

# SAINT STEPHEN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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January 5, 2020

***HOLY NAME OF JESUS***  
***EPIPHANY 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 ✠ Sung Latin Vespers

[1962 Antiphonale]

## ✠ SACRAMENTS ✠

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays, 10:00-11:00 AM ✠ Sundays, 9:00-10:00 AM

Wednesdays, 5:30-6:30 PM ✠ Thursday, 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

<b>Pastor</b>	Rev. Eric Andersen eandersen@archdpdx.org
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## MASS READINGS (Extraordinary Form)

Sunday:	Acts 4:8-12; Luke 2:21
Monday:	Acts 4:8-12; Luke 2:21
Tuesday:	Acts 4:8-12; Luke 2:21
Wednesday:	Acts 4:8-12; Luke 2:21
Thursday:	Acts 4:8-12; Luke 2:21
Friday:	Acts 4:8-12; Luke 2:21
Saturday:	Titus 3:4-7; Luke 2:15-20
Sunday:	Col. 3:12-17; Luke 2:42-52

## LESSONS AT MATINS (Extraordinary Form)

Readings/Homilies can be found online each day for the office of Matins at: <http://divinumofficium.com> also available as an app (Breviarium meum)

Sunday:	Acts 3:1-16; 4:5-12; Sermon of St. Bernard; Homily of St. Bernard on Luke 2:21
Monday:	Isa. 55:1-4; 60:1-6; 61:10-11; 62:1; Sermon of St. Leo; Homily of St. Gregory - Matt. 21:1-12
Tuesday:	Rom. 9:1-16
Wednesday:	Rom. 12:1-16
Thursday:	Rom. 13:1-10
Friday:	Rom. 14:1-13
Saturday:	Rom. 15:1-16
Sunday:	Col. 3:12-25; 4:1-2; Apostolic Letter of Pope Leo XIII; Homily of St. Bernard- Luke 2:42-52

## ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Sunday	9:00 am CCD in rectory basement
	9:00 am Coffee & donuts in Carmody Hall
	9:15 am Choir Rehearsal in rectory basement
	Noon Coffee & Donuts in Carmody Hall
Tuesday	7:00 pm RCIA evening class
Friday	11:30 am RCIA daytime class
Sunday	9:00 am CCD in rectory basement
	9:00 am Coffee & donuts in Carmody Hall
	9:15 am Choir Rehearsal in rectory basement
	Noon Coffee & Donuts in Carmody Hall

## THANK YOU TO PARISHIONERS

Fr. Andersen would like to thank all the parishioners who were so generous with baked goods, provisions of all sorts, and remembrances over Christmas.  
Your kindness is heartfelt and much appreciated.

## LITURGY AND WORSHIP SCHEDULE AND MASS INTENTIONS

### **Sunday, January 5**

#### ***Holy Name of Jesus***

8:00 am	Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal) (People of the Parish)
9:00-10:00 am	Confessions
	<b><i>Epiphany of the Lord (USA - Ordinary Form)</i></b>
10:30 am	Sung Mass with <b>Blessing of Chalk</b> (+Donald Weyker)
5:00 pm	Sung Latin Vespers (1962 Antiphonale)

### **Monday, January 6**

#### ***The Solemnity of the Epiphany***

7:00 am	Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal) (Craig Harris)
7:00 pm	<b>Sung Latin Mass (1962 Missal)</b> (Shawn Natola)

*[Blessing of Chalk for Epiphany House Blessing at both Masses]  
[Blessing of Gold, Frankincense and Myrrh at both Masses for those who bring it]*

### **Tuesday, January 7**

#### *Feria of Epiphany*

Noon	Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal) (+Stefan Polansky)
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### **Wednesday, January 8**

#### *Feria of Epiphany*

6:45 pm	Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal) (Priestly Fraternity of St. Joseph)
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### **Thursday, January 9**

#### *Feria of Epiphany*

7:00 am	Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal) (+Fernando Dela Rama)
5:30-6:45 pm	Confessions

### **Friday, January 10**

#### *Feria of Epiphany*

7:00 am	Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal) (St. Joseph for +Raymond & Thomas Thygesen)
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### **Saturday, January 11**

#### *Saturday of Our Lady w/ comm. of St. Hyginus, Pope & Martyr*

8:00 am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
9:00 am	Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal) (+Ramond Martinez, Sr.)
10:00-11:00 am	Confessions

