

Saint Stephen Catholic Church

Portland, Oregon

Sunday, May 7th, 2023



The Apparition of St. Michael the Archangel on Mount Gargano, Italy

Dominica IV post Pascha
Fourth Sunday after Easter

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

- Sat 5/6: Intention of the Immaculate Heart of Mary
- Sun 5/7: Ciela Rose
People of the Parish
+John O'Connor
- Mon 5/8: Lomboy Pulanco
- Tues 5/9: Quinn Rose
- Wed 5/10: Randy Hude
- Thu 5/11: +Nicholas Eamon
- Fri 5/12: +Mary Heon
- Sat 5/13: The LaBerge Family
+Michael Schneider
- Sun 5/14: +Fr. Paschal Cheline, OSB
People of the Parish
+David Cartier

MASS READINGS (Traditional Latin Mass - 1962 Missal)

Saturday: Ecclesiasticus 24:14-16; John 19:25-27

Sunday: James 1:17-21; John 16:5-14

Monday: James 1:17-21; John 16:5-14

Tuesday: Ecclesiasticus 39:6-14; Matthew 5:13-19

Wednesday: Ecclesiasticus 44:16-27, 45:3-20; Matthew 25:14-23

Thursday: Wisdom 5:1-5; John 14:1-13

Friday: Wisdom 5:1-5; John 4:46-53

Saturday: Wisdom 7:7-14; Matthew 5:13-19

Sunday: James 1:22-27; John 16:23-30

ALTAR BOY ENROLLMENT AND TRAINING

Contact Stephen or Dylan at: asofsscc@gmail.com

This week's schedule:

Saturday, May 6th: St. John Before the Latin Gate (4th Class)

- 7:30 am: Adoration with Sung Latin Lauds
- 9 am: Low Latin Mass
- 10 - 11 am: Confessions
- 1 pm: Nuptial Mass (Safranski/Lyons Wedding)
- 5 pm: No English Mass and No Vespers due to Wedding Event

Sunday, May 7th: Fourth Sunday After Easter (2nd Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (Church opens at 7 am)
- 9:15 - 10:15 am: Confessions
- 10:30 am: Sung Latin Mass
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 6 pm: Low Latin Mass

Monday, May 8th: Apparition of St. Michael the Archangel (4th Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass

Tuesday, May 9th: St. Gregory Nazianzen, Bishop and Doctor (3rd Class)

- 12 Noon: Low Latin Mass
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers

Wednesday, May 10th: St. Antoninus, Bishop and Confessor (3rd Class)

- 5 pm: Adoration and Sung Latin Vespers
- 5:40 - 6:20 pm: Confessions
- 6 pm: Public Rosary
- 6:30 pm: Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
- 6:45 pm: Low Latin Mass

Thursday, May 11th: Sts. Philip and James, Apostles (2nd Class)

- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 5:40 - 6:30 pm: Confessions
- 6:45 pm: Low Latin Mass

Friday, May 12th: Sts. Nereus, Achilleus, Domitilla (V) & Pancras, Martyrs (3rd Cl)

- 11 am: Confessions **ABSTINENCE**
- 12 Noon: Low Latin Mass
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers

Saturday, May 13th: St. Robert Bellarmine (3rd Class) Comm. BVM of Fatima

- 7:30 am: Adoration with Sung Latin Lauds
- 9 am: Low Latin Mass
- 10 - 11 am: Confessions
- 5 pm: English Mass (6th Sunday of Easter)
- 6 pm: Sung Latin Vespers (5th Sunday After Easter)

Sunday, May 14th: Fifth Sunday After Easter (2nd Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (Church opens at 7 am)
- 9:15 - 10:15 am: Confessions
- 10:30 am: Sung Latin Mass
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 6 pm: Low Latin Mass

LESSONS AT MATINS (Traditional Roman Breviary - 1962)

Find online at <http://divinumofficium.com> or as an app (Breviarium meum)

Saturday: Revelation 22:1-21; Treatise of St. Augustine on the Creed

Sunday: James 1:1-16; Homily of St. Augustine on John

Monday: James 1:17-27

Tuesday: James 2:1-13;

Eulogy of St. Gregory Nazianzus, Bishop, Conf., and Doctor

Wednesday: James 2:14-26; Eulogy of St. Antoninus, Bishop and Conf.

