



Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church

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2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 17th, 2016

*"To each individual the manifestation
of the Spirit is given for some benefit."*

-1 Corinthians 12:7

Mass Schedule

Weekends

Sat. 5:00pm

Sun. 8:30am & 10:30am

Weekdays

Mon. 8:00am Communion Service
(Small Chapel)

Tues. 6:30pm (Church)

Wed. 9:00am (Church, with OLL School)

Thurs. & Fri. 8:00am (Small Chapel)

Confessions Tuesdays 6:00-6:30pm,
Saturdays 4:00-4:30pm, and by appointment.

Rosary: Everyone is welcome to join us in
the Church to pray the Rosary 25 minutes
before the weekday and weekend Masses.

Eucharistic Adoration is held in the
John Paul II Chapel on Tuesdays from
8:30am to 10:00pm, and on First Fridays of
the month following the morning Mass until
midnight. Please join us for this rewarding
experience!

Church Office Hours

Mon. - Thurs. 8:30am - 5:00pm (Closed Noon-1:00pm)

Fri. 8:30 - Noon

Sat. Closed

Sun. 8:00am - Noon

Parish & School Phone Extensions

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Parish Administrator, Rhonda Eurich ... 161

Pastoral Minister, Sr. Carrie Link ... 168

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Youth & Family Faith Formation Coordinator,
Kathy Hejna ... 147

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School Office Hours

Mon. - Fri. 8:00am - 4:00pm



Calendar for the Week of January 17th, 2016

Sunday - January 17th

9:30am Family Faith Formation - School Cafeteria
 10:30am Children's Liturgy of the Word - Church
 6:30pm Confirmation Class - Presentation Room

Monday - January 18th

6:30pm Bible Study - Church Library

Tuesday - January 19th

1:30pm Bible Study - Church Library
 8:30am Eucharistic Adoration - John Paul II Chapel
 5:15pm Maintenance Committee Meeting - Fireside
 7:00pm KC General Meeting - Fireside Room

Wednesday - January 20th

10:00am Mail-Out Bulletin Assembly - Presentation
 5:00pm Bell Choir Rehearsal - Church
 6:00pm Children's Choir Rehearsal - Church

Wednesday - January 20th (Continued)

6:30pm Faith Formation Classes Gr. 1-6 - School Classrooms
 6:30pm Jr. High Youth Group - Presentation Room
 6:30pm Financial Peace University - Fireside Room
 6:45pm Adult Choir Rehearsal - Church

Thursday - January 21st

10:00am Communion Ministry at LMS - Joy
 6:00pm Stewardship Committee Meeting - Fireside

Saturday - January 23rd

9:00am Early Catholic Family Life - Pre-School Rooms

Sunday - January 24th

10:30am Children's Liturgy of the Word - Church

Calendar subject to change without notice.

Please Note: On Tuesday evening, January 19th, we will not have Confessions, Mass, or a Communion Service.

Eucharistic Adoration - New Hours on Tuesdays



Thank you very much to all who signed up as weekly Adorers and substitutes! Starting on Tuesday, January 19th, we will have Adoration all day, from 8:30am until 10:00pm, in the John Paul II Chapel. Adoration will close during the 6:30pm evening Mass, and will re-open again after Mass. All are welcome to come to pray in Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays. If you are still interested in signing up, please contact Marilyn at 952-471-1023, Denny at 952-472-3720, or Jane at 952-472-3825.

Mass Intentions for the Week beginning Monday, January 18th

Mon.	8:00am	Communion Service
Tues.	6:30pm	No Mass or Communion Service
Wed.	9:00am	✠Ginger Anderson
Thurs.	8:00am	Communion Service
Fri.	8:00am	Communion Service
Sat.	5:00pm	✠Frank Drey
Sun.	8:30am	✠Ann Schwingler
	10:30am	Parish

Our Lady of the Lake is making an important effort to gather email addresses of our parishioners!

We would greatly appreciate your email address to add to our files. Emails will be limited to those directly from our Church and a subscription preference will soon follow to allow you to choose the emails that are of interest to you - we promise not to bombard your inbox or send you anything more than you want to hear from us! There are several ways to provide your email address to us:

- #1. Go online to the following link:
<http://tiny.cc/ollsignup>
- #2. Scan the QR code to the right:
- #3. Stop by or call the Church Office.



We appreciate your help with this important communication initiative!



Rosary Intention:

“Do Whatever He Tells You.”

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

The Scriptures have sometimes been described as a great love story. They contain the story of God's great and faithful love for his people. Our first reading from the prophet Isaiah gives us an idea of the kind of love that God has for us: "No more shall people call you Forsaken, or your land Desolate, but you shall be called My Delight ... For the LORD delights in you." The Scriptures often use the image of married love as a way of describing God's love for us. It is no surprise then that the first miracle of Jesus in the gospel of John takes place in the context of a wedding. It is at the wedding feast at Cana that Jesus reveals his glory and we see in symbolic form the abundance of the gift of the Holy Spirit in the abundance of the wine - It is the gift of the Holy Spirit that is given to us by the Father through Jesus. At the wedding feast of Cana, Mary says to the servants; "Do whatever he tells you." May we be filled with the New Wine of the Holy Spirit so that we may choose freely to do all that the Lord tells us to do and know the joy of true and lasting freedom.



