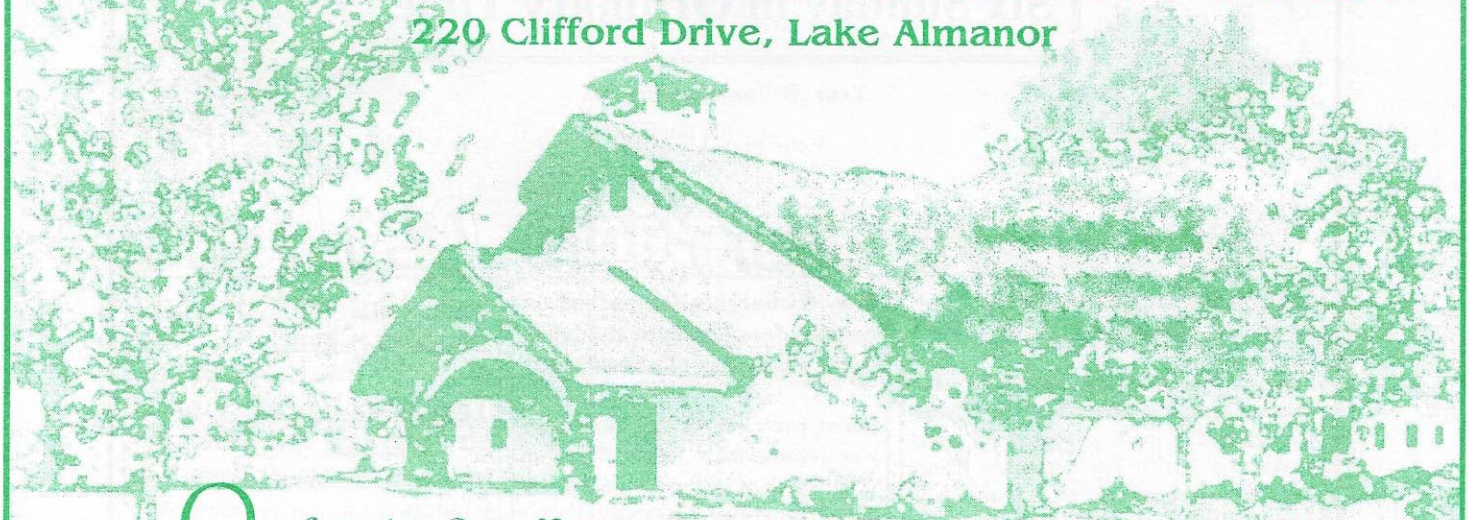
Serving the Communities of the Almanor Basin

OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS CATHOLIC PARISH

220 Clifford Drive, Lake Almanor



Our Lady of the Snows Parish is a community that is ever mindful of the presence of God in the Blessed Sacrament, in our church, in each other and in ourselves. We envision all who enter our doors will be welcomed and valued for their gifts. We strive to respond to the needs of all - - to bring about joy and spiritual growth. We open our hearts to the poor and vulnerable. We promote peace and justice for all. We are committed to be active stewards of God's creation to preserve the beauty of nature and our surroundings and be ever grateful for His bountiful blessings.

MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

Baptismal Preparation (call Rectory at least 1 month in advance)	259-3932
Marriage Preparation (call Rectory at least 8 months in advance)	259-3932
Altar Servers - Pat Martin	258-2101
Facilities & Maintenance - Steve DeWitt	258-4222
Finance Council - Mike Willhoit, Chair	259-3647
Hospitality Ministry (Ushers) - Carl Deveny	596-3319
Liturgy Committee - Pat Martin, Chair	258-2101
Sick & Homebound Ministry - Fr. Alfredo	259-3932
Parish Pastoral Council - Fr. Alfredo	259-3932
Religious Education - Faye Wilkinson	258-1850
RCIA - Debbie & Larry Rives	259-2420
Altar Society - Linda Porter	259-4422
Music Ministry - Cindy Hawkins	258-0319
Drew Davidson	251-2996
Environment Ministry - Luci Burgess	596-4636

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday - 8:30 a.m.

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday - 9:30 a.m.

Confessions: Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

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Website: ourladyofsnowsparish.org

To register, please fill out and put bulletin in collection basket

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jer 1:4-5,17-19; Cor 12:12:31-13; Lk 4: 21-30

The consoling words of the prophet Jeremiah give comfort to all of us. God told him that he, like each of us, was known even in his mother's womb. It was this knowledge of being know and loved that gave Jeremiah the strength to stand before his people and prophesy some very strong and harsh words. He was set as a strong pillar, a wall of brass, a fortified city. He was rooted in love, because he needed to be so as no to be crushed by the anger and resentment stirred up by his prophetic words.

Jesus faces the same ire when visiting his hometown. At first the Nazarenes praised him, but soon, as if they had some entitlement, they presumptuously demanded that he perform miracles to satisfy their vanity —not to change their hearts. When Jesus challenges them, their response is to want to throw him off a cliff.

