

Our Mission: Light of Christ Ecumenical Catholic Community is a vibrant, inclusive and welcoming community for all who, following the teachings and example of Jesus Christ, seek compassion, justice and peace in the world. We seek to live our faith through liturgy and prayer, community building and collaboration, study and service. All Are Welcome!

October 9, 2021

28th week in Ordinary Time



Rocky Mountain Region, ECC, Regional Prayer:

Holy One, Enlivening Spirit, in the wilderness of new, root the Body of Christ fully into our "Yes," blooming in Your Holy Season. Together. Amen.

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MASSES

*Saturdays 5:00 pm on our
Facebook Page*

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Announcements at Light of Christ

- **Father Teri:** On the advice of her therapist, Father Teri will be taking a few weeks off to focus on her well being. Parish Council supports this decision and joins with the entire LOC community in prayer. We look forward to her return.
- **COVID 19 Update:** Due to the changing dynamic of the outbreak and in light of new CDC guidance, the BL/LOC Pandemic Advisory Group has made the following changes:
 - **Masks must be worn indoors at all times.**
 - **No food or drink is allowed indoors.**
 - **Indoor groups are limited to 12 or less in the Fireside Room/LoC office**
 - **Mass will be permitted in the sanctuary at this time**
 - **People must maintain social distancing**
 - **People must sit behind the 'reserved' seating to ensure safety during the homily and liturgy readings**
- **Preschool is in session:** Due to the high volume of traffic during drop-off and pick-up times, we would ask you to park in the BL front parking lot if you are visiting the church office around 9AM or 1PM during the week. Thank you for helping us keep everyone safe.
- **Wednesday Morning Mass:** Now that the church office is open, please join us for Mass on **Wednesday morning at 9AM.** We are celebrating the Liturgy of the Word each week and celebrating Communion on the first Wednesday of each month. Please contact the Church office for more information.
- **Amazon Smile and Light of Christ:** We are pleased to announce that Light of Christ has an Amazon Smile account, which means that when you purchase things through Amazon, they will donate a percentage of the proceeds to Light of Christ. Just shop at <https://smile.amazon.com>, select Light of Christ Ecumenical Catholic Community as the charity and Amazon will do the rest.
- **Did you know?** All of our recent daily readings and services are archived and can be found on our website linked [here](#). You can also join us for the live readings at 10AM or Saturday Mass at 5PM on Facebook . You do NOT have to have a facebook account to join. [FB Link](#)
- **Want to keep up on the happenings at Light of Christ?** Check out the calendar on our website for times and places of meetings. <https://lightofchristecc.org/events-calendar/>

Happenings at Light of Christ and in the Region

- **11th Hour Bell Ringing:** Please join us on **Monday, October 11, at 11:00 a.m.** for this month's bell ringing event. We will be celebrating Indigenous People's Day **at Sandstone Ranch** and calling attention to the climate crisis at hand. We have selected this new venue to remind ourselves that we meet on land that was originally the home of native tribes including the Arapaho, Cheyenne, and Utes.

Directions: Turn right at Sandstone Drive from Highway 119 to the parking lot at the top of the hill, south of the sports fields. We'll meet in the parking lot and walk to Overlook Point, near Alan Yap's memorial bench. The bell ringing service will take place there. Bring a noise maker with you.

- **Changes at Parish Council:** As October comes, three of our Parish Council members will be stepping down. It is with deep gratitude we thank John Fallon, Pam Hora and Mark Stenson and for their great work on the council. Additionally, we would like to welcome Irene Yap, Rick Rogers and Rosie Backes on to the council.
- **Ordinations of Alice Bradley and Rosean Mae Amaral:** It is with great joy, that we share with you two ordinations to the priesthood.

This **Sunday, October 10th**, 2021 at **2pm**, Alice Bradley will be ordained a priest in the Rocky Mountain Region of Ecumenical Catholic Communion **at the Church of the Beloved** in Northglenn. This ordination will also be broadcast via Zoom. Please find all of the particulars in the attached flyer.

Sunday, October 24, 2021 at **2pm**, Rosean Mae Amaral will be ordained a priest in the Rocky Mountain Region of Ecumenical Catholic Communion at **Mary of Magdala Ecumenical Catholic Community** in Fort Collins. This ordination will also be broadcast via Zoom. Please find all of the particulars in the attached flyer.

STEWARDSHIP

September	End of Month	Year To Date
Donations	\$27,170.00	\$112,614.06
Grocery Cards	\$0.00	\$1,317.83
Advertising Revenue	\$150.00	675.00
Interest	\$131.11	\$2,786.73
Miscellaneous Income (Includes designated)	\$0.00	\$2,679.58
Total Income	\$27,451.11	\$120,073.20
Expenses	\$18,446.86	\$106,966.33
Balance	\$8,984.25	\$13,107.84

DAILY READINGS

Please join us on Facebook Live at 10AM on Tuesdays/Thursdays as we read through 1st Maccabees [Link here](#).

Alternately, [this link](#) will take you to the US Conference of Roman Catholic Bishops web-site where you can view each day's reading.

Assistance ~ If you need assistance during this time, there are several resources available in Longmont:

THE ROUND PANTRY, located at:
Westview Presbyterian Church
1500 Hover St.
Longmont, CO 80501

HOPE Longmont, located at:
804 Lincoln St.
Longmont, CO 80501

THE OUR CENTER, located at:
220 Collyer St.
Longmont, CO 80501

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Rita Duncan; Carol Conti; Kathryn Olsen and Kay Reuber; Sharon Farnsworth; Aiden Hutto; Erin; Sherry Shead; Brenda Harris



We update our prayer corner monthly. If you or your loved one would like to be included on the corner, please contact the office and we'd be happy to add you.

MENTAL HEALTH HELP

DURING COVID-19

CO Crisis Services Text Line  Text 'TALK' to 38255	COVID-19 resources  covid.colorado.gov	CO Crisis Services Phone Line  1-844-493-8255
Veterans in crisis  veteranscrisisline.net	Coping with COVID-19 stress  bit.ly/covid-coping	National Suicide Prevention Lifeline  1-800-273-8255
Disaster Distress Helpline  1-800-985-5990	Call or text a family member or friend 	Substance abuse helpline  1-800-662-4357
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Members of Light of Christ or their family members are invited to **purchase ad space here** on the weekly bulletins! Not only does it help out these businesses, but it also helps LOC by bringing in additional funds. For more information, please call the Church Office.

A printed copy of the Light of Christ Bylaws, policies and procedures is available in the Church Office for members to review.

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