



# 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://holyredeemerpxchurch.org>

SEPTEMBER 19, 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

## DISASTER RESPONSES

Please support the relief efforts in Haiti and for those affected in the aftermath of hurricanes Henri and Ida in the southeastern parts of the US. Those that would like to contribute can do so at these links:

<https://support.crs.org/donate/haiti-earthquake>

<https://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org/>

## Parish Calendar

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

**6:00pm** Hispanic Charismatic Group Classes, Clare Hall

**7:00pm** Hispanic AA Meeting, Clare Hall

**7:00pm** Hispanic Choir Practice, Church

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

**7:00pm** Hispanic Charismatic Group Choir Practice, Church

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

**7:00pm** Hispanic AA Meeting, Clare Hall

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

**6:00m** Hispanic Charismatic Group, Church

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

**10:00am** Hispanic First Communion Class, Clare Hall

**2:00pm** Hispanic Baptisms, Church

## Masses for the Week

### SANCTUARY LIGHT: HR PARISHIONERS MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

7:15am Robert & Leslee Lukosh  
*by Saint Vincent de Paul*

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

7:15am Frank and Mary Williamson  
*by Frances Crunchie*

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

7:15am Mary Clare Griffin †  
*by Teresa & Tom Markgraf*

8:20am Jim & Terry McKay  
*by Tom & Kathy Fromherz*

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

7:15am Helen Kramer †  
*by The Galati Family*

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

7:15am Horst Mager †  
*by Frances Crunchie*

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

8:00 Roxy Crunchie  
*by Frances Crunchie*

5:00pm Eugene Popina †  
*by Bob Sandstrom*

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

8:00am HR Parishioners

10:00am Harvey Kincaid †  
*by Fr. Pat Neary*

Noon Debbie MacKinnon †  
*by Kathy Battilega*

## This Week's Readings

Sunday, Wisdom 2: 12, 17-20  
September 19 James 3: 16—4:3  
Mark 9: 30-37

Monday, Ezekiel 1: 1-6  
September 20 Luke 8: 16-18

Tuesday, Ephesians 4: 1-7, 11-13  
September 21 Mark 9: 9-13

Wednesday, Ezra 9: 5-9  
September 22 Luke 9: 1-6

Thursday, Haggai 1: 1-8  
September 23 Luke 9: 7-9

Friday, Haggai 2: 1-9  
September 24 Luke 9: 18-22

Saturday, Zechariah 2: 5-9, 14-15a  
September 25 Luke 9: 43b-45

Sunday, Numbers 11: 25-29  
September 26 James 5: 1-6  
Mark 9: 38-43, 45, 47-48

### MASS INTENTIONS:

If you would like to offer a Mass intention for weekday or Sunday Mass, please stop by the rectory office.

## Pastoral Team

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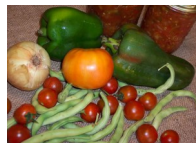
# Church News, Outreach and Social Justice



## HOLY REDEEMER'S SVDP CONFERENCE

**EMERGENCY FOOD ASSISTANCE:** Our SVDP Food Room is open Wednesdays and Saturdays 2:30-4:00pm. Anyone in need of emergency food is encouraged to visit; all requests are treated confidentially. Another resource is [Oregonfoodfinder.org](http://Oregonfoodfinder.org).

**FOOD PANTRY NEEDS:** Ground or instant coffee, sugar in 1 or 5 lb. bags, garden produce and jelly. You can bring these to the rectory or to the Food Room during Wednesday & Saturday hours. *Thank you for the many egg cartons donated!*



**RENT & UTILITY ASSISTANCE:** We are able to provide emergency rent and utility assistance-for those facing utility cutoff or eviction. Assistance is provided to registered parishioners and households within our parish boundaries (N. Ainsworth/ N. Killingsworth to the Columbia River and MLK to NE 22nd Ave.). We are able to provide this assistance due to the generosity of parishioners.

## NORTHWEST CATHOLIC COUNSELING CENTER SEPTEMBER WORKSHOP:

Virtual Workshop Addresses Childhood Mental Health Issues on Saturday, September 25 The virtual workshop (offered in English) runs from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM PT.

Children of any age, especially teenagers, face a multitude of challenges daily. For some, life leads to generalized anxiety, major depression, OCD or ADHD. This virtual workshop offers you tools to help your child while maintaining balance and stability. Child therapist Korina Jochim, LMFT, will offer you a support session. You will meet other parents in similar situation and learn what works. You will discover reactively easy fixes that will prevent things from getting worse.

The cost is \$30 per household. Hardship scholarships are available upon request. Pre-registration is required and fees must be paid at the time of registration. Call 503-253-0964 or visit [www.nwcounseling.org/services/workshops](http://www.nwcounseling.org/services/workshops) to register. An email with Zoom links and access will be sent to you the day of the workshop.

**THE SISTERS OF THE HOLY NAMES OF JESUS AND MARY** (SNJM), an international congregation of Catholic Sisters, in Lake Oswego, have positions available in Advancement, Health, & Facilities departments. Please apply at: [snjm.catsone.com/careers](http://snjm.catsone.com/careers).

