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Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Leonard: Wed. After 6:30 pm Mass
Our Lady of Victory: 8:30 a.m. *Thursday*
if there is a 9:00 a.m. Mass
3:30 p.m. Saturday

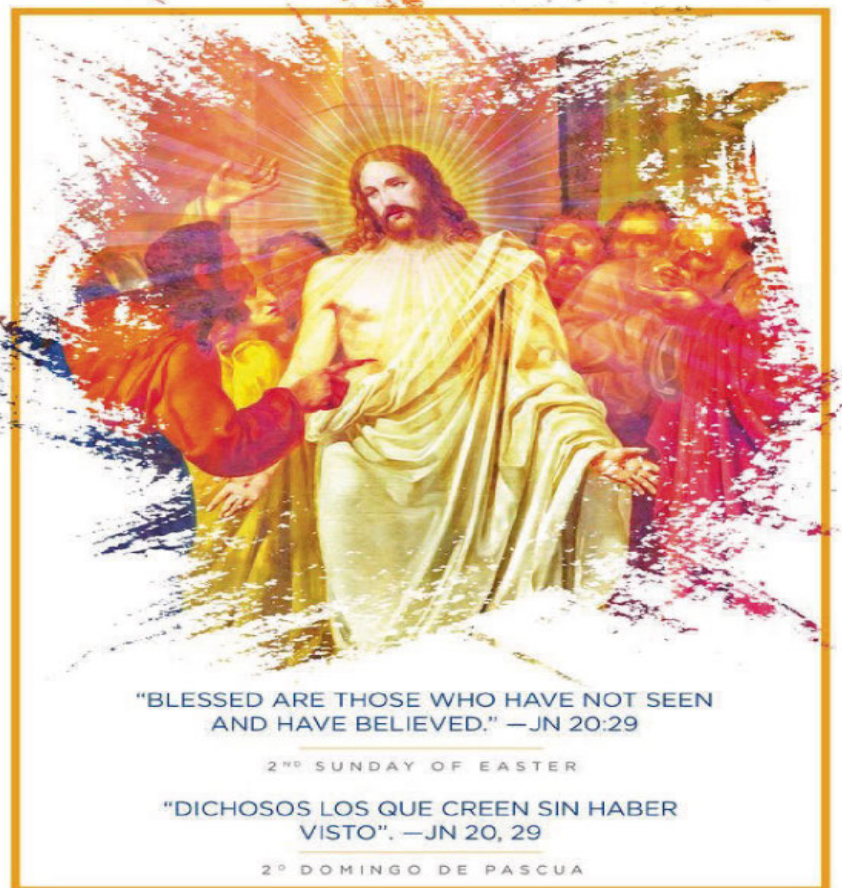
OLV Adoration

7:00–7:45 a.m. Monday, Tuesday,
Wednesday, Friday
12:30–5:00 p.m. Tuesday after Mass
7:00–8:45 a.m. Thursday

OLV Rosary

8:30 a.m. M,T,W,Th,F

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Church & Office Hours:

St. Elizabeth: Carrie Wedll 218 731-5304

St. Leonard: Alejandra Mancilla 218 731-2962
Horario de oficina: 3:00–6:00 (miércoles)
Office Hours: 3:00–6:00 (Wed)

Our Lady of Victory: Don Cole
218-736-2429, ext. 10
Church Hours: 7:45 to 4:00 (Mon-Fri)
Office Hours: 9:00 to Noon
and 1:00 to 4:00 (Mon-Thu), 9:00 to noon (Fri)

PASTORAL COLUMN

The **Second Sunday of Easter** is also **Divine Mercy Sunday** as we celebrate the infinite mercy and love of God which has been shown to us in the life, death and resurrection of Jesus. All are invited to the special celebration at Our Lady of Victory from 1:00 to 4:00. As we continue growing and evolving with our Pelican Valley Area Catholic Community we are at a point where the trustees and I along with many of our leaders in consultation with our business office are looking for a new model of business management. We are proposing a position for Business/Communications which will include the areas of parish stewardship and school development. The bookkeeping would be done separately to allow for more time in these other important areas. The position would be fulltime including all the regular parish office hours at OLV. We hope to post a position in the near future.

