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FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
 April 26, 2026

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Thursday 7am
 First Friday of the month 7am
 Saturday 5pm
 First Saturday of the month 7am
 Sunday 10am
 Sunday Spanish 12pm

The sheep hear his voice...and follow him

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I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly.

John 10:10



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Reflections on the Clergy Retreat

I was at the annual clergy retreat at Mount Angel from April 13-17. Mount Angel is a beautiful place with an Abby, seminary and a retreat house located over a hill overlooking the valley. On the way to the retreat I stopped at St. Mary's church in Hood River and with the priest there hiked Dog Mountain which was 3.5 miles to the top with 3,000 ft elevation gain. That was the most strenuous hike I have done since I left Bend.

There were all together 37 priests from the diocese of Baker in attendance at the retreat with Bishop Thomas Hennen, Bishop Liam Cary and a deacon. It was wonderful to spend a few days with fellow priests from the diocese. The temperature was in the 50s most of the days and raining. It was blowing for a couple of days with strong wind. The best day in terms of weather was the final day.

The retreat presenter was Fr. Scott Detisch, a priest of the diocese of Erie, PA. There were two talks everyday with morning prayer, midday prayer, evening prayer, Holy Hour and Holy Mass with short intervals for reflections. The topic of the retreat was "Narrative Grace in the Life of a Priest." In his presentations, Fr. Scott reflected on how God's grace accompanies every priest in good times and in bad times writing his life story and how that is manifested in the Eucharist. God walks with us even when we do not recognize him. This removes fear and fills us with courage.

- Father Jose Thomas Mudakodiyil

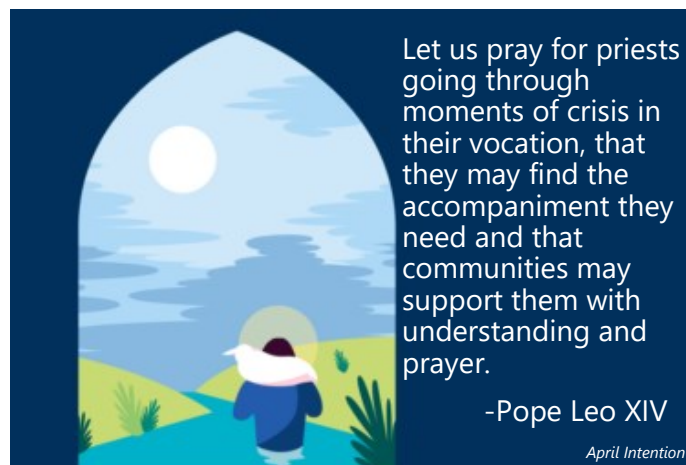
Reflexiones sobre el Retiro del Clero

Estuve en el retiro anual del clero en Mount Angel del 13 al 17 de abril. Mount Angel es un lugar hermoso con una abadía, un seminario y una casa de retiros ubicada en una colina con vista al valle. De camino al retiro, me detuve en la iglesia de St. Mary en Hood River y, junto con el sacerdote de allí, subimos Dog Mountain, una caminata de 3.5 millas hasta la cima con un ascenso de 3,000 pies. Fue la caminata más exigente que he hecho desde que salí de Bend.

En total, asistieron 37 sacerdotes de la diócesis de Baker, junto con el Obispo Thomas Hennen, el Obispo Liam Cary y un diácono. Fue maravilloso pasar unos días con otros sacerdotes de la diócesis. La temperatura estuvo en los 50 grados la mayoría de los días y lloviendo. Hubo un par de días con mucho viento. El mejor día, en cuanto al clima, fue el último.

El presentador del retiro fue el P. Scott Detisch, sacerdote de la diócesis de Erie, Pensilvania. Hubo dos charlas cada día, además de oración de la mañana, oración del mediodía, oración de la tarde, Hora Santa y la Santa Misa, con breves intervalos para reflexiones. El tema del retiro fue "La gracia narrativa en la vida de un sacerdote". En sus presentaciones, el P. Scott reflexionó sobre cómo la gracia de Dios acompaña a cada sacerdote en los buenos y malos momentos, escribiendo la historia de su vida y cómo esto se manifiesta en la Eucaristía. Dios camina con nosotros incluso cuando no lo reconocemos. Esto elimina el miedo y nos llena de valentía.

- Father Jose Thomas Mudakodiyil



Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

-Pope Leo XIV

April Intention

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

Do you have a Mass Intention? Please fill out our *new form* and drop in the collection basket or bring to the Parish Office.



Attend the **Schoenstatt 25th Anniversary celebration** at St. Peter's Parish in The Dalles, Oregon on May 30th. More details on flyer in the vestibule.

Mass This Week

MONDAY, APRIL 27

7:00am (+Gene Kuhn)

11:30am at St. Anthony Hospital

TUESDAY, APRIL 28

St. Peter Chanel
St. Louis Grignon de Montfort

7:00am (+All souls in purgatory)

11:30am at St. Anthony Hospital

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29

St. Catherine of Siena

7:00am (Mary Grace Townsend *H)

11:30am at St. Anthony Hospital

THURSDAY, APRIL 30

St. Pius V

No Mass

FRIDAY, MAY 1

St. Joseph

7:00am (Brandon Mueller *H)

SATURDAY, MAY 2

St. Athanasius

7:00am (+Agnes Doherty)

5:00pm (+Con Doherty)

SUNDAY, MAY 3

Fifth Sunday of Easter

10:00am

12:00pm *Spanish
(+Rosendo Dominguez)

Adoration

Thursday & Friday 8:00am to 7:00pm
Those who sign up will need to use the door code.

Confession

Monday - Thursday 6:15am to 6:45am
Saturday 3:30pm to 4:30pm

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Please join us today to pray for the clergy and religious serving our Diocese, and to pray for an increase in religious and priestly vocations in our diocese and the world.

April 26, 2026

Don't Forget to RSVP! Volunteer Appreciation Dinner

Let's celebrate our dedicated volunteers. We invite all adults who have served our parish to join us on Wednesday, May 27 at 6pm.

Please RSVP by scanning the QR code to the right with your mobile phone's camera and navigate to the link to fill out the Google form OR visit the office to RSVP in person.



Saturday, April 25, at 5pm

Ext. Minister: Sue Thurman
Acolytes: Thomas Feller, Deacon Omar
Lectors: Jef Case

Sunday, April 26, at 10am

Ext. Ministers: Brittany Adelman, Bob Adelman
Acolytes: Andrew Griggs, Deacon Omar
Lectors: Lorin Kubishta, Irma Rodriguez
Altar Servers: Chet Case, Jacob Adelman, Paden Lee

Saturday, May 2, at 5pm

Ext. Minister: Bob Adelman
Acolytes: Mike Townsend, Jeff Burnett
Lectors: Neal Case, John Monagle

Sunday, May 3, at 10am

Ext. Ministers: Dennis & Colleen Hunt
Acolytes: Patrick Feller, Deacon Omar
Lectors: Greg & Sarah Silbernagel
Altar Servers: Phineas Bonzani, Theo Sprenger, Paden Lee

Stewardship of Giving

date	offertory received	offertory needed	difference	ytd actual	ytd budget
Apr. 13-19	\$3,805.40	\$4,9000	(\$1,094.60)	\$85,783.30	\$77,800.00
Apr. 6-12	\$4,650.29	\$4,900.00	(\$249.71)	\$81,997.90	\$72,900.00
Mar. 30-Apr. 5	\$8,332.74	\$4,900.00	\$3,432.74	\$77,347.61	\$68,000.00

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