

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

Sacred Heart Church

**Office Hours:** 10 am-3 pm  
Monday-Friday

**Parish Office:**  
406-458-6114  
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### 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

"How can you, a Jew, ask me,  
a Samaritan woman, for a drink?"  
— John 4:9

## 3rd Sunday of Lent Today's Readings

### 1st Reading: Exodus 17:3—7

The Israelites grumbled against Moses for leading them out of Egypt. They were thirsty, and there was no water in the desert, so Moses struck a rock with his staff, and water flowed out for the people to drink.

### 2nd Reading: Romans 5:1—2, 5—8

"The love of God has been poured out into our hearts," and that love is immeasurable; "While we were still sinners Christ died for us."

### Gospel: John 4:5—42

Jesus met a Samaritan woman at the well. She offered him water from the well, and he, in turn, offered her the living water of eternal life. As a result, she and many others came to know that Jesus is the Savior.

## 4th Sunday of Lent March 19th Readings

**1 Samuel 16:1b, 6—7,  
10—13a**  
**Ephesians 5:8—14**  
**John 9:1—41**

**LOW GLUTEN  
HOSTS**  
are available.  
Please contact the  
parish office at  
406-458-6114  
to inquire.

### Parish Office Staff

Office Manager: Kelly Bond  
Bookkeeper: Cathi Nelson

### Youth Ministry

Becky Tooke (PreK-6th Grade) 406-461-2995  
David Casey (7th & 8th Grade) 406-443-4750  
David Casey (High School) 406-443-4750

### Music Ministry

Maggie Brennan

### RCIA

Dennis O'Reilly 406-266-1181  
Carleen Layne 406-594-6489

### 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 Class: April 12th at 4pm

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 March 11th— March 19th, 2023

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

Saturday 11th	3:00 pm No Wolf Creek Mass
	6:00 pm Mass
Sunday 12th	8:00 am Mass for John J Girolami First Scrutiny
	9:15 am PreK-6th RE FFA
	10:30 am Live Stream Mass "missa pro populo"
Monday 13th	7:00 pm Bible Study "Parables" GS
Wednesday 15th	5:30 pm Reconciliation
	6:30 pm Mass
	7:00 pm 7th-12th Grade RE FFA
	7:00 pm RCIA GS
Thursday 16th	1:30 pm Soul Core FFA
Friday 17th	6:00 pm Stations of the Cross
	6:30 pm Lenten Soup & Bread FFA
	7:15 pm Adult Spirituality ~ The Chosen FFA
Saturday 18th	3:00 pm Wolf Creek Mass
	6:00 pm Mass
Sunday 19th	8:00 am Mass Second Scrutiny
	9:15 am PreK-6th RE FFA
	10:30 am Live Stream Mass "missa pro populo"



The link to join the 10:30 am streaming Mass is at [olymt.org](http://olymt.org)

## Penance and Holy Week Schedule

Penance Service	Thursday, March 23, at 6:30 pm
Palm Sunday	April 2nd
Wednesday	April 5th No Reconciliation or Mass
Holy Thursday	April 6th at 7 pm
Good Friday	April 7th at 7 pm
Easter Vigil	Saturday, April 8th at 8 pm
Easter Sunday	April 9th at 8 am and 10:30 am

## 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!



FOUNDATION  
for the Diocese of Helena

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](http://fdoh.org/giving). Questions? Contact the Foundation at 406-389-7050.

Match donations must be postmarked by March 31, 2023.

**DISPENSATION FOR ST PATRICK'S DAY**  
Bishop Vetter dispensed the obligatory abstaining from meat on Friday, March 17th only, to celebrate the Memorial of St Patrick.

He does encourage fasting a different day.



## OLV from Lent to Life

### OLV Lenten Alms Project — Helping Moms and Babies

Take an egg from the back window, pray about what works for you, and know the items will be shared between **Catholic Social Services** and **Options Clinic**.

