

# HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH

SERVED BY THE CONGREGATION OF HOLY CROSS

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

503-285-4539 (RECTORY)

503-283-5197 (SCHOOL)

*“WITH THE LORD THERE IS MERCY AND FULLNESS OF REDEMPTION”*

SEPTEMBER 27, 2020

## Parish Calendar

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1

4:30pm-7:30pm Adoration, Church  
(no sign up lottery, just come)

### COVID19 CHANGE:

Until further notice only clergy will distribute the Eucharist at English Masses. No Precious Blood will be distributed until further notice.

### FACE MASKS

Face coverings need to cover both your mouth and nose when you come to Holy Redeemer for Mass or church meetings.

### CATHOLIC SENTINEL AND EL CENINELA

Are available inside the church at the door and at the rectory office (Monday – Friday 8:00am-2:00pm).

### HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

Please contact Fr. Michael to determine if we can bring Eucharist to their homes.

### FOR THOSE INTERESTED IN MASS ATTENDANCE

Currently, we are able to have up to 50 people at each Mass. For those interested in weekday or Sunday Mass please call the parish office at 503-285-4539 or register online at:

[churchholyredeemerpx.squarespace.com](http://churchholyredeemerpx.squarespace.com).

(If you have already registered, there's no need to register again.) We will let you know on if you have a spot at a Mass; You'll also receive instructions of the safety procedures for coming to Mass at Holy Redeemer. Thank you.

## Mass & Confession Times

### SUNDAY MASSES

8:00am Sunday (English)

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

12:00pm Sunday (Spanish) ( Live on Facebook)

2:00pm Sunday (Spanish)

### DAILY MASSES

9:00am Mondays and Wednesdays

### CONFESSIONS

Call 503-285-4530 to schedule an appointment

## Sacramental Life

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Please contact a priest eight months in advance.

### BAPTISM

Please contact Fr. Michael, Ext. 510.

### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Please contact Teresa Markgraf, Ext. 502.

### FIRST COMMUNION

Please contact Meaghen Igloria, Ext. 512.

### 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, SEPTEMBER 28**

**Florence Frank †**

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**

**Leonard Farrell †**

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30**

**9:00am Florence Frank †**

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1**

**Teresa Moore**

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2**

**9:00am Weisenbach Family**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3**

**Maria Gomez †**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4**

**8:00am Linus Francis Weisenbach †**

**10:00am Larry Calcagno †**

**Noon HR Parishioners**

**2:00pm Rosella McKay**

## This Week's Readings

Monday,  
September 28 Job 1: 16-22  
Luke 9: 46-50

Tuesday,  
September 29 Deuteronomy 7: 9-10, 13-14  
John 1: 47-51

Wednesday,  
September 30 Job 9: 1-12  
Luke 9: 57-62

Thursday,  
October 1 Job 19: 21-27  
Luke 10: 1-12

Friday,  
October 2 Job 38: 1, 12-21; 40: 3-5  
Matthew 18: 1-5, 10

Saturday,  
October 3 Job 42: 1-3, 5-6, 12-17  
Luke 10: 17-24

Sunday,  
October 4 Isaiah 5: 1-7  
Philippians 4: 6-9  
Matthew 21: 33-43

### UPCOMING BULLETIN DEADLINE!

Deadline for bulletin information is Friday at 10:00am for the following weekend's bulletin. Email info to: [parishsecretary@holyredeemerpx.org](mailto:parishsecretary@holyredeemerpx.org).

## Pastoral Team

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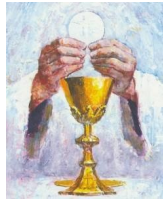
Mrs. Carie Weisenbach-Folz, Parish Secretary  
Ext. 501, [parishsecretary@holyredeemerpx.org](mailto:parishsecretary@holyredeemerpx.org)

Miss Fatima Garcia Salvador  
Saturday Receptionist

## Church News and Outreach & Social Justice

### PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY

Today, September 27th, is Priesthood Sunday. It is a special day set aside to honor priesthood in the United States. It is a special day to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church as a central one. It is also a day to thank our priests for their vocation and dedication to serving the children of God.



### HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC SCHOOL

The school is in need of disinfecting wipes for the youngest students in classrooms. If you would like to pick some up and drop off at the school office we thank you for your generosity!

### ADMINISTRATION ASSISTANT

Holy Redeemer School seeks a part-time, Administrative Assistant for our Annual Auction. The successful candidate will have a high school diploma or equivalent, excellent organizational and communication skills, 3 years' successful office management skills, knowledge of Microsoft Office products & similar document publication programs is a plus. Knowledge and commitment to the mission of the parish and the Catholic Church and School is required. Position is expected to require 10 hours per week. email resume and cover letter along with salary requirements to [employment@holyredeemerpdx.org](mailto:employment@holyredeemerpdx.org).



### THE MADONNA'S CENTER FOR LIFE

Provides support for parents who cannot afford the most essential items needed to take care of their children. Prenatal up to 5 years old. Call 503-653-1595, email [info@madonnascenter.org](mailto:info@madonnascenter.org).