Thursday: James 3:1-10; Eulogies of Sts. Philip and James, Apostles;

Homily of St. Augustine on John

Friday: James 4:1-15; Eulogy of Sts. Nereus, Achilleus,

Domitilla the Widow, and Pancras, Martyrs

Saturday: James 5:1-16;

Eulogy of St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop, Conf., and Doctor

Sunday: 1 Peter 1:1-21; Homily of St. Augustine on John

OFFERTORY COLLECTION (*this week and month to date*)

Offertory

+/- budget

- Envelopes/Cash: \$2,716.00

- Online: \$2,395.00

Total WTD: \$5,111.00

Budget: \$5,900.00

-\$789.00

Total MTD: \$5,111.00

Budget: \$5,900.00

-\$789.00

Special Collections

- Maint/Restoration: \$640.00

- Air Conditioning Fund: \$910.00

- Rectory/Office Repair Fund: \$1,150.00

- Landscape/Security Fund: \$30.00

Total Maint/Rest: \$2,730.00

Budget: \$2,083.00

+\$647.00

- Sacred Music: \$735.00

Budget: \$260.00

+\$475.00

- Festival/Conference: \$40.00

- School Building Fund: \$270.00

Online giving: <https://www.saintstephenpdx.com/special-events>

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

5/7 Archbishop's Catholic Appeal

5/21 School Building Repairs - flooring, windows, etc.

ARCHBISHOP'S CATHOLIC APPEAL 2023

Having a servant's heart means sharing God's gifts with our neighbors. Join us with your servant's heart when you make a monthly recurring gift to the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal at

JesusChangesEverything.church, or call (503) 233-8336.

Second collection will be taken up at the parish on **May 7th**.

NEWS & EVENTS AT ST. STEPHEN

BAPTISMS:

5/23 Zenhya Riemer 4 pm

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:

6/11: 2nd Grade CCD Class 10:30 am

WEDDINGS:

5/6 Safranski/Lyons Wedding. 1 pm

CANDIDACY FOR HOLY ORDERS:

6/18 Coulter McIntyre 10:30 am

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA - ROSARY WALK PILGRIMAGE

Saturday, **May 13th**. 6.8 mile pilgrimage/walk around the parish boundaries. Bring a sack lunch/snacks/water. No pets. Meet in the piazza at 11:15 am. Departure at 11:30. Return at approx. 4 pm.

LESSER LITANIES/ROGATION DAYS - MAY 15-17th

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday May 15-17th: The three days prior to Ascension Thursday are a Triduum of their own preparing for the departure of the Lord. On these days, penitential litanies are prayed in procession with the Crucifix lifted high in the air, followed by Rogation Masses. Each day begins with Sung Vespers at 5 pm. The procession follows Vespers at approximately 5:30. Mass follows at approximately 6:15 or 6:30 pm. There will be no Confessions on Wednesday.

ASCENSION THURSDAY - MAY 18TH

- 5 pm Sung Latin Vespers
- 5:30 pm Confessions
- 7 pm Missa Cantata

HOLY LEAGUE/HOLY HEART EVENING BBQ

Wednesday, **May 24th**, after the 6:45 pm Mass. Men and Ladies are invited to an evening mini-retreat and BBQ, to celebrate Ascensiontide together. 5 pm Adoration & Vespers. 5:40 pm Confessions. 6 pm Rosary. 6:30 pm Benediction. 6:45 pm Mass followed by social and BBQ.

NINE TUESDAYS OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

Beginning Tuesday, April 18th and concluding on the Feast of St. Anthony, Tuesday, June 13th. Many favors have been obtained by those who have made this Novena. Novena videos on the parish YouTube channel may be found under the playlist for the Nine Tuesdays of St. Anthony. Here are the rules:

- 1) Recite for nine consecutive Tuesdays the prayer or prayers you find most appropriate (these will be provided in the church and on the website)
- 2) Endeavor to imitate his virtues.
- 3) Receive within the period of the Novena, if possible, the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist.
- 4) Promise alms for St. Anthony's Bread for the poor, if you have the means.

RCIA AT ST. STEPHEN

Those interested in becoming Catholic or taking the steps to learn more about the Catholic Faith can email jsalazar@archdpdx.org

SUBSCRIBE TO THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANNEL

Saint Stephen Catholic Church PDX.

<https://www.youtube.com/@saintstephenpdx>

KITCHEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are in need of teams to help prepare lunch items before the 10:30 am Mass and a kitchen team to help serve, clean up and do dishes after lunch. Contact Nick El Hajj in the kitchen.

