



# HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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JUNE 5, 2022

## 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

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact Frs. Cameron, Pat or 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

### PENTECOST SUNDAY, JUNE 5

10:00 am Spanish First Communion Class, Clare Hall  
2:00 pm Marriage Encounter Reunion, Clare Hall

### MONDAY, JUNE 6

5:30pm Community Solutions Alanon Meeting,  
Guadalupe Room

### TUESDAY, JUNE 7

6:00 pm Spanish Mass Choir Practice, Church  
7:00 pm Hispanic AA Meeting, Guadalupe Room

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

7:00 pm Spanish Pastoral Team Meeting,  
Rectory Living Room

### THURSDAY, JUNE 9

7:00 pm Hispanic AA Meeting, Guadalupe Room

### FRIDAY, JUNE 10

6:00 pm Charismatic Group, Church  
6:00 pm Spanish Baptism Class, Clare Hall

### SATURDAY, JUNE 11

9:00 am Spanish Bible Study & Prayer Group,  
Clare Hall

7:00 pm Spanish First Communion Parent Class,  
Clare Hall

### SUNDAY, JUNE 12

10:00 am Spanish First Communion Class, Clare Hall



**PENTECOST SUNDAY**  
[Jesus] breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." - Jn 20:22-23

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### SANCTUARY LIGHT: HR Parishioners

#### MONDAY, JUNE 6

7:15am Ruth Tse & family  
*by Sr. Terese Tsang*

#### TUESDAY, JUNE 7

7:15am Pat Cary & Gordon Oliver  
*by Nancy Holdorf*

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

7:15am John Keller †  
*by Del Keller*  
8:20am Graduating HR Parishioners  
(8th graders; HS; College)  
*by Folz Family*

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 9

7:15am Kic Tse & family  
*by Sr. Terese Tsang*

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 10

7:15am Joanne Jacobs  
*by Nancy Holdorf*

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 11

8:00am Lee & Tracy Eslinger  
*by Nancy Holdorf*

5:00pm HR Parishioners

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 12

8:00am Helen & Mamie McCarville †  
*by Tom & Teresa Markgraf*

10:00am McGowan Family  
*by Arlow Family*

Noon Luis Villafuerte †  
*by Genoveva Villafuerte*

## This Week's Readings

Pentecost Acts 2:1-11  
Sunday, 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7,12-13  
June 5 John 20:19-23

Monday, Genesis 3:9-15  
June 6 John 19:25-34

Tuesday, 1 Kings 17:7-16  
June 7 Matthew 5:13-16

Wednesday, 1 Kings 18:20-39  
June 8 Matthew 5:17-19

Thursday, 1 Kings 18: 41-46  
June 9 Matthew 5:20-26

Friday, 1 Kings 19:9a,11-16  
June 10 Matthew 5:27-32

Saturday, Acts 11:21b-26;13:1-3  
June 11 Matthew 5:33-37

Sunday, Proverbs 8:22-31  
June 12 Romans 5:1-5  
John 16:12-15

## 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." The Society of St. Vincent de Paul was founded by a small group of students in Paris in 1835 and now stretches across the globe. Its namesake and patron saint was a sixteenth century priest from Pouy, France who became known as the "Father of the Poor." The Society was unique for its time in that it was formed by lay Catholics, and it offered charity to foreigners as well as non-Catholics. A truly Christian enterprise! 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. Each conference is governed by a Board of Directors which includes a spiritual advisor and is overseen by the Portland District Council [www.svdppdx.org](http://www.svdppdx.org). Meetings take place in the Rectory on the second and fourth Tuesdays of every month at 6:30 PM and by Zoom. All parishioners are invited, and volunteers are encouraged to attend. (For the link, email [svdpsecretary@holyredeemerpx.org](mailto:svdpsecretary@holyredeemerpx.org)). For more information, please contact board president Gordon Oliver [oliver.svdp@gmail.com](mailto:oliver.svdp@gmail.com).

**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](http://www.svdppdx.org). Parish donors make this assistance possible. Thank you!

**FOOD PANTRY** Do you have enough food for yourself or your family? Our pantry offers fresh, frozen and canned food to those in need. 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](http://www.svdppdx.org) and [foodfinder.oregonfoodbank.org](http://foodfinder.oregonfoodbank.org). SVDP is an equal opportunity provider and all requests are treated confidentially.

**PANTRY NEEDS** **Granola Bars, Fruit Juices, Hot Cereals, Sugar and Jam.** 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!



### HOW TO HELP THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE

We have two Eastern Rite parishes in our midst who are contributing to the effort and would appreciate all help.

