

PELICAN VALLEY

Area Catholic Community

St. Elizabeth (SE)
706 W Pleasant Ave
Elizabeth, MN 56533
218 736-5230

St. Leonard (SL)
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Pelican Rapids, MN 56572
218 863-5161

Our Lady of Victory (OLV)
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Fergus Falls, MN 56537
218 736-2429

Pastor

Father Alan Wielinski
218 736-2429 ext. 12 or 218-770-3349
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Deacons

Deacon Joe Hilber 218 731-6756
Deacon Peter Bellavance 651 249-8439
Deacon Chuck Kampa 218 770-5016
Deacon Dean Pawlowski 218 205-7921
Deacon Mario Mancilla 218-731-2962

Pastoral Assistant

Jennifer Dummer 218 736-2429 ext. 15

OLV School Principal

Jake Rath 218 736-6661

Hispanic Ministry

Alejandra and Deacon Mario Mancilla
218 731-2962

ACC Financial & Faith Formation Administrator

Mayme Hofland 218 736-2429 ext. 11

ACC Youth Minister

Emily Hebert 218 736-2429 ext. 24

SE Faith Formation /P-6

Jan Dumas 218 731-3115

OLV Faith Facilitator/Elementary

Deb Forstner 218 736-2429 ext. 47

OLV Middle/High School Faith Formation

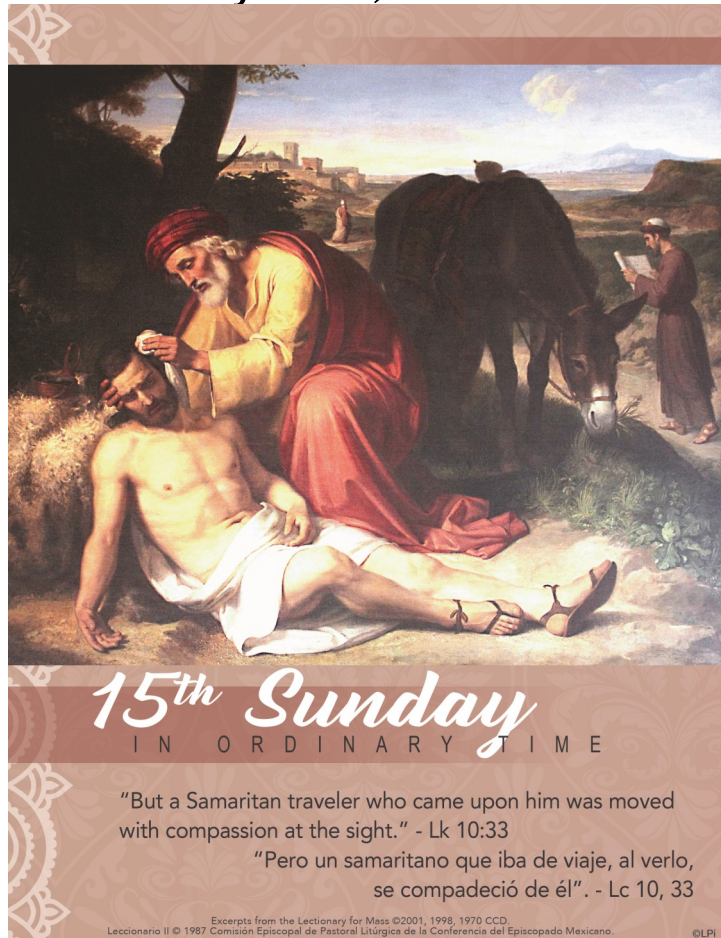
Andrew Jennen 218 736-2429 ext. 25

Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Elizabeth: After 6:30 p.m. Mass (Thu)
St. Leonard: After 6:30 p.m. Mass (Wed)
Our Lady of Victory: 8:30 a.m. *Thursday*
if there is a 9:00 a.m. Mass
3:30 p.m. Saturday



JULY 10, 2022



Church & Office Hours :

