Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Weekend Masses:
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., and 5:00 p.m.
Television mass: KOLO Channel 8 Sundays - 9:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses:
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday - 8:00 a.m.
Wednesday, 8:30 a.m. Year Round

Holy Days of Obligation:
8:30 a.m., 12:10 and 5:30 p.m.

Civic Holiday Masses:
9:00 a.m. only

Reconciliation:
Saturdays: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:
Thursdays after 8:00 a.m. mass until 12:30 p.m.

SACRAMENTS

Anointing of the Sick: Those wishing to receive the Anointing of the Sick are asked to speak with any of the priests or call the office at 323-6894. Masses for Anointing of the Sick are celebrated throughout the year, and are announced in the bulletin.

Baptisms:
Infants through 2nd Grade: Parents are asked to attend our Baptism Preparation class on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Sponsors are also invited to attend. Please call the office at 323-6894 or email secretary@olsparish.com for more information and to sign up.

Third graders and older: Parents are asked to call our Director of Children’s Sacraments, Lauri-Anne, for information at 329-6147.

Communion to the Homebound: If you are ill at home and wish to receive the Eucharist, call the office at 323-6894.

First Holy Communion and Confirmation: The Diocese of Reno requires a two year preparation for children and teens receiving these Sacraments. Please contact Lauri Anne Reinhart at 329-6147.

Marriage: Couples wishing to be married at Snows need to make their initial contact with the parish six months before their wedding date. Couples are asked to contact Margaret Graham at 323-6894 ext.511 or marriage@olsparish.com.

R.C.I.A.: Adults wishing to become Catholic or Catholic adults needing to receive First Communion and/or Confirmation, should contact Barbara Verdi at 323-6894 ext.514.
Sunday, February 17
1:00 pm - Bingo in parish center

Monday, February 18 - Office Closed

Tuesday, February 12
8:30 am - Women’s Bible Study in parish center
10:00 am - Knit & Crochet and Arts & Crafts in PC
7:00 pm - Depression & Bipolar Support Alliance meeting in parish center

Thursday, February 21
8:30 am - Eucharistic Adoration
12:15 pm - Centering Prayer group in church
7:00 pm - Baptism Class in church

Saturday, February 23
9:30 am - Women’s Retreat in parish center

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YOUTH MINISTRY
Middle School & High School Youth Ministry resumes this week, February 17, at our normal times. Middle School meets at noon - 2:30, High School from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH RALLY
March 2, 10:00 am - 7:00 pm
Bishop Manogue High School
Music, Activities, Talks, Mass, Catholic Scout Awards, Food Trucks & Dance!
“The Journey Way Camino”
Following Jesus, Loving Others, Traveling Light with guests: Francis Cabildo & Gerardo Butalid
To register, email youthm@olsparish.com or contact Virginia at the office.
Information: www.renodiocese.org/oyyam/hsrally

6 - 8th GRADE MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH RALLY
March 3, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Bishop Manogue High School
Catholic Fest
Music, Games, Mass, Speakers featuring: Gerard Butalid & Francis Cabildo
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REFLECTION
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jeremiah 17:5-8
Psalm 1
1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20
Luke 6:17, 20-26

BLESSED
When we think of the word “Beatitude” we think of today’s discourse from Luke’s Gospel, or the more familiar one from Matthew (which begins “Blessed are the poor in spirit . . . ”). Actually, beatitudes occur throughout the prophets and Gospels. Today in Jeremiah (with an echo in the psalm) we hear, “Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord” (Jeremiah 17:7). Following his resurrection in John’s Gospel, Christ proclaims, “Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed” (John 20:29). The evangelists placed these sayings throughout the Gospels as short reminders about the characteristics that one will find in a follower of Christ, characteristics that will help spread the Good News in this life and lead to eternal blessings in the next. In Latin, the saints are called the Beat, the “Blessed,” for they are the ones who lived the “blessed” life as described by Jesus throughout the Gospels. How blest are we, when we also strive to make our own days a living beatitude!
### LENTEN “SMALL FAITH-SHARING” GROUPS

**You may ask, “What is a small faith-sharing group?”** Small groups consist of approximately 6 – 8 people with a facilitator. These groups allow us to share our faith with others and to grow together as a community. Using prayer, shared experiences and explorations of faith, these groups can create a community in a smaller setting that enhances the life of all.

The groups will meet at various times during the week – some in the morning and some in the evening. Dates and times will be scheduled as our groups come together. If you are interested in joining a small faith-sharing group, or just getting more information, please contact Barbara Verdi at 323-6894 ext. 514, or adultfaith@olsparish.com.

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**For those who have recently gone to God:**

- Libby McCauley, beloved wife of Patrick and mother of Elizabeth and Thomas.
- James Pfrommer, beloved husband of Gail and father of Christian and Jonathan.
This Weekend!
Sunday, February 17
1:00 p.m - 3:00 p.m.

OLS Parish Center
1200 S. Arlington

$5 Bingo Cards.
Snacks and Drinks available for purchase.

Future Bingo dates: 03/31, 04/14

SINGERS NEEDED
We need singers at all Masses! You don’t have to be a virtuoso. You don’t even have to know how to read music. Our choirs are fun and welcoming, and you can come to a rehearsal without committing.

Please call Joseph at the church, or send an email to: music@olsparish.com.

We REALLY need you!!!

COLLECTING BOX TOPS
Please continue to clip the pink box tops from product packages and drop them in the slot at the east doorway of the church.

Your Box Tops donations are greatly appreciated!

NEEDY MINISTRY
The Food Pantry is always in need of non-perishable food items. We are also collecting toiletry items. We now also need diapers (size 4, 5, 6), diaper wipes, and plastic bags (not paper.)

