

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"

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JULY 25, 2021

Mass & Confession Times

SUNDAY MASSES

5:00pm Saturday Vigil 8:00am Sunday (English) 10:00am Sunday (English) Noon Sunday (Spanish)

DAILY MASSES

7:15am Monday—Friday 8:00am Saturday

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:30-4:30pm or by appointment

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

THE TRAVELING CRIB'S LAST DAY AT HOLY REDEEMER IS SUNDAY, AUGUST FIRST.

The Traveling Crib is a program of Catholic Charities Pregnancy Support program. The crib travels to different parishes to collect donations for unwed mothers. Please place your baby items in the crib. Cash donations are also accepted. Please feel free to use the self-addressed envelopes by the crib. Cash donations are used to purchase diapers, pack-n-plays and car seats. Questions, call Catholic Charities at 503-238-5196.

NEW ONLY

Baby bottles & formula (Similac, no soy)

Baby wash

Baby shampoo

Baby Iotions

Diaper cream

Baby towels & wash clothes

Baby wipes

Pacifiers

Breast pump

Diapers—all sizes

URGENT NEEDS

Diapers, sizes newborn, 2 & 3

Baby hygiene items Newborn clothes Pack-n-plays



NEW OR USED

Clothing—preemie, newborn, 0-3 months

Baby front packs

Maternity clothes

Baby tubs

Strollers

Pack-n-plays

"Gift bags" to hold layettes



CANNOT ACCEPT

Potty chairs

Cloth diapers

Used sheets

Bumper pads

Car seats

Diaper pails

Bottles & nipples

Teething rings

Masses for the Week

SANCTUARY LIGHT: HR Parishioners

MONDAY, JULY 26

7:15am Geraldine Jacobs

TUESDAY, JULY 27

7:15am Fatima & Cecilia Garcia

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28

7:15am Mickie Dismore

THURSDAY, JULY 29

7:15am Fatima & Cecilia Garcia

FRIDAY, JULY 30

7:15am Erin Vukojevic †

SATURDAY, JULY 31

8:00am Maria de Jesus Saavedra Ramos

5:00pm Patricia Grimaldi †

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1

8:00am HR Parishioners

10:00am Marcela & Eufronio Sr. †

Noon Jose Luis Reynel †

This Week's Readings

Sunday, 2 Kings 4: 42-44 July 25 Ephesians 4: 1-6

John 6: 1-15

Monday, Exodus 32: 15-24, 30-34

July 26 Matthew 13: 31-35

Tuesday, Exodus 33: 7-11; 34: 5b-9, 28

July 27 Matthew 13: 36-43

Wednesday, Exodus 34: 29-35 July 28 Matthew 13: 44-46

Thursday, Exodus 40: 16-21, 34-38

July 29 John 11: 19-27

Friday, Leviticus 23: 1, 4-11, 15-16, 27,

July 30 34b-37

Matthew 13: 54-58

Saturday, Leviticus 25: 1, 8-17 July 31 Matthew 14: 1-12

Sunday, Exodus 16: 2-4, 12-15 August 1 Ephesians 4: 17, 20-24

John 6: 24-35



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Church News, Outreach and Social Justice

HOLY REDEEMER SVDP CONFERENCE



The FOOD ROOM needs a volunteer/team of two for the Fourth Monday each month at noon to PICK UP FOOD, 40 cases, from St. Andrew's. This task takes

about 1 hour. If you have a pickup truck or a van and are interested in helping email Carol Chislett at svdp@holyredeemerpdx.org or 503-880-2780. Thank you!

SVDP Annual Golf Tournament

Join the St. Vincent de Paul Portland Council on Friday, August 20, for the 27th Annual Jim Altenhofen Memorial Golf Tournament at Glendoveer Golf Course! Registration fee is \$110 per person (\$440 for a team of four) includes 18 holes of golf, golf cart rental, food and prizes. "Shotgun start" at 12:30pm. All proceeds benefit SVDP's Emergency Services program which provides food, rent, and utility relief to those in need. For more information, contact Brian Ferschweiler at 503-234-5287 or brian.f@svdpportland.org.

FOR THE WEEK ENDING: 7/15/21, we've served 116 families with \$4,075 in food/rent/ utilities. Holy Redeemer Church/School donated 384lbs. of food and volunteers offered 47 hours of time. Thank you for your ongoing sacrifices and love.

EMERGENCY FOOD ASSISTANCE

Our SVDP Food Room is open Wednesdays and Saturdays 2:30-4:30pm. Anyone in need of emergency food is encouraged to visit; all requests are treated confidentially. Another resource is Oregonfoodfinder.org.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: empty dozen egg boxes, garden produce and jelly. You can bring these to the rectory or to the Food Room during Wednesday & Saturday hours.







Pastor's Message



Dear Friends:

Offensive Graffiti on front doors of HR church

I am sure that by now most of you are aware that our church doors were hit with some offensive graffiti a few weeks ago.

One door displayed a condemnation of colonizers and their gods and another simply stated, "Land Back." Of course, we have no idea who carried out this act. The police, after studying the graffiti, labelled it as a hate crime. Thankfully there was no damage done to the church or to our stained glass windows. We don't have anything like CCTV security cameras, and even if we did, such people are savvy enough to make sure that nothing caught on camera will give away their identity.

While my first reaction was one of anger, part of me wondered about the people who carried this out. Surely they see themselves fighting a just cause against oppressors who need to be exposed. The Church does not enjoy widespread popularity and clearly for them falls under the category of institutions not to be trusted. Deep down, those who spray painted our doors are probably not particularly happy or peaceful people within. I thought of Christ's mandate, however, to bless those who curse you and pray for those who mistreat you. So I invite you to pray with me for those who left these messages on our church doors. Whether they want it or not, divine grace will be headed their way!

One of the unexpected graces of this event was the group of volunteers who came to the church to remove the spray paint. They did a super job and I'm so grateful to them. The parishioner who organized this little clean-up crew, after I thanked her and the rest of the volunteers for their help, sent me the following message: "Happy to help! HR feels like an extension of our home; couldn't stand to see it like that."

Arrival of Cameron Cortens, CSC

Deacon-to-be Cameron Cortens has arrived at Holy Redeemer and is settling in at the rectory. He will be with us for a brief time before he heads back to Notre Dame to prepare for his celebration of Final Vows and Ordination to the Diaconate the weekend of August 28-29. I will be present for that celebration and very much look forward to it. We are blessed to have him with us!

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Pat