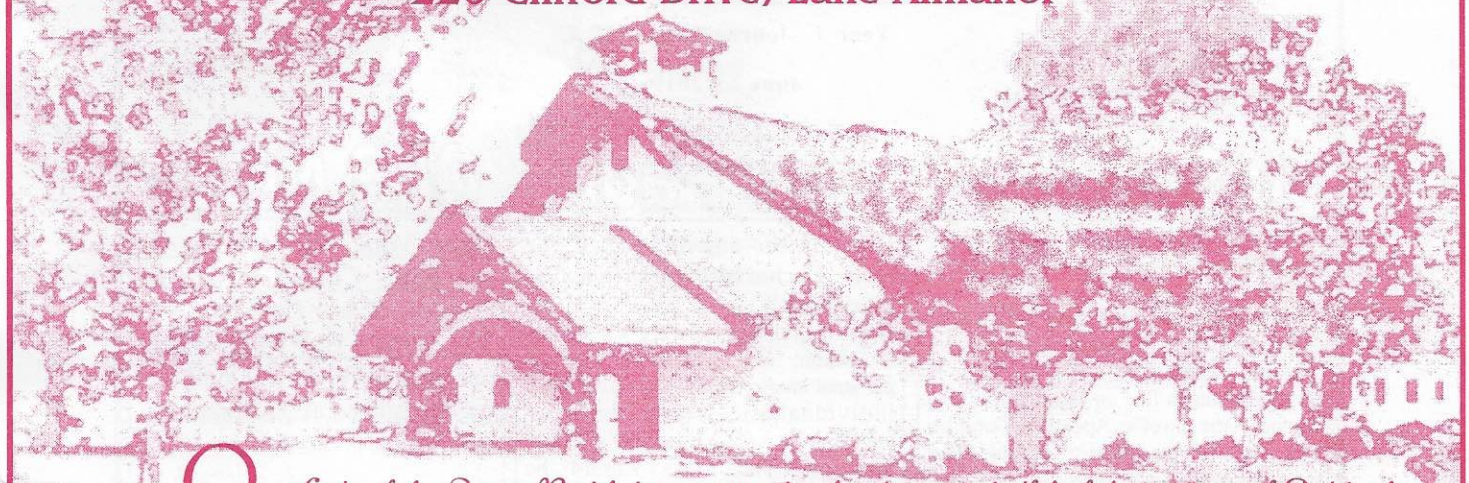
Serving the Communities of the Almanor Basin

# 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

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| 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 | |
| RCIA - Debbie & Larry Rives | 259-2420 |
| Altar Society - Julie Chavez | 596-4951 |
| 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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To register, please fill out and put bulletin in collection basket

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# Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Year C Journeysong 1008**

**October 6, 2019**

**21, 2016**

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Hab 1:2-,2-4: 2 Tim1:6-8,13-4:,Lk 17:5-10

What's the difference between a atheist? What separates one who is indifferent to religion from a fervently religious person? Faith! To believe is no small thing and a tremendous gift. "Father, you are lucky you have faith!" an atheist friend once said to me. "I have tried often, but I can't bring myself to believe."

We are indeed lucky, because having faith in Jesus opens us to heaven, to life after death, to finding hope and sense in suffering. Faith allows u to trust something bigger than our selves and to be at peace even when all around us is Faith and acceptance is the difference between deep, interior harmony and a radical frustration.

We have received everything from God, which is why Jesus invites us to have the attitude of humble servants. He uses an example that's clear to his listeners: a servant works hard all day, come home, and prepares and serves dinner. In so doing, he is merely performing his job. Jesus isn't endorsing the insensitive nature of the master but offering a model in the humble service of the domestic helper who faithfully fulfills his position. Since he receives everything from the master, he ca only be grateful for the chance to work. Such is our position before God. We have no place being proud or demanding before God since all we have is from him: family health, our talents.

