

Our Lady of Tahoe Catholic Church

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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

Confession: By appointment only

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M-F, 9:00am 3:00pm or visit our website: www.ourladyoftahoe.org

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NATIVITY of ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

WE CELEBRATE WITH FITTING HONOR THE
NATIVITY OF HIM WHO BOTH FORETOLD
THE COMING OF THE WORLD'S SAVIOR
AND *pointed him out* WHEN HE CAME.

Offertory prayer, Solemnity of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist

WORD
on FIRE

John spent his time in the desert, an ascetic. He began to announce the coming of the Kingdom, and to call everyone to a fundamental reformation of life. His purpose was to prepare the way for Jesus. His baptism, he said, was for repentance. But one would come who would baptize with the Holy Spirit and fire. John was not worthy even to untie his sandals. His attitude toward Jesus was: “He must increase; I must decrease” (John 3:30). John was humbled to find among the crowd of sinners who came to be baptized the one whom he already knew to be the Messiah. “I need to be baptized by you” (Matthew 3:14b). But Jesus insisted, “Allow it now, for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness” (Matthew 3:15b). Jesus, true and humble human as well as eternal God, was eager to do what was required of any good Jew. Jesus thus publicly entered the community of those awaiting the Messiah. But making himself part of that community, he made it truly messianic. John challenges us Christians to the fundamental attitude of Christianity—total dependence on the Father, in Christ. Except for the Mother of God, no one had a higher function in the unfolding of salvation. Yet the least in the kingdom, Jesus said, is greater than he, for the pure gift that the Father gives.

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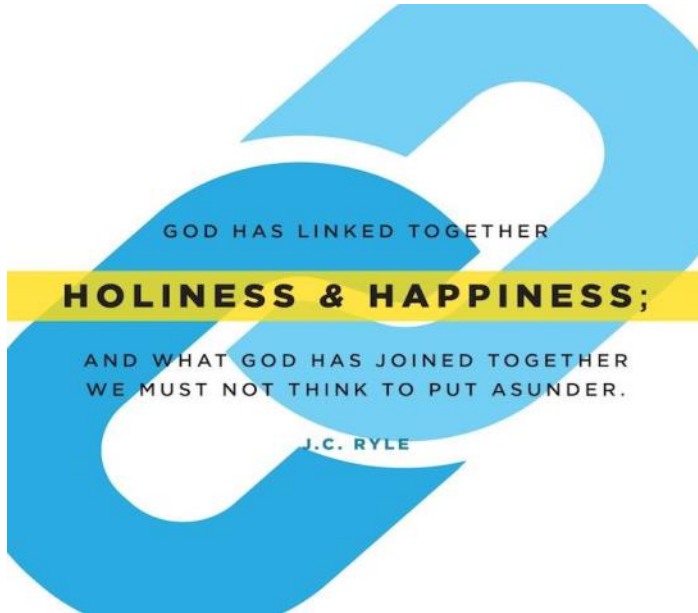


Last weekend's collection came to \$3,581.00. Thank you so much for your faithful support! Our CSA pledges total \$25,870.00. That's 48% of our goal. Please donate if you can! Thank You!

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.

Mass Intentions

Saturday	19	5:00	† Nicole Francis Jurzenski	Colette Karpan
Sunday	20	8:00	Bill Lennartz	Stephanie & David Scott
Sunday	20	11:30	Intentions of OLT Parishioners	Pro Populo
Wednesday	23 (Private mass)		† Victoria Stanley	Joey & Ahlloie Ortiz



Together in Holiness - Saturday, September 11

Together in Marriage is an annual marriage enrichment conference series that inspires couples to grow together in holiness and empowers parents to form their children in the Catholic faith. Couples spend one day with one another celebrating the sacraments, exploring new ways to enrich their marriage and family life, and discovering how they can evangelize their families and communities. For questions or more information, visit togetherinholiness.org or contact Conference Coordinator Amelia Arth at amelia@forlifeandfamily.org.

Happy Birthday Fr. Larry!

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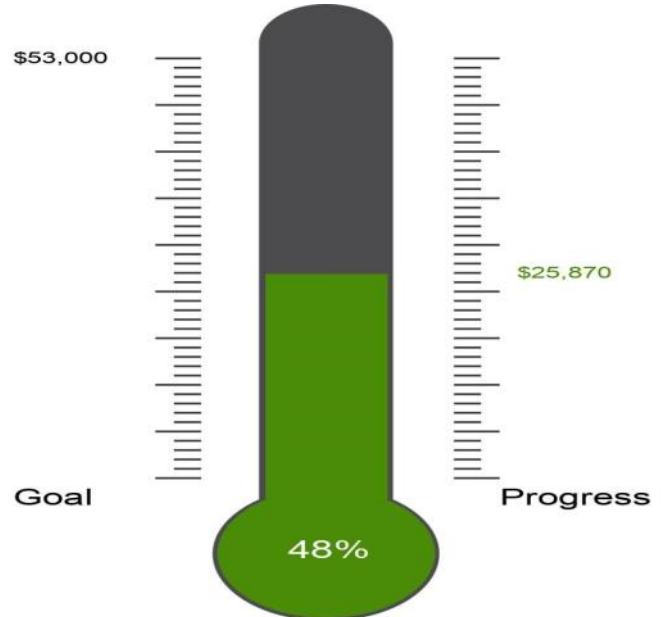


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