



Saint Olaf Catholic Church

February 23, 2025 • Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Please place old palms in the basket in the church foyer to be burned for Ash Wednesday. Palms will be burned *Monday, March 3* at 6:30 PM.



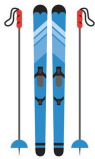
Lent begins with Ash Wednesday on *Wednesday, March 5*. Masses will be at 9:00 AM with the school and 6:30 PM. Ash Wednesday is not a Holy Day of Obligation, but is a day of fasting and abstinence.

Fasting is a spiritual exercise and can draw us nearer to God.

Catholics are required to fast on **Ash Wednesday** and **Good Friday**.

Abstaining from meat is also obligatory on all Fridays during Lent. For those aged 14 to 59 without health concerns fasting means eating one full meal and two smaller meals that together do not equal a full meal.

"Fasting purifies the soul. It lifts up the mind, and it brings the body into subjection to the spirit. It makes the heart contrite and humble, scatters the clouds of desire, puts out the flames of lust and enkindles the true light of chastity." (St. Augustine)



Come enjoy a ski day with Father Andrzej and our parish community!!

Friday, March 7 from 12 PM - 4 PM at Snowbasin. Transportation, lift tickets, equipment, etc. are the responsibility of each person. To find the group go to Earl's Lodge and go through the lobby to the dining area tables.

Contact Gabrielle Crompton at 561-654-4757 with questions.

Saturday, March 8 the scouts of Troop 220 & Pack 3220 will host their **50th Annual All-You-Can-Eat spaghetti dinner and silent auction**. This great event will be held in the Father McNamara Center from 3-8 PM. Dine-in and takeout available. Tickets are \$10 (12+) and \$5 (4-11).

Join Us for the Annual All-You-Can-Eat Spaghetti Dinner & Silent Auction

Date: Saturday, March 8, 2025
Time: 3 pm to 8 pm
Location: St. Olaf Catholic Church (276 E. 1700 S. Bountiful)

Cost: Adults (12+) \$10
 Children (4-11) \$5

Buy tickets & donate at:
sites.google.com/view/troop220



Annual B.S.A. Fundraiser for Troop 220 & Pack 220
 Chartered through Bountiful Community Church

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank all our old friends and our new friends who just joined us on Valentines Day at **BINGO**. Together we set a new attendance record. We look forward to seeing you all again when Bingo returns after Lent on *Friday, May 9*.

All Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist serving the church, homebound, or care centers are invited to be **Blessed and Commissioned** at the Sunday masses *March 9, 2025*.

Rosary Prayer: *February 26* at 7 PM . We will pray for our families.

THANK YOU to our parishioner *Craig Franco* for volunteering to lead the **Respect for Life Ministry** in our Parish community. We are grateful for Craig as he works to locally promote the many components of the Church's beautiful teachings on the dignity and worth of each human person from conception until natural death.

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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

*9:00 AM Wednesday

*(while school is in session)

Confessions

Saturdays

4:15 PM — 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

*(while school is in session)

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Melinda Earhart, Vice Principal
Jill Moffat, Administrative Assistant

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Saint Olaf Parish School

February 28: Registration due for current families.

March 3—April 30: New Family Registration for the UFA scholarship. Any families

applying for financial assistance must fill out both the UFA and the FACTS application.

March 10: NCEA Accreditation Visit † March 12: School Mass with Bishop Solis

Faith Formation

March 2: Regular Class

March 5: **Ash Wednesday - 9:00 AM and 6:30 PM Masses**

March 9: Regular Class

March 16: Regular Class

"To convert somebody, go and take them by the hand and guide them."— St. Thomas



FAITH FORMATION

OCIA - An Invitation to Come *Please pray for our catechumens and candidates.*

As we prepare to enter into the season of Lent, our catechumens and candidates are entering a final and more intense time of preparation. It is considered a period of purification and enlightenment and will include two of the three scrutinies, which are solemn rites which give spiritual strength to the catechumens.

On *March 8* our catechumens will participate in the Rite of Election at the Cathedral of the Madeleine. This marks the time when the catechumens will affirm their commitment to enter the Church. After this rite, they are called the elect as they journey through Lent and towards their sacraments of initiation.

March 2: Lent **Tuesday, March 11:** Anointing of the Sick **March 16:** Catholic Social Teaching. All are welcome to attend any of the sessions.

