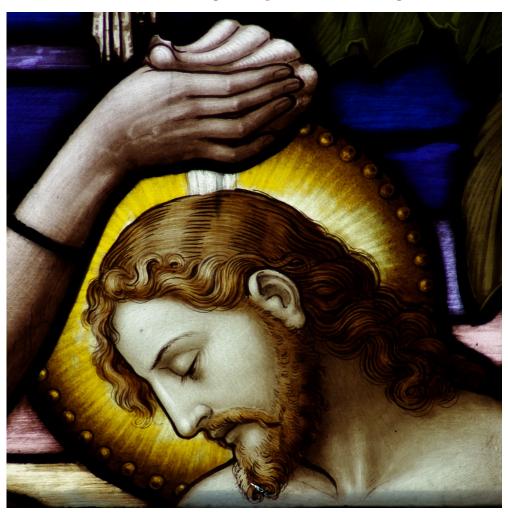
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January 13, 2019 THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



▼ MASS SCHEDULE ▼ SUNDAYS

8:00 AM ★ Latin Mass [1962 Missal] 10:30 AM ★ Sung Parish Mass MONDAY through SATURDAY posted weekly inside bulletin

➤ DIVINE OFFICE ➤ SUNDAYS

5:00 PM **S**ung Latin Vespers [1962 Antiphonale]

➤ SACRAMENTS ➤ CONFESSIONS

Saturdays, 9:45–10:45 AM **№ S**undays, 9:00–10:00 AM **W**ednesdays, 5:30–6:30 PM **№ T**hursday, 5:45–6:45 PM

MARRIAGE

Please contact the Pastor. Wedding dates will be set after beginning marriage preparation with the priest.

INFANT BAPTISM

Please contact the parish office or see one of the priests after Mass.

WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US

PARISH MINISTRIES

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Altar Server Coordinator coulter.mcintyre@gmail.com Wedding/Funeral Coordinator Jennifer Williams

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MASS READINGS

(Ordinary Form)

Monday: Heb 1:1-6 / Mk 1:14-20 Heb 2:5-12 / Mk 1:21-28 Tuesday: Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18 /1:29-39 Thursday: Heb 3:7-14 / Mk 1:40-45 Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11 / Mk 2:1-12 Heb 4:12-16 / Mk 2:1-12 Saturday:

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

9:00 am CCD in rectory classrooms Sunday Choir Rehearsal in choir loft 9:15 am

11:30 am Coffee & donuts in gym 7:00 pm Finance Council in rectory

conference room

10:00 am RCIA (Group 1) meet in church Thursday

7:00 pm RCIA (Group 2) meet in church

Sunday 9:00 am CCD in rectory classrooms

> 9:15 am Choir Rehearsal in choir loft 11:30 am Coffee & donuts in gym

2:00 pm Capella Romana Concert in church

OFFERTORY REPORT

January 6 Fiscal Year-to-Date*

Regular Collections \$6,923.19 (*Beginning July 1st)

Electronic Giving \$...720.00

Tuesday

Total \$7,643.19 \$138,684.08 **Budgeted** \$4,800.00 \$136,800.00 Budget +/-+\$2,843.19 +\$1,884.06

Thank you for your sacrificial offering.

ONLINE GIVING

Online Giving is on our website via the Donate tab. Or set up an account and give by means of text message at 503-966-9355. Also consider giving via Bill Pay. Thank you.

NEXT SUNDAY'S SECOND COLLECTION

Sunday, January 20th for St. Stephen's Maintenance & Restoration Fund (Monthly on 3rd Sunday). Thank you.

LITURGY AND WORSHIP SCHEDULE AND MASS INTENTIONS

Eucharistic Prayer I / Proper Preface for the Feast Sunday, January 13

The Baptism of the Lord

8:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal - The

Holy Family) (Urban Missionaries of the

Heart of Jesus)

9:00-10:00 am Confessions

10:30 am Sung Mass (People of the Parish)

Sung Latin Vespers (1962 Antiphonale -5:00 pm

The Holy Family)

Monday, January 14

Weekday

6:45 pm Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal - St.

Hilary, Bishop, Confessor, Doctor)

Tuesday, January 15

Weekday

7:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal - St. Paul,

the First Hermit) (Therese Ruesink)

Noon Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal - St. Paul,

the First Hermit) (Holly Denman)

Wednesday, January 16

Week.day

7:00 am Mass (+Joseph Binh Vu)

5:30-6:30 pm Confessions

6:45 pm Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal - St. Marcellas I,

Pope & Martyr) (Mrs. Joyce Sample)

Thursday, January 17

Saint Anthony, Abbot

7:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal - St. Anthony,

5:45-6:45 pm Confessions

Friday, January 18

Weekday (Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins)

Votive Mass for the Church (Steven Griffith) 7:00 am

Saturday, January 19

Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday

8:00 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

9:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal - Blessed Virgin

Mary on Saturday) (+Robert Simmons)

