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 Fr. Mike Mahone or Fr. Bob Chorey at 323-6894.

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, April 14
12:30 pm - Easter Egg Hunt & lunch in front of school
1:00 pm - K of C Bingo in parish center

Monday, April 15
9:30 am - Women’s Lenten Bible Study in PC

Tuesday, April 16
10:00 am - Small Faith Sharing group in parish center
10:00 am - Knit & Crochet and Arts & Crafts in parish center
6:30 pm - Adoration and Benediction in Church

Thursday, April 18 - Holy Thursday
8:00 am - No Mass, No Communion Service
8:30 am - No Eucharistic Adoration
5:30 pm - Couples Small Faith Sharing group in church office
7:00 pm - Mass of the Lord’s Supper in church

Friday, April 19 - Good Friday - Office Closed
8:00 am - No Mass, No Communion Service
12:10 pm - Stations of the Cross in church
7:30 pm - Good Friday service in church

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
There will NOT be Eucharistic Adoration this Thursday, April 18.
Questions: Call Donna at 827-1901

CENTERING PRAYER
The Centering Prayer group will NOT be meeting on Holy Thursday, April 18.
Questions: Call Ann at 826-2133

For those who have recently gone to God:
ΦErnest Martinelli, beloved father of Cheryl Anderson, Lynete Belle, and Tammy Martinelli.

REFLECTION
Palm Sunday of the Passion of Our Lord
Isaiah 50:4-7 Psalm 22

THE STORY OF OUR REDEMPTION
We begin the final week of Lent with these familiar readings. This year, we hear the Passion from the Gospel of Luke. These readings for Palm Sunday and the Passion used to be read on successive Sundays. Now they are combined into a single feast, so that we may see the whole sweep of the glory and the suffering played out. Jesus accepts the adulation of the crowd, the foreshadowing of his glory in the Resurrection. He bids farewell to his disciples in his last Passover, and forgives his tormentors as he dies on the cross. Later this week, we enter the Holy Triduum of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday, when the whole story of our redemption will play out once again.

Our Lady of the Snows
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April 14, 2019

YOUTH MINISTRY
Are you team Jim or a Dwight, a Pam or an Angela? Perhaps you are team Michael. Whichever team you are, join us for "The Office Olympics" on Sunday, April 28.
Middle School will meet after the 11:30 Mass and High School after the 5:00 pm Mass, in the Youth House. Let's build some great teams, bring friends. Food and drinks will be provided. Who will go home with the Gold Medal?
**ADORAION & BENEDICTION**
**TUESDAY EVENINGS DURING LENT**
**OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS CHURCH**
6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

**Stations of the Cross**
**in the Church**
**Good Friday, April 19**
12:10 p.m.

**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

**HOLY THURSDAY, April 18** - Church office closes at noon
No Morning Mass
7:00 p.m. Mass of the Lord’s Supper
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass until 10:00 p.m.

**GOOD FRIDAY, April 19** - Church office is closed
No Morning Mass
12:10 p.m. Stations of the Cross in Church
7:30 p.m. Good Friday Service of the Passion of the Lord

**HOLY SATURDAY, April 20**
No Morning Mass - No 5:00 p.m. Mass
8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass [This Mass will be at least 2 hours long]

**EASTER SUNDAY, April 21**
7:30 a.m. Church - Fr. Mike Mahone
9:30 a.m. Church - Fr. Bob Chorey
9:30 a.m. Parish Center Chapel - Fr. Mike Mahone
11:30 a.m. Church - Fr. Bob Chorey
No 5:00 p.m. Evening Mass

**EASTER MONDAY, April 22** - Office Closed - No Mass, No Communion Service

**YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY**

**YOUNG ADULTS**
ADORATION IN THE CHURCH
6:30 pm - 7:00 pm
FAITH SHARING & DINNER IN THE ROCK HOUSE at 7:00 pm
Tuesday, April 16

**18 - 20 YEAR OLDS...**
**YOU ARE IMPORTANT TO US**
We would like to know more about you. Please fill out the small information slip, located at the Young Adult Wall, and enter for a chance to win a $50 Amazon Gift Card.