We also have an opening in youth ministry and high school faith formation for our ACC and will soon be advertising for that. We are considering having a youth minister for St. Leonard which would work in cooperation with a youth minister for St. Elizabeth and OLV. I welcome inquiries from any parishioner who might be interested in these areas of ministry as we begin our planning and search! ***Easter blessings!***

El Segundo Domingo de Pascua es también el **Domingo de la Divina Misericordia**, ya que celebramos la misericordia y el amor infinitos de Dios que se nos ha manifestado en la vida, muerte y resurrección de Jesús. Todos están invitados a la celebración especial en Nuestra Señora de la Victoria de 1:00 a 4:00. A medida que continuamos creciendo y evolucionando con nuestra comunidad católica del área de Pelican Valley, estamos en un punto en el que los fideicomisarios y yo, junto con muchos de nuestros líderes, en consulta con nuestra oficina comercial, estamos buscando un nuevo modelo de gestión empresarial. Estamos proponiendo un puesto para Negoci-Comunicaciones que incluirá las áreas de mayordomía parroquial y desarrollo escolar. La contabilidad se llevaría a cabo por separado para permitir más tiempo en estas otras áreas importantes. El puesto sería de tiempo completo, incluyendo todas las horas regulares de oficina parroquial en OLV. Esperamos publicar una posición en un futuro próximo.

También tenemos una vacante en el ministerio juvenil y la formación en la fe de la escuela secundaria para nuestro ACC y pronto estaremos anunciando eso. Estamos considerando tener un ministro de jóvenes para St. Leonard que trabajaría en cooperación con un ministro de jóvenes para St. Elizabeth y OLV. ¡Agradezco las consultas de cualquier feligrés que pueda estar interesado en estas áreas del ministerio a medida que comenzamos nuestra planificación y búsqueda! ***¡Bendiciones de Pascua!***

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 6

8:00 a.m. **OLV Mass** †Holy Souls in Purgatory

2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

4:30 p.m. **OLV Mass** For the People of the ACC

Sunday, April 7

8:30 a.m. **SE Mass** †Clint Conzemius

8:30 a.m. **OLV Mass** †Cyril Keller

10:30 a.m. **OLV Mass** †Rosemary Yavarow

10:30 a.m. **SL Mass** †Robert Cole

12:00 p.m. **SL Misa en Español**

1:00 – 4:00 p.m. **OLV** Divine Mercy Devotions

Monday, April 8

9:00 a.m. **OLV Word and Communion**

Tuesday, April 9

3:00 p.m. **OLV** Exposition & Adoration

5:30 p.m. **OLV Mass** †Roy Scheidecker

Wednesday, April 10

10:00 a.m. **Park Gardens Mass** †Richard Johnson

6:30 p.m. **SL Mass** †Holy Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, April 11

9:00 a.m. **OLV Mass** Krystal Schaible

6:30 p.m. **SE Mass** †Mark Rengel

Friday, April 12

9:00 a.m. **OLV Mass** †Donald & †Ramona
McReynolds

Saturday, April 13

4:30 p.m. **OLV Mass** †Marge Weiland

3rd Sunday of Easter

Sunday, April 14

8:30 a.m. **SE Mass** †Holy Souls in Purgatory

8:30 a.m. **OLV Mass** †Cheryl Gau

10:30 a.m. **OLV Mass** †Ray Hoebelheinrich

10:30 a.m. **SL Mass** For the People of the ACC

12:00 p.m. **SL Misa en Español**



ST. ELIZABETH

OF HUNGARY

OUR LADY OF VICTORY

PRAYER REQUESTS

Stacie Quackenbush and Jack Quackenbush (grandson of Darrell and Sandy Hanneman), Jennifer Kolstad, Charlotte Schmitz (granddaughter of Mary Marquardt), Marlys Holubok, Hudson Hendrickx, Kay Henkes, Jerry Schauff, Pat Baker, Kayla Pask and Joan Tyler Kurtz, Jean Lehn, Kandace Love and Deacon Pete and his family, those that suffer from effects of drugs and alcohol, and those with cancer.

ST. LEONARD

OF PORT MAURITIUS

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Austin Lee, Claudia Cruz, Laura Saavedra, Rosalva Martínez, Judy Marko, Ardean Erickson, Ross Olson, Joyce Valley, Rudy Butenas, Jerry Stokka, Tom Johnson, Tony Vigen, Denice Smischny, Jack Geske, Marilyn Jentz, Marilyn Gilbertson, Marilyn Schwartz, LeAnn Ishaug and Grave Leon Family.

Our Lady of Victory Catholic School is accepting applications for a Full-time 6th-grade Teacher starting August 2024. OLV School has a supportive staff that creates a positive work environment. Class size averages 15 students per class. Successful candidates are able to demonstrate classroom management skills, work as part of a team, live out Christian values, and hold each child as an amazing gift from God to be cherished and helped to grow in their knowledge and faith. Candidates need a current MN 1-6 teaching license.

