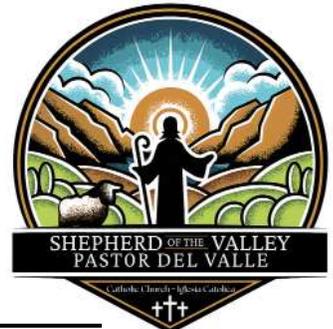


December 7, 2025 | 2nd Sunday of Advent
SHEPHERD OF THE VALLEY
PASTOR DEL VALLE
Catholic Church ~ Iglesia Catolica



MISSION STATEMENT

Shepherd of the Valley Catholic Church is a welcoming parish family, who worships together as Disciples, receives Jesus in Word and Sacrament and proclaims the Good News. We commit ourselves to the joyful love of Christ. Our faith is expressed in service to all God's children. We go out into the world to share and invite others to experience the love of God.

FIND US AT

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 Shepherdcatholic.com

Monday 1pm - 5pm
 Tuesday - Friday: 9am - 5pm
 Bilingual Services: 12pm - 5pm

NUESTRA MISIÓN

La iglesia católica Pastor del Valle es una familia parroquial acogedora, la cual rinde culto en unidad como discípulos, recibe a Jesús en palabra y sacramento y proclama la buena nueva. Nosotros nos comprometemos en la alegría del amor de Cristo. Nuestra fe es expresada en el servicio a todos los hijos de Dios. Salimos al mundo a compartir e invitar a todos a experimentar el amor de Dios.

MASS & CONFESSION TIMES

Monday: Holy Day of Obligation
 7:30 AM - MASS English
 12:00 PM - MASS English
 6:30 PM - MASS Spanish

Tuesday:
 5:00 PM - Confession
 6:00 PM - MASS Español

Wednesday:
 12:00 N - MASS English

Thursday:
 11:00 AM - Confession
 12:00 N - MASS English
 6:00 PM - Mananitas

Friday
 11:00 AM - Confession
 12:00 N - MASS English
 6:00 PM - Rosary Spanish
 6:30 PM - Mass Spanish

Saturday
 3:40 PM - 4:40 PM - Confession
 5:00 PM - English
 7:00 PM - Español

Sunday:
 7:40 AM - 8:40 AM - Confession
 9:00 AM - English
 11:40 AM - 12:40 PM - Confession
 1:00 PM - Español



MINISTRIES | MINISTERIOS

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Baptisms English: Joe & Carol Thibault	541-664-1050
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Scan QR code above for all ministries

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**2025 CONFESSIONS
CONFESIONES 2025**

Confession Time...

**2026 CONFESSIONS
CONFESIONES 2026**

*Tuesday/Martes: 5PM - 5:50PM
Thursday/Jueves: 11AM - 11:50AM
Friday/Viernes: 11AM - 11:50AM
Saturday/Sabado: 3:40PM - 4:40PM
Sunday/Domingo: 7:40AM - 8:40AM
Sunday/Domingo: 11:40AM - 12:40AM*

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Friday/Viernes: 11AM - 11:50AM
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Sunday/Domingo: 7:40AM - 8:40AM
Sunday/Domingo: 11:40AM - 12:40AM*

**CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE
NO CONFESSION**

*Thursday/Jueves, December 18
Friday/Viernes, December 19
Tuesday/Martes, December 23
Thursday/Jueves, December 25
Friday/Viernes, December 26
Thursday/Jueves, January 1
The revised weekly schedule will
resume after New year's Day!*



ADVENT CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Sacred Heart Parish
Monday, December 15th at 6:30pm

Shepherd of the Valley
Tuesday, December 16th at 6:30pm.
We will have several priests available to help. If you are planning to make your Advent confession, please use this opportunity to prepare your heart for Christmas.

St. Anna-Grants Pass
Wednesday, December 17th at 6:00pm

Parroquia del Sagrado Corazón
lunes 15 de diciembre a las 6:30pm

Pastor del Valle
martes 16 de diciembre a las 6:30pm
Tendremos varios sacerdotes disponibles para ayudarte. Si planeas confesarte en Adviento, aprovecha esta oportunidad para preparar tu corazón para la Navidad.