If you have questions, please contact Evan and Kevin at StOlafOCIA@gmail.com.

Save the Date! A presentation by Dr. Natalie King will be given on *Monday, March 24* at 6:30 PM in the Great Room of the school. The topic will be **"Navigating Serious Illness and the End of Life for Catholics."** Dr. King is a palliative medicine physician specializing in caring for patients with serious illness or nearing the end of life. Dr. King and her family are parishioners of our parish. Everyone is welcome to attend this free event.



Saint Olaf CCW will be hosting the Salt Lake Deanery Council of Catholic Women for their annual spring luncheon *Saturday, March 29* at 11 AM in the Father McNamera Center. Luncheon is \$15. Contact Reinette Schultz at 801-232-0088 or reinettes2088@gmail.com



The Diocese of Salt Lake City Council of Catholic Women cordially invites you to attend their annual convention "Called to an Encounter with Jesus" *Saturday, April 26* and *Sunday, April 27* at the Little America Hotel in Salt Lake City. For more information visit www.dccwutah.org or contact Reinette Schultz 801-232-0088 reinettes2088@gmail.com

Automated External Defibrillators (AED) have been proven to save the lives of persons who suffer a cardiac emergency. Saint Olaf owns three AED machines: (1) On the wall near the south exit doors in the Father McNamara Center, (2) In the votive candle area of the back of the church, and (3) In the school near the west doors. AED machines are easy to use - the person responding simply needs to turn the machine on and the AED machine will give audible instructions. **THANK YOU to the Pastoral Council President and the Knights of Columbus for your behind-the-scenes work and funding to ensure safety standards are met for our community!!**



Pastoral Council Election will be held in April. Please pray and discern about who you will nominate for a leadership role in our parish community.

Online: \$2,245 Envelopes: \$2,799 Loose: \$796.51 School: \$120.05 Maintenance: \$330
Next Second Collection: *March 5* for the Church in Central/Eastern Europe



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	Geri Kilpatrick	Roy Gallivan	Tony Macklyn	Anita Finnegan
Veronica Markisich	Barrett Barnes	Diana Garcia	Shirley Lynch	Olivia Arango
Bill Bruns	Marie Bruns	Pat Delgado	Callan Long	

Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 22

5:30PM

† Deacon Forrest Gray (Maria-Cruz Gray)

Sunday, February 23

9:00 AM

† Mike Lemieux

(Fr. Dominguez Assembly 1144)

11:30 AM

Woman of St. Olaf Parish

(Council of Catholic Woman)

Monday, February 24

6:00 PM

† Renato Lorenzana (Carolina Lorenzana)

Tuesday, February 25

8:00 AM

Danilo Romero Flores (Zarella Lacy)

Wednesday, February 26

9:00 AM

† Jane Hipley (Mary and Rodger Lowe)

Thursday, February 27

8:00 AM

Julie Royce (Zarella Lacy)

Friday, February 28

8:00 AM

Francis Royce (Zarella Lacy)

Saturday, March 1

5:30PM

† Michelle Wilde (Paula Reilly)

Sunday, March 2

9:00 AM

† Deceased Members of the Bertagnole &

Parentino Families (Bob & Bobbi Earl)

11:30 AM

All Parishioners of St. Olaf Parish

Weekly Scripture Readings

Saturday, February 22

The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle

1 Peter 5:1-4/ Ps 23:1b-3a, 4, 5, 6/
Mt 16:13-19

Sunday, February 23

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Sam 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/ Ps 103:1-2, -
4, 8, 10, 12-13/ 1 Cor 15:45-49/ Lk 6: 27-38

Monday, February 24

Sir 1:1-10/ Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/ Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday, February 25

Sir 2:1-11/ Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40/
Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday, February 26

Sir 4:11-19/ Ps 119:165, 168, 171, 172, 174, 175/
Mk 9:38-40

Thursday, February 27

St. Gregory of Narek

Sir 5:1-8/ Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4, and 6/ Mk 9:41-50

Friday, February 28

Sir 6:5-17/ Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35/
Mk 10:1-12

Saturday, March 1

Sir 17:1-5/ Ps 103:13-14, 15-16, 17-18/
Mk 10:13-16

Sunday, March 2

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sir 27:4-7/ Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16/
1 Cor 15:54-58/ Lk 6:39-45