

Boise

Holy Mass

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am

Sunday 5:30 pm

Monday -Thursday 8:00 am

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 pm

or upon request

St. Joseph's Idaho City

First Sunday **Mass** at 12 noon

Other Sundays **Communion** at 10:30 am

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This week at Our Lady of the Rosary

Mon 7:30 am No-Liturgy of the Hours
 Sep 07 8:00 am No-Morning Mass
 7:00 pm Prayer for Vocations moved to 9/14
 Office is closed today

Tue 7:30 am Liturgy of the Hours
 Sept 08 8:00 am Morning Mass

Wed 6:30 am Reel Men on Zoom
 Sept 09 7:30 am Liturgy of the Hours
 8:00 am Morning Mass
 7:00 pm Family Rosary on Zoom

Thu 7:30 am Liturgy of the Hours
 Sept 10 8:00 am Morning Mass
 8:30 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament to Noon

Fri 7:30 am Liturgy of the Hours
 Sept 11 8:00 am Eucharistic Service

Sat 3:30 pm Reconciliation
 Sept 12 5:00 pm Mass

Sun 9:00 am Mass
 Sept 13 5:30 pm Mass
 6:30 pm Mass Scripture Study



23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 06, 2020



BOUND TOGETHER IN CHRIST

Do Christians connect and care for each other? Around the world, we are bound together in Christ Jesus. We are not perfect, but we ought to urge each other to better follow the Lord. In Christ, we can reconcile and be reconciled. Love is the one thing that cannot hurt your neighbor; it is the answer to all the commandments. When we gather in his name, the Lord is with us. If the Lord is with us, who can be against us

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Readings today: Ezekiel 33:7-9, Psalm 95:1-2,6-7,8-9, Romans 13:8-10, Matthew 18:15-20
 Next week: Sirach 27:30-28:7, Psalm 103:1-2,3-4,9-10,11-12, Romans 14:7-9, Matthew 18:21-35

Happy Birthday

- Sept 07 Evan Atha, Stephen Montamat, Peter Nelson, Steve Savino, Laura Skinner, Ben Stroud, Sarah Taylor, Thomas Wicher
- Sept 08 Jack Brant, Greg Desilet, Ralph May, Jacquelyn Starr
- Sept 09 Allyson Gatzemeier, James Kowalewski, Noel Ramos, Cathy Seamons, Kelly Waldo
- Sept 10 Luke Kingsley, Paula Larson, Zosimo Quevedo
- Sept 11 Brooklyn Diehl, Caroline Mair, Carolina Matos, Michael Neeman, Maria Snyder, Pam Wilkerson
- Sept 12 Bridget Bedke, Elaine Breen, Tina Camacho, James Dickinson, Charlie Howell, Ann Longbottom, Myles Lundin, Payton Pfautsch
- Sept 13 Larry Arguinchona, Susan Browning, Conrad Clement, Melissa Hale, Jordan Robenstein, John Sancon

***Thank you for your Continuing Stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure.
 Your gift of treasure this week \$ 7,677***

	Servers	Lectors	Ministers
Sept 12 Sat 5:00 pm		Sarah Connolly John Connolly	
	Servers and Eucharistic Ministers will not be scheduled until further notice.		
Sept 13 Sun 9:00 am		Mary Crum Kevin Browning	
	Servers and Eucharistic Ministers will not be scheduled until further notice.		
	Home Visiting will be put on hold until further notice. Please pray for our homebound		
Sept 13 Sun 5:30 pm		Janet Vaughn Cindy Anderson	
	Servers and Eucharistic Ministers will not be scheduled until further notice.		

