

Information:

St. Rose de Viterbo Catholic Church

2571 Nichols Blvd, Longview, WA 98632

Mass: Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.- 11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. (Español)

Parish Office Hours: Weekdays 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

701 26th Ave, Longview, WA 98632

360-425-4660 fax 360-577-5820

www.stroselongview.com

St. Rose School

720 26th Ave, Longview, WA 98632

360-577-6760 fax 360-577-3689

www.strose-school.org

St. Catherine Mission

400 Columbia St, Cathlamet, WA 98612

www.stroselongview.com

Mass: Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church

2200 Allen St., Kelso, WA 98626

Mass: Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

Parish Office Hours: Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

360-423-3650

www.ihmkelso.org

St. Mary Catholic Church

120 Powell Rd., Castle Rock, WA 98611

Mass: Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

Parish Office Hours: Tuesday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

360-274-7404

SEE LIKE JESUS
THINK LIKE JESUS
LIVE LIKE JESUS

PASTORAL STAFF

Shared unless otherwise noted

VERY REV. BRYAN OCHS

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VINNY SCALESSE

FACILITIES SUPERVISOR AT ST. ROSE

CATHY STRADER

PRINCIPAL AT ST. ROSE SCHOOL

SISTER/HERMANA NATIVIDAD VAZQUEZ

PASTORAL ASSISTANT AT ST. ROSE

Sacrament Information

Infant Baptism: A preparation program for parents and godparents is required. Once paperwork is submitted, we will register you for preparation and schedule the date for Baptism.

First Reconciliation & First Eucharist: Customarily the reception of these sacraments takes place during 2nd grade. The child will need to have completed one year of religious education the year immediately prior to sacramental preparation and will continue in religious education concurrent with the preparation classes.

Confirmation: Candidates must be 16 years of age to be confirmed. The candidate will need to have completed one year of youth group the year immediately prior to Confirmation preparation. They will also need to attend youth group the year of preparation. Preparation for adult Confirmation takes place in November and the celebration is prior to Lent.

Marriage: Please call the Parish Office at least six months in advance to begin the preparation process. You will set the date for the wedding at the first meeting.

Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the parish office to arrange visitation and sacraments. You may leave a message any time of day or night and someone will get back to you as soon as possible.

Please contact your parish office for more information.

Dear Parishioners,

This October marks the 500th anniversary of the protestant reformation. Prior to the reformation, Christians in the west were united in one, visible, Catholic Church. Since the reformation, Christianity has become very divided into different denominations all led by different governing bodies and all driven by differing theologies and devotions.

It is important that we commemorate this event as Catholics in an appropriate way. I've been discerning how to do this for a few years now in anticipation of this event and before I go into details, I want to share some personal details of my own life and how certain evangelical Christians made a positive impact on me.

I will readily admit that in the late 80's and early 90's when I was in Catholic School the Catholic Church was not cultivating a sense that God was personal. I don't think this is the fault of any particular person in the Church and looking back on what Pope John Paul II was saying during that time period I would certainly say that he was not to blame. The problem was more local. It was in parishes and in our homes that Jesus was not talked about as being anything more than a nice man with some good ideas.

Looking back, I can certainly say that there were many people in my parish who understood God to be a personal God, and I benefitted from them a great deal, but they were working against a Church culture that was quite different. In elementary school I began to go to a summer camp run by evangelical Christians and for the first time I was immersed in a culture where people really believed that God was real and that he was at work in the world through the presence and power of the Holy Spirit. It was life changing.

In high school I participated in Young Life and began to attend a Church called The Inn, that considered itself non-denominational. I continued to participate in the Inn through my freshman year of college at Western Washington University. I was proud of my Catholicism and still considered myself a Catholic, but I chose to attend this other Church instead. (Looking back, I will add that I was not there to love God but to receive a spiritual "high" and hopefully meet a nice girl (There were many but I was too scared to talk to any of them)).

