

HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH SERVED BY THE CONGREGATION OF HOLY CROSS

25 NORTH ROSA PARKS WAY, PORTLAND, OR 97217-2028

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"WITH THE LORD THERE IS MERCY AND FULLNESS OF REDEMPTION"

https://holyredeemerpdxchurch.org JUNE 4, 2023



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

4:30-7:30m Thursday

Sacramental Life

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact Fr. Cameron or Fr. Michael

BAPTISM

Please contact Fr. Michael, Ext. 510.

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

Please contact Rectory Office.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Please contact Teresa Markgraf, Ext. 502.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Please contact a priest eight months in advance.

Rectory Office Hours

Monday—Friday 8:00am-3:00pm

Parish Calendar

SUNDAY, JUNE 4, THE MOST HOLY TRINIITY

10:00 am Spanish First Communion Class, Clare Hall11:00 am Communion Economy Discussion Brunch,

Rectory Basement

1:30-3:00 pm Spanish First Communion rehearsal, Church2:00-5:00 pm Sr. Maureen's Retirement Party, Cantwell Hall

MONDAY, JUNE 5

5:30 pm Stepping Into Serenity Al Anon Meeting,

Guadalupe Room

TUESDAY, JUNE 6

5:30 PM CASE Training, School Media Room

6:30 pm Spanish Mass Choir & Organ Practice, Church

7:00 pm Hispanic AA Meeting, Guadalupe Room

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7

7:00 pm Charismatic Group Choir Practice, Church

7:00 pm Infant Baptism Preparation, Rectory

Conference Room

THURSDAY, JUNE 8

7:00 pm Hispanic AA Meeting, Guadalupe Room

10am Choir & Organ Practice, Rectory office &

7:30 pm Church

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

6:30 PM Spanish Baptism Preparation Class, Clare Hall

7:00 pm Charismatic Group, Church

SATURDAY, JUNE 10

9:00 am Spanish Bible Study Group, Clare Hall
 1:00-6:00 pm Quinceanera Group Class, Clare Hall
 7:00 pm Spanish First Communion Group, Clare Hall

SUNDAY, JUNE 11,

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

10:00 am Spanish First Communion Class, Clare Hall

11:15 am RCIA Session, Rectory Basement

Mass Intentions for the Week

SANCTUARY LIGHT: HR Parishioners'

MONDAY, JUNE 5

7:15am Arnoldo Hernandez †

by Carmen Salvador

TUESDAY, JUNE 6 7:15am Iris Carty †

by Kelly Carty

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7

7:15am Josy

by Carmen Salvador

8:20am Healing for Kwame Osei-Amaofo

by Folz Family

by

THURSDAY, JUNE 8

7:15am John Keller †

by Del Keller

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

(available)

by

SATURDAY, JUNE 10

8:00am (available)

by

5:00pm (available

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SUNDAY, JUNE 11

8:00am HR Parishioners 10:00am Darrel Simmons †

by Marc & Kathy Battilega

12:00pm Maria Guadalupe Lopez † and

Trinidad Cardiel †
by Rodolfo Cardiel

This Week's Readings

The Most Holy Trinity Sunday,

June 4 Exodus 34:4b-6,8-9

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

John 3:16-18

Monday, Tobit 1:3;2:1b-8 June 5 Mark 12:1-12

Tuesday, Tobit 2:9-14 June 6 Mark 12:13-17

Wednesday, Tobit 3:1-11a,16-17a

June 7 Mark 12:18-27

Thursday, Tobit 6:10-11;7:1bcde,9-17;

June 8 8:49-a

Mark 12:28-34

Friday, Tobit 11:5-17 June 9 Mark 12:35-37

Saturday, Tobit 12:1,5-15,20 June 10 Mark 12:38-44

Sunday, Deuteronomy 8:2-3,14b-16a

June 11 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

John 6:51-58



Pastoral Team

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Church News, Outreach and Social Justice

HOLY REDEEMER'S SVDP CONFERENCE

"Giving help and hope one person at a time." A truly Christian enterprise! Meetings take place in the rectory on the **second Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m**. For more information, please contact board president Gordon Oliver oliver.svdp@gmail.com.