This weekend we are being joined by Fr. Bill Voss and Liz Mach who have come to share about the work of the Maryknoll missionary group. Please welcome them warmly and be generous in supporting their ministry.

God bless,
Fr. Tony

Coffee from San Lucas Mission to support our mission trip building projects is available for pre-order. There are three varieties (light roast ground, light roast whole bean and dark roast whole bean) and the cost is \$12 per pound with proceeds benefitting the 2016 mission trip project. Order forms are available in the church office. Please submit pre-orders by Thursday, January 21st. Limited varieties will be available at the January 31st Knights of Columbus pancake breakfast. For more information or questions please contact **Stephanie Greene at 612-759-3332 or by email @ swgreene1@gmail.com.**



Pastoral Ministry

Light for the Week: "Prayer works miracles and prevents the hardening of the heart." - Pope Francis

West Suburban Grief Coalition meets at Spirit of Hope United Methodist Church, 7600 Harold Avenue, Golden Valley, MN 55427. The group meets Thursdays from 4:30-6:00pm.

Jan. 21st: Journey Following Sibling's Death

Jan. 28th: Walking with People Thru Their Grief

Feb. 4th: GPS Does Not Stand for Grief, Pain And Suffering

Christmas décor has been boxed and stored and still we can take a moment to reflect on the beauty of the Incarnation Season:

What did we see?
What did we hear?
What did it mean?
How did it make us feel?
Peace!

Please review the names listed below. If you wish to add or remove someone, please call the Parish Office.

We pray for those in need. May the Lord comfort them in their time of sickness and bless those who care for them. Please keep the following individuals in your prayers:

Chris A., Vern Andersen, Kerry Babler, Alan Blackwell, Bob Blake, Joyce Blume, Tim Daly, David Filippi, Mark Fliss, Kathy Gnitka, Fred Hanley, Greg Howard, Clarence & Connie Korbel, Joe Lofrano, Andra Olson, Bobby Reil, Ben Renteria, Adam Richardt, Monica Savage, Mary Schmidt, Mike Schulz, Laura Sohns, Mike & Kim Sorensen, Warren & Louise Spigler, and John Ziminske

We Pray for Those in the Military:

David B., Nicholas J., Benjamin M., Christopher P., Braden T., Darrell V., and Noah V.



Family Faith Formation meets today, Sunday, January 17th, at 9:30am in the School Cafeteria. Our theme this month is "The Sacrament of Matrimony."

Children's Liturgy of the Word meets today, Sunday, January 17th, at the 10:30am Mass.

Faith Formation Classes meet this Wednesday, January 20th, in their Classrooms.

Our 3rd session for Early Catholic Family Life meets this Saturday, January 23rd, from 9:00-11:00am. The parent topic this week is "The Spirituality of Children."

Mark your calendars for Wednesday, January 27th, for the annual Safety Session. All students enrolled in Faith Formation are required by the Archdiocese to attend this session. More information will be available at a later date.

Mardi Gras is coming to OLL! On Wednesday, February 3rd at 6:30pm. Faith Formation will be celebrating Mardi Gras with Bingo, crafts, games, and ice cream sundaes. All parishioners are invited to come and join the fun before Lent begins!

Adult Education

The series by Fr. Michael Gaitley, **Consoling the Heart of Jesus**, continues this week. Even if you've missed the first week, please join us for the discussion about Divine Mercy and how you can share in this comforting experience. Learn what Divine Mercy is all about, and why Pope Francis has placed such a high priority on this devotion. These sessions are designed to give you the experience of a 30-day retreat without leaving town! Each step is meant to bring you closer to the love of Christ. Please join us on Mondays at 6:30pm or Tuesdays at 1:30pm.

Save the Date! Annulment Information Night Tuesday, February 11th • 6:30pm • Large Meeting Room

An informational presentation will be given on why and how to obtain an annulment (Declaration of Nullity) in the Catholic Church. Some of the rules have recently been changed, but the process is essentially the same. Come and learn about what an annulment is and is not, when you need one, and what steps you need to take to obtain one. Deacon Del will answer your questions from his years of experience in working at the Tribunal Office which handles these matters. Please call Dana in the Church Office at 952-472-1284, ext. 162 to sign up.

Council of Catholic Women



The Council of Catholic Women would like to thank all of the women who participated in making cookies, sorting, and selling the cookies at the Cookie Sale. Thank you to everyone who purchased cookies. It was a huge success!

Save the Date! The next CCW Meeting is Tuesday, February 2nd, after the 6:30pm Mass.

The CCW is collecting supplies greatly needed by the homeless. Please help by bringing socks, toiletries, and bath towels to our Collection Bucket, located in the Church Hall connecting to the PACE Center, by the CCW Bulletin Board. Thanks for helping!