Santa Ana, Grants Pass
miércoles 17 de diciembre a las 6:00pm

INMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN | LUNES 8 DE DICIEMBRE

*Our Masses are as follows:
7:30 am in English
12:00 pm in English
6:30 pm in Spanish*

*Nuestras misas son
las siguientes:
7:30 a. m. en inglés
12:00 p. m. en inglés
6:30 p. m. en español*

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
DECEMBER 8 | HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**



EMMANUEL PROJECT 2025

Dear Church Family-
Here is what I put in the Gifts Bags we make for our sick, lonely, marginalized, and needy.

EMMANUEL PROJECT

Where do I bring it?

Drop off in the tub in the foyer or in the office Hall before mass or during office hours.

What do we need?

We also accept monetary donations to support this project. Please make checks payable to Shepherd of the Valley with "Emmanuel Project" in the memo.

Please no hotel coffee pods—only prepackaged instant coffee, tea, or hot chocolate.

Food & snack items:

- Protein snacks: trail mix, nuts, peanut or cheese crackers
- Granola, protein, or fruit bars
- Microwave items: popcorn, oatmeal
- Individually sealed drink packets (no K-cups)
- Pudding (regular or sugar-free)
- Cookies and candies (regular and sugar-free)

Other helpful items:

- Socks or slipper socks (non-slip), gloves, scarves
- Large-print puzzle books, small puzzles
- Eyeglass wipes, magnifying glasses
- Used sports, fishing, hunting, or general reading magazines
- Monetary donations help provide Christmas clothing, a few toys, and sometimes food for families in need.

Toiletries - Unused - Travel-size toiletries:

- Razors, shaving cream,
- Deodorant,
- Shampoo/conditioner, soap
- Gloss, prepackaged toothbrushes, toothpaste
- Lip balm, nail files
- Small lotions
- Tissue packs
- Small unused perfumes/colognes



We will accept physical donations through Sunday, December 14.

Monetary donations are welcome at any time.

December 15 - 17 Monday – Wednesday @ 10AM: Sorting and bagging

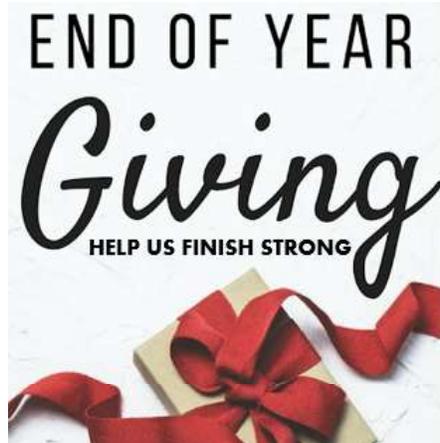
December 18 – 22 Delivery

To volunteer, ask questions, or share the name of a parish family in need, please sign up in the Church foyer or call 541-664-1050 x102 and speak with Joyce Marks.

Blessed Advent!

END OF YEAR GIVING

As we enter more deeply into this Holy Season, I invite you to consider a year-end donation. As a nonprofit, your gift to Shepherd of the Valley is tax deductible to the full extent allowed by the IRS rules. Your gift must be received by December 28, 2025 to count toward your 2025 giving. You can give to our general fund or mark your gift for the Building Fund. You can mail your gift, drop it at the office, or give on our website.



DONACIONES DE FIN DE AÑO

Al adentrarnos en esta Temporada Santa, los invito a considerar una donación de fin de año. Como organización sin fines de lucro, su donación a Shepherd of the Valley es deducible de impuestos hasta el máximo permitido por las normas del IRS. Su donación debe recibirse antes del 28 de diciembre de 2025 para que cuente para sus donaciones de 2025. Puede donar a nuestro

fondo general o marcar su donación para el Fondo de Construcción. Puede enviar su donación por correo, dejarla en la oficina o donar a través de nuestro sitio web.

Te invitamos a nuestra tradicional **Posada y pastorelas Navideña**

Dic 21 de 2:30-5:30pm

Te esperamos para una noche mágica con Pastorelas, musica, rica comida, ponche, aguinaldos y piñatas. Community Christmas Posada Great food, music, piñatas, and Nativity plays.