### HOLY REDEEMER SVDP CONFERENCE

#### PANTRY NEEDS: CANNED MEALS, TOOTHBRUSHES & TOOTHPASTE:

Please check with your dentist for a donation to SVDP. Please drop them off in the parish office or church vestibule. *Thank you for your help.*



#### RENT & UTILITY ASSISTANCE

We currently are able to provide more emergency rent and utility assistance to persons who are facing utility cutoff or eviction, limited to once a year. Assistance is provided to persons/households within our parish boundaries (N. Alberta to the Columbia River and N. Denver to NE 26th Ave.) We are able to provide this assistance thanks to the generosity of parishioners, and recently with additional funds from a grant from the Oregon Community Foundation.

#### FOOD ROOM

Our SVDP Food Room is open Wednesdays and Saturdays 2:30-4:00pm. Anyone in need of emergency food is encouraged to visit us there for assistance; all requests are treated confidentially.

#### FARM TO FAMILY FOOD BOX

**FREE FOOD BOXES**

Anyone can pick up

WHILE SUPPLIES LAST



This program is USDA partnered with Pacific Coast Fruit & Archdiocese of Portland:

<https://evangelization.archdpdx.org/usda-food-box>

#### RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

The experience of an abortion can hurt so many people in so many ways. As we always pray for healing for all involved, another avenue for healing is an upcoming Rachel's Vineyard Retreat weekend in Portland: November 6-8, 2020 and February 12-14, 2021. For more information e-mail [ProjectAurora@aol.com](mailto:ProjectAurora@aol.com), call 541-942-2861, or visit [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org).

## Growing in Faith

### CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS OPEN HOUSES WELCOME YOU!

*Educating Minds ~ Nurturing Faith ~ Creating Leaders*

Most events will be virtual. Please check each school's website for details. Se habla español.



La Salle Catholic College Preparatory

lsprep.org

503-353-1413

**October 4th**



Jesuit High School

jesuitportland.org

503-291-5423

**October 11**



Central Catholic High School

centralcatholic.org

503-230-1056

**October 18**



De La Salle North Catholic High School

delasallenorth.org

503-285-9385 x 140

**October 24**



Valley Catholic High School

valleycatholic.org

503-520-4721

**October 25**



St. Mary's Academy

stmaryspdx.org

503-228-8306

**November 1**



The Archdiocese of Portland has established a Wildfire Relief Fund to help parishes and people impacted by the devastating wildfires in western Oregon. Collected funds will be distributed to parishes in need, especially those directly assisting people who have lost homes, been displaced and otherwise impacted by the fires.

Please make checks payable to Archdiocese of Portland and record Wildfire Relief Fund in Memo. All checks should be sent to: The Archdiocese of Portland, Wildfire Relief Fund, P.O. Box 15149 Portland, OR 97293.

If you have any questions, please contact Carmen Gaston, Director of Mission Advancement at [cgaston@archdpdx.org](mailto:cgaston@archdpdx.org) or [503-233-8332](tel:503-233-8332).

## Pastor's Message



Dear Friends:

Without a doubt the oldest institution in all of human history is marriage. It is the first institution that God established, before the existence of government or even the church. The well-being of both church and society depend on healthy marriages. Marriage is also the best means of assuring the well-being of children. The Catholic Church is not shy about referring to the family as a domestic church.

Married couples know better than anyone that marriage is hard work. My father told me once that being married is never a 50-50 proposition. It's 60-40, meaning that you have to go beyond the minimum to make your marriage work. It is not easy for two human beings to live together and then to raise the new human beings that arrive in their children.

Anyone who has been married would agree that what is most important is their shared faith in God. Marriage is a vocation and a call to holiness. Its purpose is to lead each other closer to God and eventually their children, too. As a Church, we put a lot of energy into preparing young couples for marriage but do very little to assist couples afterwards.

As Pastor, I want endorse any initiative that can help married couples deepen their lives of faith. One such program is called *Marriage in Christ*. We are blessed to have in our parish Jim and Gina Kadera who are trained in offering the five-week *Marriage in Christ Seminar*. *Marriage in Christ Seminar* offers practical suggestions for ways to keep Christ the ongoing center of your marriage, as well as ways to renew and deepen your love and friendship, which is the very fabric of marriage.

One MIC participant wrote, "I didn't have great expectations for the seminar. I was thinking, 'I don't need this.' If you were to ask me how I would have rated my marriage, I would probably have said that we were in the 80<sup>th</sup> percentile-I'm in marketing, so I round up! We came anyway, and week after week we did the homework. To my great surprise and joy, I found myself loving my wife in new, tangible ways. I have more love and affection for my wife than I did five weeks ago when we started."

Because of the Covid-19 pandemic, the in-person sessions have had to move on-line. For more information on how to register for the on-line five-week seminar, you can visit their website at [www.marriageinchrist.com](http://www.marriageinchrist.com) or contact parishioners Jim and Gina Kadera at (503) 438-5035.

The cost is \$10 per session but the first session is being offered for free. Thus, the total cost of the *MIC Seminar* is \$40. That's basically the cost of an extra-large carryout pizza with a side of cheesy bread! In other words, this is money well spent. I hope that you might consider participating.

May God bless all of our families at Holy Redeemer as we strive to grow in love and holiness of one another, starting at home!

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Pat