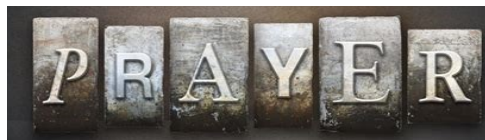
### Wish list

- Diapers & Pullups all sizes
- Baby wipes
- New car seats
- Sleepers
- Baby clothing up to NB to 5T
- Baby/toddler hygiene items
- Gift cards

(grocery store, gas cards, etc...)

Bring items in and place items in or around the playpen.

OLV Lent to Life" is not the same as CRS's national "For Lent For Life."



Email prayer requests to Jeaneen at [jeaneen1966@gmail.com](mailto:jeaneen1966@gmail.com)

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, Caleb Mitchell, Alex Olmes, Anthony Olmes, Jack Peed, Brett Rotz, James Semling, Jamie Severson, and Deacon Kyle Tannehill



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



RaNay Keller, Raymond Schell, Christine Casey, Dean Mack, Sheri Weber, James Turcotte, Gingerlee Yde, Jewel Hurley, JoAnne Mack, Arlene Smith, Mary Anne Jensen, Don Thelen, Theresa Strizich, Mary DeGroat, Ron Spragg, Helen Fallini, Sandee Hanson, Betty Walker, Michael Spotorno, Duane Bakken, Mike Petrino

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

PRAY

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**"Come to Me"**  
~ Matt 11:28

**SAVE THE DATE**

FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 2023 - 5:30 PM  
ROSARY & MASS OFFERED FOR FAMILIES  
FOR ALL MEN, WOMEN & CHILDREN  
CATHEDRAL OF ST. HELENA

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE**

**SPA DAY FOR THE SOUL**  
Join women from Montana  
and beyond for prayer,  
speakers, music,  
fellowship, and more!  
Our "Spa Day" includes Mass.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 2023**  
CIVIC CENTER - HELENA, MONTANA  
[helenacwc.com](http://helenacwc.com)

## Children's Liturgy of the Word



No Children's  
Liturgy of the Word March  
26th through April 9th

<b>PreK-6th grade</b>	Becky Tooke 406-461-2995
<b>March 12th</b>	<b>Class</b>
<b>March 19th</b>	<b>Class</b>
<b>March 26th through April 9th</b>	<b>No class</b>

## 2023 Eucharistic Congress & CYC Convention at Carroll College

March 24th 6:30 pm to 10:30 pm  
(High School Youth only)

March 25th - 26th  
(all ages)

**First Eucharist**  
May 7th at 10:30 Mass

**Confirmation**  
May 21st at 3:00 pm  
at the Cathedral

**DEVOTIONS ON DRAFT**  
EST. 2021  
HELENA, MONTANA

**COME JOIN US**  
On Tuesday, April 18th  
at 7pm

**WITH GUEST  
SPEAKER  
SHANNON BELLE**

Missouri River Brewing Co  
451 Spencer Ct, East Helena

## 7th grade - High School David Casey 406-443-4750

<b>March 14th Tuesday</b>	<b>Deeper Dive 7-8 am</b>	<b>Vanilla Bean High School</b>
<b>March 15th Wednesday</b>	<b>Class 7-8:30 pm</b>	<b>Faith Formation Area 7th-12th grade</b>
<b>March 16th Thursday</b>	<b>Burger King Bible Study 3:15-4 pm</b>	<b>Burger King 6th-8th grade</b>
<b>March 17th Friday</b>	<b>YOUCAT CHAT NOON</b>	<b>Capital HS Band Room</b>



**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](http://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!!!**

**relevant**  
97.3FM **radio**

Whatever you're looking  
for: faith in education,  
a community to pray  
with, today's headline  
through a Catholic lens,  
you'll find it on 97.3FM,

Helena's Catholic  
Relevant Radio station.

**KNEH BANQUET**  
Friday April 21 Tickets  
[www.kneh.org](http://www.kneh.org)

**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](http://www.diocesehelena.org/EucharisticCongress)

**please RSVP**

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE**  
THE BEGINNING OF THE END OF ABORTION.

