

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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JUNE 20, 2021

PRIESTLY ORDINATIONS

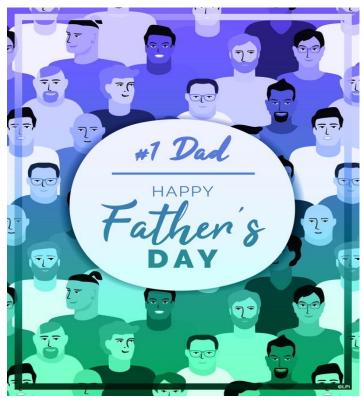
Ordinations are archdiocesan celebrations and all the faithful are encouraged to participate and add their prayers of thanksgiving to God for this year's new priests. Join us in praying for Deacon Anthony Galati, son of George Galati, who'll be ordained to the priesthood on June 26 at 10:00am on www.facebook.com/archdpdx.

YOUR STORY BEGINS HERE!

Welcome Alexander Roth to our Holy Redeemer family!

WE JOYFULY ANNOUNCE THE BAPTISM OF:

Giselle Ceja-Villafuerte (Alejandro Ceja-Rodriguez and Estefany Villafuerte-Reynel). May Holy Redeemer Parish be an example in faith for her as we live as followers of Jesus Christ.



PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION NEXT WEEK

We are called to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis with the funds to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society from war, oppression and disasters. Please be generous. Visit www.peptersvence.va/en.html for more information.

Mass & Confession Times

SUNDAY MASSES

8:00am Sunday (English)

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

12:00pm Sunday (Spanish)

2:00pm Sunday (Spanish)

DAILY MASSES

7:15am Monday—Friday

8:00am Saturday

5:00pm Saturday

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

Masses for the Week

SANCTUARY LIGHT: HR Parishioners

MONDAY, JUNE 21

7:15am Pat Fellers

TUESDAY, JUNE 22

7:15am Kevin Gilroy †

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23

7:15am Whitney Rivald †

THURSDAY, JUNE 24

7:15am Fr. John Dougherty

FRIDAY, JUNE 25

7:15am Madaline Pitkin †

SATURDAY, JUNE 26

8:00am Marie Noonan

5:00pm Jo Duke

SUNDAY, JUNE 27

8:00am Ada Gene Folz

10:00am Bob Hicks †

Noon HR Parishioners

2:00pm Robert Kashangaki †

This Week's Readings

Sunday, Job 38: 1, 8-11

June 20 2 Corinthians 5: 14-17

Mark 4: 35-41

Monday, Genesis 12: 1-9 June 21 Matthew 22: 34-40

Tuesday, Genesis 13: 2,5-18 June 22 Matthew 7: 6,12-14

Wednesday, Genesis 15: 1-12,17-18
June 23 Matthew 7: 15-20

Thursday, Isaiah 49: 1-6 June 24 Luke 1: 57-66.80

Friday, Genesis 17: 1,9-10,15-22

June 25 Matthew 8: 1-4

Saturday, Genesis 18: 1-15 June 26 Matthew 8: 5-17

Sunday, Wisdom 1: 13-15;2:23-24 June 27 2 Corinthians 8: 7,9,13-15

Mark 5: 21-43

HOLY REDEEMER PARISH

Fiscal Year July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021

 Offertory
 Actual
 Budget
 % of Goal

 April
 \$40,880
 \$43,750
 93%

 Year-to-Date
 \$375,856
 \$437,500
 86%

Annual Budget \$525,000

Pastoral Team

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Church News, Outreach and Social Justice

HOLY REDEEMER PANDEMIC CHANGES

Due to the latest CDC Pandemic Guidelines and those of the Archdiocese:

- All are welcome to come and celebrate the Eucharist! There are more pews open for seating at all Mass times.
- Anyone fully vaccinated will no longer be required to wear a mask.
- To maintain social distancing the side pews have been designated for anyone not vaccinated. Anyone not vaccinated please continue to wear a mask.
- If some family members are not vaccinated, all members can sit in the side pews.
- Once we no longer need to sanitize the pews, we will reinstate our 3:30pm Saturday time for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Until then, please continue to contact Fr. Pat and Fr. Michael to schedule a time to meet with one of them.

Thanks again for your patience and your willingness to adapt as we make our way through this pandemic.

HOLY REDEEMER SVDP CONFERENCE



The FOOD ROOM needs 40 cases of food picked up from St. Andrew on the Fourth Monday of each month at noon.

This task takes about 1 hour. If you are interested in helping email Carol Chislett at svdp@holyredeemerpdx.org or 503-880-2780. Thank you!

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. You can bring these to the rectory or to the Food Room during Wednesday & Saturday hours.

For the week ending 6/2/2021, we've served 15 families with \$1.725 in food/rent/ utilities. Holy Redeemer Church/School donated 80lbs. of food and volunteers offered 34 hours of time. Thank you for your ongoing love and sacrifices.

Pastor's Message

Dear good people of Holy Redeemer,

People are funny. When I greet people on December 25, "Merry Christmas!" people say, "Same to you, Father." When I wish people "Happy Easter!" they respond, "Same to you Father." And, believe it or not, even on Mother's Day, when I say "Happy Mother's Day!" some people reply, "Same to you Father." Funny, right? So, today, as our nations honors all Dads this weekend, let me thank you in advance for your Father's Day greeting: "Same to you Father."

As priests, we sometimes talk among ourselves how strange it is to be called "Father." One time, a woman asked me, knowing that I was Roman Catholic priest, if I had any children. And I responded, "Yes, I have a lot of children. Too many to count!" And even though I don't change diapers or go to Little League games or worry about teen-agers who just got their Oregon DMV Learner's permits, the reality is that, as an ordained minister with the title, "Father," I understand that I am meant to serve everyone as a father, helping people to find their way, spending time to be with those who are in need, offering counsel and advice, offering the graces of the Sacraments, helping other in prayer, speaking the truth of the Gospel, even when it is difficult. In all things, to help others to experience the living presence of Christ in our lives as well as how much God, the Father of Jesus, loves every person.

In South Bend, a few years ago, I had a meeting at City Hall, with the mayor, Pete Buttegieg, whose father had died recently. In fact, Pete's father was one of my professors in college. At the end of the meeting, as I left his office, Mayor Pete needed to get my attention and he called out "Father!" I can't tell you what it felt like to have this accomplished young man address me in this way. I felt honored.

Among priests, it's even more curious we find, to have people other than ourselves call us "Father". Again, the reality for us Catholics is that no matter the age of the priest or those who call upon him, he is meant to serve others in such a way that they know the goodness of God as Father and realize they are God's cherished children.

So, let's thank the Lord for our dads. And, just so you know, next Sunday at the 8am Mass, a new Father will be visiting us- Tony Galati, who was ordained by Archbishop Sample on June 26th. Father Tony will serve at Holy Trinity in Beaverton but he will preside at the 8am Sunday Mass in thanksgiving at Holy Redeemer. He and his extended family have been part of Holy Redeemer for many years. If you can come, come to that Mass and give God thanks for all the gifts that God has given us, including a new priest.

Yours in Christ, Father Michael