**OLS YOUNG ADULTS INVITE ALL TO MAY CROWNING**

Saturday, May 4 in the Parish Center. Crowning and family prayer beginning at 6:00 followed by dinner (adults and children will have separate rooms and activities) Please bring flowers to offer Mary
RSVP is appreciated
snowsyoungadults@gmail.com

**PARISH STAFF**

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The Knights of Columbus are hosting a free Pasta Dinner for all parishioners Saturday, April 27 after the 5:00 p.m. mass in the parish center (1200 S. Arlington Ave.). Open to All - No need to sign up in advance - just come on over!

Menu: pasta, bread, salad, beer/wine/sodas/ water

Donations accepted.

Pick up your shield and become a Knight. Help your Church, Sister Carmen, the Youth Ministry, OLS School & Snows Women’s Auxiliary.

Questions: call Grand Knight Leon Carroll at 224-7096.

NEWLY REGISTERED PARISHIONERS
We welcome to the Our Lady of the Snows community those newly registered in March:

Nina Ortiz
Alexis Solis
Miles Tam

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NEEDY MINISTRY
The Food Pantry is always in need of non-perishable food items, such as: peanut butter, jelly, Spam, canned meats, tuna, canned fruit, soups, jam, canned vegetables, cold cereals, peanut butter, rice, ramen, evaporated milk, non-perishable soy milk. We are also collecting toiletry items, diaper wipes, and plastic bags (not paper.)

Note that we are NOT collecting DIAPERS at this time. Also, we are NOT collecting CLOTHING at this time. Our stock of clothing is full; thank you to all who have donated so generously.

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

"MAKING A DIFFERENCE" SCHOLARSHIP RECOGNITION AWARDS
ATTENTION Graduating 8th Graders & Graduating High School Seniors!

OLS Women’s Auxiliary is offering Recognition Awards of $500 for 8th grade and $1,200 for graduating 12th grade seniors. Applicants must be registered at OLS Parish and seniors must be confirmed.

Applications may be obtained through your school's office, the parish office, or in the vestibule at the back of the church.

The deadline to submit applications and portfolios is Thursday, April 25, by 4:00 p.m. at the parish office.

Questions? Contact Sandy McClure 233-5359 or Gayle Carlson 329-8558

KNIT & CROCHET and ARTS & CRAFTS
The Snows Women’s Auxiliary Knit & Crochet group and the OLS Arts & Crafts group meet next on April 16, in the parish center from 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Questions: Pat at 786-5066.

OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS
SNOWS WOMEN’S AUXILIARY FASHION SHOW

STEP INTO “SPRING” WITH THE SWA FASHION SHOW

DATE: Saturday, May 4th  TIME: 11:30 a.m.  COST: $25.00/person
LOCATION: Parish Center – 1200 S. Arlington Ave.

Lunch will be provided, raffle tickets available and fashions by Chico’s (Women’s Clothing). Come join the fun and see what’s NEW this season!

Tickets are available at the church office and seating is limited, so hurry and purchase your tickets today!

DIOCESAN NEWS

BISHOP’S LETTER TO THE FAITHFUL AND LIST OF CLERGY CREDIBLY ACCUSED OF ABUSE OF A MINOR

♦ Bishop Calvo recently published names of priests and religious credibly accused of sexual abuse of a minor. You can find the list and his Letter to the Faithful at www.renodiocese.org. You can also learn more about the diocese’s Safe Environment program and what the diocese is, and has been doing, to protect our young people from sexual abuse at https://renodiocese.org/safe-environment/.

♦ If you suspect a child or vulnerable adult has been harmed by a clergy member, employee or volunteer, report the incident to the local law enforcement in the county in which the incident occurred. Then, please call a Victim’s Assistance coordinator:
  ◊ Eastern Nevada: Marilyn Janka 775-753-9542
  ◊ Western Nevada: David Caloiaro 775-450-3618
  or
  ◊ Diocesan Victim’s Assistance Hotline: 1-844-669-8911

Thank you for your efforts around this. This has been a long, arduous and at times a painful experience. Keep all victims in prayer, asking for the wisdom how to offer healing and solace.

