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## **Masses & Sacraments**

## Sunday, September 14th

#### Mass Times

Monday - Saturday 8:00AM Tuesday & Thursday 12:00PM Saturday 5:00PM Mass in Spanish Saturday, 7:00PM Sunday 8:30AM, 11:00AM First Friday Spanish Mass 7:00PM

#### Mass Intentions

September 15th - September 21st

Mon 8a: +Samantha Valenti Tues 8a: Paul & Linda LaBonte Tues 12p: +Alice & James Wozniak

& Patrick Fox

Wed 8a: Mary James Pitts Thurs 8a: +Howie Bott

Thur 12p: Arch & Margaret Wriggleworth

Fri 8a: +Helene Majdecki Sat 8a: Oliver F. Darling Sat 5p: Lacey Christensen Sat 7p: Feligreses de OLOF Sun 8:30a: Elizabeth Lajeunesse

Sun 11a: Nancy Sewell

To schedule a mass intention, please visit or call the office during office hours.

#### Sacrament Information

Baptism	Dcn. Bill Jacobs
First Reconciliation	Jessica O'Boyle
First Communion	Jessica O'Boyle
Confirmation	Jessica O'Boyle
Marriage	Any Priest
Marriage Vocation Information	•
3	Fr. Pete Iorio

#### Confession Times

All Confessions are offered in English and Spanish Saturday - 4:00PM, 6:30PM Sunday - 9:45AM Anytime by appointment

#### Weekday Readings

September 15<sup>th</sup> - September 20<sup>th</sup>

Monday

1 Tm 2:1-8/ Lk 2:33-35

Tuesday

1 Tm 3:1-13/ Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday

1 Tm 3:14-16/ Lk 7:31-35

Thursday

1 Tm 4:12-16/ Lk 7:36-50

Friday

1 Tm 6:2c-12/ Lk 8:1-3

Saturday

1 Tm 6:13-16/ Lk 8:4-15

#### Adoration Times

Tuesday 12:30PM - 6:00PM Wednesday 8:30AM - 8:00PM Friday 8:30AM - 6:45PM

#### Faith Formation

OCIA	Dcn. Bill Jacobs
PreK - Grade 8	Jessica O'Boyle
Grade 9 - Grade 12	Luis Ramos
Young Adult	Luis Ramos
Adult Offerings	

# **Events & Announcements**

#### 75th Anniversary Facts - Did You Know?

"The building and fundraising committee was established to orchestrate the 5 year process of bringing the new OLOF building to fruition."

#### Pilgrimage and Prayers - Save The Date

The special Jubilee celebration continues at Our Lady of Fatima with 40 Hours of Perpetual Adoration starting Friday, October 11. More information coming soon!

#### Benedictine Daughters of Divine Will

Parishioners are invited to join on **Tuesday**, **September 16** at 1:00 PM in the Columbus Room of the parish hall to learn about the Benedictine Daughters of Divine Will. Mother Gabrielle Marie (formerly of the Poor Clares at EWTN) will share the journey of the order from Italy to Maryville, TN.

This presentation is sponsored by St. Paula's Widows & Widowers.

### Healing Ministry

"Do not fear: I am with you; do not be anxious: I am your God. I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my victorious right hand." (Isaiah 41:10)

Healing prayers for individuals will be offered at OLOF every 3rd weekend of each month. This month they will be offered on **Saturday**, **September 20** after the Spanish 7PM Mass in the church and **Sunday**, **September 21** after the 11AM Mass in the chapel. Please wait on the chairs outside the chapel and one of the healing ministers will bring you into the chapel to begin healing prayers. The ministry will be happy to pray over you individually for any physical, mental, emotional or spiritual needs you may have. Please invite anyone you know who needs prayer.

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#### Cursillo

Parishioners who have attended a Cursillo weekend and women considering attending the October weekend are invited to the next Cursillo Ultreya gathering on **Thursday**, **September 25**, in the Social Hall. Social time begins at 6:30 PM, followed by the opening prayer at 7:00 PM. Light refreshments are appreciated.

#### The Holy Souls Rosary Ministry

A new ministry has been formed to pray for the Holy Souls in Purgatory, both those known to us and those who have no one to pray for them. Through these prayers, participants help souls on their journey and intercede for their kind admittance into the Kingdom of Heaven. Meetings are held every Thursday evenings at 6:30 PM in the OLOF Library. All are welcome to join in this prayerful work.

#### Parish Nursery Opening

The parish nursery is now open during formation and study opportunities to help families participate more fully in parish life. For details and a full schedule, please visit our website. If you have questions or are interested in working as nursery staff, please contact Sarah Parsons at <a href="mailto:sparsons@ourladyoffatima.org">sparsons@ourladyoffatima.org</a>.

#### Bible & Breakfast

Bible and Breakfast continues this fall on Thursday mornings after the 8:00 AM Mass in the Social Hall. Fr. Joe Austin leads the group through the Book of Ezekiel. Please bring your Bible and read the first chapter in preparation.

#### Family Corner

Our parish has a new Family Life Corner with a 'Little Mass Library,' located in the hallway off the narthex. There you'll find children's books to borrow during Mass (return to the bookshelf or baskets by the exits), weekly bulletins for kids to take home, and helpful information about parish programs for families. Be sure to stop by and see all that's available!

# **Around The Community**

#### September is Stewardship Month

September is Stewardship Month. Stewardship is not only about giving time, talent, and treasure to the Church; it also has a broader meaning. The Corporal Works of Mercy include feeding the poor, and from Thursday, September 25 through Saturday, September 27 the Blount County Community Food Connection will hold a food drive at Kroger on Foothills Drive to stock their shelves.

The CFC feeds 4,500 people every month and spends about \$10,000 each month on food to help cover shortages. This is an opportunity to put stewardship into action by volunteering time, offering talents, or purchasing groceries with treasures to help families and individuals in Blount County who are experiencing food insecurity.

Scan the QR code to sign up to help serve!



#### CCW Fundraiser For Scholarships

The Council of Catholic Women will hold a Rummage Sale on Saturday, September 27, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM in OLOF's front parking lot to benefit scholarships for 2026 OLOF High School Seniors. Support the event by selling your unneeded items from your car's trunk or a small tent, stopping by to shop for items you can use or repurpose, or simply praying for good weather and a great turnout. Buy used, not new, and help give items a second life while supporting a great cause.

For more information, please contact Margarita Audette at <a href="ccw@ourladyoffatima.org">ccw@ourladyoffatima.org</a>.

Mass Attendance for Last Weekend: 1,373



## This Week on Formed

Week of September 14, 2025



#### The Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Seven Sorrows of Mary is a traditional Catholic devotion featuring meditations on sorrowful episodes in the life of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Join us in prayer as we celebrate the feast of Our Lady of Sorrows.



# Stations of the Cross by Saint Alphonsus Liguori

The Augustine Institute presents a beautiful meditation on the Stations of the Cross by Saint Alphonsus Liguori, narrated by Dr. Christopher Blum. This prayerful reflection is accompanied by the Schola Cantorum, chanting the traditional Catholic hymn Stabat Mater to aid your prayer.



#### The Seven Sorrows of Mary | Brother Francis

Join Brother Francis as he prays and explores the Seven Sorrows of Mary Devotion!

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## **Parish Office**

#### Parish Contact

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### Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 8:30AM-4:00PM Friday: 8:30AM-2:30PM

## Parish Clergy



Pastor Fr. Pete Iorio



Parochial Vicar Fr. Joe Austin



Parochial Vicar Fr. Renzo Alvarado



Deacon Bill Jacobs



Deacon Leon Dodd

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