Please bring your donations with you to mass and leave in the “Food for Life” area of the church.

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Thank you for supporting Sr. Carmen and helping our less fortunate brothers and sisters throughout the year.

OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS 4 February 17, 2019

BABY’S BAPTISM CLASS
Baptism Class is required for those families wishing to have their infants or young children baptized.

The next Baptism Class will be February 21- 7:00 p.m. in the Church

Godparents are also encouraged to attend. Please call the office to sign up - 323-6894. If your child is in 3rd grade or older, call Lauri-Anne Reinhart at 329-6147.

We love doing baptisms!

WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY meets weekly on Tuesdays from 8:30 - 10:00 a.m. at the parish center. We will meet next on February 19. All women are welcome! If you are interested, contact Stacy Miller at bruinstacy@gmail.com or 846-3180.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES
• In the church office: We have two openings in the office for volunteers to cover the lunch hours on Mondays from 12 to 1:00 p.m., or on Thursdays from 12 to 1:00 p.m.

Responsibilities include greeting visitors to the office, answering the telephone and directing callers to the right person, and some other clerical duties. Please contact Susann Boley at (775) 323-6894 ext 501, or by email at parishadministrator@olsparish.com for an application.

• Counters needed:
If you have a banking or accounting or other similar background, and you would like to volunteer once monthly to help with our cash count, please contact Susann Boley by email at parishadministrator@olsparish.com for an application.

BAPTISMS
In the month of January, we celebrated the Baptism of:

Quinn Sievert
Patrick Harvey

Eucharistic Ministers
Terry Norman
terrynormanapn@icloud.com

Ushers
Susann Boley 745-5738
parishadministrator@olsparish.com

Funerals
Margaret Graham
marriage@olsparish.com
323-6894 x 511

Lectors
Marian Hull 722-5256
Marian.hull@att.net

Linen
Pat Lilley 771-2084
patsrenocats310@gmail.com

SACRISTANS
Greg Higgins 690-4519
ghiggins@goblueteam.com

Altar Servers
Dave Norman
davevecc@icloud.com

Liturgical Ministry

Knit & Crochet
The SWA Knit & Crochet group and the OLS Arts & Crafts group will meet on Tuesday, February 19, at 10:00 a.m. in the parish center.

Questions: Pat at 786-5066.

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Finance Council Members:
Fr. Bob Chorey  Fr. Mike Mahone  Susann Boley  Andy Stewart
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School Board Members:
Fr. Bob Chorey  Steven Ascuaga  Tim Fuetsch  Keith Pierce
Leslie Acosta  Clay Brust   Robert Munson
Rick Alonso   Jaimie Dianda  Heather Parks

COMMUNITY NEWS

DEPRESSION AND BIPOLAR SUPPORT ALLIANCE (DBSA)

Individuals with a confirmed or suspected diagnosis of depression or bipolar disorder are invited to attend our next DBSA meeting on Tuesday, February 19, at 7:00 p.m. in the parish center. Friends and family members are likewise invited. For further details, contact Charles Nielsen, M.D. (Professional Advisor) at 775-219-9142 or charlesnielsenmd@gmail.com

CENTERING PRAYER SILENT LENTEN RETREAT—SELF DIRECTED.

Open to all who do Centering prayer or mediated prayer. March 8, 9 and 10, at Presbyterian Conference Center in South Lake Tahoe. For more details go to contemplativeoutreachnnv.org or contact Deacon Dennis and Patty at brooksp17@g-mail.com.

St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Community
3000 N. Lompa Ln., Carson City

Saturday, February 23 - 6:00 - 10:00 pm
$10.00 per person (children under 18 are free)
Live band, dancing, authentic cultural buffet, silent auction, no host bar, multi-cultural entertainment, Mask Parade & Contest, Kid’s Zone loaded with activities, movies, food & fun!
Reserve a table by calling Kari Anderson 882-1968.
CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL (CSA) - 2019

THIS YEAR’S THEME:
FOR CHRIST, WE SERVE TOGETHER

The 2019 Catholic Services Appeal kicks off this month. Parishioners will be receiving a letter and pledge card from the Diocese during early February. Please prayerfully consider your pledge to this worthy appeal.

DIOCESAN CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE AS OF 02/12/19

Activity in the Today, Tomorrow, Together Diocesan capital campaign continues to be steady. Thank you to everyone making payments on your pledges AND, to those of you who have recently submitted new pledges.

The critical goals of our Diocese cannot be met without our continuing support. If you have not yet pledged, please prayerfully consider making a gift to the TTT Campaign. Call Denise in the parish office at 775-323-6894 to get a pledge card or signup online at www.catholicreno.org.
Mission Statement
We, the Body of Christ at Our Lady of the Snows, are a community of disciples on a journey of faith. To live the gospel message as listeners, learners, and leaders, we will: Enrich our liturgies as the foundation for greater spirituality; nurture an awareness of Christ in one another—see and reach out to those who long for mercy, healing, and justice; and facilitate the sharing of our Catholic legacy in the diverse settings of our lives.

Elaine Park received a master’s degree in Scripture from Mt. Angel Seminary in 1979, an SSL (Sacrae Scripturae Licentiate) in Sacred Scripture from the Pontifical Biblical Institute in Rome in 1987, and an STD (Sacrae Theologicae Doctor) in Theology from the Gregorian University in Rome in 1995. She was a member of the seminary faculty of Mount Angel Seminary from 1990-2011.

Elaine has taught in the Theology department at Portland University and is much in demand as a speaker and retreat director throughout the United States.