



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>

OCTOBER 29, 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

4:30-7:30pm Thursday

Sacramental Life

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact Fr. Paul 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, OCTOBER 29

11:00 am Living Communion Meeting, Rectory Basement
2:00 pm Spanish Baptisms, Church
5:00-7:30 pm Prayer & Recreation for All Saints & All Souls Days, **Confirmation Years 1 & 2**, Cantwell Hall & Gym

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30

5:30 pm Stepping Into Serenity Al Anon Meeting, Guadalupe Room

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31

5:30 pm Spanish Mass Choir & Organ Practice, Church
6:30 pm Charismatic Group, Clare Hall
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Church Basement

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1 ALL SAINTS DAY

7:15am English All Saints Day Mass, Church
7:00 pm Bilingual All Saints Day Mass,, Church

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2

4:30-7:30pm Adoration, Church
6:30 pm Guitar Group Practice, Clare Hall
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Church Basement
7:30 pm 10 am Choir Practice, Church

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

6:00 pm Charismatic Group, Church

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

8:00 am Spanish Bible Study Group, Clare Hall
7:00pm Spanish First Communion Parents Class, Clare Hall
7:00 pm El Cenacolo de Oracion, Spanish Men's Prayer Group, Guadalupe Room

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

10:00am First Communion Spanish Group, Clare Hall,
10:30am RICA Spanish Group, Guadalupe Room
11:00 am Living Communion Meeting, Rectory Basement
11:00am English First Communion Group, School Room 134
1:15pm Confirmation Year 1 Class, Clare Hall

Mass Intentions for the Week

SANCTUARY LIGHT: HR Parishioners

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30

7:15am **Jose Mondragon**
by His Family

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31

7:15am **Mrs. Sylvia Wu & Family**
by Sr. Terese Tsang

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

7:15am **People of Holy Redeemer**

8:20am **John Calcagno †**
by Rossana Calcagno

7:00pm **Hermelanda Torres †, Carlos † &
Benigono Blazquez †**
by Mary Blazquez

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2

7:15am **Peter Curtin †**
by Tom Cuirtin

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

7:15am **Lupe Alejandro**
by Ruben Alejandro

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

8:00am **Heidi & Kic Tse**
by Heidi Tse

5:00pm **Mariana Mari Valencia †**
by Antonio Martinez

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

8:00am **HR Parishioners**

10:00am **Thanksgiving for All Deacons**
by HR Parishioners

12:00pm **Jose Nieves Luna †**
by Elvira Alvez

This Week's Readings

Sunday,
October 29 Exodus 22:20-26
1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10
Matthew 22:34-40

Monday,
October 30 Romans 8:12-17
Luke 13:10-17

Tuesday,
October 31 Romans 8:18-25
Luke 13:18-21

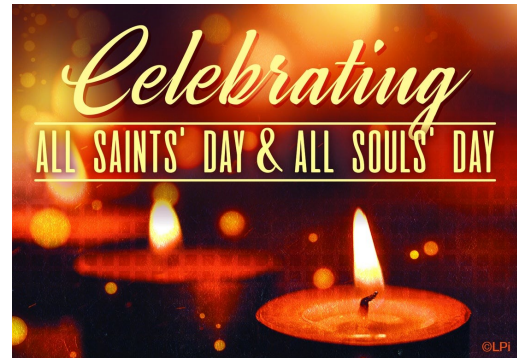
Wednesday,
November 1 Revelation 7:2-4,9-14
1 John 31:1-3
Matthew 5:1-12a

Thursday,
November 2 Wisdom 3:1-9
Romans 6:3-9
John 6:37-40

Friday,
November 3 Romans 9:1-5
Luke 14:1-6

Saturday
November 4 Romans 11:1-2a,11-12,25-29
Luke 14:1,7-11

Sunday,
November 5 Malachi 1:14b—2:2b,8-10
1 Thessalonians 2:7b-9,13
Matthew 23:1-12



FOOD PANTRY Our pantry is located behind the church, we are open **Wednesdays and Saturdays from 2:30 to 4:00 pm**. SVDP is an equal opportunity provider and all requests are treated confidentially.