COULTER MCINTYRE CANDIDACY MASS - JUNE 18TH

A word from Seminarian Coulter McIntyre:

"I would like to invite you all to a special Mass with Archbishop Sample here at St. Stephen's, on Sunday, June 18 at 10:30 am, where I will be received as a candidate for Holy Orders. In the rite of Candidacy, I formally declare my intention to Archbishop Sample and the faithful of the archdiocese to be ordained as a priest. Generally, candidacy isn't received until shortly before ordination to the diaconate. Most seminarians are admitted to candidacy while at their respective seminaries. However, the major seminary where I am being sent (the Pontifical North American College in Rome) requires that I receive candidacy before I arrive there in July. Since I was given the option, I of course requested to celebrate this important step in my formation with you all at my home parish. I would love to see you all there and ask for your continued prayers.

NEWS & EVENTS ELSEWHERE

OREGON RIGHT TO LIFE

There are three bills in Oregon of which Catholics should be aware.

-House Bill 2002: Removes age limits on minors receiving abortions, sterilizations or "gender-affirming" care and prohibits any information from being shared with a child's parents unless the child provides explicit, written permission.

-House Bill 2279: Removes the Oregon residency requirement for physician-assisted suicide, endangering vulnerable people outside of Oregon.

ANNUAL WALK FOR LIFE IN SALEM - MAY 13th, 10 AM – NOON

Bring the family to this walk of about two miles round trip, happening rain or shine. We start at Blanchet Catholic High School, walk to Planned Parenthood on Wolverine and back. Water will be available.

MONTHLY PRO-LIFE PRAYER IN OUTER SE PORTLAND

May 13 @ 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

All are welcome to pray the Rosary every second Saturday of the month outside the Planned Parenthood building in outer SE Portland.

AN EVENING REFLECTION ON OUR LADY OF FATIMA, MAY 13

The event will be at the Madonna Center of St. Henry (346 NW First Street, Gresham) from 6:30-8:30 pm. It begins the Rosary at 6:30, a Marian Litany, a presentation by Fr. DePuyt, followed by a wine and cheese reception. For more information call 503-405-6096.

UPCOMING RETREATS AT OUR LADY OF PEACE RETREAT Both retreats are preached by Fr. Peter Prusakiewicz, CSMA, who comes to us from Poland where he served as chaplain to the Congregation of Our Lady of Mercy at the convent in Warsaw where St. Faustina lived. For more information or to register, call the Beaverton retreat house at 503-649-7127 or email sisters@olpretreat.org.

EARLY SUMMER DAY RETREAT. Friday, **June 9**, 8:30 am - 3 pm. Theme: "The Spirituality of St. Faustina and the Mystery of the Holy Angels". Retreat Fee: \$40, includes lunch.

EIGHT-DAY SILENT RETREAT FOR WOMEN. **June 9 - 17.** Theme: "The Healing Power of Divine Mercy and St. Michael the Archangel" Full retreat - \$600. Partial stays available also. The retreat begins with dinner on Fri. June 9, and ends after breakfast on Sat., June 17.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Live your married lives more abundantly by participating in a Marriage Encounter Experience on **June 23-25** In Salem, Oregon or August 25-27 in Beaverton, Oregon. To apply or search other dates go to rediscoverthespark.org. For information call 503-704-0836 or by email at reservations@rediscoverthespark.org

QUO VADIS DAYS: JUNE 26-29, 2023

Quo Vadis Days is a 4-day camp for young Catholic men 13 – 18 to learn more about the priesthood, to deepen their faith, and to better discern God's call in their lives. It is held at the Father Bernard Youth Center, 980 S Main St, Mt Angel, OR 97362. Contact the Office of Vocations for more information: 503-233-8368, vocations@archdpdx.org

CATHOLIC HOMESCHOOL RESOURCE CENTER

Aquinas Classical equips families to successfully home educate their children using a classical pedagogy. They provide mentorship to parents, as well as offer classes and activities for students. Families with children of all ages meet 2-4 times per week for 30 weeks throughout the school year. View the 2023-24 course offerings at Aquinas-Classical-Ed.com

HEALING AFTER ABORTION

If you are suffering after abortion, experience a Rachel's Vineyard healing weekend sponsored by Project Aurora.

Call www.project-aurora.org or contact Lori at 541-350-7859, Info@project-aurora.org.