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

## Reminder: Eucharistic Procession Open to All

Whether or not you are a registered participant of the Eucharistic Congress/CYC Convention, March 25-26, in Helena, all are invited to join in the Eucharistic Procession from the Cathedral of St. Helena to All Saints Chapel at Carroll College at 12:30 pm on Sunday (weather permitting). The procession is expected to last around one hour and is a wonderful opportunity for us to prayerfully witness our love for Christ.

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# MINISTRY SCHEDULES

**SAT 6 PM**

**SUN 8 AM**

**SUN 10:30 AM**

## March 11 – March 12

Lectors: Karolyne Redding  
Eucharistic Ministers: Mike Latka  
Dave Galt  
Vicky Galt

Greeters: Jere & Kay Hoy  
Altar Servers: Eddie Quinn

Irene Strauss, Bob Bennett  
Lutgen  
John Hallsten  
Sue Hallsten  
Paul Tschida  
Larry Thomas  
Norma Stoltz  
Beth & Natalie Lutgen

Suzanne Seburn, Deidre Casey  
Karen Bourquin  
Mike Newhouse  
JoAnne Canney  
Shirley Timmerman  
Deacon Randy Fraser  
Denise Smigaj  
Emery Hash, Ashton Courchane

## March 18 – March 19

Lectors: Laurie Kops  
Eucharistic Ministers: Peggy Pillman  
Dan Haag  
Cathy Haag

Greeters: Jere & Kay Hoy  
Altar Servers: Volunteers welcome

Russ Ehman, Pat Verzani  
Mary Grace Black  
Mary Vogl  
Linda Juvik  
Jim Hill  
Shelia Hill  
Bob Sprute  
Samantha & Lucas Marron

Chris McGonigle, Kevin Molm  
Karen Bourquin  
Deacon Randy Fraser  
Mary Fraser  
Teri Flemming  
Emily Frazier  
Dave & Mary Smith  
Elizabeth & Charlotte Barry

**Bread Bakers (All Masses):** Jan Pepin Mar 18 — 19, 25 — 26 Up next Jonna Brenton Apr 1 — 2, 6 — 8

### OLV is hiring a Bookkeeper

Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church is recruiting for a Bookkeeper II position. This half-time position (20 hrs week) is responsible for parish financial bookkeeping and payroll activities working independently in support of the Pastor/Pastoral Administrator. Hours and workdays are flexible. Qualifications include: Associate's degree in accounting plus three years applicable experience. Other experience will be considered on a case by case basis; considerable QuickBooks and "Microsoft Suite", Edge, Word and

Excel experience. Experience with ParishSOFT is desirable. Eligible applicants must maintain compliance with Diocese Protecting God's Children Policy, which includes a criminal records/reference check. Pay range is \$19.20 to \$22.05/hr. depending on qualifications. For application information, please call the parish office at 406-458-6114.

A job description is available upon request.

Initial application materials:  
Letter of Interest, Current Resume

Eligible applicants will be asked to complete a diocesan application if they pass an initial screening.



Fr. Dan will NEVER text or email you asking for a favor to buy gift cards. He will ask you in person!

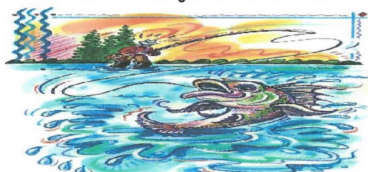


So if you receive any messages, please **DO NOT RESPOND!!** Call the parish office instead to let us know!

### Fish Fry

Friday March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> 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"



Next week our parish will take up **The Catholic Relief Services Collection.**

Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad.

Next week, please give generously to the collection and reveal Christ's love to those most in need. Learn more about the collection at

[www.usccb.org/catholic-relief](http://www.usccb.org/catholic-relief)

### Upcoming events:

**Catholic Relief Services National Collection**  
March 19th

**Pastoral Council Meeting at God's Love**  
March 20 at 4 pm

**Penance Service**  
March 23rd at 6:30 pm

**CYC Convention and Eucharistic Congress**  
March 24th-26th

**Chrism Mass**  
March 28th 12:00 pm  
at the Cathedral

**Baptism class**  
April 12th at 4 pm

**Catholic Women's Conference**  
April 15th

**Volunteer Appreciation Dinner**  
April 23rd at 4 pm