Applications can be emailed to Jake Rath, OLV School Principal, at jraths@ffolv.org. Applications are available on our website ffolvschool.org. Please include your resume, cover letter, and 3 letters of recommendation.

Registration continues at OLV for students entering Preschool through sixth grade. Registration information can be found on the school's website. You can also call the school office with any questions.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

There will be no Children's Liturgy of the Word on First Communion Sunday (4/14). Thanks to Rachel Tuel and Jen Kohorst, our teachers of this program which helps make Mass more meaningful for our young children.

JOIN US AT OLV ON APRIL 7TH FOR DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Devotions from 1-4pm. Confessions will be available from 1-3pm. The Chaplet will be sung at 3pm. Reception following in Fellowship hall. We hope to see you there.

OLV FINANCIAL UPDATE:

We have received an unexpected rate increase of our Building Insurance; we budgeted \$33,400; however the rate increase was over \$44,600. If you are able to help with this unexpected expense, please make your donation "Building Insurance". Thank you for your generosity.

OLV PRAYER CHAIN

Please call: Jo Weatherly 218-736-4938. Louise Wentworth 218-770-0473/ Alice Neuleib 218-205-9007 to become unvoiced with or to add your intentions to the prayer chain.

PELICAN VALLEY

AREA CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

THE OLV SPRING GALA IS QUICKLY APPROACHING! This year's Gala will take place on Saturday, April 6. Tickets can be purchased by calling or visiting the school office. Ticket prices: single ticket (\$55), pair of tickets (\$100), table for 8 (\$400).

COULD YOU BENEFIT FROM THE CARE OF A STEPHEN MINISTER?

Accept care from a Stephen Minister during your time of need. God doesn't expect you to bear your burdens alone. If you or someone you know could benefit from the care of a Stephen Minister, please contact an OLV Stephen Leader for more information: Peggy Rezac 218-731-5528, Gail Welle 218-205-2565, Jennifer Dummer 218-736-2429

WE GIVE ONLY BECAUSE GOD HAS FIRST GIVEN TO US; BECAUSE EVERYTHING IS GOD'S TO BEGIN WITH.

Within our ACC, we have several opportunities for giving our stewards of treasure. In addition to our Sunday collection, we also have an ACH option and an online option thru Our Sunday Visitor. To take advantage of a qualified charitable distribution, be sure to check with your tax accountant. Please contact Don, at 218-736-2429 ext.(10) for more information on any of these options. Thank you for your generosity!

PILGRIMAGE OPPORTUNITY!

Join us for a Benedictine Experience as we visit St John's Abbey, St Benedictine Monastery and St Paul's Divine Mercy Shrine & Chapel on April 25! Cost is \$75 per person (includes lunch). Checks payable to Ottertail Coaches. Registration deadline is April 10, 2024. Please consider this wonderful trip, they still need 10 more entries to make it work. Contact Teresa with any questions at 218-770-7791. Registration forms located in lobby of OLV church.

INVOLVING YOUNG FAMILIES IN PARISH LIFE

Christine Pinto of Diocese of St. Cloud will be at OLV Fellowship Hall on Monday April 29 from 6-8 PM to discuss Engaging Young Families (children birth to age 5). If interested in attending, contact Deb Forstner at deb@ffolvchurch.org

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS COURT ST. CABRINI #1466

Meet the 2nd Thursday at 5:30 pm in the OLV Fellowship Hall from September through December and February through June. All Catholic women 18 and older are welcome to join. Contact Sharon Stevens 218-739-2381 or Bonnie Hein 218-739-3718.

BUNCO WITH CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Court St. Cabrini #1466, Fergus Falls invites everyone to a fun night of Bunco on April 14 at 6 p.m. at Our Lady of Victory Church. Prizes and free snacks and drinks. \$10/ person.

CALLIGRAPHY SKILLS?

If you have skills in calligraphy, Faith Formation could use your talent for the completion of certificates! If able and interested, call Deb Forstner at the parish office, extension 47, or email deb@ffolvchurch.org.

CANCER SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE

If you or a loved one has been diagnosed with cancer the Social Concerns Committee has put together a starter cancer care kit you might be interested in having. The kit includes fragrance free lotion, Blistex, hard candies, plastic straws, paper medicine cups, vinyl gloves, cotton gloves, a rosary, and a St. Peregrine (patron saint of cancer) token. If interested in this kit, please contact Deb Wahl at 218-770-6920 or Julie Dahl at 804-714-9026.

Web Sites:

OLV www.ffolvchurch.org
School www.ffolvschool.org
St. Leonard . www.stleonardpr.org

Diocese www.stcdio.org

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