Domestic Disaster Relief Collection - January 23rd & 24th: A special collection to support the victims of the severe storms and flooding in the Midwest and South will take place at OLL the weekend of January 23rd & 24th. The funds collected will be used to support the efforts of Catholic Charities USA, the official domestic relief agency of the U.S. Catholic Church, as they respond to the immediate emergency needs for such necessities as water, food, shelter, and medical care, as well as to the long-term needs to rebuild and recover after widespread destruction, and to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops for pastoral and reconstruction needs of the Church. Thank you.

DISCIPLESHIP ... FAITH IN ACTION

Stewardship Thought

*"To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit."
-1 Corinthians 12:7*

St. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God's plan - helping to do His work here on Earth? Remember that if you don't do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it.

Financial Stewardship

Collection totals for January 9th & 10th, 2016:

Envelopes	\$26,309
Plate	1,450
Electronic	9,388
Annual	<u>6,720</u>
Total	\$43,867

Weekly Budget	\$ 15,856
Fiscal YTD Actuals	\$472,129
Fiscal YTD Budget	\$459,818

**Thank you for your generosity to
Our Lady of the Lake!**

Thank you to the Liturgy Committee for your time and commitment in coordinating all aspects of the Advent/Christmas/Epiphany Season:

The Music Department and all our talented musicians for the gift of beautiful and inspiring music

The Art & Environment Committee for decorating the church

*Greeters, Cross Bearers, Altar Servers, Lectors, Communion Ministers,
Gift Bearers, Ushers and K.C.'s for setting out luminaries.*

Each one helped us celebrate a wonderful time of the year.

Special thanks to Jesse Neve for coordinating the Giving Tree project and to those who so generously brought gifts to share with others.

God bless you all!



Kindergarten Roundup

Looking for a curriculum that challenges your child and provides a nurturing, safe, Christian environment? Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School will host their kindergarten roundup on **Monday, January 25th, at 6 p.m.** OLL invites the community to meet staff and visit with parents who have children enrolled at OLL. RSVP at school.ourladyofthelake.com for a chance to win one year of free kindergarten tuition. The evening will include a kid-friendly dinner, mini classes and a parent information session.

Kindergarten Roundup Volunteers Needed: If you would like to help out with Kindergarten Roundup on January 25th, at 6:00pm, please contact Adrienne O'Connor, a PTO member or Shawn Hogan at 952-472-1284, ext. 156. We will need lots of volunteers to help make this event a huge success!

Kick-off Catholic Schools Week with Our Lady of the (Frozen) Lake's 1st Annual Spirit of the Ice Festival Saturday, January 30th, 2016 • 12:00 - 3:00pm

We are having a **FREE** outdoor festival to kick-off Catholic Schools Week! Outside activities (weather permitting) will include: Ice Skating, Snow Shoeing, Ice Bowling, Ice Golfing, and a Bonfire!

Inside the PACE Center there will be crafts, games in the gym, snacks, and other carnival fun! The Knights of Columbus will host their annual **Free-Throw Contest** during the festival this year. Each class is being asked to coordinate an activity. Please check with your children's teachers if you want to help. Most importantly, come and have fun! This is a free event for anyone and everyone. Members of the school, parish, and community are all welcome! Bring your friends, it'll be a great way to spend a Saturday afternoon in the winter!

Archdiocese Pro-Life Prayer & Right to Life March - January 22nd

Please join us for the Archdiocese Pro-Life Prayer & Right to Life March on January 22nd. A bus will leave St. Boniface Church at 8:30am and return about 2:15pm. We will stop at Our Lady of the Lake Church at about 8:50am and at Lund's at about 9:15am. The St. Boniface KC's are sponsoring the bus.

Safety Issues at OLL During Winter Months



For your safety during the winter months, please enter and exit through the entrances that have been shoveled or plowed. We try to clear all entrances as quickly as possible. Please use the handrails located by the steps and wear appropriate footwear for snowy and icy conditions. These precautions will help to ensure your safety. Thank you!

Immediate need for host family - German girl, very good student! When you open your home and heart to an exchange student, your family will develop a new perspective, make memories, and gain a new family member for life! Please contact: 763-280-9963 or ssevlie@yfu.org.

Marriage: To confirm a wedding, please contact Fr. Tony at least 8 months before planning to marry.

Baptism: For baptismal information, please contact Carla LaBore, Coordinator of Adult Faith Formation, at 952-472-1284 ext. 145.

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PennyWise is currently closed.

Westonka Food Shelf 952-472-5599

WeCAN (Western Communities Action Network) 952-472-0742

Our Lady of the Lake's MISSION STATEMENT

To be a community that worships, educates, and reaches out to others through our Catholic faith.

Our Mission Is:

To proclaim Christ by celebrating the Eucharist, the Sacraments, and other liturgies and rites of the Catholic Church; To educate and enrich children and adults in living out our Catholic faith through worship, Faith Formation, a Catholic School, and by our example; To welcome, assist and reach out to the stranger, the forgotten, and those in need in our local community; To support social justice efforts here and elsewhere; and To use our talents and resources, given by God, justly and wisely.