

Praise the Lord, my soul!

Psalm 146:7

*Let Us Pray for Our
Brothers and
Sisters:*



Charlie and Tom Sawyer, Robi Rogers, Concepcion Ramirez, Olivia Ramirez, Jamie Millen, Father Rodolfo Llamas, Kent, Florencia V., Anselmo Q., Victoria, Vargas and Rico Family, Rose Wampler, Carol Hall, Janna Alves, for those with health complications, and for all the intentions of the families not listed.

We Pray to the Lord.

If you or someone you know needs prayer please contact the Parish office at (530)934-3314 or email your requests to stmonicawillows@outlook.com. The names remain in the list for a month.

**St. Monica Parish
News & Announcements:**

-This weekend our second collection is for Priest Retirement. The appeal for the Retirement Fund for Religious asks us to recall those women and men religious whose ministry has nourished our own faith, served our Church, and strengthened our nation. Today, more than 37,000 women and men religious are past age 70. Their institutes face critical economic challenges as the costs of health care escalate and as the need for handicapped-accessible housing increases. Please be generous.



Mass Schedule & Intentions:

Date	Time	Int	Name
Sat. 9/28	9:00am	+	John Huttman+
	5:00pm		
Sun. 9/29	9:00am	+	John Huttman+, Sebastian+, Filberto+, and Guadalupe Franco+, Sebastian Cruz+
	12:00pm		Esmelda Robles+
Mon. 9/30	7:30am	+	John Huttman+
Tues. 10/1	7:30am		-Liturgy
Wed. 10/2	4:00pm	+	Bob Mann+
Thurs 10/3	7:30am		-All Souls
Fri. 10/4	7:30am		-All Souls
Sat. 10/5	5:00pm		-All Souls

Do you have a Mass intention?

We now have mass intention envelopes, you can fill out and place in the offering basket.

Responsorial Psalm:

Psalm 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8

**"Praise the Lord, my soul!
Or Alleluia."**

-First Reading

Amos 6:1, 4-7

Our first reading is from Amos, the prophet of social justice. In today's passage, he denounces the hallow prosperity of the rich, a self-indulgent life-style maintained at the expense of the poor.

-Second Reading

1 Timothy 6:11-16

In the latter years of the first century, when the first letter to Timothy was written, Church leaders were concerned that Christianity not be seen as opposed to the good order of society. So, today's passage pictures Paul exhorting Timothy to lead an upright life.

Religion is not propagated nor conserved by means of arms. Neither Jesus Christ, nor his apostles, nor the Church has to employ violence to accomplish their ends. The weapons of the Church are to convince and persuade by means of the Word.

-St. Christopher Magallanes



America Needs Fatima!
Come pray the Rosary (all welcomed). Become a champion of Mary Public Rosary Sat, October 12th at 12, noon. It will take place at Hutson Insurance & Healing Hands parking lot. Please bring a lawn chair and your Rosary. (We pray for peace in the world and the end of war.)

Glenn County Public Health is providing **FREE Influenza (Flu) vaccination** for everyone in the community as follows:
Clinic for seniors will be held on Tuesday October 1st from 9:00 to 12:00 pm at the Senior Nutrition Center, 566 East Sycamore St. Willows, CA. If you have any questions please call Glenn County Health Department at 934-6588 or visit www.countyofglenn.net/govtdepartments/public_health

The Father-Son Program explores God's special gift of human sexuality and fertility as well as the goodness and wonder of his plan for growing up and becoming a man. It is designed for fathers* and their 12-15 year old sons. All content is pure, light-hearted and affirming. Cost is \$20 per family and includes snacks. To register online, contact a site coordinator, or to review program content, visit: www.scd.org/fatherson. For questions, please contact Janese Ramirez at (916) 733-0177 or jramirez@scd.org.

**2019 Maryknoll
Student Essay Contest**
Courageous Missionaries
Pope Francis challenges young people in his letter *Christ Alive*, Learn to swim against the tide, learn how to share Jesus and the faith he has given you."
1st Place Prize : \$1,000 per division
2nd Place Prize: \$300 per division
3rd Place Prize: \$150 per division
Assignment:
Write an essay explaining how and with whom you share the good news of God's love.
To obtain more information and to enter contest, please stop by the Parish Office, Monday-Friday (10am-5pm).



RCIA:
Our meetings are on Thursday at 6:00pm in the Parish Center. It is not too late to join us. The early weeks of the RCIA classes are a time of prayer, instruction and discernment to prepare for the reception of the sacraments at the Easter Vigil. If you know of anyone who might be interested in becoming Catholic please invite them to attend. If you have any questions please call Father Cormac at (530)934-3314 or Aileen Carriere at (530)934-4479.


On Sunday, October 6th bring your pets for blessing of the animals.



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**September-
October**

- **Sat.-Sun., September 28-29th:** Priest retirement second collection.
- **Sun., October 6th:** YLI breakfast, maintenance second collection, and blessing of the animals.
- **Thurs., October 10th:** Knight of Columbus meeting.
- **Wed., October 16th:** YLI meeting.
- **Sat.-Sun., October 19-20th:** CFF second collection.

Thank you for your generosity and your contribution to Saint Monica Parish!

**September 22, 2019
Weekend Mass Offerings:
\$2,905.00**