### **Sunday, January 12**

#### ***The Holy Family***

8:00 am	Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal) (Mr. & Mrs. Daily)
9:00-10:00 am	Confessions
	<b><i>Baptism of the Lord (Ordinary Form)</i></b>
10:30 am	Sung Mass (People of the Parish)
5:00 pm	Sung Latin Vespers (1962 Antiphonale)

## **FROM THE DESK OF FR ERIC ANDERSEN**

### **“The Holy Name of Jesus”**

Today, the Sunday after the Octave of Christmas, in the Traditional Roman Calendar, is the Feast of the Holy Name of Jesus. This is an extension of the Feast of the Circumcision of the Lord, historically celebrated on January 1st. Today, we focus on the Name of Jesus itself. An episode in the childhood of St. Edmund (who would later become Archbishop of Canterbury), is related in the following story “of a certain devout English boy, named Edmund...that being one day in the country with other children, as he was fond of prayer and solitude, he separated himself from them, and walked alone in a meadow, entertaining himself in devout aspirations and affections toward Jesus Christ. Behold, a beautiful Infant appeared to him, and saluted him with, ‘God bless you, My dear Edmund!’ And then he asked him whether he knew who he was? Edmund answered that he did not. ‘What dost thou mean by not knowing me?’ replied the heavenly Infant, ‘when I am always at your side. If, then, thou desirest to know me, look at my forehead.’ Edmund looked and read on his forehead these words: ‘Jesus of Nazareth, the King of the Jews.’ The Child then added, ‘This is my name; and I desire that in remembrance of the love that I bear thee, thou shouldst every night sign thy forehead with this name, and it shall deliver thee from sudden death; as it will also deliver everyone who shall do the same.’ Edmund ever after signed himself with the name of Jesus. On one occasion the devil seized his hands, in order to prevent him from doing so; but he conquered him by prayer, and then constrained him to tell him what was the weapon which he most feared; the devil replied that it was those words with which he signed his forehead.”

Not only is the Holy Name of Jesus a means of protection, but it is also a remedy. “St. Bernard says: ‘This name Jesus is a medicine. Nothing else so inhibits outbursts of anger, calms the tumor of pride, heals the wound of envy, restrains the welling up of unchaste desire, extinguishes the flame of lust, allays thirst, soothes the itch of greed and of every sort of vice.’” (Voragine, The Golden Legend, Vol. I., p. 73).

Richard of St. Victor writes: “Jesus is a sweet name, a name of delight, a name that comforts the sinner, a name of blessed hope. Therefore, Jesus, be to me Jesus! It is also a name of great power, as Peter of Ravenna says: ‘You shall call his name Jesus, i.e., the name that gave sight to the blind, hearing to the deaf, walking to the lame, speech to the mute, life to the dead; and the power of this name drove all the might of the devil from the bodies of the possessed’” (p. 73).

We should certainly use the Name of Jesus in the most reverential way. The longstanding practice is to always bow the head at the Name of Jesus. In so doing, one may make reparation for the misuse of His Holy Name by oneself and by others. The Church proposes the Divine Praises to be prayed in reparation for blasphemies against the Holy Name of Jesus, the Holy Trinity, and also of Mary, St. Joseph, and all the angels and saints:

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## **COFFEE AND DONUTS IN CARMODY HALL AFTER THE 8:00 & 10:30 AM MASSES TODAY**

### **VESPERS: EVERY SUNDAY AT 5:00 PM**

We celebrate traditional Sung Latin Vespers **every Sunday** at 5:00 pm here at St. Stephen’s, using the ancient Gregorian chants in singing antiphons, psalms, hymns, and the Magnificat. Please join us to pray along as our men’s schola carries out this sacred office. Vesperale books are available with Latin and English side/side to follow along.

### **RCIA CLASSES**

This week the topic will be "The Nature and the Marks of the True Church." **The evening class will meet on Tuesday at 7:00 pm. The daytime class is on Fridays at 11:30 am.** The classes are held in the rectory basement. For more information contact Joseph Salazar in the parish

### **ALTAR BOY SCHEDULING**

Parents should be receiving an email each week with the altar server schedule which is an online document. Please check the schedule to make sure your son can serve on his assigned dates. Also, keep in mind that we can usually use more servers, so it is always good for the boys to check in at the sacristy and ask if they are needed even when they are not on the schedule. Be sure they wear black dress shoes and socks to Mass. Also, we are in need of boys to serve at Sunday Vespers.