Our conference at Holy Redeemer seeks to reflect this Vincentian spirit through our rent and utility assistance program as well as a food pantry, all staffed and funded entirely through volunteers. Our pantry receives food from the parish as well as partner agencies such as the Oregon Food Bank, Safeway, and Nite Hawk Cafe & Lounge. Learn more at www.svdppdx.org.

<u>FOOD PANTRY</u> Do you have enough food for yourself or your family? Our pantry is located behind the church, we are open Wednesdays and Saturdays from 2:30 to 4:00 pm. Other food resources include the SVDP website at www.svdppdx.org and foodfinder.oregonfoodbank.org. SVDP is an equal opportunity provider and all requests are treated confidentially.

<u>PANTRY DONATIONS:</u> FRESH VEGETABLES AND FRUITS, TEAS & COFFEE are needed, donate during our pantry hours on Wednesdays or Saturdays, or email Linda at <u>lgoofus54@gmail.com</u> to arrange a drop off time. Bring donations to the pantry during open hours, the rectory, or use the shopping cart at the entrance to the church. With your help we can offer items that are otherwise difficult to obtain. Thank you!

RENT & UTILITIES ASSISTANCE Need help paying for rent or utilities? SVDP Holy Redeemer offers up to \$750 in rent and \$400 in utility assistance per year to individuals or families living within our parish boundaries. To apply, call the **SVDP Emergency Services Hotline at 503-235-8431** or visit the website at www.svdppdx.org. Parish donors make this assistance possible. Thank you.



24/7 PREGNANCY HELP LINE 503-550-9310 WE ARE HERE FOR YOU

We understand the choices you are facing are not easy

Our advocates are comprised of social workers and counselors who will walk alongside you throughout your pregnancy...and beyond. You'll be matched with an advocate who is nonjudgmental, supportive and someone you can count on to help navigate the adoption process.

At Choice Adoptions we know that you want to be confident in your pregnancy and adoption decision. In order to do that, you need to feel supported.

If you are unexpectedly pregnant, you may feel like you don't know where to turn for answers.

We understand that this choice is not easy which is why we have been supporting women during their pregnancies for over 50 years.

Here is how it works:

Meet with one of our experienced expectant parent advocates to learn about your options

Navigate the decision making process with support

Come up with a plan. If it's an adoption plan, your advocate will walk alongside you every step of the way. You'll always be supported regardless of your decision.

So, get started by talking with one of our expectant parent advocates. You may also download our free PDF, 12 Things To Consider Before Making An Adoption Plan. Then you will feel confident in making an informed decision. www.choiceadoptions.org

Pregnancy Help: To help pregnant moms in our own community, please go to: https://www.ollparish.com/love-others/#Respect-Life click on "Pregnancy Services".

Growing in Faith



Every year, Holy Cross' Office of Vocations hosts the two-week Summer Seminary Immersion Program (SSIP) for rising high school junior and senior men at Moreau Seminary on the campus of the University of Notre Dame. Co-hosted by Notre Dame's Summer Scholars, the program includes a course on the priesthood, the consecrated life, and the Catholic tradition, as well as daily Mass, Liturgy of the Hours, Eucharistic Adoration, service work, fellowship, and much more. A college credit is offered through Notre Dame for this course.