St. Elizabeth: Carrie Wedll 218 731-5304
St. Leonard: Mary Bongers 218 841-4861
Office Hours: 2:00—5:00 (Wed)
Our Lady of Victory:
Church Hours: 7:45 to 4:00 (Mon-Fri)
Office Hours: 9:00 to Noon
and 1:00 to 4:00 (Mon-Thu)
Closed on Fridays (Memorial Day through Labor Day)

PASTORAL COLUMN

Dear Parishioners of St. Leonard, St. Elizabeth, and Our Lady of Victory,

Welcome Fr. Joe Korf at OLV this weekend. Fr. Joe will typically be helping our ACC presiding at some of the Masses on the second Sunday of the month. It's pretty nice that all four of our priest assistants formerly pastored within our Pelican Valley ACC. Next weekend, Fr. Bob Kieffer will have Masses at St. Elizabeth and St. Leonard.

In another department, we are currently looking at more consolidation of the business operations for our parishes. Please be assured that this does not mean consolidation of funds and finances! Each parish continues to maintain their own savings, checking, investments, etc. But we are working on redefining roles of our parish staff members to avoid duplication of efforts and enhance our procedures. Thanks to the trustees and staff members who are working together moving in this direction.

God bless you all!

Fr. Alan

Estimados feligreses de St. Leonard, St. Elizabeth y Our Lady of Victory,

Bienvenido p. Joe Korf en OLV este fin de semana. Padre Por lo general, Joe ayudará a nuestro ACC a presidir algunas de las Misas el segundo domingo del mes. Es muy bueno que nuestros cuatro sacerdotes asistentes hayan sido pastores en nuestro ACC de Pelican Valley. El próximo fin de semana, el P. Bob Kieffer tendrá Misas en St. Elizabeth y St. Leonard.

En otro departamento, actualmente estamos buscando una mayor consolidación de las operaciones comerciales de nuestras parroquias. ¡Tenga la seguridad de que esto no significa una consolidación de fondos y finanzas! Cada parroquia continúa manteniendo sus propios ahorros, cheques, inversiones, etc. Pero estamos trabajando para redefinir los roles de los miembros del personal de nuestra parroquia para evitar la duplicación de esfuerzos y mejorar nuestros procedimientos. Gracias a los fideicomisarios y miembros del personal que están trabajando juntos para avanzar en esta dirección.

¡Dios los bendiga a todos!

Padre Alan

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 9

4:30 p.m. **OLV** Mass †Dave Peters

Sunday, July 10

8:30 a.m. **SE** Mass Thomas and Debra Jennen

9:30 a.m. **OLV** Mass †Loretta Giesen

10:30 a.m. **SL** Mass People of the Area Catholic Community

12:00 p.m. **SL** Misa en Español Gente de la Parroquia

Monday, July 11

9:00 a.m. **OLV** Word and Communion

Tuesday, July 12

12:05 a.m. **OLV** Mass †Clement Klimek
Adoration following Mass until 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 13

10:30 a.m. **Park Gardens** Word and Communion

6:30 p.m. **SL** Mass †Janice Marty

Thursday, July 14

9:00 a.m. **OLV** Mass †Woodrow and Lucille Lee

6:30 p.m. **SE** Word and Communion

Friday, July 15

9:00 a.m. **OLV** Mass †Donald Budke

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 16

4:30 p.m. **OLV** Mass †Marge Weiland

Sunday, July 17

8:30 a.m. **SE** Mass †Tony and Bev Wedll

9:30 a.m. **OLV** Mass †Adel Rothstein

10:30 a.m. **SL** Mass People of the Area Catholic Community

12:00 p.m. **SL** Misa en Español Gente de la Parroquia

OLV Adoration (*unless otherwise noted in weekly schedule)

7:00—8:00 a.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday

Tuesday after 12:05 Mass until 5:00 p.m.

