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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.*



## 33<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Amen, I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all these things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.  
"But of that day or hour, no one knows, neither the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father." - Mk 13:30-32

"En verdad que no pasará esta generación sin que todo esto se cumpla.  
Podrán dejar de existir el cielo y la tierra, pero mis palabras no dejarán de cumplirse. Nadie conoce el día ni la hora. Ni los ángeles del cielo ni el Hijo; solamente el Padre". - Mc 13, 30-32

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**Our Lady of Victory:** Peter Steinbach  
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Church Hours: 7:45 to 4:00 (Mon-Fri)  
Office Hours: 8:00 to Noon and 1:00 to 4:00 (Mon-Thu),  
8:00 to 12:00 (Fri)

# PASTORAL COLUMN

# LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

**MORNING PRAYER:** Christ, my Savior, in the still freshness of this morning, I turn my heart to you. I offer you everything that will happen today in the hope that you will take the few loaves and fish of my life and make another miracle. If it be your will, my hopes, my dreams and all efforts will serve you and your people. Amen.

**EVENING PRAYER:** Almighty God, as the noise of the day winds down into a great silence, send your Holy Spirit upon me so that I may rest peacefully tonight. Into your hands, I release the fears, worries and regrets I held onto during the day. Replace them with a quiet confidence in your continuous care for me and for those I love. Amen

**FR. ALAN**

**ORACIÓN DE LA MAÑANA:** Cristo, mi Salvador, en la quietud y frescura de esta mañana, vuelvo mi corazón a ti. Te ofrezco todo lo que sucederá hoy con la esperanza de que tomes los pocos panes y peces de mi vida y hagas otro milagro. Si es tu voluntad, mis esperanzas, mis sueños y todos mis esfuerzos te servirán a ti y a tu pueblo. Amén.

**ORACIÓN VESPERTINAS:** Dios Todopoderoso, mientras el ruido del día se desvanece en un gran silencio, envía tu Espíritu Santo sobre mí para que pueda descansar en paz esta noche. En tus manos, libero los miedos, preocupaciones y arrepentimientos a los que me aferré durante el día. Reemplázalos con una tranquila confianza en tu continuo cuidado por mí y por aquellos que amo. Amén

**P. ALAN**

## 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.

## 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.



## **THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### Saturday, November 16

4:30 p.m. OLV Mass †George & Agnes 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

### Monday, November 18

9:00 a.m. OLV Word and Communion

### Tuesday, November 19

12:05 p.m. OLV Mass †Jenna Costello

### Wednesday, November 20

10:00 a.m. Broen For all people of ACC  
6:30 p.m. SL Mass †Enrique Romero

### Thursday, November 21

9:00 a.m. OLV Mass †Jadie Dahlen

### Friday, November 22

9:00 a.m. OLV Mass †Holy Souls in Purgatory

## **THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### Saturday, November 23

4:30 p.m. OLV Mass †Marjorie Scheidecker

### Sunday, November 24

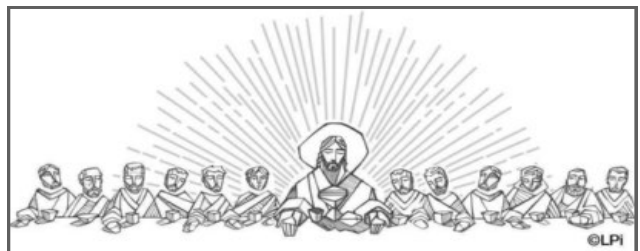
8:30 a.m. OLV Mass †Cyril Keller  
8:30 a.m. SE Mass †Holy Souls in Purgatory  
10:30 a.m. OLV Mass †Betty & †Stanley Fuxa  
10:30 a.m. SL Mass †Enrique Romero  
12:00 p.m. SL Misa en Español †Melany Piedad Leonel

## 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



**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 shopping at St. Elizabeth's Holiday Expo Saturday Nov. 23rd, 9am to 1pm. Free Admission. Baked goods and Lefse Sales. Silent Auction, Christian Mothers serving lunch. Contact Jan Jennen for more info. 218-770-4174.

**CHRISTIAN MOTHERS MEETING**

At St. Elizabeth Catholic Church December 1, after Mass.

**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.

**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. For those parishioners who have not yet had the opportunity to submit their card, a final letter will be mailed to you with a personalized Commitment Card. We invite all faithful parishioners to complete a card as our parish goal is 100% participation! You may return your card by mailing it to the church using the addressed envelope included with the letter or bringing it to Mass next Sunday or you may visit our parish website at [www.ffolvchurch.org](http://www.ffolvchurch.org) and complete an electronic Commitment Card. All cards need to be returned to the parish by Sunday, December 8. As a friendly reminder, electronic giving is an easy, safe and secure way to support Church of Our Lady of Victory. To set-up a recurring weekly or monthly gift or to make a one-time donation directly from your bank account or credit card, please visit our website and follow the instructions. We are grateful for your support!

**COMMITMENT RENEWAL NOVEMBER 17**

This 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. Friday December 6th at 2PM 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](mailto:deb@ffolvchurch.org) or 218-736-2429, ext. 47. Thank you!

# PELICAN VALLEY

AREA CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

## **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.

## **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

### Our Lady of Victory

|                                 |              |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Needed monthly.....             | \$56,667.00  |
| Needed to date .....            | \$226,667.00 |
| Collected in October 2024 ..... | \$66,280.00  |
| Received to date.....           | \$233,602.00 |
| Surplus/Deficit.....            | \$6,935.00   |

### St. Leonard

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|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Needed monthly.....             | \$8,856.25  |
| Needed to date .....            | \$35,425.00 |
| Collected in October 2024 ..... | \$11,570.54 |
| Received to date.....           | \$38,461.54 |
| Surplus/Deficit.....            | \$3,036.54  |

### St. Elizabeth

|                                  |             |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Needed monthly.....              | \$5,416.67  |
| Needed to date .....             | \$21,667.00 |
| Collected in October 2024\$..... | 5,713.00    |
| Received to date.....            | \$22,539.00 |
| Surplus/Deficit.....             | \$872.00    |

**Web sites:**

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School \_\_\_\_\_ [www.ffolvschool.org](http://www.ffolvschool.org)  
St. Leonard \_\_\_\_\_ [www.stleonardpr.org](http://www.stleonardpr.org)  
Diocese \_\_\_\_\_ [www.stcdio.org](http://www.stcdio.org)

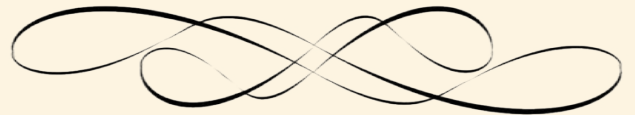
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<https://www.facebook.com/parishofstelizabeth>  
<https://www.facebook.com/Our Lady of Victory>

**Stewardship as a Way of Life:**

*“And then they will see ‘the Son of Man coming in the clouds’ with great power and glory.” (Mark 13:26)*

We will all have that day when we are standing before God and our life is played out like a movie. When this happens and God asks each of us, “What have you done with the gifts that I have given you?” How will you respond? The good news – it’s never too late to start living a grateful and generous lifestyle.



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