Full scholarships are still available for this summer's program. Further details and an application may be found at the Notre Dame Pre-College web page: http://precollege.nd.edu/summer-seminary-immersion-program. We'll be accepting applications through the beginning of June this year, so don't wait to apply









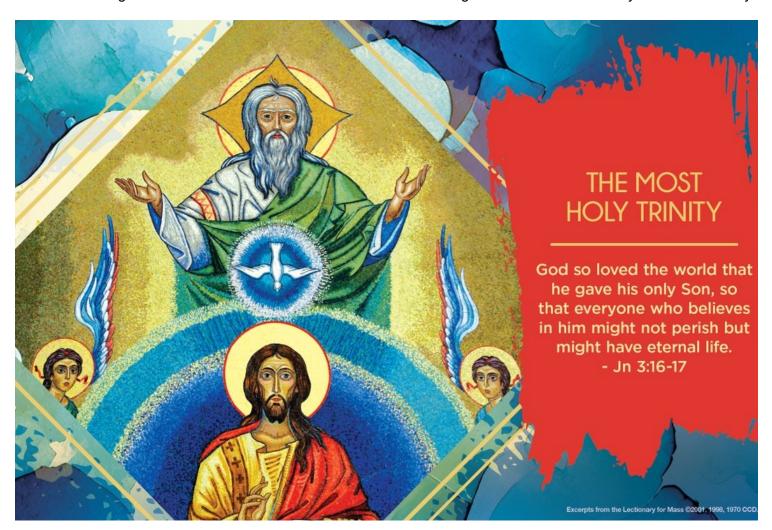






SHARE (SMALL SIZED) RELIGIOUS ARTCLES WITH CATHOLICS IN TANZANIA

Place extra religious articles in the basket in the back of church to go with Sisters of the Holy Cross when they



Fr. Michael's Message



Last Sunday, we marked the culmination of the 50-day Easter season as we celebrated the **Feast of Pentecost**. On Easter Sunday, we renewed our Baptismal promises at Mass and were sprinkled with the freshly consecrated baptismal water of the font. In a vivid, public way, we remembered our Baptism.

During these 50 days, we reflected on the beginnings of the Church. We heard in the Scripture readings at Mass how people came to know the Lord Jesus, risen from the dead, through the witness and preaching of the Apostles. We recalled how the newest Christians pooled their resources together to help feed the poor and supply for those in need. We heard how the role of Deacon came about, to serve food for widows and to serve at table.

During these 50 days, we have also rejoiced with the celebration of infant baptisms, First Eucharist and the preparation of those youth and adults for Confirmation. These are the Easter sacraments and mark our initiation into the Body of Christ, the Church, so that we might be the sign of God's love and the compassion of Jesus and the justice of the Spirit in our world.

With the 50 glorious days of Easter behind us, we look ahead. Together, as God's people, we look ahead to the Kingdom and our journey towards that heavenly reality. As we look ahead, there are two feasts that help us enter into the mystery of God's call to us both on this Sunday and next.

Next Sunday, we'll celebrate the mystery of Christ ever-present within the Church: the **Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ**. This feast reminds us of the Eucharist which is the Real Presence of Jesus Christ, in sacramental form. This is Corpus et Sanguis Christi, the Body and Blood of Christ, who is the food we need for our journey in this world. As we journey together towards the Kingdom as God's holy people, we are fed by the Lord, in the Word of Scripture and the Word made flesh, His Body and Blood.

One sign of the journey we take together will be mirrored in our Eucharistic procession following the noon Mass next Sunday. We publicly walk together with the Blessed Sacrament - our Corpus Christi procession - as a way to witness to our faith and invite others to know the goodness of God who is present in the Sacrament of the Altar.

This Sunday, we meditate upon the **Feast of the Most Holy Trinity**. We celebrate the mystery of God who is one, God who is revealed to us as Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We know that God who created all, whose Son redeemed all, and whose Spirit gives all new and abundant life. The central meaning of this feast is Love, not only God's love for us all and the world, but our God who exists in and is nothing less than a complete, intense relationship of love, bound together as one God, one "substance", one unified reality.

The mystery of the Trinity is the mystery of Life and Love into which we are immersed. Even as we enter the church, dip our hand into the holy water of the font, and bless ourselves with the waters of baptism, we make the Sign of the Cross and profess our belief in our God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

The three mysteries we celebrate in these three great feasts help us to know, love and serve God more fully. With this experience of God's love, we can also know, love and serve our neighbor.

Peace.

Fr. Michael