

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You in my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.



GIVE &
IT WILL BE
GIVEN
TO YOU
LUKE 6:38

The Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

Pastoral Care Team for Cherry Ridge

Rose Callea – Pastoral Care Director	697-6446
Jennifer Abdalla, Per diem Past. Care Coordinator	
Monika Karna – Administrative Coordinator	697-6482
Sr. Karen Dietz – Part-Time Past. Care Coordinator	697-6448
Jack Ruppert – Spiritual Care Advocate	697-6526
Father Ted Auble – Resident Priest Chaplain	
Father Peter Bayer – Resident Priest Chaplain	
Deacon Mark Bovenzi	
Pastoral Care Office – (585) 697-6482	

I am pleased to share some staff changes in the Pastoral Care Department.

Monika Karna has accepted the position of Administrative Coordinator. Monika can be reached at 585-697-6482.

Jack Ruppert has accepted the position of Spiritual Care Advocate. Jack will begin his new role full-time beginning on March 3rd. Jack can be reached at 585-697-6447.

Jennifer Abdalla is now working per diem with us.


Join me in congratulating Monika and Jack in their new roles!

~Rose

*“Where there is no
love, put love and
you will find it.”*

St. John of the Cross

Celebration of the Eucharist
Week of February 23, 2025



Sat. February 22nd The Anticipated Mass the Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00PM In Remembrance of the Ferguson and Adams Families- Mary & Family

Sun. February 23rd The Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:15AM Ray W. & Elizabeth G. Statt & Deceased Family Members – Estate

Wed. February 26th Weekday

10:30AM John Bovenzi – Jennifer & Joshua Abdalla

Sat. March 1st The Anticipated Mass the Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00PM Joyce Snyder – Fritz Snyder

Sun. March 2nd The Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:15AM Theresa Carter – Kathleen Vanscoter

Dear Friend,

“Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you.”

The gospel this week goes against our hardwired protective self-protective instincts to love enemies and to do good to those who wish us ill.

Expending energy and time on people who don't care – or people that don't even like us seems like a waste of time. Are we supposed to love when it doesn't matter? Jesus's command to “love one another” might not mean that we empty ourselves to exhaustion. It does mean that when we do pour ourselves out – whether we receive payment back or not – we can have confidence that we have acted in love and acted in Christ. We don't have to keep doing impossible tasks that do not fulfill us. But our love – even unnoticed – is not worthless. Our love is precious in God's eyes – and we are too.

Jesus does not promise that we will not be taken advantage of in this world. He calls us not to self-preservation but to live with the radical love and generosity that he will model when he washes his disciples' feet and ultimately lays down his life for us.

Have a Blessed Week~ Rose

