

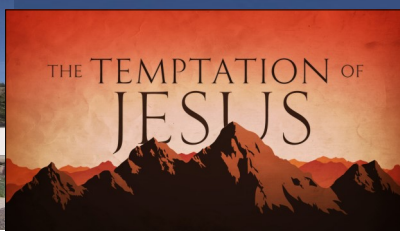
Fr. Dan Shea, Sacramental Minister
Deacon Steve Barry, Pastoral Administrator
Deacon Randy Fraser, (Senior Status)



Our Lady of the Valley



SACRED HEART CHURCH
125 Walsh St Wolf Creek, MT



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 **5:30 pm** or by appointment

"All these I shall give to you,
if you will prostrate yourself and worship me."
At this, Jesus said to him, "Get away, Satan!"

— Matthew 4:9–10

1st Sunday of Lent Today's Readings

1st Reading: Genesis 2:7–9, 3:1–7

The Lord God created Adam and Eve and set them in the garden of Eden. They had all they needed, but the serpent tempted them, and they disobeyed God's command.

2nd Reading: Romans 5:12–19

Just as through Adam's disobedience all became sinners, through Christ's obedience all shall become just.

Gospel: Matthew 4:1–11

After Jesus fasted for forty days and nights in the desert, the devil tempted him in three ways. Through all these, Jesus resisted temptation and remained faithful to the Lord God. When the devil left, angels came and ministered to Jesus.

2nd Sunday of Lent, March 5th Readings

Genesis 12:1–4a
2 Timothy 1:8b–10
Matthew 17:1–9



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Maggie Brennan

RCIA

Dennis O'Reilly 406-266-1181

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Finance Council Members

Bob Bennett

JoAnne Canney

Dan Gengler

Jim McKeon

Charlotte McMilin

Sharon Richetti

Larry Thomas (Chair)

Pastoral Council Members

Hugh & Mary Grace Black Silvana Hackett

Pat & Hanna Marron

Rose Morrison

Dennis Mayernik (Chair)

John Ries

Baptism Classes

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

Marriage Preparation

6 months' notice required (Contact Parish Office)

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

A Welcoming Community

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

February 25th— March 5, 2023

FFA-Faith Formation Area, GS-Gathering Space, CR-Conference Room

Saturday 25th	3:00 pm	No Wolf Creek Mass
	6:00 pm	Mass for David Speranza
Sunday 26th	8:00 am	Mass Rite of Sending
	9:15 am	PreK-6th RE FFA
	10:30 am	Live Stream Mass "missa pro populo"
	3:00 pm	Rite of Election at Cathedral
Monday 27th	6:00 pm	Raising Catholic Kids FFA
	7:00 pm	Bible Study "Parables" CR
Wednesday 1st		High School Hangout Night
	5:00 pm	at the Flying Giant! <i>More details in bulletin</i>
	5:30 pm	Reconciliation
	6:30 pm	Mass
	7:00 pm	RCIA GS
Thursday 2nd	1:30 pm	Soul Core FFA
Friday 3rd	6:00 pm	Stations of the Cross
	6:30 pm	Lenten Soup & Bread FFA
	7:15 pm	Adult Spirituality ~ The Chosen FFA
Saturday 4th	3:00 pm	Wolf Creek Mass
	6:00 pm	Mass
Sunday 5th	8:00 am	Mass
	9:15 am	PreK-6th RE FFA
	10:30 am	Live Stream Mass "missa pro populo"
	10:30 pm	Rite of Enrollment
	12:00 pm	Confirmation Session #2 FFA



Lenten Adult Spirituality

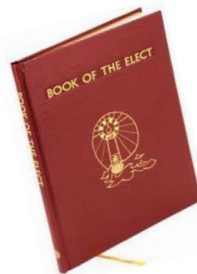
Father Dan will be having an Adult Spirituality class on The Chosen series. This will take place on Fridays during Lent and after Stations of the Cross and Lenten Soup and bread.



There will be brief summary of the episode's content, scripture passages, and discussion questions to ponder as a group and pray for one another.

Come, follow me and I will make you fishers of men.

THE RITE OF ELECTION is the second step on the catechumens journey toward Baptism. The Church chooses those it deems ready for initiation and leads them into the more intense period of Lenten preparation. Those chosen inscribe their names in the BOOK OF THE ELECT as a promise of faithfulness to the call they have received from Christ. At the Easter Vigil, they will be baptized, confirmed, and receive Eucharist. Thus they will be fully initiated into the Body of Christ.



