

# Saint Olaf Catholic Church

August 17, 2025 • Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

# An exciting year of choir is ahead!

<u>Children's Choir:</u> Tuesdays, 4-5 PM. Practices begin *Tuesday, September* 9 with auditions, parent meeting, and first rehearsal. \$50 registration fee for music and robes. Focus on how to read music and learn to sing sacred music and chant.

Adult Choir: Thursdays 7:30 PM. Practices begin Thursday, September 11.



Sign-up after all weekend masses. Text Holly: 801-450-8198

# BACK SCHOOL blessing

#### **Back to School Blessing!**

Father Andrzej will bless all school-age students as they start the academic school year at all weekend masses *August 23 & 24* 

Thank you to all who support the Ladies of Charity and the Center of Hope! Thank you to the Center of Hope for the delicious Ice Cream at the recent "Sundae Saturday" gratitude Event!

Altar Servers needed! Some of our parish altar servers have moved or graduated. Our Parish is seeking more students interested in learning to assist Fr. Andrzej in celebration of the Mass. Students who have made their First Holy Communion and are in 3rd grade through High School may learn how to be an Altar Server. Training will be in mid-September. Contact Melissa in the parish office to sign up: 801-295-3621.



All are invited to join our parish rosary to pray for our own families.

Wednesday, August 20 at 7:00 PM in the Church.



**Free Interfaith Community Dinner** *Wednesday, August 20* at 6:00 PM at the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection in Centerville. All are invited! Menu: Beef Brisket.



This year our Diocese celebrates **150 years of Catholic Education** based on the founding of St. Mary's Academy in 1875. In celebration, Mass is to be celebrated by all Catholic Schools in the Diocese on the same day with the same prayers,

songs, etc. Mass with our St. Olaf School Students Friday, September 5 at 9:00 AM.

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a **Golf Tournament FUNdraiser** to support our St Olaf Catholic School on *Saturday, September* 6. All are invited to come play golf, enjoy fellowship, and support our school for the Knight's Scramble Format Golf Tournament held at Lakeside Golf Course. There will be many prizes, including a new car from Performance Toyota. Contact: Ed Ortega at egortega63@gmail.com or Jason Burger at jericburger124@gmail.com



### Coffee & Donuts returns September 7!

The St. Olaf Council of Catholic Women hosts Coffee & Donuts in the Father McNamara Center after the 9:00 AM and 11:30 AM Masses.

The success of this fun and delicious community event is due to great volunteers! Please consider volunteering at either Mass. We also need volunteers to set up tables on Saturday night or Sunday morning, and volunteers to put away tables on Sunday afternoons. Please contact Michelle Hale 385-260-8907 to volunteer. **Thank you to all our volunteers!** 

Please note: The Rectory Office will be closed for Labor Day Monday, September 1.

#### Parish Staff

Fr. Andrzej Skrzypiec: Pastor

**Deacon Scott Dodge** 

Melissa Martinez: Office Manager

Melissa@stolafut.org

**Carol Welninski: Director of Faith Formation** 

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Heather@stolafut.org

Holly Dodge: Director of Music

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**Evan Fisher and Kevin Cummings: OCIA Directors** 

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#### Pastoral Council

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#### **Ladies of Charity**

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### Saint Olaf Catholic Church

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# Church Office & Mailing Address

276 E 1700 S Bountiful, Utah 84010 801-295-3621

# **Office Hours**

Monday—Thursday 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

#### Sunday Mass Schedule

**Saturday** 5:30 PM **Sunday** 9:00 AM & 11:30 AM

# Weekday Mass Schedule

6:00 PM Monday 8:00 AM Tuesday - Friday\* \*Wednesdays at 9:00 during the school year

#### Confession

**Saturdays** 4:15 - 5:15 PM

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

First Fridays 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

# **Faith Formation**

Sundays

10:00 AM - 11:15 AM in the School

# Saint Olaf Catholic School

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#### School Staff

Christine Bergquist, Principal Melinda Earhart, Vice Principal Gricelda Poteracki, Finance Manager

#### Saint Olaf Catholic School

#### New after-school technology program!

Students will work collaboratively in our new Discovery Lab to learn the Principles of Computational & Algorithmic Thinking, learn programming, delve into the realms of micro/ circuit python, and learn to assemble basic circuitry & digital controls.

Students will keep their kits and devices at the end of the program. Students must be entering 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades. Space is limited to 10 students per session. There will be 36 sessions at \$55 per session spread throughout the year. Please contact JC De Astis at icdeastis@stolafs.org

#### **Faith Formation**

Registration continues August 24 in front of the school at 9:00 AM.

August 24: First Regular Class at 10:00 AM. Welcome Back!

