

# 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"The Lord is my light and my salvation."*



## MISSION STATEMENT

*"The historic Church of Our Lady of Lourdes is rooted in the Catholic faith and tradition.  
We strive to be a welcoming parish, committed to nurturing a spirit of prayer and service.  
Guided by the Holy Spirit we embrace all who seek to grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ.  
Together we will build a strong, loving community where faith is lived, celebrated and shared."*



**January 25, 2026**

## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:30pm

Sunday 8:30am & 10:30am

Tuesday 12:05pm

Wednesday 12:05pm

Thursday 12:05pm

Friday 12:05pm

## CONFESSION

Saturday 3:25-4:15pm

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday through Friday

8:30am - 4:30pm

To contact the Parish Office call:

612-379-2259

For information on the parish  
and its programs and events,  
please visit [lourdesmpls.org](http://lourdesmpls.org)

**REMINDER:** Parking in the ramp while attending liturgies at Lourdes is FREE!  
Bring a copy of your license plate # and see personnel in the back of church for validation.

# OUR LADY OF LOURDES

CATHOLIC CHURCH

One Lourdes Place, Minneapolis, MN 55414



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*Fr. Leo is out this week taking a brief vacation.  
He has asked that this article be placed in his column spot  
during his absence.*

My Lord God,

I have no idea where I am going.

I do not see the road ahead of me.

I cannot know for certain where it will end.

Nor do I really know myself,  
and the fact that I think I am following your will  
does not mean that I am actually doing so.

But I believe that the desire to please you  
does in fact please you.

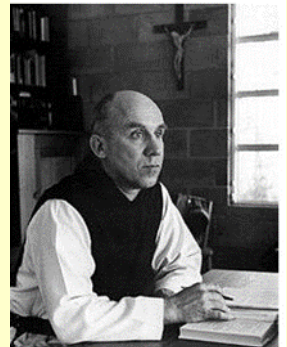
And I hope that I have that desire in all that I am doing.

I hope that I will never do anything apart from that desire.

And I know that if I do this you will lead me by the right road,  
though I may know nothing about it.

Therefore will I trust you always though I may seem to be lost and  
in the shadow of death. I will not fear, for you are ever with me,  
and you will never leave me to face my perils alone.

~Thomas Merton



## **Save the Dates:**

There is more information and signups for  
some of these on our website.

Cana Dinner  
February 7th 6pm

## **FRENCH MEAT PIES AVAILABLE WHILE QUANTITIES LAST!**

**Cost is \$30.00 per pie ~  
checks, cash, credit card welcome!**

***Meat Pies can be  
purchased at the Parish Office  
Tues thru Fri 8:30am - 4:30pm***



## UPCOMING EVENTS AT LOURDES

### MASS INTENTIONS

Sun	1/25	8:30am	Our Lady of Lourdes Parish
		10:30am	Our Lady of Lourdes Parish
Mon	1/26	NO MASS	
Tues	1/27	12:05 pm	+Rev. Pierre Dagnault (d 1917)
Wed	1/28	12:05 pm	+Rev. Joseph Guillot (d 1953)
Thurs	1/29	12:05 pm	
Fri	1/30	12:05 pm	
Sat	1/31	4:30 pm	Our Lady of Lourdes Parish
Sun	2/1	8:30am	Our Lady of Lourdes Parish
		10:30am	Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK JAN 25

<b>Sunday</b>	Is: 8:23-9:3; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mk 3:22-30
<b>Monday</b>	2 Tim 1: 1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Mk 3:22-30
<b>Tuesday</b>	2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29; Mk 4: 21-25
<b>Wednesday</b>	2 Sm 7: 4-17; Mk 4: 21-25
<b>Thursday</b>	2 Sm 7: 18-19, 24-27; Mk 4: 21-25
<b>Friday</b>	2 Sm 11: 1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Mk 4:26-34
<b>Saturday</b>	2 Sm 12: 1-7a, 10-17; Mk 4: 35-41



peace 

Women of Our Lady of Lourdes • 2026

All women of the parish are invited to join us for

## Blessed Pizza

Tuesday, February 10 | 6-8 PM | Hofstede Hall

suggested donation \$5



With a special presentation  
by Lourdes parishoner,  
Elizabeth Sponsel:

## The Way of St. James

"As you start on the Way,  
the Way appears."

- Rumi, 13th Century



**Women**  
of LOURDES

Save the date for our 2026 events  
April 25: Blessed Bagels  
July 14: Blessed Connections  
October 24: Blessed Brunch

Our 2026 theme of  
"Peace" is inspired  
by Pope Leo's first  
greeting as pope.

### CONGRATULATIONS!

**CHELSEA SEQUIN & SCOTT BOZOIAN**  
**MARRIED SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 2026**

### CONGRATULATIONS!

**ELENA MARIE SLATER**  
**BAPTIZED SUNDAY, JANUARY 25, 2026**



Our **Cana Dinner** is Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup>. All married and engaged couples are invited to join us for a celebration of marriage! Mass at 4:30 pm, followed by a reception, dinner, and fun activities in Hofstede Hall. The cost is \$75.00 per couple. Reservations can be made online

**NOW at:**

<https://lourdesmpls.org/cana-dinner>

To pay by credit card please call the office or stop in and pay in person (check/cash/cc).

**Please register by Friday, January 30th**





## PARISH LEADERSHIP

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**Deb Hamilton** - Parish Trustee

**Mike Rainville** - Chair, Parish Council

**Remington Zacher** - Chair, Parish Finance Council

**Monica Shearon** - Chair, Pastoral Care Ministry



## OLL Financial Report YTD (July-December, 2025)\*

	Actual	Budget	Difference
INCOME			
Collections*	\$339,090.81	\$ 327,500.02	\$ 11,590.79
Other **	<u>\$ 83,915.63</u>	<u>\$ 75,075.02</u>	<u>\$ 8,840.61</u>
Total Income	\$423,006.44	\$ 402,575.04	\$ 20,431.40)
EXPENSES			
	Actual	Budget	Difference
Admin/Emp Costs ***	\$ 197,043.54	\$215,393.74	\$ (18,350.20)
Campus and Utilities	<u>\$ 92,700.19</u>	<u>\$ 70,851.06</u>	<u>\$ 21,849.13</u>
Total Expenses	\$ 364,036.31	\$ 369,984.00	\$ 3,498.93
Actual Income - Expenses		\$58,970.13	

\* Excludes restricted Precious Jewell Fund contributions and expenses

\*\* Other operating income includes Meat Pies, and Sacramental Fees

\*\*\* Includes salaries and all benefits costs

\*\*\*\* Excludes Depreciation (non-cash expense)

## Giving at Our Lady of Lourdes

Your support enhances our programs and supports new initiatives, helping to ensure we continue to welcome parishioners for years to come.

- **Cash/Check:** Cash gifts are the simplest and easiest way to make a gift. This can be done during the offering at mass or via the mail.
- **Online Gifts:** Visit our website to create a secure account to give online. If you already have an account, you can login to easily make a one-time gift or adjust current giving.



Use your cell phone to scan this QR code to be taken to our website, or visit us directly at [www.lourdesmpls.org/giving](http://www.lourdesmpls.org/giving)

- **Text to Give:** Text the amount you would like to give, starting with a "\$" to: (612) 888-8406.
- **Planned Giving:** If you include Our Lady of Lourdes in your estate plans, please reach out to the parish office to let us know.

Please contact the parish office if you would like to give via weekly envelopes or if you have any questions about how to give, including legacy and planned giving. **Thank you for your generosity!**