See you there!

ADVENT BIBLE STUDY
THE NATIVITY IN LUKE'S GOSPEL
 Journey with us this Advent through St. Luke's inspiring account of Christ's birth — from the angel's visit to Mary to the shepherds at the manger. Discover the beauty and meaning of God's love made flesh.

MEET IN CLOW
 Evenings: Dec. 1, 8, 15 | 7-8:30 PM
 Mornings: Dec. 3, 10, 17 | 10-11:30 AM
 All are welcome!



CIRIOS/CANDLES
LAS VELAS ESTÁN LISTAS PARA SER RECOGIDAS Y HAN SIDO BENDECIDAS POR EL PADRE SILVERINO. RECOGERLA EN LA OFICINA
THE CANDLES ARE READY FOR PICK-UP AND HAVE BEEN BLESSED BY FATHER SILVERINO. PICKUP IN OFFICE

SOUND SYSTEM
 To help keep our liturgies and events running smoothly, we kindly ask that all microphones, cables, stands, and other sound equipment remain in their designated locations. Please do not move or adjust any part of the sound system in the church. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Thank you!

DO NOT REMOVE

SISTEMA DE SONIDO
 Para que nuestras liturgias y eventos se desarrollen sin contratiempos, les pedimos que todos los micrófonos, cables, soportes y demás equipos de sonido permanezcan en sus ubicaciones designadas. Por favor, no muevan ni ajusten ninguna parte del sistema de sonido de la iglesia. Agradecemos enormemente su colaboración. ¡Gracias!

BREAKFAST WITH ST. NICK
 Hosted by Sacred Heart Catholic School PTO
 December 13 From 9 - 11am
 Tickets \$12.00 Per Person
 2 years & under eat free
 Tickets include 1 drink, breakfast made by Knights of Columbus & a photo with St. Nick
 Call 541-779-4661 for tickets



DESAYUNO CON SAN NICOLÁS
 Organizado por la Asociación de Padres y Maestros de la Escuela Católica Sacred Heart 13 de diciembre, de 9 a 11 a. m.
 Entradas: \$12.00 por persona
 Niños de 2 años o menos comen gratis
 Las entradas incluyen una bebida, desayuno preparado por los Caballeros de Colón y una foto con San Nicolás. Llame al 541-779-4661 para reservar entradas.

ENGLISH BAPTISM DATES

@ 3:00 pm In the Church

December 20, 2025

January 17, 2026

February 21, 2026

March 21, 2026

ENGLISH BAPTISM CLASSES

As needed, please contact
Joe & Carol Thibault



Scan QR code for more
information & paperwork
(dates are subject to change)

FECHAS DE LOS BAUTIZOS EN ESPAÑOL

Diciembre 27, 2025

Enero 31, 2026

No Febrero or Marzo

Abril 25, 2026

FECHAS DE LAS CLASES PRE BAUTISMALES EN ESPAÑOL

No Diciembre 2025, Enero 2026

Febrero 13, 2026

No Marzo



Para más información Escanee
el código QR (dates are
subject to change)

GOD'S QUIZ CORNER

Discuss these questions with
your family! Students who bring
their written answers to class
will receive a prize. Answers will
be posted next week!



EL RINCÓN DE DIOS

¡Comenta estas preguntas en
familia! Los estudiantes que
traigan sus respuestas escritas
a clase recibirán un premio.
¡Las respuestas se publicarán la
próxima semana!

THIS WEEKS QUESTIONS:

- 1: How does God the Father connect to Advent?
- 2: How does Jesus (God the Son) connect to Advent?
- 3: What does the Holy Spirit do during Advent?

PREGUNTAS DE ESTA SEMANA:

- 1: ¿Cómo se relaciona Dios Padre con el Adviento?
- 2: ¿Cómo se relaciona Jesús (Dios Hijo) con el Adviento?
- 3: ¿Qué hace el Espíritu Santo durante el Adviento?

LAST WEEKS ANSWERS:

1. How does the Trinity teach us to love others?

The Father, Son, and Holy Spirit love each other perfectly. We can copy that love by being kind, sharing, and helping others every day. It shows God's love through our actions.