The events of September 11th, 2001 drove me back to the Catholic Church and I'm very grateful because I love being Catholic. The Catholic Church has taught me what it means to love God and neighbor, and I'm very grateful for that. I believe that there is something in the Catholic Church that I didn't have within these evangelical circles. However, I look back at all the camp counselors, friends, and acquaintances I had who remain evangelical and I admit feeling sad that I'm not in communion with them.

As we commemorate the Reformation as Catholics we would do well to enter into some of that sadness that the people calling themselves disciples of Jesus are not united in mind and heart according to his will. Thus, I am asking you to commemorate this event in part by doing penance. Sacrifice time to pray. Fast from a meal a day for a few weeks. Give extra alms to the poor.

Over the next few weeks I will be continuing this series by looking at some of the issues regarding the reformation. Some will be theological and others might be more historical. I hope that as you read you will be filled with a greater love for our Catholic Church and experience a greater understanding of how division within Christianity is harming our mission to build the Kingdom.

Fr. Brian

September 17, 2017

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Remember the commandments and hate not your neighbor (Sirach 27:30 — 28:9).

Psalm — The Lord is kind and merciful, slow to anger, and rich in compassion (Psalm 103).

Second Reading — Whether we live, or whether we die, we do so for the Lord (Romans 14:7-9).

Gospel — Forgive one another from your heart (Matthew 18:21-35).

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**MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS
for the coming week**

RIP: Rest in Peace
SI: Special Intention

Mon., September 18	8:30 a.m. St. Rose Teresa Boa NGuyen RIP
Tues., September 19	12:15 p.m. IHM Mary Edith Post RIP
Wed., September 20	5:45 p.m. St. Rose John Pham RIP
Thurs., September 21	10:50 a.m. St. Rose 8:30 a.m. St. Mary Amy Dunn RIP
Fri., September 22	8:30 a.m. St. Rose Peter Quynh Pham 12:15p.m. IHM Alan Sund RIP
Sat., September 23	5:00 p.m. St. Catherine 5:00 p.m. St. Rose
Sun, September 24	8:30 a.m. St. Mary 9:00 a.m. St. Rose 10:30 a.m. IHM 11:00 a.m. St. Rose 6:00 p.m. Sta. Rosa

RECONCILIATION—RECONCILIACIÓN

Tues. 11:30 a.m.—IHM (when Mass scheduled)
Wed. 5:00 p.m.—St. Rose (when Mass scheduled)
Saturday 3:30 p.m.—St. Rose
Sunday 7:45 a.m.—St. Mary
Domingo 5:30 p.m.—Sta. Rosa

09/10/2017

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE FINANCIAL REPORT

Week 11 of 52

Church/Mass	Collection	Weekly Budget	Fiscal YTD Collection (July-June)	Over/(Under) Budget Year to Date
St. Catherine	\$ 522	\$ 701.92	\$ 9,098	\$ 1,376.88
St. Mary	\$ 1,810	\$ 1,730.92	\$ 19,331.37	\$ 292.91
Immaculate Heart of Mary	\$ 3,136.55	\$ 2,711.54	\$ 28,316.94	(\$ 1,510.01)
St. Rose Total	\$ 14,387.76	\$ 14,365.38	\$ 164,330.11	\$ 6,310.88
EFT	\$ 3,937.50	<p>Thank you for supporting our parishes financially. We know you work very hard to make a living and we are grateful you sacrifice some of your income to help our parishes. With that in mind, financial responsibility and accountability is important to us. This information is provided to help keep you aware of the financial situation in your parish. If you have questions please talk to Fr. Bryan or call the St. Rose office.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Please remember your parish in your will.</i></p>		
5 p.m.	\$ 5,070			
9 a.m.	\$ 4,407			
11 a.m.	\$ 543.25			
6 p.m.	\$ 430.01			

MARRIED COUPLES

"The Lord is kind and merciful, slow to anger, and rich in compassion." Help to encourage our compassion and forgiveness by working through a Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME) weekend. The next weekends are October 20th - 22nd at Powell Butte Retreat House in Central Oregon, and November 10th - 12th at Mt. Angel Abbey. For more information call 503-853-2758 or apply on-line at www.rediscoverthepark.org. Additional dates and locations are listed on-line.