**Saint Irene Byzantine (Ruthenian) Catholic Church** [mybyzantinechurch.org/](http://mybyzantinechurch.org/)

**Nativity of the Mother of God Ukrainian Catholic Church** [nativityukr.org/](http://nativityukr.org/)

### EUCCHARISTIC PROCESSION

ON THE SOLEMNITY OF THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST – CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY–

AT HOLY REDEEMER CHURCH ON JUNE 19, AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE NOON MASS.



# Growing in Faith



## WE JOYFULLY ANNOUNCE THE BAPTISM OF:

**Anderson Robert Rey** (Jade Andre Tuason Rey & Cady Louise Rey).

May Holy Redeemer parishioners remember we are all sealed by the Holy Spirit in baptism and marked as Christ's own forever as we live as followers of Jesus Christ.



## SYNOD PRAYER FROM THE VATICAN

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we journey together as a "Church on the Way in this Synodal Process." Bless us with an openness to various voices and a fidelity to the One, Holy, Catholic, Apostolic Church. Help us to accept the challenge of ongoing conversion so as not to let sin lead to disorder, but rather teach us to accompany one another as we follow you on the synodal path. "The heart of the church's mission is prayer," and we make this prayer from our hearts so as to be drawn closer to you and to one another. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.



## CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Juan Gamino Lerma and Fabiola Barron who were married at Holy Redeemer Church on May 21, 2022. May the Lord bless them in their vocation and as they begin life together.




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- July 25 - July 29 Garden & Cooking
- August 1 - August 5 Camping
- August 8 - August 12 Water Fun!



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## Father Michael's Message

### Happy Pentecost Sunday! Happy 50th Day of Easter!

"Pentecost" is the Greek name for a festival known in the Old Testament as the Feast of Weeks (Leviticus 23:15; Deuteronomy 16:9). The Greek word means "fifty" and refers to the fifty days that have elapsed since the wave offering of grain of Passover. The Feast of Weeks celebrated the end of the grain harvest. Most interesting, however, is its use in Joel and Acts. Looking back to Joel's prophecy (Joel 2:28–32) and forward to the promise of the Holy Spirit in Christ's last words on earth before His ascension into heaven (Acts 1:8), Pentecost signals the beginning of the church age.

In the Bible, we read about Pentecost in Acts 2:1–3. Pentecost reminds us of the Last Supper where, in both, the disciples are together for what proves to be an important event. At the Last Supper, the disciples witness the end of the Messiah's earthly ministry as He asks them to remember Him after His death until He returns. At Pentecost, the disciples witness the birth of the church in the coming of the Holy Spirit to dwell in all who believe. So, the scene of the disciples in a room at Pentecost links the beginning of the Holy Spirit's work through the church with the conclusion of Christ's earthly ministry in the upper room before the crucifixion.

Fire and wind in the Pentecost account echo throughout the Bible. The sound of the wind at Pentecost was "rushing" and "mighty." Scriptural references to the power of wind (always understood to be under God's control) abound. Look at Exodus 10:13; Psalms 18:42 and Isaiah 11:15 in the Old Testament and Matthew 14:23–32 in the New Testament. More significant than "wind as power" is "wind as life" in Job 12:10 and as spirit in John 3:8. Just as the first Adam received the breath of physical life in Genesis 2:7 so the last Adam, Jesus, brings the breath of spiritual life.

Fire is often associated in the Old Testament with the presence of God (Exodus 3:2; 13:21–22; 24:17; Isaiah 10:17) and with holiness (Psalms 97:3; Malachi 3:2). Likewise, in the New Testament, fire is associated with the presence of God (Hebrews 12:29) and the purification God brings about in human life (Revelation 3:18). God's presence and holiness are implied in the Pentecostal tongues of fire. Indeed, fire is identified with Christ Himself (Revelation 1:14; 19:12); this association naturally underlies the Pentecost gift of the Holy Spirit, who would teach the disciples the things of Christ (John 16:14).

Another aspect of the Day of Pentecost is the miraculous speaking in foreign tongues which enabled people from various language groups to understand the message of the apostles. In addition is the bold and incisive preaching of Peter to a Jewish audience. The effect of the sermon was powerful, as listeners were "cut to the heart" (Acts 2:37) and instructed by Peter to "repent and be baptized" (Acts 2:38). The story ends with three thousand being added to the fellowship where the breaking of bread and prayers, apostolic signs and wonders, and a community existed to give God glory. Alleluia!

Peace,  
Fr. Michael