2. Why does the Trinity remind us to work together?

The three Persons of the Trinity work as one. When we work together—like helping at home, playing fairly, or including others—we act more like God wants us to.

3. How can we stay close to the Trinity in our daily lives?

We can pray, say "thank you" to God, and make good choices. These small actions help us feel God's presence and remind us that the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are always with us.

RESPUESTAS DE LA SEMANA PASADA:

1. ¿Cómo nos enseña la Trinidad a amar a los demás?

El Padre, el Hijo y el Espíritu Santo se aman a la perfección. Podemos imitar ese amor siendo amables, compartiendo y ayudando a los demás cada día. Esto demuestra el amor de Dios a través de nuestras acciones.

2. ¿Por qué nos recuerda la Trinidad que debemos trabajar juntos?

Las tres Personas de la Trinidad trabajan como una sola. Cuando trabajamos juntos —como ayudando en casa, jugando limpio o incluyendo a los demás— actuamos más como Dios quiere que lo hagamos.

3. ¿Cómo podemos mantenernos cerca de la Trinidad en nuestra vida diaria?

Podemos orar, agradecer a Dios y tomar buenas decisiones. Estas pequeñas acciones nos ayudan a sentir la presencia de Dios y nos recuerdan que el Padre, el Hijo y el Espíritu Santo siempre están con nosotros.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, December 8, 2025

7:30 am	Mass E. Immac. Conception	Church
10:00 am	Shepherd's Voice Practice	Church
12:00 am	Mass E. Immac. Conception	Church
3:00 pm	Women's Study	CLOW
6:00 pm	ACTS Sp. Womens Meeting	Hall
6:30 pm	Mass Sp. Immac. Conception	Church
7:00 pm	Guadalupano's - Men	John, Lk
7:00 pm	Advent Bible Study	CLOW

Tuesday, December 9, 2025

9:00 am	Amazing Parish Meeting	Matthew
10:00 am	Weekly Mass Readings Study	CLOW
2:00 pm	Charismatic Group	CLOW
5:00 pm	Adoration	Chapel
5:00 pm	Confession	Church
5:20 pm	Rosario	Chapel
6:00 pm	Mass Spanish	Chapel
7:00 pm	ACTS Sp. Men	CLOW
7:00 pm	Guadalupano's - Mujeres	Mk, Mt
7:00 pm	ACTS Eng. Men Team Build	Luke

PLEASE NOTE CONFESSION TIMES FOR CHRISTMAS & 2026 ON PAGE 2

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 6

5:00 pm + *Mary Wojack*
7:00 pm + *Juan Guillermo & Rosendo Vasquez*

Sunday, December 7

9:00 am + *Sue Lichtenstein*
1:00 pm *Parishioners of Shepherd of the Valley*

Tuesday, December 9

6:30 pm + *Teresa Garay*

Wednesday, December 10

12:00 pm *The Weiss Family*

Thursday, December 11

12:00 pm + *Michael Bansmer*

Friday, December 12

12:00 pm + *John Le Bel*

Saturday, December 13

5:00 pm *Arthur Henry (Birthday)*
7:00 pm + *Juan Guillermo & Rosendo Vasquez*

Sunday, December 14

9:00 am + *Deanna Young*
1:00 pm *Parishioners of Shepherd of the Valley*

Wednesday, December 10, 2025

10:00 am	Advent Bible Study	CLOW
12:00 N	Mass	Chapel
5:00 pm	8:30 am Choir Practice	Church
6:30 pm	H. Adult Apologetics	Luke
6:45 pm	Confirmation - ALL	Church
7:00 pm	1pm Choir Practice	Church
7:00 pm	Confirmation Parents English	Mark
7:00 pm	Confirmation Parents Spanish	Luke
7:00 pm	Confirmation Youth	Hall

Thursday, December 11, 2025

10:30 am	Core Group Meeting	CLOW
11:00 am	Confession	Church
12:00 N	Mass	Church
6:00 pm	Mañanitas	Hall
	NO Educación Religiosa - Break De Navidad	