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 Blessed Mother Mary.**

**Going back to Church satisfies your heart. You need Jesus!**

**Time**

**2014**

**My parish has become so multicultural, I hardly recognize it anymore!**

This is happening across the United States. Immigrant populations are joining parishes, bringing their culture and values with them.

Years, ago, Catholics strongly identified with a particular culture: Irish, Polish, Italian, for example. They built churches and sometimes found their own priests. They supported their own schools, teaching and praying I their own language. These ethnic parishes gave security to people in a new land.

However, people died, went to war, or left the neighborhood, changing the parish population. But the parish didn't die. Newcomers arrived, people who didn't share the same background or language. Catholic means "universal." It can never be identified exclusively with one particular parish church. A parish isn't a county club with an unspoken charter written by those who have been there the longest. One may have loyalty to a parish, but this should be rooted I love of the gospel.

When people experience change, they week security. In parishes, however, security can lead to possessiveness. But the parish, as it exists, isn't meant to threaten newcomers with its norms and customs. A word of encouragement from you, a long-standing parishioner, can help overcome these tensions. You're encouraged to welcome these people and let the know that we all practice a faith that's Catholic—in the fullest sense of the word. The Redemptorists

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

**Pray for the sick of our Parish.**

**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.

**There will be no Mass this week Oct. 7-11. Please make a note of this, Father is attending a Priest Convocation.**

**The second collection will be for the Maintenance of our Church. This is to off set the snow plowing, shoveling paths, and any problem that should rear it's ugly head. We thank you for your very generous support.**

**The new floor in the Social Hall is being funded by the Brick Fund. No other church funds will be used. Thanks to everyone for your purchase of a Commemoration Brick. Lots of room left.**

**Altar Society meeting Oct. 8th at the Buffalo Chips at 11am.**

**A Rosary will be held on the Collins Pine front lawn on Oct. 12th at noon. In honor of Our Lady of Fatima. Rosaries are being said around the world on that date in honor of Our Lady.**

**Thank to Mike Willhoit for giving of his time and energy to our church, he is retiring as the Finance Chair. We also give Laura Hawkins a congratulations as our new Finance Chair. God Bless both of you.**

**Don't forget to sign your pledge card for the Campaign Mortgage.**

***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
- Philip Aquila
- Lou Ann Martin †
- Alexa Rolin
- Debbie Stebbins
- Maynard Crowther
- Kathy O'Donnell
- Miguel Pena †
- Pat Pfeifer
- Karen Klemek †
- Allen & Kathy Hayes
- Margret Mugallis
- Bulah Bozzo †
- Julie Stangler
- Eileen Ruby †
- Francis Ouelette
- Diana Pallari
- Carolyn Willhoit
- John Fehrman †
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- Pat Penick †

## Weekly Offering's

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| September 29, 2019 | |
| Offertory — $ 1147.00 | |
| Building & Maintenance | $ 3172.00 |
| Candles | $ 39.00 |
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## Weekly Mass Intentions

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| Oct. 5 | Saturday | 5:00 p.m. | Mass for the Parish |
| Oct. 6 | Sunday | 9:30 a.m. | **Bill & Elaine Rogers** |
| Oct. 7 | Monday | 8:30a.m. | **NO MASS** |
| Oct. 8 | Tuesday | 8:30am | **NO MASS** |
| Oct. 9 | Wednesday | No Mass | **NO MASS** |
| Oct. 10 | Thursday | 8:30am | **NO MASS** |
| Oct. 11 | Friday | 8:30am | **NO MASS** |

## This Weekend's Ministry Schedule

| | Eucharistic Ministers | Lectors |
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| Saturday | Toni Pleau<br>Pat Didier | George Hormel |
| Sunday | Debbie Rives<br>Laura Hawkins<br>Ruthie Hinman | Steve DeWitt |

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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

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| Sunday | Marcia Huestis<br>Ken Wilkinson | Giordano |