Items for bulletin or Announcements need to be in the office by Monday, 11:30 am for the following Sunday

Children's Faith Formation

- ◆ **Congratulations to Margaret "Maggie" Rose Arrossa and Charlotte Claire Howell on receiving their First Holy Communions this weekend.**
God bless you and your families.
- ◆ **PLEASE REGISTER NOW! Children's Faith Formation will begin in-person the week of September 21-27. There is still an option for at home faith formation. We need to order materials so please register ASAP.** For more information please contact Sarah Taylor at the office or go to the OLR website <https://olrboise.org/elementary>. Thank you to families who have already registered!
- ◆ **Religious Education Volunteers Retreat ~** All Children's Faith Formation volunteers are invited to attend a Retreat on Catechetical Sunday, September 20. The retreat will begin after Mass about 10:30AM and conclude after lunch around 1:00PM. **Please RSVP to Sarah Taylor by September 17.**
- ◆ **Catechetical Sunday is September 20, 2020** We will recognize and bless ALL who teach the faith at Sunday Mass. **Please pray for our catechists, volunteers, and students** as we begin a new year of Faith Formation.
- ◆ **Family Faith Formation begins Wednesday, September 23rd at 6:30 PM.**
- ◆ **Sunday Children's programs for preschool to fifth grade begin September 27th after 9:00 AM Mass.**
- ◆ **Online Family Resource Spotlight:** The Kennedy Adventures offering practical solutions for Catholic parents including 100 resources for catholic families.
<https://thekennedyadventures.com/100-resources-catholic-families/>

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Jesus tells us to forgive one another from the heart. Pray together that God's love and forgiveness is evident in your family life. Pray as a family the Lord's Prayer or Psalm 103. Read and discuss the following Bible passages:

[Learn more about this Gospel with reflections and activities from Loyola Press](#)

- ◆ **Adult:** Jesus tells us to forgive seventy times seven, which means always and forever. Name a time this past week when you forgave someone. Name, too, a time when you accepted another person's forgiveness.
- ◆ **Children:** Jesus challenges us to forgive. Who needs your forgiveness? From whom do you need to ask forgiveness?

SPECIAL NOTICE

**The office will be closed the Monday for Labor Day
September 7th**

**There will be no 8:00 AM morning Mass
or Liturgy of the Hours**

**Prayer for Vocations has been moved to
Monday September 14th 7:00 PM**

Youth Ministry

After Mass Scripture Study - All are invited to join us for a small group discussion on the readings and homily after the 5:30PM Mass on Sundays. This is a great way to break open the word further and it is open to all ages!

iGnite Youth Ministry will begin Sept. 13th with in-person classes after the Sunday 5:30PM Mass. We will also have online sessions beginning Sept. 16th! You are welcome to participate in one or both. Registration can be done online at <http://www.olrboise.org>

Helpers Needed: We are looking for ADULT volunteers to assist with our programs this year, on and off line. Please contact Cindy Anderson in the parish office if you are available.

Lectors: We are in need of Lectors for the Sunday 5:30PM Mass. If you are interested, please contact Cindy Anderson.

Cindy Anderson

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Women of OLR there is still room for you to join us in the parish hall for Idaho Catholic Women's Conference ~ BRAVE. We will be watching the virtual conference/retreat socially distanced. Register online now at <https://www.idahocatholicwomen.com/> or if you have already registered join us Saturday, September 19 in the parish hall. Please RSVP to Sarah Taylor at staylor@olrboise or 208-343-9041 if you would like to come (space is limited to 30 ladies). We will send you more details once you RSVP.



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

This year's RCIA classes at Our Lady of the Rosary begin on Tuesday, September 8 at 7pm. The initial phase of the RCIA program, called the Period of Evangelization and Precatechumenate, lasts 11 weeks and is a time for inquiry and introduction to Gospel values. It provides an opportunity for the beginnings of faith development. If you have ever considered becoming a Catholic or, if you are a Catholic who was never able to receive Confirmation, we invite you to join us. There is no obligation involved. Anyone is interested in participating please call Mike Coyle at 208-484-8677 (cell) or email mtcoyle@cablone.net.



Everyone! Please pray the rosary

*You are invited to join the Online rosary every
Wednesday!*

Check Flocknotes for the link.