7:00—8:45 a.m. Thursday

Rosary

8:30 a.m. **OLV** Monday through Friday



ST. ELIZABETH

OF HUNGARY

PORK OUT NEWS

Pork Out worksheets are in your boxes. Please pick up your tickets. If you can give someone theirs please take them or please make arrangements to pick-up. Continue to bring in your items.

PARTNERS FOOT CARE IS COMING on Tuesday, August 2nd from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at Brenny Hall. Cost is \$15. Bring a towel. Call 218-867-1234 to make an appointment.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

We are welcoming new lectors, ushers altar servers, and Eucharistic ministers ... Contact Carrie or Fr. Alan!

PRAYER REQUESTS Dan Lemke, Odilia Riesterberg, Kandance Love, Marlys Holubok, Kathleen Grise, Walt Paler's sister Barbara, Charlotte Schmitz, Hudson Hendrickx, Kay Henkes, Ruth Lorshbough, Jerry Schauff, Pat Baker, Kayla Pask and Joan Brusven, Jim Wedll, Tyler Kurtz, and Deacon Pete and his family. Jean Lehn, those that suffer from effects of drugs and alcohol, and those with cancer.

ST. LEONARD

OF PORT MAURITIUS

PORK DINNER SATURDAY, JULY 23RD!

Sign up sheets to volunteer a couple hours of your time that day are in the back of church—please sign up! **It is FUN and will benefit our parish!** If you are unable to be here or help, our please consider a donation towards expenses. Envelopes for donations are in each pew for your convenience. Place donations in the collection basket in the next week or two. Thank you for considering this small request!!!

~The Pork Dinner coordinators

PRAYER REQUESTS Orville Shannon, Adam Stewart, Julie Severson, Valerie Smischny, Cindy Becker, Tony Vigen, Denice Smischny, Jack Geske, Marilyn Jentz, Marilyn Gilbertson, Marilyn Schwartz, Leona Braton, James Smith, Nicole Kent, and LeAnn Ishaug.

OUR LADY OF VICTORY

MONTHLY FINANCIAL GIVING

*\$57,352 is the monthly budget

**\$14,500.06 under yearly collection budget

Adult Collections	\$59,594.10
Children Envelopes	\$2.00
Building and Maintenance	\$781.00
Food Shelf Donations	\$210.00
Emergency Fund Donations	\$116.95
Flowers	\$15.00
Sponsor a School Student	\$453.00
Faith Formation Donations	\$60.00
Peter's Pence	\$1,022.00
St. Otto's Cemetery	\$898.00

SUNDAY FUNDAY, JULY 24TH! Join us at OLV Church for a picnic from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Pulled pork, cole slaw, baked beans, and root beer floats will be served. Enjoy live music and outdoor games for the kids. All ACC members are invited!

ST. THERESA'S CIRCLE will meet Wednesday, July 13th at 1:30 p.m. in the St. Joseph Room.

COAT ROOM CLEANUP

Please remove coats, hats, pans, bowls, etc. from the coat room. Items that remain after July 17th will be donated or discarded.

WANTED: STEPHEN MINISTERS!

We are encouraging you to search your hearts to see if God is inviting you into the beautiful ministry of Stephen Ministry. It is a wonderful way to serve as Jesus did, ministering to those who are struggling with life's difficulties. Our training for new ministers begins October 3, 2022. For more information, call Gail Welle at 218-739-3648 or Peggy Rezak at 218-731-5528.

Banns of Marriage

Banns II

Jonathan Korinek and Nicole Skwira

July 22, 2022



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AREA CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

The Bishop's Annual Appeal proudly supports respect-for-life efforts in the diocese. Your generosity helps make this possible. To donate, visit www.stcdio.org/annualappeal or mail to: Bishop's Annual Appeal, PO Box 1538, St. Cloud, MN 56302

STEWARDSHIP AS A WAY OF LIFE

"Jesus said to him, 'go and do likewise' (Luke 10:37).