August 31: NO CLASS. Labor Day weekend.

September 7: Regular Class. BACK TO SCHOOL DAY.

September 14: Regular Class.

"Totally love Him, Who gave Himself totally for your love."— St. Clare of Assisi

#### **OCIA - An Invitation to Come**

St. Olaf offers the OCIA program (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) for anyone who is interested in joining the Catholic Church. This program provides a prayerful and comprehensive path for people who feel called to be Catholic.

August 24: Revelation

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Please contact the office or email Kevin or Evan: StolafOCIA@gmail.com

# Reclaiming Friendship: 6 session Bible Study for women starting Thursday, September 11 6:30 PM in the Chapel Meeting Room

Do you desire lasting and abiding friendships? Do you want to move beyond the past hurts of

relationships gone wrong? Reclaiming Friendship was written for any woman who wants a true and deep connection that lasts.

In a world plagued by loneliness, you are invited to encounter God personally through Scripture. Let God reshape how you see and experience intentional relationships, deal with your past friendship wounds, and become a woman who is capable of the lifelong bond of true friend-

ship. Scan the QR Code for more details.



Projects include: Fuel Mitigation, Clean-up, Painting, Raking, Edging, Pantry Pack, Pantry Pack Notes, and Trail Clearing Projects. To volunteer: Contact Wayne Welninski at 801-726-4023. **Food Pantry Drive:** 

Grocery Bags distributed Aug 30/31 & Sep 6/7. Collection Aug 30 - Sept 12.

There are two baskets in the church foyer: one for plastic bags and one for food.

Ladies of Charity Annual Harvest of Hope Fundraiser Luncheon in support of the Center of Hope Food Pantry. Saturday, September 27 from 11 AM to 2 PM in the Father McNamara Center. The fundraiser will feature a luncheon, chance baskets, opportunity drawings, and live entertainment. Tickets are \$30 and \$35 at the door, or \$300 for a table of eight. For more information and to purchase tickets, please scan the QR code.



#### Patio Update as of August 17:

\$15,000 was donated by members of our parish community. The final updated rendering of the memorial plaque was sent for engraving. Patio decor options are being explored.

Online: \$2.680 Envelopes: \$3.567 Loose: \$1.455.85 School: \$610 Maintenance: \$635 Next Second Collection August 17: Mt. Calvary Catholic Cemetery

The Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) program teaches people to safely help in a disaster before professionals arrive. Fall Basic Course, scan the QR Code.



#### Prayers Needed

Please remember the sick of our parish in your prayers that they may be healed, strengthened, and know the love of God during their suffering:

Catherine Garcia, Tony Macklyn, Barrett Barnes, Veronica Markisich, Callan Long, Brendon Young, Guy Lacy, Kristine Barnett, Devin Gordon, Trevan Young, Brad Kronberger, Barbara Gould, William Walker, Luis Velazquez, Marek Maciaga, Ava Delacruz, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, & Gustavo Caceres.

Please call the office to make changes, remove, or add a loved one to the prayer list.

### Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 16 5:30 PM

† Louie Notarianni (Mike & Sue Spina)

Sunday, August 17

9:00 AM

† Sandy Gloede (Joyce Vitalo)

11:30 AM

† Joe Trueba (Bea Trueba)

Monday, August 18

6:00 PM

Sister Elizabeth Racko

Tuesday, August 19

† Hilda Guarderas (Zarella Lacy)

Wednesday, August 20

9:00 AM

8:00 AM

† Elizabeth Kennedy

(Carl & Margaret Leuschner)

Thursday, August 21 8:00 AM

Ariana Reiter (Zarella Lacy)

Friday, August 22

8:00 AM

† Deacon Forrest Gray (Gray Family)

Saturday, August 23

5:30 PM

† Patrick Byrne (Betty Byrne)

Sunday, August 24

9:00 AM

† Patrick Byrne (Betty Byrne)

11:30 AM

† Violet Green (Carl & Margaret Leuschner)

# Weekly Scripture Readings

Sunday, August 17

**Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/ Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 8/ Heb 12:1-4/ Lk 12:49-53

Monday, August 18

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Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44/

Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday, August 19 St. John Eudes

Ju 6:11-24a/ Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14/

Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday, August 20

St. Bernard

Ju 9:6-15/ Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/ Mt 20:1-16

Thursday, August 21

St. Pope Pius X

Jd 11:29-39a/ Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/ Mt 22:1-14

Friday, August 22

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Rt 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/

Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/

Mt 22:34-40

Saturday, August 23

St. Rose of Lina

Rt 2;1-3, 8-11, 4:13-17/ Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/ Mt 23:1-12

Sunday, August 24

**Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

Is 66:18-21/ Hb 12:5-7, 11-13/ Lk 13:22-30