Immaculate Heart of Mary

New office Hours at Immaculate Heart of Mary beginning September 5th: Monday through Friday 9AM - 1PM

As most of you know Dianne Caple will be retiring at the end of this month. She will be very missed after so many years of service to our parishes.

We will be having a retirement Party for Dianne on Sunday October 1st after 10:30am Mass. Come and wish her well!

**All Parishes**

Please be generous in this weeks second collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, one in six people live in poverty. With this collection you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those who are struggling across the country. In addition, 25 percent of funds collected remains in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. Please Prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and work on the margins. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at

www.usccb.org/cchd/collection

Additional giving this week**Immaculate Heart of Mary:**

Campaign for Human Development \$ 100
FISH \$ 25
Hurricane Harvey Relief \$ 606
Maintenance \$ 100

St. Rose:

9/03
Assumption \$ 25
Community House \$ 140
Hurricane Harvey Relief \$ 6,777.80
Maintenance \$ 5
St. Jude Hospital \$ 250
St. Vincent de Paul \$ 375
Trinity Dome \$ 40

9/10

Campaign for Human Development \$ 48
Hurricane Harvey Relief \$ 3,023
Maintenance \$ 60

St. Mary

Hurricane Relief \$ 1,090
Maintenance \$ 10
Trinity Dome \$ 10

St. Catherine**9/03**

Hurricane Harvey Relief \$ 609
St. Vincent de Paul \$ 100

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Room Key:

Ch= St. Rose Church
 Cpl = St. Rose Chapel
 PC = Parish Center
 FMH = St. Rose, Father Mulligan Hall
 K = St. Rose Kitchen
 PCD = St. Rose Dung Lac Room
 PCE = St. Rose Elizabeth Ann Seton Room
 PCG = St. Rose Guadalupe Room
 PCL = St. Rose St. Lawrence Ruiz Room
 PCR = St. Rose Large Room
 R = St. Rose Rectory
 Sch = School
 IHM=Immaculate Heart of Mary, Kelso
 CR= St. Mary, Castle Rock
 C= St. Catherine, Cathlamet

Monday, September 18

1:00 p.m.	Marian Movement Priests	IHM
5:30 p.m.	St. Bernadette Meeting	PCD
6:00 p.m.	Clases de Biblia	PCL
6:00 p.m.	Cub Scout Pack 385	FMH
6:30 p.m.	Anawim	IHM

Tuesday, September 19

6:30 a.m.	Men's Group	CR
1:30 p.m.	Bible Study	PCL
1:30 p.m.	Legion of Mary	IHM
5:00 p.m.	Patriotic Rosary	CR
6:30 p.m.	Boy Scout Troop meeting	FMH

Wednesday, September 20

5:00 p.m.	Legion de Maria	FMH
6:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal	CH
6:30 p.m.	Educacion Religiosa Adultos	R
6:30 p.m.	Religious Ed Classes	Sch
6:30 p.m.	H.S. Youth Group	PC
6:30 p.m.	M.S Youth Group	Sch

Thursday, September 21

Adoration-St. Rose 9AM-10PM
 Adoration-St. Mary 9 AM-1PM
 Adoration- St. Catherine-2 pm

5:30 p.m.	Coro de niños	PCD
6:00 p.m.	Alpha Session	IHM
6:30 p.m.	Knights of Columbus Mtg	PCG

Friday, September 22

Adoration-IHM 8 AM-Midnight

8:30 a.m.	Quilt Group	C
6:00 p.m.	Clergy Dinner	PC

Saturday, September 23

11:00 a.m.	Clase de Monaguillos	PCD
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Sunday, September 24

