena.org

Mass of Chrism

The Faithful of the Diocese of Helena are invited to the Chrism Mass at the Cathedral of St. Helena to take place at Noon on Tuesday, April 5, 2022.

The Chrism Mass is a special celebration in the liturgical life of the Church in the Diocese of Helena. Bishop Vetter will bless the Holy Oils for use in the coming year and priests of the diocese will renew their priestly promises.

Volunteer Appreciation Dinner Sunday April 24 5 pm

Please be our guest!

This is a time to say thanks to those who contribute in any way to church activities by giving their time, treasure, and talent to OLV parish.

Have you helped any of these?

children's liturgy faith formation class AFF (RCIA) music ministry hospital ministries Eucharistic minister Pastoral Council donating money

lectoring greeting people funeral receptions doing clean-up planting trees Finance Council counting money bread bakers

Menu: Ham, potato salad, salad, fruit bowl, rolls, and pie!

The **Oil of the Sick** is used in Sacrament of the Sick to bring the strengthening and healing power of Christ who is at work in the Church by the action of the Holy Spirit.

The **Oil of Catechumens** is used at Baptism, to strengthen (with wisdom and courage to live the Gospel) and purify candidates (from original sin) before baptizing with water.

The **Oil of Chrism**, or Sacred Chrism, is a mixture of olive oil and balsam fragrance used just after Baptism, and to seal candidates for Confirmation. It is also used to anoint the hands of priests and the heads of bishops at Ordination.

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

SUN 8 AM SUN 10:30 AM SAT 6 PM

March 26 – 27

Lectors: Karolyne Redding Eucharistic Ministers: Tammy Novotny Greeters: Volunteers Welcome

Altar Servers: Eddie Quinn, Sully Quinn

Pam O'Reilly, Mary Dolan

Lutgen Miley Solich

Stella Iverson, Charlie Iverson

Chris McGonigle, Dennis Mayernik

Deacon Randy Fraser Dylan & Sara Berg

Ashton Courchane, Emery Hash

April 2-3

Lectors: Elizabeth Hale Eucharistic Ministers: Deacon Steve Barry

Greeters: Volunteers Welcome Altar Servers: Volunteers Welcome

Kevin Molm, Bill Kearney Deacon Steve Barry Norma Stoltz, Gerry Ryan

Owen Molm, Emma Wegner

Aurora Sebestyen, Dennis Mayernik

Deacon Steve Barry Shirley Timmerman

Ashlyn Newhouse, Corbin Burk

Bread Bakers (All Masses):

Jonna Brenton Apr 2—3, 9—10

Up next: Charlotte McMilin Apr 14 Holy Thursday & 16 Vigil

Our Parish Stewardship



March 20, 2022 offertory 4.161 **NEW** ParishSOFT Giving \$ 26

Comparative Cumulative Annual Offering (July 1 to date)

March 21, 2021

\$292,129

March 20, 2022

\$304,345

Thank you! March 20, 2022 \$304,3
Annual totals include online stewardship participation.



\$1.614.50 **Collected**



\$19.55 Collected

OLV Lenten Alms Project Helping Moms and Babies Take an egg off the net or window

Buy from the wish list on the back of the egg. Return items and place them in and around the playpen. *Or take an envelope* that is on the table and make a check out to OLV. Items will be shared Between Catholic Social Services and **Options**





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Please remember in your prayers these members of our parish who were called to the Father this past year.

Warren Adams, Sandy Brockbank, Christine Casey, Robert DiLeo, Peggy Flynn, Jeanne Gustafson, David Jacoby, RaNay Keller, Bill Kotan, Dean Mack, Deacon Dick Miller. Ken Moon, Raymond Schell, Beverly Schuldt, Melvin Schuldt. Sheila Sullivan, Jim Turcotte, Sheri Weber, Larry Zanto,

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful

departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Amen



\$20 CRS general \$410 CRS Ukraine

This week we take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection to reveal Christ's love to our brothers and sisters in need. This collection helps six Catholic agencies to provide relief and support for struggling communities and to work towards peace. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.



If you want your donation to go to Ukraine, write it on the envelope or your check memo. There are labeled envelopes on the table in the entryway for your convenience

Goal \$57,800 Pledged \$55,055 95%!! Participation 153 of 545 households 28.07% as of 3/24/2022





Please remember our seminarians in prayer and to pray for more priestly vocations!

Deacon Matthew Christiaens, Deacon Tyler Frohlich, Kyle Tannehill, Dillon Armstrong, Kaleb Mitchell, John Cooney, Riley Helgoe, Brett Rotz, Alex Olmes, Jamie Severson, Anthony Olmes, Alex Ramirez, and James Semling

OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY PARISH



LENTEN PENANCE LITURGY

Preparation Guide

Tuesday, March 29th at 7:00pm

All sin either wounds or destroys some aspect of a relationship: your relationship with God, your relationship with others, and/or your relationship with yourself. Before going to Confession, take time to pray about these areas of your life. Whatever your sins, know that Christ is waiting to heal you and restore you to holiness.

Relationship with God

Is there something or someone in your life that you depend on more than God?

Have you compartmentalized your relationship with God worshipping on Sunday but then forgetting Him the rest of the week?

Do you bow down to false gods like image and muterialism?

Is your focus on yourself or on God and others?

Do you make time to pray every day? Do you listen when you pray?

Do you go to Mass every Sunday and try to pay attention while you are there?

Have you avoided the occasions of sin: places, programs, friends that are not good for you? Have you been consistent in seeking God's forgiveness when you have sinned?

Relationship with others

Have you been selfish and ignored the needs of others?

Are you willing to serve others? Do you look for opportunities to do so?

Do you gossip or use words to damage another's reputation?

Have you been afraid to give witness to your faith because of what someone else might think or say?

Are you willing to forgive others or do you hold grudges?

Are you respectful in your words (jokes, comments, etc.)?

Have you ever treated another person as an object for your own pleasure?

Do your relationships help or hinder your Christian life?

Relationship with yourself

Have you ever sinned through pride, ignoring or resenting the fact that you are not God? Have you forgotten your need for a Savior?

Do you love yourself the way God made you or do you sometimes envy the gifts of others?

Have you been a person of integrity, being faithful to your Christian identity always (especially when it is not convenient)?

Do you use the talents that God has given you to give Him glory and to bring goodness to others?

Are you grateful for the gifts you have received from God and from others?

Do you participate in behaviors that are self-destructive?

Have you been chaste in your thoughts and behaviors with yourself and with others?

Have you looked at pornography or other objectifying images on the internet or somewhere else?

Have you abused substances (alcohol or drugs)?

Have you ever done something you regret while under the influence of alcohol or drugs?

Do you habitually examine your life to see where change may be needed?

Remember, there is no sin that has ever been committed that is greater than the mercy and love of Jesus. Come to confession with courage because Jesus loves you. Leave your sins with Him, and receive His love that is stronger than even death.

You are loved!