PANTRY REQUESTS: Canned Tuna & Coffee. Deliver donations during pantry hours on or use the shopping cart at the entrance to the church, or the rectory office. Thank you!

RENT & UTILITIES ASSISTANCE Need help? 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.

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IN-PERSON OPEN HOUSE PRESCHOOL - 8TH

NOVEMBER 1ST, 2023 & JANUARY 17TH, 2024
4 - 7 PM

VISIT OUR WEBSITE TODAY!

HOSTED BY:

**Principal Deirdre McPheeters
& Early Childhood Director, Kim Zywicki**

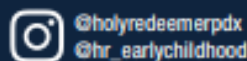
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VISITE LA ESCUELA PUERTAS ABIERTAS DESDE PRE-ESCOLAR HASTA OCTAVO GRADO

1 DE NOVIEMBRE 2023 Y 17 DE ENERO 2024
4 - 7 PM

¡VISITE NUESTRO SITIO WEB HOY!

POR:

La directora Dierdre McPheeters

y la directora de aprendizaje temprano Kim Zywicki

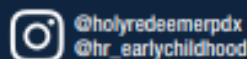
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¡Aprenda del año que entra!

Haga preguntas | Interprete español disponible | Botanas ligeras



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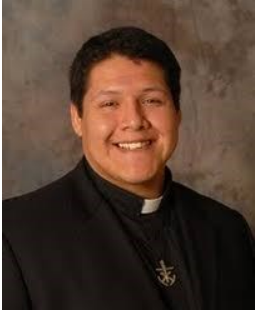


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Fr. Paul's Message



Dear Holy Redeemer,

Our first reading presents a rudimentary understanding of the law for the Jewish people. The heart of the first law/code was laid down for Israel while in the desert during the Exodus from Egypt, before the Israelites even reached the Holy Land.

Does our modern society equal them and the values they express? The principle is to help everyone who needs help, even foreigners, widows and orphans – just as God helped the Hebrews when they were slaves in Egypt. Men and women, made in the image of God, are God's representatives on earth, and must continue God's work of caring and healing. That's it, that's the mission of the Jewish people and all who follow God, it's our mission as well. Anyone in need must not be humiliated, but must be given full human dignity, allowed to stand tall before his or her neighbors. The creditor may not enter the debtor's house to hassle him, the worker must be paid on time to get his dinner, the homeless must get back his cloak for the night. The vulnerable are not to be exploited. Jesus said, "You must love your neighbor as yourself", but there too he is only quoting the Old Testament. Familiarity with Jesus' answer to the question about the greatest commandment blunts our awareness of its startling directness. A frequent answer to the question was, and is, the Golden Rule, existing in many cultures: "Do not do to another what you would not have done to you". This is basically a selfish answer, protecting my own interests. By contrast, Jesus' answer slams home, that we need to turn away from self to God. ("Love", not "obey" or "adore" or "fear" or "reverence"). Love is not the warmth of companionship or of sex, but is the willing generosity of a mother to a helpless young child or daughter to helpless old parent, or wife to alcoholic husband or husband to paralyzed wife; seeking no reward but the happiness of the receiver. See Paul's useful check-list in 1 Corinthians 13. The First Letter of John (4:20) gives a shorter check-list: "If anyone says, I love God," but hates this brother or sister, he is a liar; for whoever does not love a brother or sister whom he has seen cannot love God: whom he has not seen." The real interests of the recipient of love may not always be easy to find, but the spirit of giving is unmistakable.

At every Mass after the consecration, we remind ourselves that Christ will come again. We don't know what this "Second Coming" of Christ will be, but for Christians history has a purpose and a direction. We do know that each of us will face Christ for our individual judgement when we die. Faced with the stunning purity of the glory of God I know that I will be filled with longing and love, but I will also know that I am not fit to enter into the pure and overwhelming love of God. Only when that which is not love is purged away will I be fit to enter Christ's embrace.

Fr. Paul Ybarra, CSC