Hospitality after 9 am& 11am Masses

10:00 a.m.	St. Ann Circle Meeting	PCR
10:00 a.m.	RCIA Catechumenate	PCG
7:00 p.m.	Bible Study	PC

Immaculate Heart of Mary Minister Schedule

September 24, 2017

Mass at 10:30 a.m. Sunday

Sacristan: Amy Milliman

Host Minister: Marge Abbott

Cup Ministers: Beth Gemar, Dan Gemar, Annette Gushman, Natalie Marshall

St. Mary Minister Schedule

September 24, 2017

Mass at 8:30 a.m. Sunday

Lectors:

Rich Heltemes, Jodi Hadaller

HM: Coy Heltemes

PBM: Angie Partridge, Adla Sadga, Janet Olson, Joe Garr

Altar Servers: Josie, Adam, Ellen

FREQUENTLY REQUESTED NUMBERS:

St. Rose

Advocates for Annulments

Mary Birkmeyer, 636-5506

Fred Johnson, 795-3331

Victoria Conover, 751-1219

(Spanish only)

Birthright 423-2900

Catholic Community Services

577-2200

St. Vincent de Paul 577-0662

Prayer Line

Willie Ladd, 636-1959 (after 10AM)

handygal1944@gmail.com

Immaculate Heart of Mary

Kitchen, Hall or Hospitality:

Cory Mugaas, 423-0519.

Prayer Chain

Linda Waterman 425-6194

waterman.linda@gmail.com

Peggy Howe 562-2393

St. Mary

Kitchen, Hall or Hospitality:

Coy Heltemes, 274-6188

Prayer Chain

Betty Caulfield, 274-8259

tuttiefruit1@gmail.com

Shirley Smith, 274-7666

St. Rose Minister Schedule

September 23, 2017

MASS at 5:00 p.m. Saturday

Altar Servers

Audrey Zdunich, Estyn Anderson,

Ellie Gerhart

Eucharistic Ministers

Dan Schilter, Maureen Schilter, Vicki

Rhodes, Rosemary Asmussen, Chuck

Lappe, Mica Zdunich

Lead Minister

Tensia Garner

Lectors

Mary Birkmeyer, Margaret Lederer

Sound Operator

September 24, 2017

MASS at 9:00 a.m. Sunday

Altar Servers

Alice Anderson, Brianna Johnson,

Nick Middleton

Eucharistic Ministers J.D. Rosetti, Kristin

Silva; John Gotshall, Lisa Verage,

Karen Kickabush, Pauline Kirchner, Bob

Kirchner, Rosie Pham

Lectors

Brad Link, Eve Moore

MASS at 11:00 a.m. Sunday

Altar Servers: Gwynedd Heriford, Sierra

Paine, Nick Middleton

Eucharistic Ministers William Hooper,

In Ja Hooper, Stephen Rooklidge, Jo-

anne Rooklidge, Menchillita Hobson,

Joseph Hobson

Lead Minister

Linda LaMadrid

Lectors

Sheila Skillingstead, Gary Udd

Sound Operator

Michael Barbee

St. Catherine Minister Schedule

September 23, 2017

Mass at 5:00 p.m. Saturday

Lector Mike Swift

Eucharistic Minister: Simica Pederson

Gift Bearer: Jim & Patty Weeks

24 th Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Mateo 18, 21-35. "Perdonar hasta setenta veces siete, siempre."