This was Jesus' command at the end of the Good Samaritan story. Did you know that the Samaritans and Jews despised each other? The moral of the story is to love our neighbor. That means loving someone you may not know, or someone that looks different than you, or someone that has different beliefs than you, or someone that you don't like. All without expecting anything in return.

SAVE THE DATE: *Diocesan Stewardship Day 2022* is Friday, September 16.

MESSAGE FROM FATHER PATRICK

Thank you to everyone for the well wishes, cards, and farewell parties as I wrapped up my time in the Pelican Valley ACC. I'm grateful for having spent the first two years of my priesthood in these parishes. I'm moved in (though not unpacked) in Little Falls, and the first week here has been a whirlwind of new people and places as I get acquainted with the area. Before I left for Little Falls, I received some requests that I let you all know my new address, so here it is:

305 4th St. SE
Little Falls, MN 56345

I have been keeping you all in my prayers, and thank you for your continued prayers for me as well!

God bless,

Fr. Patrick

MENSAJE DEL PADRE PATRICK

Gracias a todos por los despedidas, las tarjetas y las fiestas de despedida mientras terminaba mi tiempo en Pelican Valley ACC. Estoy agradecido por haber pasado los primeros dos años de mi sacerdocio en estas parroquias. Me mudé (aunque no desempaqué) a Little Falls, y la primera semana aquí ha sido un torbellino de personas y lugares nuevos a medida que me familiarizo con el área. Antes de irme a Little Falls, recibí algunas solicitudes de que les hiciera saber mi nueva dirección, así que aquí está:

305 4th St. SE
Little Falls, MN 56345

Los he estado manteniendo a todos en mis oraciones, ¡y gracias por sus continuas oraciones por mí también!

Dios los bendiga,

Padre Patricio

DIRECTORY

St. Elizabeth Parish SecretaryCarrie Wedll
St. Leonard Office Manager.....Mary Bongers
ACC Financial /Faith Formation Administrator....Mayme Hofland
OLV Administrative AssistantCraig Hebert
OLV Parish Music Director.....Paula Leitch
OLV Parish Property Manager.....Bob Budke
OLV Custodial Assistant..... Marc Stratton
Emails:

St. Leonard.....stleonard@loretel.net
OLV Church.....contact@ffolvchurch.org
OLV School.....office@ffolv.org
OLV Faith Formation/Financial.....mayme@ffolvchurch.org

6TH GRADE TEACHER OPENING

Our Lady of Victory Catholic School is accepting applications for a Full-time 6th Grade Teacher starting August 2022. OLV School has a supportive team of staff that creates a positive work environment. Class size averages 15 students per class. Successful candidates are able to demonstrate classroom management skills, work as part of a team, live out Christian values and hold each child as an amazing gift from God to be cherished and helped to grow in their knowledge and faith. Candidates need a current MN 1-6 teaching license. Our Lady of Victory School is a Catholic elementary Preschool -6th grade in Fergus Falls, MN. We have a long history of offering high quality education to students of all faiths and have been accredited through MNSAA for over 30 years. Applicants of all faiths are encouraged to apply. Salaries start at \$37,000 DOE with Health Insurance and other benefits offered.

Resumes can be emailed to tzierden@ffolv.org. Applications are also available on our website ffolvschool.org. Application review will begin June 13th and continue to accept applications until the position is filled.

GRIEF GROUP meets the second Tuesday of the month from 5:30-6:30 at Bethel Church, 702 W Alcott Avenue, Fergus Falls.

PRAYER CHAIN

Please call: Jo Weatherly 218-736-4938, Louise Wentworth 218-736-6701 or 218-770-0473, Alice Neuleib 218-739-2711 or 218-205-9007 to become involved with or to add your intentions to the prayer chain.

Web Sites:

OLV.....www.ffolvchurch.org
School..... www.ffolvschool.org
St. Leonard www.stleonardpr.org
Diocese www.stcdio.org

Facebook Pages:

<https://www.facebook.com/StLeonardPR>
<https://www.facebook.com/stelizabethparish>
<https://www.facebook.com/Our Lady of Victory>