Friday, December 12, 2025

11:00 am	Adoration	Chapel
11:00 am	Confession	Church
12:00 N	Mass	Chapel
3:00 pm	Divine Mercy Chaplet	Chapel
6:00 pm	Rosary- Our Lady of Guadalupe	Church
6:30 pm	7pm Choir	Church
6:30 pm	Mass Sp. Our Lady of Guadalupe	Church
7:00 pm	Holy Family/Sagrada Familia/H.Catechism	Matthew

Saturday, December 13, 2025

10:30 am	Funeral Divine Mercy Chaplet	Church
11:00 am	Funeral/Reception Karen Yount	Ch/Hall/Kit
3:40 pm	Confession	Church
4:00 pm	Choir Practice	Church
5:00 pm	Mass - English	Church
6:00 pm	Christmas Party for Community	Hall/Kit
7:00 pm	Mass - Spanish	Church

Sunday, December 14, 2025

7:00 am	Prayer & Meditation	Church
7:40 am	Confession	Church
9:00 am	Mass - English	Church
9:00 am	Children's liturgy of the word	CLOW
10:30 am	Relig Education	Ch/Mod
10:30 am	Sacramental Prep	Ch/Mod
11:40 am	Confession	Church
1:00 pm	H. Mass	Church



Want to see what's happening at our parish? Scan the QR code to view the full calendar of Masses, events, and special gatherings online.

A FUNERAL MASS FOR

Karen Yount

Will be on Thursday Dec 13
10:30 am Divine Mercy Chaplet
11:00 am at Shepherd of the Valley

Reception to follow



CHESTERTON ACADEMY OF THE ROGUE VALLEY

CHESTERTON ACADEMY OF THE ROGUE
VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL **OPEN HOUSE**
THURSDAY DEC 11TH, 6:30 PM TO 8:30 PM.

CASA ABIERTA - ACADEMIA CHESTERTON
DEL VALLE ROGUE **11 DE DICIEMBRE, 6:30-
8:30 PM** IGLESIA CATÓLICA DEL SAGRADO
CORAZÓN - CENTRO DE FORMACIÓN EN
LA FE

FUNERAL/MEMORIAL SERVICES AND GRAVE SITE BLESSINGS

*Monday at 9:00am, 10am or 11am
Tuesdays at 10am or 11am
Wednesdays at 9:00am or 2pm
Thursdays at 9:00am or 2:00pm
Fridays at 9:00am or 10:00am only
Saturdays at 9:00 am (10am or 11am
when there is no Quinceanera scheduled)*

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Day are due. The cost is \$30
for a one year subscription.

GRIEF SUPPORT CHRISTMAS LUNCH

December 15 - 12:00-1:30 p.m.

Lunch will be provided
RSVP Joyce @ 541-210-3840

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

Your contributions are making a
meaningful impact on the progress of our
Capital Campaign, helping us move closer
to achieving our goals.

ACTUALIZACIÓN DE LA CAMPAÑA DE CAPITAL

Sus contribuciones están teniendo un
impacto significativo en el progreso
de nuestra Campaña de Capital,
ayudándonos a acercarnos al logro de
nuestras metas.

AS OF 11/30/2025

Total Amount Pledged: **\$1,994,386**

Bank Account Balance: **\$ 536,575**

Total # of Participants: **249**

New Pledges since Last Report: N/A

PARISH COLLECTIONS

OFFERTORY	THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR
WEEK ENDING:	11/29/2025	11/30/2024
Current Week	\$13,035	\$11,244
Weekly Budget Amt.	\$14,140	\$13,273
Over (Under) Budget	(\$1,105)	(\$2,030)
Year to Date	\$271,312	\$305,017
Year to date Budget	\$300,980	\$282,390
Over (Under) Budget	(\$29,668)	\$22,627

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

The Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed every
Friday at 3 pm in the Chapel.

The 1st & 3rd Fridays in Spanish
The 2nd & 4th in English

UP COMING EVENTS

Divine Mercy January 3/4 1st Weekend
Pre-mass Education 3rd Weekend

SCAM ALERT

If you get a message Fr Silverino Kwebuza" asking for help, please disregard, it is **NOT** Fr. Silverino it is a scam!

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Support our parish and promote your business - Sizes and prices vary.
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