Todos hemos ofendido a alguien alguna vez en el camino de nuestra vida. Todos hemos sido ofendidos por alguien en nuestro caminar diario. Parece que esto va impreso en la condición humana. Nuestro hombre viejo convive muchas veces cómodamente con el hombre nuevo. El tema de este Evangelio es el del perdón vivido desde la misericordia. Las personas podemos perdonar por muchos motivos: por resignación, para evitar mayores enfrentamientos, por presiones de otras personas... El perdón al que nos invita Jesús es el perdón desde la misericordia. Pedro había entendido que hay que perdonar al que te ofende, que no hay que guardarle rencor ni pensar siquiera en vengarse de él, sino olvidar la injuria y volver a tratarle como amigo. Cree que es generoso al proponerle al Señor el número de veces que hay que perdonar al reincidente, le pregunta si siete veces son suficientes. Para los rabinos de la época tres era el número de veces que había que perdonar, la cuarta vez que te ofendiera la misma persona no estabas en el deber de perdonarle. Cuando Pedro habla de siete veces está cogiendo el número de la perfección espiritual. Jesús le contesta hasta setenta veces siete; lo que quiere decir es que hay que perdonar siempre que el ofensor esté en disposición de ser perdonado. Hay en las palabras del Señor una razón bastante explícita: no hay que llevar cuenta de las veces que hemos perdonado, si Dios llevase cuenta de las veces que nos ha perdonado, estaríamos perdidos. Hay que olvidar las veces que nos han ofendido y las veces que hemos perdonado. Ante el perdón las personas se sitúan de distinta forma: Hay unos que dicen: perdono pero no olvido. Esto lógicamente no es perdón humano y mucho menos cristiano. El recuerdo es fruto del pasado, la ofensa también y el dolor que te produce la ofensa lo revives una y otra vez mientras lo recuerdes. Tantas veces la Palabra de Dios nos habla de recordar las cosas grandes que Dios ha hecho por nosotros, pero nunca te habla de recordar la ofensa ni el dolor que ésta produce. Otros afirman: yo le perdono, pero conmigo que no vuelva a hablar más... En realidad no es perdón, es una venganza que le retira el corazón y la palabra a quien te ofendió. Alguno me dirá que esto del perdón podría valer en aquella época, pero que en esta con tanta y tanta violencia y terrorismo, con tantos asesinatos e injusticias más valdría volver al ojo por ojo y diente por diente... Jesús nos anima a adquirir el hábito del perdón tal y como Dios hace con nosotros. El Señor vino a darle corazón al perdón humano, desde ahí, desde el corazón es desde donde debemos entender esta parábola que hoy escuchamos. Para el perdón cristiano es muy importante tener conciencia de sentirse perdonado por Dios. Sólo en referencia a Dios encontramos sentido al perdón ante las dolorosas ofensas. La enseñanza es bastante clara: sólo quien perdona a sus prójimos puede esperar el perdón de Dios. El que no está dispuesto a perdonar, demuestra que no tiene un corazón regenerado. Cada pecado que cometemos es una deuda que contraemos con Dios. Todo pecador es un deudor insolvente. La falta de compasión con los más débiles es un pecado, es una maldad tal y como nos lo recuerda el Evangelio de hoy. El resumen de esta Escritura es claro: Debemos de perdonar de corazón. Dios mira el corazón; es ahí donde se fragua el pecado, es también en el corazón donde debe fraguarse el perdón. Debemos estar atentos para no caer en una trampa. Existe un riesgo también en el perdón. Consiste en formarse la mentalidad de quien cree tener siempre algo que perdonar a los demás. El peligro de creerse siempre acreedores de perdón, jamás deudores. Si reflexionáramos bien, muchas veces, cuando estamos a punto de decir: «¡Te perdono!», cambiaríamos actitud y palabras y diríamos a la persona que tenemos enfrente: «¡Perdóname!». Nos daríamos cuenta de que también nosotros tenemos algo que hacernos perdonar por ella. Aún más importante que perdonar es pedir perdón. Decimos en el Padre Nuestro: "perdona nuestras ofensas, como también nosotros perdonamos a los que nos ofenden".