9:45-10:45 am Confessions

Sunday, January 13

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal - Second

Sunday after Epiphany) (People of the Parish)

9:00-10:00 am Confessions

10:30 am Sung Mass (Frank and Henry Wilkinson) 5:00 pm Sung Latin Vespers (1962 Antiphonale -

Second Sunday after Epiphany)

SAVE THE DATES: 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Opening Mass for 40 Days for Life, with Archbishop Sample at 6:00 pm on Friday, March 1st at St. Patrick's Church located at 1623 NW 19th Ave. Portland, 97209. 40 Days for Life Opening Prayer Vigil/Rally on Sunday, March 3rd at the Lovejoy Surgicenter at 3:00 pm.

FROM THE DESK OF FR. ERIC ANDERSEN

On the 25th of February in the year of Our Lord 1916, Pope Benedict XV issued an Apostolic Brief relating to the Chair of Unity Octave; aka., the Church Unity Octave (now referred to as the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity). His Holiness wrote:

"In every age it has been the concern of the Roman Pontiffs, Our Predecessors, and likewise it concerns Us very much, that Christians who have unfortunately withdrawn from the Catholic Faith should at length be recalled to it as to a forsaken Mother. For in the Unity of Faith the foremost characteristic of the Truth of the Church shines forth, and it is thus that the Apostle Paul exhorts the Ephesians to preserve the unity of the spirit in the bond of peace, by proclaiming that 'there is one Lord, one faith, one Baptism' [4:5].

...And so, in order that the prayers [elsewhere] mentioned may be offered to God everywhere and with abundant fruit of souls and thus the desired end may be more easily attained, We...mercifully grant and bestow in the Lord a plenary indulgence and remission of all their sins to each and all the Faithful of Christ of either sex in the whole world, who, from the 18th day of the month of January...until the 25th day of the same month, on which the Conversion of St. Paul is commemorated, shall recite every year once a day the prayers which are subjoined and on the last day of this Octave, truly penitent and confessed and refreshed with Holy Communion, shall visit any Church or public Oratory and there say these prayers to God for the concord of Christian Rulers, the extirpation of heresies, the conversion of sinners and for the exaltation of Our Mother the Church."

The original prayer is as follows:

Antiphon: (Jn. 17:21). That they all may be One as Thou, Father, in Me, and I in Thee: that they may also be One in Us, that the world may believe that Thou has sent Me.

V. I say to thee that thou art Peter.

R. And upon this rock I will build My Church.

Prayer: O Lord Jesus Christ, Who saidst unto Thine Apostles: Peace I leave with you, My peace I give unto you; regard not my sins but the faith of Thy Church; and vouchsafe to grant unto her that peace and unity which are agreeable to Thy Will; Who livest and reignest God, world without end. Amen."

The current legislation is as follows, according to the 1999 Manual of Indulgences:

Concession #11: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.

The Catholic Church takes especially to heart the prayer her Founder offered to the Father the day before he suffered, "That all may be one!", and therefore she strenuously encourages the faithful to pray without ceasing for the unity of Christians.

- §1. A plenary indulgence is granted to the faithful who participate in some of the services during the Week of Christian Unity and assist at the closing of this same week.
- §2. A partial indulgence is granted to the faithful who devoutly recite an appropriately approved prayer for the unity of Christians.

[A full set of prayers and daily intentions, as published by Pope Pius XII in 1956 for the Octave can be found at http://www.cantius.org/go/liturgy_devotions/devotional_life/church_unity_octave/]

COFFEE AND DONUTS IN GYM AFTER THE 10:30 MASS TODAY

(To contribute, please sign up in the narthex of the church.)

SUNG VESPERS: THIS SUNDAY EVENING

Join us **this Sunday at 5:00 pm** as we offer Vespers, the Church's ancient prayer for early evening, using the Latintexted Roman Breviary of 1962. Come and sing the psalms with us, or just listen and pray along with the words and melodies which have nourished the saints and praised God for millennia. We provide booklets with all the chants, texts, and side-by-side English translations.

MEMORIAL & MARCH



We can gather together at Pioneer Courthouse Square. When you arrive look for the St. Stephen's banner pictured below.

STANDING UP FOR THE MOST BASIC OF ALL HUMAN RIGHTS

Saint Stephen Catholic Church - Portland, Oregon

CAPPELLA ROMANA

Lost Treasures of Armenia - Sunday, January 20, 2019 at 2:00 PM - St. Stephen's Catholic Church

Haig Utidjian and Alexander Lingas explore the riches of Armenian sacred music, leading the men of Cappella Romana in forgotten chants not heard in half a millennium, plus rapturous choral arrangements by Komitas and Ekmalian. Tickets at https://cappellaromana.org/concert/lost-treasures-of-armenia/

<u>SAVE THE DATE:</u> <u>MEN'S HOLY LEAGUE NIGHT</u>

Wednesday, January 30th, 2019 Confessions begin at 5:30 pm.