More Our Lady News



Are you homeschooling this year or have little ones at home? If you would like an opportunity for your kids to gather and socialize, our Friday morning playgroup will be expanding this year to include children of all ages (parents and grandparents too). With some open play, games and activities, Bible stories and snacks, (and maybe some field trips,). It is a great chance to get out of the house and find support, encouragement and be part of a community. Beginning on Sept. 4th we will meet every week from 10am until 11:30. Until it is safer to gather indoors as a large group, we will be meeting across the street from the church at Lowder Park. For any questions or more information please contact Jill at jillschauble@yahoo.com.

Area News



2020 Virtual Catholic Educators' Conference (CEC) October 1-3

All New: virtual platform, retreat format, conference access and conference workshops.

Registration is Open NOW: [Eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com), search CEC
 \$20= 8/1 to 9/20 or \$40+ 9/21 to 9/30
 Questions? 208-350-7551 or email: sboicourt2@rcdb.org



Announcing St. Gertrude's L.I.V.E. Online Monastic Studies, Spirituality, and Arts Wherever You Are

We are excited to announce St. Gertrude's L.I.V.E. (Living in a Virtual Environment)! These online programs are intended to provide further opportunities for prayer and learning. We look forward to bringing St. Gertrude's to you, wherever you are.

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Welcome to Marc, our new Shelter Coordinator!

Welcome our long-time friend and volunteer, Marc Schlegel-Preheim, to Corpus Christi House as the newly appointed Shelter Coordinator. Marc will continue his work in the homeless community as he helps to guide Corpus through the unknowns of Covid-19 and find ways to continue to support our community in the best possible way.



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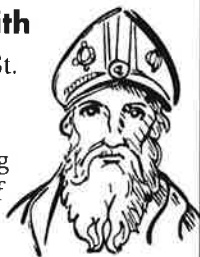
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Our Lady of the Rosary

One Minute Meditations

Mysteries of faith

Legend says that St. Augustine was walking on a beach puzzling the mystery of the Holy Trinity when he spotted a boy filling a bucket from the ocean and dumping it in a hole. The boy said he was trying to fit the ocean into the hole. St. Augustine cried, "But you can never do that!" The boy replied, "And neither can you understand the Holy Trinity," and vanished. Some things we just have to take on faith.



"God bless you"

When you sneeze, think of Pope St. Gregory, the Great. In 590AD, the bubonic plague was spreading to Rome. To combat the disease, the pope requested increasing prayer. "God bless you!" in response to a sneeze was part of that effort.

"You shall not fear the terror of the night nor the arrow that flies by day, Nor the pestilence that roams in darkness, nor the plague that ravages at noon" (Psalm 91:5-6).



Do you trust God?

"The Lord is my strength and my shield, in whom my heart trusts" (Psalm 28:7). Do you trust God with everything in your life or only some things? Do you give him your problems but take them back when he doesn't do what you want? It is when we have complete trust in God that our lives work well.

Is God trustworthy? A person worthy of trust is one of good character and integrity. We have more than two thousand years of history that prove God means what he says and says what he means. He does what he promises.

Is God capable? God has power

over all creation – He even has power over life and death. Through the ages, we have learned that all things are possible with God. More to the point, God's Son told us that God loves us with unimaginable intensity so he always wants what is best for us. In fact, God is more qualified than we are to take care of what we need.

Are you ready to really trust God? Start by thanking him no matter what. Everything that he allows to happen to us is for our good. Then remind yourself that God is fully in charge. Finally, ask him what you should do next and do it.



Why Do Catholics Do That?

Why do Catholics believe the Eucharist is Jesus' Body and Blood?

The concept of transubstantiation means that, during Mass, the entire substance of bread changes into the substance of the Body of Christ. The entire substance of wine changes into the substance of His Blood. This change is brought about in the eucharistic

prayer through the Word of Christ and the action of the Holy Spirit.

However, the outward characteristics of bread and wine, the "eucharistic species," remain unaltered.

Jesus is truly present during Mass, Body and Blood, soul and divinity.

