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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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



32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents. Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury." - Mk 12:42-43

En esto, se acercó una viuda pobre y echó dos moneditas de muy poco valor. Llamando entonces a sus discípulos, Jesús les dijo: "Yo les aseguro que esa pobre viuda ha echado en la alcancía más que todos". - Mc 12, 42-43

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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 12:00 (Fri)

PASTORAL COLUMN

The Autumn Harvest, the season of Stewardship Renewal and the upcoming Thanksgiving holiday all put us on high alert, to be counting our Blessings! We want to be ready for more than baking pies and eating turkey at Thanksgiving. We want to be filled with a spirit of gratitude that keeps spilling over into praise and loving deeds. A heads up on our Thanksgiving mass schedule: there will be a 5:30 pm mass at OLV and a 6:30 pm mass at St. Leonard, both on Wednesday Evening, November 27. May the entire month of November be filled with gratitude to God for all of our blessings! **Fr. Alan and Fr. Lucho**

La Cosecha de Otoño, la temporada de Renovación de la Mayordomía y las próximas vacaciones de Acción de Gracias nos ponen en alerta máxima, ¡para contar nuestras Bendiciones! Queremos estar listos para algo más que hornear pasteles y comer pavo en el Día de Acción de Gracias. Queremos estar llenos de un espíritu de gratitud que se desborda en alabanzas y obras de amor. Un aviso sobre nuestro horario de misas de Acción de Gracias: habrá una misa a las 5:30 pm en OLV y una misa a las 6:30 pm en St. Leonard, ambas el miércoles 27 de noviembre por la noche. ¡Que todo el mes de noviembre esté lleno de gratitud a Dios por todas nuestras bendiciones! **P. Alan y P. Lucho**

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, November 9

4:30 p.m. OLV Mass †Marge Weiland

Sunday, November 10

8:30 a.m. OLV Mass

†Ray Hoebelheinrich

8:30 a.m. SE Mass

All people of the ACC

10:30 a.m. OLV Mass

†Holy Souls in Purgatory

10:30 a.m. SL Mass

†Ruben Perez Juerez

12:00 p.m. SL Misa en Español

†Maria & Ruben Perez

Monday, November 11

9:00 a.m. OLV Word and Communion

Tuesday, November 12

3:00 p.m. OLV

Exposition & Adoration

5:30 p.m. OLV Mass

†Virginia Vikesland

Wednesday, November 13

10:00 a.m. Park Gardens

†Holy Souls in Purgatory

6:30 p.m. SL Mass

†Enrique Romero

Thursday, November 14

9:00 a.m. OLV Mass

†Holy Souls in Purgatory

5:30 p.m. OLV Mass

†Donald McReynolds

Friday, November 15

9:00 a.m. OLV Mass

†Myrtle Keller

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, November 16

4:30 p.m. OLV Mass

†George & Angnas Novak

Sunday, November 17

8:30 a.m. OLV Mass

†Jadie Dahlen

8:30 a.m. SE Mass

For all people of ACC

10:30 a.m. OLV Mass

Betty Fuxa & Family

10:30 a.m. SL Mass

†Enrique Romero

12:00 p.m. SL Misa en Español

†Leonel Chavez

OLV Adoration

7:00–7:45 a.m. Mon/Tue/Wed/Fri.

12:30–5:00 p.m. Tuesday after Mass

7:00–8:45 a.m. Thursday

OLV PRAYER CHAIN

Please call Jo Weatherly 218-205-0390, Louise Wentworth 218-770-0473 or Alice Neuleib 218-205-9007 to become involved with or to add your intentions to the prayer chain.

ST. ELIZABETH

OF HUNGARY

OUR LADY OF VICTORY

PRAYER REQUESTS

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, Barbara Hall (Kris Nordicks mom) and Joan Tyler Kurtz, Jean Lehn, and Deacon Pete and his family, those that suffer from effects of drugs and alcohol, and those with cancer.

ST. ELIZABETH'S HOLIDAY EXPO

Grab your friends and let's go shoppin at St. Elizabeth's Holiday Expo Saturday Nov. 23rd, 9am to 1pm. Free Admission. Baked goods and Lefsa Sales. Silent Auction, Christiam Mothers serving lunch. Contact Jan Jennen for more info at 218-770-4174.

ST. LEONARD

OF PORT MAURITIUS

PRAYER REQUESTS

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, Grave Leon Family, Jim Marty, David Fix and Esperanza Abarca.