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

On Good Friday, we turn our attention to the Holy Land and its place in salvation history. Keeping Christianity alive in the Holy Land and serving the people there is an urgent goal of the church. This is the place of the “first” church, where Jesus lived and taught.

There is a small, vibrant Christian community in the Holy Land, in Israel and Palestine today. These Christians are the descendants of the first Christians who witnessed the Passion of Christ; yet many of these people are leaving the Holy Land due to economic, religious hardship and persecution. They need our help to survive and to help care for the holy places that mark the life of Jesus. Your prayers and generosity enable Christianity to remain and thrive in these areas.

The funds from the Good Friday Collection enable the Franciscan Friars, who have been caretakers in the Holy Land since 1209, to provide presence, care and service to the people who are living in the Holy Land and maintain the holy shrines that are so significant in the history of our Christian faith.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Randolph Calvo
Bishop of Reno

PROJECT RACHEL, A POST-ABORTION HEALING MINISTRY

The final weeks of Lent in the month of April we pray for all those who have been affected by abortion directly or indirectly and are suffering the pain of Post-Abortion Syndrome emotionally, physically, and/or spiritually. May they answer “yes” to Jesus’ question “Do you want to be well?” (John 5:6). May they put all their doubts, wounds, and fear in His hands hoping for an increase in trust, faith, and clearer sense of how much He loves them.

Find out more about us www.renodiocese.org. Click on Our Works, scroll down, click on Project Rachel. Contact our confidential, nonjudgmental help line 775-324-4325 or email KarenM@Catholicreno.org to take advantage of valuable resources.

LAY MINISTRY FORMATION LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Applications for the upcoming year’s Lay Ministry Formation & Leadership are due May 1. Information on this diocesan program may be found on the diocesan website under “Our Works”: https://renodiocese.org/home/ourworks/lay-ministry-leadership-development/

If you have more questions, contact Dr. Lauri Anne Reinhart at the diocese laurianner@catholicreno.org 775-326-9431

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Lay Ministry Formation & Leadership are due May 1.
Congratulations! We have met our goal! From here on out, all pledges to CSA will be returned to the church as rebates.

**TIMETABLE**

**Sunday, April 14**
- **5:00 pm** - Fr. Bob Chorey

**Monday, April 15**
- **5:00 pm** - Fr. Bob Chorey

**Tuesday, April 16**
- **5:00 pm** - Fr. Bob Chorey

**Wednesday, April 17**
- **5:00 pm** - Fr. Bob Chorey

**Thursday, April 18**
- **5:00 pm** - Fr. Bob Chorey

**Friday, April 19**
- **5:00 pm** - Fr. Bob Chorey

**Saturday, April 20 - Easter Vigil**
- **5:00 pm** - Fr. Bob Chorey

**Sunday, April 21 - Easter**
- **5:00 pm** - Fr. Bob Chorey

**GOAL**

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**FUNERAL SERVICES**

- Please call the parish office. If you have already made arrangements with a funeral director, a staff member will coordinate with them to meet your needs. Assistance with music is available on request.

**TO OUR REGISTERED PARISHIONERS**

In order to keep better records of your weekly or monthly donations, please use the donation envelopes that are mailed to you. If you use a check, please enter your envelope number on it. If you don’t know it, please call the parish office for that information. If you requested contribution envelopes, but have since found that you no longer need them, please notify the parish office so we may update our records. Thank you.

**WE CAPTURE NEW MEMBERS**

To register with us, please complete the registration form found in the church vestibule, or visit our parish website at olsparish.com. Return the form either through the collection basket or bring/mail it to the parish office.

Please remember that registration is required to obtain a letter of good standing or for school affidavits, etc. Thank you!
OLS Picnic and Easter Egg Hunt
Sponsored by the Young Adult Ministry

Sunday, April 14
Lunch at 12:30 at Plumas Park
(in front of the school)
Easter Egg Hunt for children
below 5th grade begins at 1:00
Games for older siblings
RSVP not required but appreciated
RSVP to youthm@olsparish.com

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.