## CATHOLIC SENTINEL AND EL CENINELA

Available inside the church side door and at the rectory office. Both are online at: [catholicsentinel.org](http://catholicsentinel.org) and [elcentinelacatolico.org](http://elcentinelacatolico.org)



## Growing in Faith

Welcome

**NEW PARISHIONER Andrew Pitts!** Our Holy Redeemer family is growing in 2021!



### THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE PROCESSIONAL CROSS

At the head of the liturgical procession at Mass is the Cross, a symbol of Christ in His death and His resurrection. Our Holy Redeemer leads us through this world on our pilgrim journey; Jesus Christ leads us into the heavenly kingdom. Such is the mystery of the Cross.

However, the processional cross shows us the way if we are willing to follow the Lord. We see the Cross; we hear His voice; we follow Him. In Psalm 100, we read: "We are His people, the sheep of His flock." The Lord leads us and cares for us as a shepherd who leads his flock through the dark, dangerous valleys and into safe, green pastures (Psalm 23).

Jesus invites us to follow him ... and so we do, in our Baptism. We die with Him and are raised to new life in Him. We place our trust in the Lord and His Cross because the Cross is our only hope. Held high for us to see at Mass, all the better that we can know the Way and, in faith, follow Him in life, in death, to the kingdom.



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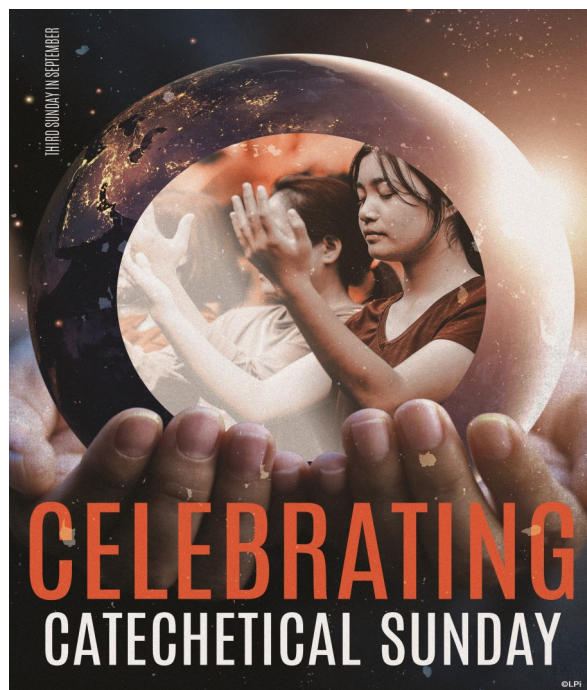
### EVENTS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE:

**Stand and Pray for Life at the Lilit Clinic\* (late-term abortion clinic):**  
511 SW 10th, Portland on Fridays: 10:00am -1:00pm and Saturdays: 10:00am to 1:00pm/

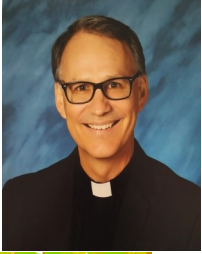
**September 18 National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children.** On this day, Americans throughout the country will weather at memorials of aborted children nationwide to mourn for our brothers and sisters lost to abortion.

**September 22 –October 31, 40 Days for Life Campaign:** Sign up at [40daysforLife.com/Portland](https://40daysforLife.com/Portland) or call Therese, 503-997-1884, for details.

**Oregon Right to Life Education Foundation's Benefit Dinner & Auction on September 25** at the Holiday Inn in Salem. For details go to [ortlefauction.org](https://ortlefauction.org).



## Pastor's Message



Dear Friends:

The patronal feast day of the Congregation of Holy Cross is Our Lady of Sorrows, which is celebrated on September 15, the day after the Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross. I find a great relevance between Mary under the title of Our Lady of Sorrows and the condition of so many women who suffer in our world today.

There are close to 83 million refugees at present and many of them are women with small children. They have lost everything and must struggle on a daily basis to feed, clothe, educate, and protect their families. So many of them have been traumatized and live with the scars that are not easily healed.

In our own country, homeless families comprise roughly 34% of the total U.S. homeless population. Among all homeless women, 60% have children under age 18 and 84% of families experiencing homelessness are female-headed.

Estimates published by WHO indicate that globally about 1 in 3 (30%) of women worldwide have been subjected to either physical and/or sexual violence by spouses or intimate partners in their lifetime.

Surely, the heart of Mary aches to see how many women bear such heavy sorrows, she who witnessed the crucifixion of her only son. I have to believe that she is close to all women who bear so much human suffering.

For our part, we can hold such women in our heart at prayer on a regular basis. In addition, we can find ways to assist women in challenging life situations who live not far from our parish. One such place is *Community of Hope* in North Portland, which exists to empower homeless single-parent families to cultivate hope, healing, and stability while living in a safe, supportive environment, and another is *Mother and Child* that assists pregnant women who are in any kind of crisis with needed resources.

May God guide us as a parish community to become true friends of women who have born more than their fair share of sorrow in this world.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Pat