As Christians, we all have prophetic mission. We're called to preach the truths of the gospel, and at times this isn't popular. In the public square, the Church and Christians are often praised for their charitable work but asked to silence their religious voice when morality is discussed. We need the strength and conviction of prophets as well as the love that drives them.

Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

May the Mother of Jesus, and our Mother, always smile on you and obtain for you, from her Most Holy Son, every heavenly blessing. Pray to Our Mother Mary.

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My son and his wife attend a Christian church because they like the minister and the upbeat service. My son was raised Catholic and still claims he is Catholic, even though he doesn't go to Catholic Church. I feel frustrated by the whole affair!

Your frustration is certainly shared by many parents and grandparents today. They raised their children Catholic, even sent them to Catholic schools, but their adult children are less disciplined about their faith practices. Recent surveys on religion showed that 80 percent of Americans say they believe in God, and 75 percent consider spirituality important in their lives. But this doesn't mean they commit to religious practices. About 60 percent of Catholics question attend religious services only once or twice a month, or never. Many are interested in exploring different teachings and attending different churches. The loyalty to the Church and its disciplines that was evident in our own lives, or in our parents' and grandparents' lives, is often lacking in today's under-fifty-five crowd.
What can one do about this? The traditional method is to pray for your children while continuing to set n example through your own loyalty to the Catholic Church— including attendance at Sunday Mass and observance of other Church disciplines. It would be good to invite your son and his wife to attend church with you. As we get older religion appears very attractive again. Be patient and continue to pray for them.

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Pray for the Holy Souls in Purgatory for their release to praise the Lord, in return these Souls will pray for you.

Daily Mass will be in **Christ the King Chapel** at 8:30am on Mon, Tues, Thurs and Fris.
The Lord's Day Mass is held on **Saturday** at 5:00pm and on **Sunday** at 9:30am. in Church.
Advent starts the Year C in the Missals.

This weekend the second collection will be taken up for the Maintenance of our Church. It takes care of the heat, snow removal and any unexpected problem that comes up. Thank you for your generosity.

Bishop Soto has requested the Communion cup be suspended during the flu season temporarily, and receive the Body of Christ in the hand. Do not shake hands, say "peace be with you", do not hold hands during the Our Father. We will resume as the Bishop deem it safe and prudent to do so.

The 2019 offering envelopes are in the hall. New parishioners please fill out the white card, name, address, phone, and email address. This will help us keep you up to date on events. Thank you.

Please take a moment and say a prayer for all our sick parishioners.

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Pray for the Sick and Deceased

Loved ones.
Prayer is the best armor we have,
It is the key which opens the
heart of God. St. Padre Pio

- Ruby Vocke †
- George Hawkins
- Robert Gonzales
- Kerry Phillips
- Jane Hilliard
- Lawrence Oliver
- Marcella Unalles
- Mitchell Padula †
- Cindee Padula †
- Vernon Burgess
- Ron Roderick †
- Matthew Settlemire †
- George & Frances Angelis †
- Gayle Auge
- Art Tantardino †
- Frances Dennis
- Nancy Lotti †
- Lou Ann Martin †
- Alexa Rolin
- Debbie Stebbins
- Maynard Crowther
- Kathy O'Donnell
- Miguel Pena †
- Pat Pfeifer
- Karen Klemek †
- Allen Hayes
- Carolyn Willhoit
- Bulah Bozzo †
- Julie Stangler
- Eileen Ruby †
- Jim Easterling †
- Diana Pallari
- Carolyn Willhoit
- John Fehrman †
- Pat Penick †

Weekly Offering's

January 27 2019	
Offertory — $ 736.00	
Building & Maintenance	$ 110.00
Stipends	$ 20.00
Poor	$ 25.00
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This Weekend's Ministry Schedule

	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors
Saturday	Toni Pleau Pat Didier	George Hormel
Sunday	Mary Deveny Julie Chavez Ray Pallari	Fernando Conchas

Weekly Mass Intentions

Feb. 2	Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Mass for the Parish
Feb. 3	Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Ashley Praplans †
Feb. 4	Monday	8:30a.m.	No Mass
Feb. 5	Tuesday	8:30am	No Mass
Feb. 6	Wednesday	No Mass	No Mass
Feb. 7	Thursday	8:30 a.m.	No Mass
Feb. 8	Friday	8:30 a.m.	No Mass

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Pray the Rosary thirty minutes before Saturday and Sunday Mass in the Chapel. All are welcome.

A couple extra dollars each week in your offertory envelope will help with our General Fund for the church. This helps to pay for the heating of the church and social hall, also to remove the snow from the parking lot (when we get it). God Bless all of you.

Please remember if you are in need of spiritual guidance, need special anointing, or just information please call Fr. Tamayo for an appointment. We are here to help and lessen your burden.

Visit Our Website at: www.ourladyofsnowsparish.org

Sunday	Marcia Huestis Ken Wilkinson	Giordano