ROAST BEEF DINNER 2024:

Many thanks to Julie Ann Holt and Cyndy Stotesbery for chairing this event and also to everyone that volunteered (including our faith formation youth and KC's with our silent auction), everyone that came for dinner, and those who donated an item for our silent auction or money to cover costs! We had a wonderful event.

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

We have started planning for our Festival Guadalupano - celebration for our Lady of Guadalupe - SAVE THE DATE: 12/12/2024. We will celebrate with mass, music, apparitions play, raffle and food. Anyone willing to help with the event, contact Alejandra. We will start selling raffle tickets soon.

"UNITED WITH CHRIST, LIVING IN GRATITUDE" PROGRAM

Thank you to all parishioners who have completed and submitted your Commitment Card to the church. For those parishioners who have not yet had the opportunity to submit their card, a letter will be mailed to you with a personalized Commitment Card. Each and every one of you is a vital member of our parish community and we want to hear from you! This is an opportunity to **reflect upon and renew** your sacrificial commitment to support the mission of Church of Our Lady of Victory. For those who are able - there is an opportunity to make a one-time gift to the parish. If you have any questions, please contact the church office. For those of you who would prefer to fill out your Commitment Card online, please visit the parish website at www.ffolvchurch.org.

COMMITMENT RENEWAL NOVEMBER 17

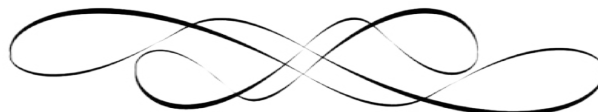
Next weekend November 17 is Stewardship Commitment Sunday for Time and Talent. It is when everyone in our parish family will be invited to recommit their time and talent to the Lord for the next year. Everything we have is a gift. Please pray this week that our hearts be open to the possibility of giving more of ourselves to our Lord, Jesus Christ.

NEW MEMBER DINNER

The Welcome Committee is hosting a welcome dinner on November 23 for all parishioners and their families who have joined OLV within the past 12 months. If you have any questions, please contact Lane Magnusson at 218-770-3522.

HELP NEEDED FOR OUR STUDENTS' CELEBRATION OF THEIR FIRST RECONCILIATION:

1. Stop in anytime on Friday December 6 to help decorate Fellowship Hall for reception the following day.
2. Serve pizza and beverages and help clean up at reception, arriving at 11 am on Saturday December 7. Please contact Deb Forstner at deb@ffolvchurch.org or 218-736-2429, ext. 47. Thank you!



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AREA CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

BUNCO WITH CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Court St. Cabrini #1466 Fergus Falls invites everyone to a fun night of Bunco on November 17 at 6 pm at Our Lady of Victory Church. Prizes and free snacks and drinks will be available. \$10.00/person.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTER MEETING:

The regular Catholic Daughter meeting will be November 14 with Mass at 5:30 pm. Deacon Dean's presentation will be on Adoration. All Catholic women 18 years of age and older are welcome to join at any time, but we will have a new member reception at this meeting. If you would like to join please contact Sharon Stevens at 218-739-2381 or Bonnie Hein at 218-739-3718 before November 14.

WINTER COAT COLLECTION

The OLV Social Concerns Committee will be collecting gently used and clean winter coats for the Salvation Army. Please look for the box in the Gathering space until Mid November, Thank you.

Bulletin input for November 24th must be to me before the 18th of November.

Bulletin input for December 1, must be to me before the 24th of November.

LOOKING FOR A SIMPLE WAY TO SUPPORT OUR LADY OF VICTORY SCHOOL?

It's as easy as saving your grocery receipts! When you shop at Service Food and turn in your receipts, OLV receives 1% cash back—just like planting a small seed that grows into a big benefit for our students. You can drop your receipts in the containers located in the gathering space or bring them to the school office. Every little bit helps us cultivate a brighter future for our children

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OLV _____ www.ffolvchurch.org

School _____ www.ffolvschool.org

St. Leonard _____ www.stleonardpr.org

Diocese _____ www.stcdio.org

Facebook Pages:

<https://www.facebook.com/StLeonardPR>

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Stewardship as a Way of Life: *“I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they all contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, her whole living.” (Mark 12:43-44)*

Jesus gets right to the point – we are all called to give money to support the mission of the Church, regardless of our circumstance. No gift is too small or insignificant! Giving money to support the mission of our local parish is a matter of our faith, just like praying and participating in parish ministries. When you make a financial offering, is it from your “first fruits” or from what is “left over”?



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