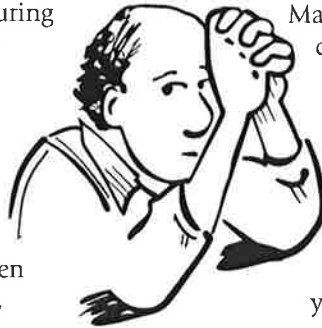


Make distractions a plus in prayer

There is no better way to build a relationship with Jesus than through prayer. Relying on His strength during difficult times is how we get through them. Yet when we become distracted during prayer, we can become discouraged and give up. Try these ideas for turning distractions into blessings:

Gently return. Start your prayer by placing yourself in the presence of God. When you wander, gently bring yourself back.

Practice recall. St. Frances de Sales said, "When your mind wanders or gives way to distractions,



gently recall it and place it once more close to its Divine Master. If you should do nothing else but repeat this during the whole time of prayer, your hour would be very well spent and you would perform a spiritual exercise most acceptable to God."

Turn distractions into prayer. If you start thinking about people and events unrelated to your prayer, pray about them and then return to the original subject of your prayer.

Pray out loud. When distractions overwhelm you, pray out loud.

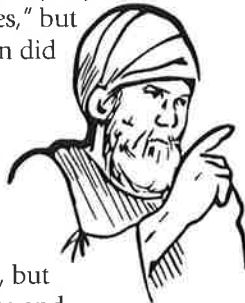
from Scripture

Matthew 21:28-32, Faithful obedience.

Jesus told of a man who asked his two sons to go work in his vineyard. The first said, "No," but went anyway. The second said, "Yes," but didn't go. Which son did as the father asked?

The father in the parable is God. The first son represents the outcasts of society. They said "No" to God at first, but repented of their sins and changed.

The second son represents the Jewish religious leaders. They said "Yes," but it was just lip service. They followed rules rather than changing their hearts.



Saying, "Yes, God, I believe in you," is not enough. If we presume that the Lord will take us into Heaven just because we profess our faith, we will be disappointed. Words are not enough.



True obedience is lived. When we realize we are in a state of sin, we have two options. We can say we're sorry, or we can show we're sorry by going to Confession, doing sincere penance and amending our lives. Living as Jesus taught us is our way of "working in our Father's vineyard."

Q & A How can I stop worrying about what other people think?

The problem with placing too much importance on other people's opinions of you is that you give them inappropriate power over you. In effect,



you are substituting other people's values and judgment for your own and there is no guarantee that they have your best interests – or your eternal future – at heart. Not everyone is interested in helping you get to Heaven.

Try instead to live by the rules detailed in the Ten Commandments and in the Beatitudes. They tell us to be devoted to God, to care for other people, to be honest and dedicated to truth, and to value the blessings God has given us.

Remember that there is value in being criticized or insulted even though you do the right thing. Not only can you offer it as penance for your sins, such suffering teaches humility and patience – two virtues that will help you get to Heaven. And when it comes down to it, the opinion of other people will pass, but God's judgment is forever.

Feasts & Celebrations

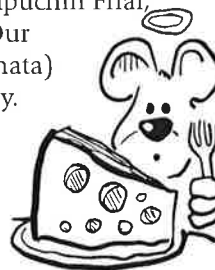
Sept. 8 - The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (1st century). Tradition holds that Mary was born in Jerusalem after her parents had been childless for more than twenty years. Mary's birth brought them – and us - joy.

Sept. 15 – Our Lady of Sorrows. In Luke 2:35, Simeon predicted Mary's sorrows as "a sword piercing" her soul. This referred, in part, to a time when Mary would stand at the foot of her son's Cross. Still, Mary stood dignified and fearless while others fled.

Sept. 21 – St. Matthew (1st century).

Also known as Levi, he was a notorious tax collector. St. Matthew left everything behind when Jesus called him to spread the Gospel. He wrote the Gospel According to Matthew.

Sept. 23 – St. Padre Pio (1968). Francesco Forgione was born to farmers in southern Italy. Eight years after he became a Capuchin Friar, the five wounds of Our Lord's Passion (stigmata) appeared on his body. Despite intense personal and physical suffering, he remained dedicated to prayer.



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