

# Our Lady of Tahoe

## Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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

Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday: 11:30am

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## Saint Matthew's Story

Matthew was a Jew who worked for the occupying Roman forces, collecting taxes from other Jews. The Romans were not scrupulous about what the "tax farmers" got for themselves. Hence the latter, known as "publicans," were generally hated as traitors by their fellow Jews. The Pharisees lumped them with "sinners" (see Matthew 9:11-13). So, it was shocking to them to hear Jesus call such a man to be one of his intimate followers. Matthew got Jesus in further trouble by having a sort of going-away party at his house. The Gospel tells us that many tax collectors and "those known as sinners" came to the dinner. The Pharisees were still more badly shocked. What business did the supposedly great teacher have associating with such immoral people? Jesus' answer was, "Those who are well do not need a physician, but the sick do. Go and learn the meaning of the words, 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' I did not come to call the righteous but sinners" (Matthew 9:12b-13). Jesus is not setting aside ritual and worship; he is saying that loving others is even more important. No other particular incidents about Matthew are found in the New Testament. **Reflection:** From such an unlikely situation, Jesus chose one of the foundations of the Church, a man others, judging from his job, thought was not holy enough for the position. But Matthew was honest enough to admit that he was one of the sinners Jesus came to call. He was open enough to recognize truth when he saw him. "And he got up and followed him" (Matthew 9:9b). Saint Matthew is the Patron Saint of accountants, actors, bankers, bookkeepers, tax collectors, and taxi drivers.



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#iGIVECATHOLIC

In the month of September, we remember Our Lady of Sorrows. We pray for all women who have had abortions and all those mourning the loss of an unborn child. May they open their hearts and minds to reach out for help to experience the healing, love, mercy, and compassion of God. Please find out more about us at [www.renodiocese.org](http://www.renodiocese.org). Click on Our Works, scroll down, click on Project Rachel. Contact our confidential, non-judgmental help line 775-324-4325 or email [KarenM@Catholicreno.org](mailto:KarenM@Catholicreno.org) to take advantage of valuable resources.

A Day of Reflection Presented by Father Chuck Durante and The Life, Peace, & Justice Commission

*"If you want to cultivate peace, protect creation."*

Pope Benedict XVI

Responding to The Cry of the Earth & The Cry of the Poor...

It feels like there is so much need in our world. How can we discern how we as individuals and a church community address the cries of the earth and the poor? How can our actions ripple into the world? Come and spend a day in reflection, prayer and learning, flowing from the spiritual and social teaching traditions of our faith.

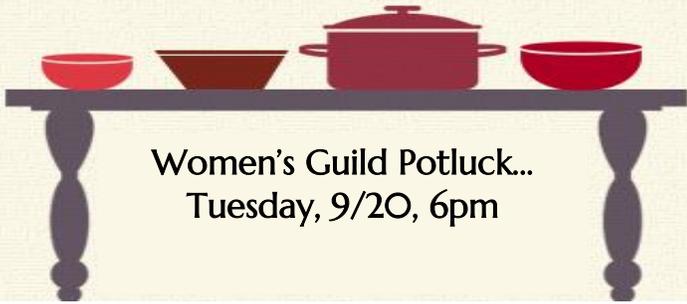
Date: October 1, 2022 | Time 9:15-3pm  
Location: Saint Rose of Lima Catholic Church

There is no charge for this event but please bring your own lunch. Coffee, tea, and water will be provided.

RSVP at <https://tinyurl.com/registration-at> or via email [rwrksloan@hotmail.com](mailto:rwrksloan@hotmail.com).

# Mass Intentions

Saturday	17	5pm	Intentions of OLT Parishioners	Pro Populo
Sunday	18	8am	† Michael Peetz	David and Stephanie Scott
Sunday	18	11:30am	† Joseph Bachiller	Howard and Cora Lowry
Wednesday	21	11:30am	Suzi VanCamp	Chris Thomas
Thursday	22	11:30am	Ranee and Scott Hempler	David and Stephanie Scott
Friday	23	11:30am		



Women's Guild Potluck...  
Tuesday, 9/20, 6pm

Greetings Ladies,

The OLT Women's Guild invites all those interested in the parish to a *get to know us* potluck gathering next Tuesday evening, September 20th, at 6pm in the parish hall. If you can attend, please email Janis at [jgbrand4@frontier.com](mailto:jgbrand4@frontier.com). Whether you are here part-time or full-time, we hope to see you next week!

Blessings!

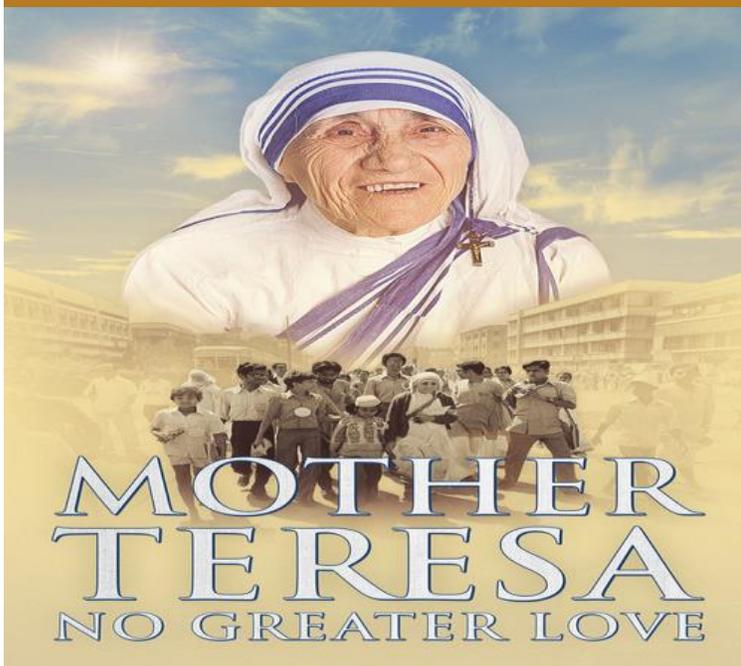
## Opening Rites #1 - The Procession

"I will go to the altar of God, to God, my joy and my delight." Psalm 43:4 NIV

The Mass always begins with some sort of procession, whether it be large and solemn or short and simple. Of all the components of the procession, the most important element is the celebrant of the Mass. During the Mass, the celebrant acts "in persona Christi capitis" ("in the person of Christ the head"). And so, when the celebrant enters the Church, it symbolizes Christ entering our midst. Thus, the people stand, not to honor the individual himself, but to honor Christ made present in the celebrant. Have you ever meditated on the incarnation of Christ? How do you imagine Christ when you pray to Him?

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Last weekend's collection came to \$2,422.00 and the special second collection for the Seminarian Education Fund came to \$954.00. We are now at **88%** (\$42,950.00) in pledges for CSA and need another \$5,390.00 to reach our assessment. Even though the past few years have held challenges for all of us, please note that we do not take your giving lightly. Thank you to everyone for your faithful support of Our Lady of Tahoe!

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.



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