

HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH

SERVED BY THE CONGREGATION OF HOLY CROSS

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"WITH THE LORD THERE IS MERCY AND FULLNESS OF REDEMPTION" https://holyredeemerpdxchurch.org APRIL 4, 2021

Mass & Confession Times

SUNDAY MASSES

8:00am Sunday (English)

10:00am Sunday (English) (Live on Facebook)

12:00pm Sunday (Spanish) (Live on Facebook)

2:00pm Sunday (Spanish)

DAILY MASSES

9:00am Monday and Wednesday

CONFESSIONS

Call to make appointment 503-285-4539

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

4:30-7:30pm Thursday

Sacramental Life

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Please contact a priest eight months in advance.

BAPTISM

Please contact Fr. Michael, Ext. 510.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

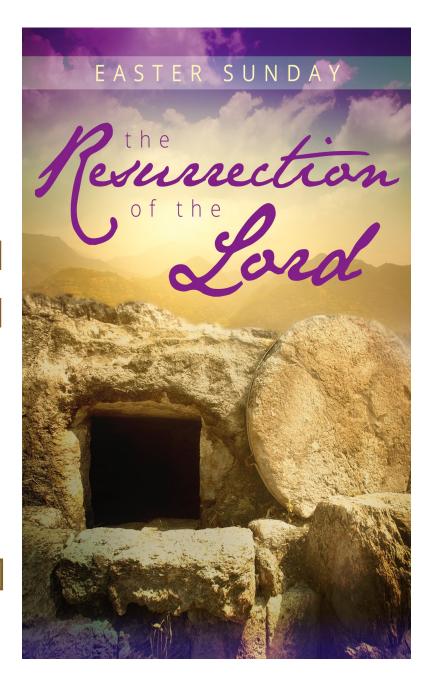
Please contact Teresa Markgraf, Ext. 502.

FIRST COMMUNION and CONFIRMATION

Please contact Meaghen Igloria, Ext. 512.

Rectory Office Hours

Monday—Friday 8:00am-3:00pm Please be aware the Parish office will be **CLOSED** on Easter Monday.



Masses for the Week

SANCTUARY LIGHT: Safranski Family

MONDAY, APRIL 5

9:00am Kwak Yee Tse †

TUESDAY, APRIL 6

Kwai Chun Mak †

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7

9:00am Fr. Peter Tsang †

THURSDAY, APRIL 8

Souls in Purgatory

FRIDAY, APRIL 9

Rosella McKay

SATURDAY, APRIL 10

Enzo Hadid

SUNDAY, APRIL 11

8:00am Kevin McCombs †

10:00am Jan Zimmer

Noon HR Parishioners

2:00pm Rosaura Santana

This Week's Readings

Monday, Acts 2: 14, 22-33 April 5 Matthew 28: 8-15

Tuesday, Acts 2: 36-41 April 6 John 20: 11-18

Wednesday, Acts 3: 1-10 April 7 Luke 24: 13-35

Thursday, Acts 3: 11-16 April 8 Luke 24: 13-35

Friday, Acts 4: 1-12 April 9 John 21: 1-14

Saturday, Acts 4: 13-21 April 10 Mark 16: 9-15



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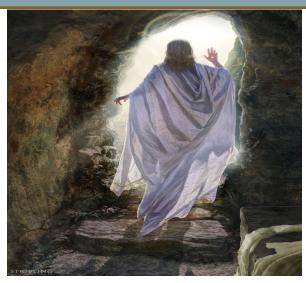
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Church News and Outreach & Social Justice



HAPPY EASTER!



We prayed, fasted and gave alms— and now we rejoice because Christ is risen! Our Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl challenges us as we begin the Easter

season to share the joy of having a loving God that is alive and accompanies us always. Let's do the same by being present to our global family by caring for their material and spiritual needs. Remember to turn in your Rice Bowl at the Church or Rectory by April 11th or donate online at crsricebowl.org.



HOLY REDEEMER SVDP CONFERENCE

For the week ending 3/10/2021, we've served 19 families with \$2,935 in food/rent/utilities. Holy Redeemer church/school donated 629 lbs. of food and

volunteers offered 43 hours of time. Thank you for your ongoing love and sacrifices.



CAMP HOWARD SUMMER 2021

Join us for Summer Day Camp and Family Camp at Camp Howard this summer. Make friends, explore the outdoors, enjoy traditional camp activities like archery, arts & crafts,

pedal carts, swimming, fishing, and more. Visit www.cyocamphoward.org to register.

OPEN HOUSE DATES: Saturday, May 22nd, 2pm to 5pm & Sunday, June 27th, 2pm to 5pm

Camp Howard is hiring Summer Staff. Email Peggy English, Camp Director, for an application: peggye@cyocamphoward.org. Camp Howard is working closely with Oregon Health Authority to maintain effective protocols.

Pastor's Message



Dear Friends:

Happy Easter, one and all!

When I think back to my memories of Easter Sunday as a boy, I remember getting up super early to find my Easter

basket cleverly hidden somewhere in the house. We then dressed in our Sunday best for Mass and my mother and sisters always had special corsages to wear. Then my mother would put on a spectacular meal at which some elderly family friends who lived alone usually joined us. I was certainly aware that the day wasn't about the Easter bunny, but about Christ's resurrection from the dead, though it wasn't something you really discussed or that I fully understood.

These past few months I've been reading a book called The Resurrection of the Son of God by N.T. Wright, an Anglican Bishop and scripture scholar. It was a short 738 pages long! It took me months to read over breakfast but it was very well worth it. He writes that "History matters because human beings matter; human beings matter because creation matters; creation matters because the creator matters. And the creator, according to some of the most ancient Jewish beliefs, grieved so much over creation gone wrong, over humankind in rebellion. over thorns and thistles and dust and death, that he planned from the beginning the way by which he would rescue his world, his creation, his history, from its tragic corruption and decay; the way, therefore, by which he would rescue his image-bearing creatures, the muddled and rebellious human beings."

He is speaking, of course about the resurrection of Jesus, which is not to be understood as some bizarre miracle, but as the beginning of the new creation. It all happened in the real world, in space, time, and matter. This radical act of God has deep implications for Christian engagement in the world. As N.T. Wright puts it, "And, however dangerous this may turn out to be, it is the real world in and for which Christians are committed to living and, where necessary, dying. Nothing less is demanded by the God of creation, the God of justice, the God revealed in and as the crucified and risen Jesus of Nazareth."

May God help us, his image-bearing creatures, to understand and live out this core mystery of our faith. The resurrection has deep implications for how we Christians are to live in a world so mired in oppression, injustice, and poverty. That is why we continually pray, "Thy kingdom come." And why we proclaim, with the disciples on that first Easter morn, that Christ is truly risen!

Yours in Christ, Fr. Pat