Cathedral of St. Helena ~
February 26th at 3 pm

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

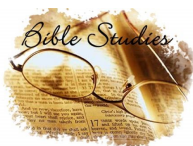
Raising Catholic Kids:

A one-night interactive presentation designed to share best practices for parents wanting to raise their kids in the faith. Don't miss a simple evening of discussion and workshopping proven ideas. This is for all parents, grandparents, and adults interested in the raising of a generation of actively engaged Catholics.

****Childcare provided on site****



Monday, February 27th at 6 pm



Sign up for Fr Dan's 5-week Bible Study on the Parables starting February 27th at 7 pm in the Conference Room. Books available in the office for \$17



Welcome Netter, Amanda & Walker Kuser to our Parish!

PRAYER

Email prayer requests to Jeaneen at jeaneen1966@gmail.com

LOW GLUTEN HOSTS

are available. Please contact the parish office at 406-458-6114 to inquire.

The Pastoral Council invites you to

Three ways to help.

6 left!

1. Monetary donation to offset group dinner already purchased by OLV (small envelopes)
2. Take an envelope taped on the wall in the Gathering Space with a name on it. Send a care package to seminarian. *Information in envelope. (Sign-up sheet)*
3. Take a prayer card and pray for a specific seminarian.

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

Carter Anderson, Dillon Armstrong, Shae Bills, Lane Buus, John Cooney, Riley Helgoe, Matthew Keck, Kaleb Mitchell, Alex Olmes, Anthony Olmes, Jack Peed, Brett Rotz, James Semling, Jamie Severson, and Deacon Kyle Tannehill



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, 2023.**

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.

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

Questions? Email Lara Thomas
lthomas@carroll.edu or 406-447-5425.

In addition to online application, students need to reach out to the parish by **March 1, 2023** and request a recommendation letter from Father Dan Shea to meet a March 15th deadline.

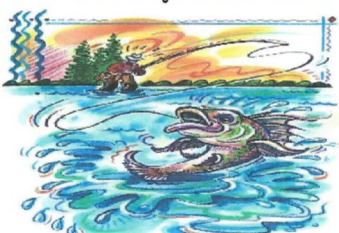
Questions? Contact Kelly Bond olvoffice@olvm.org or 406-458-6114.

Knights of Columbus Fish Fry

Friday March 3rd, 17th & 31st 2023

5pm-7pm

KC Hall - 1867 N. Washington St - Behind Whalen Tire



\$15 a plate for fresh fish (Cod), coleslaw and potatoes

Homemade Clam Chowder \$6 - Mac & Cheese \$4

Bring a non-perishable food item for Helena Food Share

Soda, Beer, Wine & Mixed Drinks available

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!

"Kindness Makes Miracles"



Rice bowls are available on the table in the Gathering Space.

Reflect on how the pillars of prayer, fasting and almsgiving can guide your journey for a more enriching Lenten experience.

visit: crsricebowl.org to learn more!

PRAY FOR



TURKEY & SYRIA

The Helena We Adore Him Team invites you to spend a Holy Hour with Jesus each week! Here's how:

Sign up for a free account at:

Helena.WeAdoreHim.com

Choose the hours you would like to pray at Trinity Chapel on the Carroll College campus from 5 AM to 10 PM
Make changes or find a substitute at the same website

We need two adorers scheduled per hour so that Jesus is protected and never left alone, so **SPREAD THE WORD!!!**

Other ways to directly give:
Catholic Near East Welfare Association

cnewa.org to donate or mail a check to: Catholic Near East Welfare Association, 1011 First Ave, New York, NY 10022-4195

(write Earthquake Relief on the memo line of the check)

Catholic Relief Services
support.crs.org/donate/earthquakes
or Catholic Relief Services
PO Box 5200,
Harlan, IA 51593-0700



Signup today!



DIocese OF HELENA

Eucharistic Congress & CYC Convention

MARCH 25-26, 2023

CARROLL COLLEGE
(HELENA)

OPEN TO ALL-AGES

For more information and to register go to
www.diocesehelena.org/EucharisticCongress

Please join us for young adult fellowship through Devotions on Draft on **March 2nd** with guest speaker Father Bart Tolleson. Our meeting will be held at Missouri River Brewing Company, 451 Spencer Ct, East Helena, beginning at **7 pm!**

We hope to see you there!