### **REGISTERED PARISHIONERS: OFFERTORY ENVELOPES**

If you have been using offertory envelopes, the 2020 offertory envelopes are here and ready for pick-up in the Church sacristy with your name and address. If you would like to have or use offertory envelopes and do not have one yet, please call Sr. Anne-Therese or email the parish office at [sainstephenpdx@gmail.com](mailto:sainstephenpdx@gmail.com) / 503-234-5019. Thank you.

### **“The Holy Name of Jesus,” continued**

Blessed be God.

Blessed be His Holy Name.

Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.

Blessed be the Name of Jesus.

Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart.

Blessed be His Most Precious Blood.

Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.

Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.

Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most Holy.

Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate Conception.

Blessed be her Glorious Assumption.

Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.

Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.

Blessed be God in His Angels and in His Saints. Amen.

### LADIES HOLY HEART MINI RETREAT

**Wednesday, January 22nd.** The US Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. 5:30 pm Confessions; 6:45 pm Mass and Retreat Talk; 8 pm Potluck Meal and Social. Sign up for the potluck at meal train: <https://mealtrain.com/1gzym6>

### PHILOSOPHY NIGHT:

#### BL. JOHN DUNS SCOTUS ON GOD

**Thursday, January 23rd, 2020.** This month, Fr. Eric Andersen will discuss the philosophical writings of Bl. John Duns Scotus' TREATISE ON GOD AS FIRST PRINCIPLE. Scotus writes: "O Lord our God, true teacher that you are, when Moses your servant asked you for your name that he might proclaim it to the children of Israel, you, knowing what the mind of mortals could grasp of you, replied: "I am who am," thus disclosing your blessed name. You are truly what it means to be, you are the whole of what it means to exist. This, if it be possible for me, I should like to know by way of demonstration. Help me then, O Lord, as I investigate how much our natural reason can learn about that true being which you are if we begin with the being which you have predicated of yourself" (God as First Principle ¶1.2). Ages high school and up. Adoration and Confessions in the church beginning at 5:30 pm. Philosophy Night in the Rectory Basement 7-8:30 pm. Snacks provided.

### MEN'S HOLY LEAGUE

**Wednesday, January 29th.** The Feast of St. Francis de Sales. The Holy League encourages Consecration to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and the Purest Heart of St. Joseph. It promotes the Precepts and Sacraments of the Church, devotion to the Blessed Sacrament and praying the Rosary. It creates a unified front, made up of members of the Church Militant for spiritual combat.

5:30 pm Confessions  
6:45 pm Low Latin Mass - Feast of St. Francis de Sales  
7:20 pm Adoration, Sermon and Benediction  
8:00 pm Fraternal Meal and Social

### OFFERTORY REPORT

	December 29 & January 1	Fiscal Year-to-Date*
<b>Regular Collections</b>	\$8,660.79	(*Beginning July 1st)
<b>Electronic Giving</b>	\$...655.00	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$9,315.79</b>	<b>\$140,252.67</b>
<b>Budgeted</b>	\$4,800.00	\$124,800.00
<b>Budget +/-</b>	<b>+\$4,515.79</b>	<b>+\$15,452.67</b>

*Thank you for your sacrificial offering!*

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](tel:503-966-9355). Also consider giving via Bill Pay.

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Discernment Retreat

**JAN 17-19, 2020**  
Our Lady of Peace  
Retreat Center  
Beaverton, OR



For single men ages 18-50 who are asking, "Is the Lord calling me?"  
A weekend of prayer, reflection, and conversation with Archbishop Alexander K. Sample.

**RSVP BY JAN 10th**

Registration fee: \$50

#### **QUESTIONS?**

Contact Your Parish Pastor or  
Fr. Jeff Eirvin, Vocations Director  
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OREGON STATE CAPITOL  
SALEM, OREGON

**SATURDAY**  
**JANUARY 25, 2020**  
**2:30PM**

BAND BEGINS AT 2:10 | SPEAKERS AT 2:30 | MARCH TO FOLLOW



**FEATURED SPEAKER**  
**DR. KAREN GAFFNEY**

FOR MORE DETAILS, GO TO [WWW.ORTL.ORG](http://WWW.ORTL.ORG)