SAVE THE DATE: ROSARY WALK #6

Saturday February 2nd at 11 am after Confessions. Come to Mass and Procession for Candlemas and stick around for the walking pilgrimage around the parish boundaries. 6.8 miles with stops along the way. Bring a sack lunch and some money for coffee and such at St. Honoré. No pets please.

INQUIRING ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

Adults and teens who would like to learn more about the Catholic faith are invited to join Fr. Andersen for a weekly class. Thursday, 10 am and 7 pm. Choose either class time. At the beginning of each class, we will meet in the church for a short ongoing lesson on Catholic prayer, church architecture, devotions, vestments, etc. followed by class in the rectory classroom.

Jan. 17th: The Public Life of Jesus - Part II

Jan. 24th: Philosophy Night:

Rolando Moreno "Romano Guardino on Man and the Technological Age"

Jan. 31st: The Passion, Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ

Feb. 6th: The Holy Spirit

REGINA CAELI ACADEMY 2019 Upcoming Admissions Events

Join our exciting mission to form the next generation of Catholics! Regina Caeli Academy provides a classical, hybrid education in the Catholic tradition. Pre K3-12th grade students attend Socratic, hands-on classes two days a week and homeschool on the remaining days. Mark your calendar for our upcoming events:

January Open House: Mon, Jan 21 at 10:30 am Event includes a tour, classroom observation, and Q&A; children welcome!

High School Information Session: Mon, Jan 21 at 12pm You CAN homeschool high school! Event includes a short presentation and Q&A; children welcome!

RSVP to raldrich.por@rcahybrid.org or call (971) 238-9249 2710 N.E. 65th Ave., Vancouver, WA 98661 (Located inside First Friends Church) www.rcahybrid.org

PILGRIMAGE TO SOUTHERN FRANCE with Fr. Eric Andersen / Sept 12-22, 2019

\$4,150 per person (ground and air from Portland); \$2,550 per person (ground only) Visit shrines at Lourdes, Avignon, Marseille, Nice, Monaco, more. We also visit the grotto of St. Mary Magdalene in St. Maximin-la-Sainte-Baume where saints, penitents, kings and popes have visited to be near the Magdalene. Tradition says that she lived here for 30 years, offering her life for the conversion of sinners. More information: see packets in the narthex of the church or contact Bret Thoman, St. Francis Pilgrimages: 404-418-6683 • bret@stfrancispilgrimages.com • www.stfrancispilgrimages.com

CHESTERTON ACADEMY

The Cultura Vitae Lecture Series with Dcn Harold Burke-Sivers is on **Tuesday, January 22nd** at FBYC in Mt. Angel at 7 PM. The CVLS is an effort of Chesterton Academy to educate and inspire the greater community and to build the culture of life. To that end, the series is dedicated to bringing scholars and accomplished individuals to speak on a variety of issues that directly affect the protection of the human person, the family, and the building up of the common good. The event is free. Here's the link to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/cultura-vitae-lecture-tickets-53556506954

PHILOSOPHY NIGHT

Thursday, January 24th with Rolando Moreno 7 pm in the Rectory Basement. Ages high school and up. This month, Rolando Moreno presents a talk based upon Romano Guardini's book, "Letters From Lake Como." "This book collects a fascinating series of letters written by theologian-philosopher Romano Guardini in the mid-1920s in which he works out for the first time his sense of the challenges of humanity in a culture increasingly dominated by the machine. With prophetic clarity and unsettling farsightedness, Guardini's letters poignantly capture the personal implications and social challenges of living in the technological age - concerns that have now come to fruition seventy years after they were first raised." Reading ahead is recommended but not necessary. The book is available at https://www.amazon.com/Letters- Lake-Como-Explorations-Ressourcement/dp/0802801080. Confessions in the church from 5:45-6:45 pm beforehand.

PREPARATION FOR CONSECRETION TO JESUS THROUGH MARY

We begin Wednesday, February 20th during the 6:45 pm Mass

The whole parish is encouraged to participate in preparing for this consecration by means of the 33 Day Preparation for Consecration to Jesus through Mary. The individual consecrations can be done on Sunday, March 24th, and/or Monday, March 25th, for the Feast of the Annunciation at a Sung Latin Mass at 7:00 pm.

We will have two weekly session times held at St. Stephen's for the Preparation for the Consecration. All materials will be provided free of charge. The daytime session will be on Tuesdays at 10:30am (before the noon Mass) beginning February 26th. The evening session will be on Wednesdays during and after the 6:45pm Mass, beginning February 20th.

Parishioners and families who would like to participate in their homes please contact Joseph Salazar in the Parish Office so that we can go over the weekly format.

For more information call the Parish Office or email him at jsalazar@archdpdx.org.