Further information can be located on our Facebook and Instagram pages -
[@devotionsondraft_hln](https://www.instagram.com/devotionsondraft_hln)

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

SAT 6 PM

SUN 8 AM

SUN 10:30 AM

February 25 – February 26

Lectors: Jim Shea
Eucharistic Ministers: Mike Latka
Dan Haag
Cathy Haag

Greeters: Jere & Kay Hoy
Altar Servers: Volunteers welcome

Ed Beall, Kathleen Callahan
Mary Vogl
Teri Flemming
Emily Frazier
Terri Temple
Linda Juvik
JoEllen Moon
Volunteers welcome

Keith Kelly, Chris McGonigle
Mike Newhouse
Cassandra Jimenez
JoAnne Canney
Karen Bourquin
Deacon Randy Fraser
Ron Miller
Evie Mayernik, Owen Molm

March 4 – March 5

Lectors: Elizabeth Hale
Eucharistic Ministers: Deacon Steve Barry
Chris Christensen
Reid Christensen

Greeters: Volunteers welcome
Altar Servers: Volunteers welcome

Bill Allen, Trish Bartz
Deacon Steve Barry
Al Williams
Kathie Williams
Bruce Coen
Diane Gray
Fred & Pat Verzani
Annie Snellman, Lillian Rowley

Dennis Mayernik, Carol Chisholm
Deacon Steve Barry
Deacon Randy Fraser
Mary Fraser
Cassandra Jimenez
Shirley Timmerman
Dylan & Sara Berg
Stella & Charlie Iverson

Bread Bakers (All Masses): Barbara Moore Mar 3 — 4, 11 — 12 Up next Jan Pepin Mar 18 — 19, 25 — 26

OUR PARISH STEWARDSHIP

February 19, 2023 \$ 4,736

NEW ParishSOFT Giving \$ 100
Comparative Cumulative Annual Offering
(July 1 to date)

February 20, 2022 \$ 266,829

February 21, 2023 \$ 263,425

(Annual totals include online stewardship participation.)

Thank You!



BLACK AND INDIAN
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Today, our parish will take up the 139th annual National Black and Indian Mission Collection. Our support of this collection helps build the Church in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities from coast to coast. Schools, parish religious education programs, and diocesan ministries depend on your generosity to help them spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ! You can help meet unmet needs with a generous contribution today. Thank you for your support.

An Opportunity to Help Your Parish!

It's time for the **ANNUAL PARISH ENDOWMENT MATCH** program!

\$300 Is how much the FOUNDATION will give each parish endowment.

\$300 If a parish receives \$300 worth of gifts to the church endowment by March 31, 2023, the church will receive another ...

+\$300 matching gift from the FOUNDATION!

\$900 Will be added to your parish endowment to help perpetuate our faith for generations to come!

Last year the FOUNDATION gave \$30,000 to our parishes through these grants and matches!

Mail your tax deductible donation to FDOH, PO Box 1729, Helena, MT 59624 and put the name of your parish on the memo line, or donate online at fdoh.org/giving. Questions? Contact the Foundation at 406-389-7050.

Match donations must be postmarked by March 31, 2023.



Carroll College presents:

High School Hangout Night, at the Flying Giant!

Wednesday, March 1st from 5-7:30 pm.

Be sure to register in advance and complete the online waiver at sleepinggiantparks.com

RSVP with Julie Malmo at 406-447-5575 or jmalmo@carroll.edu



Please join us for the Spring 40 Days for Life Kickoff Rally
Tuesday, February 21, 2023
9:00 am to 6:00 pm
Helena Planned Parenthood
1500 Cannon Street, Helena

We are asking every participating congregation or organizing group to commit to a 2 hour block of prayer time. If you do not have that kind of time on Tuesday, please do NOT let this keep you from coming to the sidewalk. We are called to take action.

Please join us for the Spring 40 Days for Life Midway Rally
Saturday, March 11, 2023
11:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Corner of
11th Ave & N. Montana Ave
CVS/Walgreens

Please join us for the Spring 40 Days for Life Closing Rally
Saturday, April 1, 2023
3:00 PM to 5:00 PM
Knights of Columbus Hall
1867 Washington St, Helena



SCAN TO SIGN UP

You can sign up for your vigil times at <https://www.40daysforlife.com/helena>

These events are sponsored by Pro-Life Helena with Cheryl Wilson as our campaign leader. Please join us in prayer and compassion for mothers, babies, and their families, at the *sidewalk crossroads*.

Together, YES WE CAN save lives by melting hearts and changing minds to the beauty and uniqueness of each individual human life.

If you have any questions, or would like to help on this Spring Campaign, please email ProLifeHelena@gmail.com
Visit us on Facebook at Pro-Life Helena



Popes

February Intentions:

For parishes

We pray that parishes, placing communion at the center, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.