LECTURAS DE HOY

17 de Septiembre del 2017
Eclesiástico 27, 33-28, 9; Salmo 102
Romanos 14, 7-9; Mateo 18, 21-35

SERVIDORES DEL ALTAR
24 DE SEPTIEMBRE

MINISTROS: Angelina & Martín Bueno,
Isabel & Dugaldo Valdivia
LECTORES: Gena Griffin, Veronica Acosta,
Margarita Gómez
SACRISTANA: Carmen & Felipe, Nubia
MONAGUILLOS: Jetzibé, Ivan Araiza,
Isaac Cuevas, Miguel Carrillo
COLECTA: José, María Radillo, Juan Vera,
Vanessa Quevedo
MONITOR: José Bueno

Información de BAUTISMOS:

Inscripciones: Lunes a Jueves en la oficina
Requisitos:

- Pláticas el 2do. Sábado de cada mes, 5:00 p.m
 - Acta de nacimiento del niño (a)
 - Comprobante de matrimonio por la Iglesia de los padrinos.
 - Cooperación voluntaria
- Favor de registrarse en la oficina para las pláticas y el bautismo.

Nota: Deberán asistir ambos padres y padrinos. Favor de llamar a Erika con cualquier duda o pregunta al 425-4660

LA LEGION DE MARIA

La Legión de María; te invita a sus Juntas, es una oportunidad de Orar a Jesús por medio de su Santísima Madre, nos reunimos todos los Miércoles a las 5:00 p.m en el salón del Padre Mulligan (frente a la escuela)
Llamar a Gena Griffin
(360) 431- 6282



"AVISOS".

- ◆ Misa de Domingo— 6:00 p.m
(antes se reza el Santo Rosario)
- ◆ Hora Santa los Jueves— 8:00 p.m



Many thanks to all who contributed to our St. Jude drive last year. It is time for our annual drive during the month of September. When ever you get some change in your pocket, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital can use it. Please make your envelope and drop it in the collection basket any time throughout the month.

SOCIAL JUSTICE NEWS

International Day of Peace is September 21st



Pope Francis calls us to "Take a clear stand for creative and active nonviolence and against all forms of violence."

What would "creative and active nonviolence" look like in Longview and Kelso?

St. Rose Social Justice Commission
(360)636-4258

2017 Rice Bowl

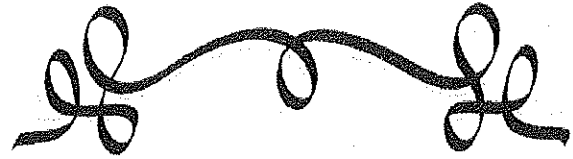
We want to thank everyone who participated in this years Rice Bowl collection. All of our parishes had a significant increase from last Year.

If you would like to learn how these gifts are put to use around the world, please visit www.crs.org.

St. Rose de Viterbo \$ 4,832.47	156% Increase
St. Catherine Mission \$ 586.40	72% Increase
Immaculate Heart of Mary \$ 3,252.87	552% Increase
St. Mary Parish \$ 549.52	232% Increase

Bible Study Alert:

Our Bible Study on "Prayer" will begin on **Sunday, October 8th** at the Saint Rose Parish Ctr. from 7:00 p.m. to 8:45 p.m.
360 423-3650, #101



PRAYER LINE

We currently have Prayer Partner openings available on the Prayer Line.

The purpose of the Prayer Line is to provide support in prayer for individuals who are seeking spiritual support, healing, a pressing problem, mental suffering, worldly requests, and any other needs.

As a Prayer Partner you will be responsible for passing along Prayer Requests by phone to other Prayer Partners.

If you feel you have a calling for this service, please contact the Prayer Line Overseer, Willie Ladd, no later than September 18th, 2017.

Willie Ladd
360-636-1959



IHM—Beads of Hope Campaign III

Rosaries Prayed: 71,142
Chaplets Prayed: 13,033
Adoration Hours: 9,797
Total: 93,972



Retreat

Wednesday, November 1, 2017
Join us for the **ALL SAINTS DAY RETREAT**
Our Lady of Peace Retreat in Beaverton with Most Rev. Peter Smith
Theme: "Becoming Saints in Everyday Life"
9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.; doors open at 8:15 a.m.
\$40 per person, includes lunch
To register 503-649-7127 or online at www.olpretreat.org