



Our Lady of Tahoe Catholic Church
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm | Sunday: 8:00 am & 11:30 am

Confession: By appointment only

Baptisms and Marriages: Contact the parish office during business hours
M-F, 9:00am 3:00pm or visit our website: www.ourladyoftahoe.org

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Saint Frances was born at Rome in 1384. Her parents were of high rank. They overruled her desire to become a nun, and at twelve years of age married her to Rorenzo Ponziano, a Roman noble. During the forty years of their married life, they never had a disagreement. Her ordinary food was dry bread. Secretly she would exchange with beggar's good food for their hard crusts; her drink was water, and her cup a human skull. During the invasion of Rome, in 1413, Ponziano was banished, his estates confiscated, his house destroyed, and his eldest son taken as a hostage. Frances saw in these losses only the finger of God and blessed His holy name. When peace was restored, Ponziano recovered his estate, and Frances founded the Oblates. After her husband's death, barefoot and with a cord about her neck she begged admission to the community and was soon elected Superioress. She lived always in the presence of God, and amongst many visions was given constant sight of her angel guardian, who shed such brightness that the Saint could read by this light alone. She died on the day she had foretold, March 9, 1440.

As disciples of Jesus Christ, and in the name of Mary, Our Lady of Tahoe Catholic community welcomes and embraces all those who come to us. With guidance of the Holy Spirit, through worship, the sacraments, and loving service, we provide for one another's spiritual and material needs. In being so nourished, we reach out in faith to serve the larger community.

You should have received your CSA pledge cards by now. If you haven't, please contact the OLT office. Heartfelt gratitude to everyone who donated in 2020! The theme for this year is WE WALK WITH CHRIST and our parish assessment is \$53,000. We can't pull this off without your support! Whether you attend OLT year-round or seasonally, please consider giving. You can mail in your contribution or donate online. (If the latter, please choose CSA as your fund). Let's continue to show the Diocese how much we love our little church here in the woods. Please call the office with any questions you may have. Thank you!



Next weekend's special 2nd collection benefits Catholic Relief Services. CRS carries out the commitment of the Bishops of the U.S. to assist the poor and vulnerable throughout the world. They respond to emergencies such as hurricanes and earthquakes. They are motivated by the Gospel of Jesus Christ to cherish, preserve, and uphold the sacredness and dignity of all human life, foster charity and justice, and embody Catholic social and moral teaching. They provide water and sanitation in the poorer areas of the world and nurture peaceful and just societies. A critical arm of the Catholic Church, their mission to assist impoverished and disadvantaged people can only be done with your help. Please be generous in the Catholic Relief Services Collection. Your support truly makes a difference.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	6	5:00	Intentions of OLT Parishioners	Pro Populo
Sunday	7	8:00	† Kelly Heydon Depoali	Francie & Ron Alling
Sunday	7	11:30	Happy 56th Anniversary to Jerry & Curt Emrie	

From Bishop Calvo:

We continue our efforts to instill in our communities and nation a true respect for the sanctity of life. As part of the variety of ways we can participate, I call to your attention the 40 Days for Life campaign, which has 3 key components: prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil, and non-confrontational community outreach. This campaign will begin on Wednesday February 17 and end on Sunday, March 28. Importantly, this campaign runs during our fast-approaching season of Lent. Therefore, it provides an excellent opportunity to offer prayer and fasting for our Lord in support of “the least of these by brothers.” (Matthew 25:40)

God often used the period of the 40 days in Sacred Scripture to indicate a time of prayer and penance when we turn closer to God. It is a time of conversion and change of heart. Through the 40 Days for Life, we pray there will be a transformation in the hearts of people in our community and country so that they will cherish and respect God’s gift of life, and there will be an end to abortion. I encourage you to be a witness to the life of the unborn in our community by participating in the 40 Days for Life campaign, especially during this 2021 Lenten Season.



Last weekend’s collection came to \$2,465.00. Thank you so much for your faithful support!

Join our Diocese from a screen near you with hosts Fr. Chuck Durante, Rita Sloan, and the Life, Peace & Justice Commission as they host powerful reflections from those engaged in work for life, peace, and justice and to have critical Catholic conversations on topics that will be part of this legislative session in the State of Nevada. You can register at <https://tinyurl.com/LPJChurchStatePublicPolicy>.

Life, Peace & Justice Commission presents
The Church, Our State and Public Policy

Each session will be held on Zoom at 6:30 PM & Register online at <https://tinyurl.com/LPJChurchStatePublicPolicy>

Session 1: March 8:
Truth in Life and Death:
Catholic teaching on assisted suicide and Nevada legislation

Session 2: March 15:
Truth in Life and Death:
Catholic teaching on capital punishment and Nevada legislation

Session 3: March 22:
Housing and Healthcare:
Catholic teaching on basic needs of Nevadans and Nevada legislation



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Thank you to everyone who has already donated! We are off to a fantastic start!

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