

SAINT STEPHEN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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January 26, 2020

3RD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



~ *Saint John Bosco* ~

✠ 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

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| Pastor | Rev. Eric Andersen eandersen@archdpdx.org |
| Coordinator of Religious Education | Joseph Salazar jsalazar@archdpdx.org |
| Administrative Ass't. | Sr. Anne-Thérèse Nguyen, MTG saintstephenpdx@gmail.com |
| Music Director | C.J. Hainley chainley@alum.mit.edu |
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| Finance Council Chair | Jessica Hoffmann |
| Wedding/Funeral Coordinator | Jennifer Williams jjillwilliams@yahoo.com |

MASS READINGS (Extraordinary Form)

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| Sunday: | Rom. 12:16-21; Matt. 8:1-13 |
| Monday: | 2 Tim. 4:1-8; Matt. 5:13-19 |
| Tuesday: | 1 Cor. 4:9-14; Luke 12:32-34 |
| Wednesday: | 2 Tim. 4:1-8; Matt. 5:13-19 |
| Thursday: | Ecclus. (Sirach) 51:1-8,12; Matt. 25:1-13 |
| Friday: | Phil. 4:4-9; Matt. 18:1-5 |
| Saturday: | Rom. 8:35-39; John 12:24-26 |
| Sunday: | Mal. 3:1-4; Luke 2:22-32 |

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)

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| Sunday: | Gal. 1:1-14; Homily of St. Jerome on Matt. 8:1-13 |
| Monday: | Gal. 3:1-14; Eulogy of St. John Chrysostom |
| Tuesday: | Gal. 5:1-17; Eulogy of St. Peter Nolasco |
| Wednesday: | Eph. 1:1-14; Eulogy of St. Francis de Sales |
| Thursday: | Eph. 4:1-15; Eulogy of St. Martina |
| Friday: | Eph. 5:1-15; Eulogy of St. John Bosco |
| Saturday: | Eph. 6:1-13; Eulogy of St. Ignatius of Antioch |
| Sunday: | Exod. 13:1-3, 11-13; Lev. 12:1-8; Sermon of St. Augustine; Homily of St. Augustine on Luke 2:22-32 |

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

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| Sunday | 9:00 am | CCD in rectory basement |
| | 9:00 am | Coffee & donuts in Carmody Hall |
| | 9:15 am | Choir Rehearsal in choir loft |
| | Noon | Coffee & Donuts in Carmody Hall |
| Tuesday | 7:00 pm | RCIA evening class |
| Wednesday | 8:00 pm | Men's Holy League Fraternal Meal & Social in rectory |
| Friday | 11:30 am | RCIA daytime class |
| Saturday | 11:15 am | Rosary Walk (begins in church) |
| Sunday | 9:00 am | CCD in rectory basement |
| | 9:00 am | Coffee & donuts in Carmody Hall |
| | 9:15 am | Choir Rehearsal in choir loft |
| | Noon | Coffee & Donuts in Carmody Hall |

LITURGY AND WORSHIP SCHEDULE AND MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, January 26

3rd Sunday after Epiphany (Extraordinary Form)

8:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal)
(+Greg Haslett)

9:00-10:00 am Confessions

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (Ordinary Form)

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

5:00 pm Sung Latin Vespers (1962 Antiphonale)

Monday, January 27

St. John Chrysostom, Bishop, Confessor & Doctor

7:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal)

Tuesday, January 28

St. Peter Nolasco, Confessor

Noon Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal)
(Doherty Family)

Wednesday, January 29

St. Francis de Sales, Bishop, Confessor & Doctor

5:30-6:30 pm Confessions

6:45 pm Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal)
(+Juana Pulanco)

with Men's Holy League Adoration,
Sermon and Benediction

Thursday, January 30

St. Martina, Virgin & Martyr

7:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal)
(Daniel Jacob Ivezic)

5:45-6:45 pm Confessions

Friday, January 31

St. John Bosco, Confessor

7:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal)
(+Grace Marie Natola)

Saturday, February 1

St. Ignatius, Bishop & Martyr

8:00 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

9:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal)
(+Carlo Natola)

with First Saturday Devotions

9:45 am Recitation of the Rosary

10:00-11:00 am Confessions

Sunday, February 2

Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Extraordinary Form)

8:00 am Low Latin Mass (1962 Missal)
(People of the Parish)

9:00-10:00 am Confessions

10:30 am Sung Latin Mass (1962 Missal)
(+Nancy Hauck)

5:00 pm Sung Latin Vespers (1962 Antiphonale)

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

FROM THE DESK OF FR ERIC ANDERSEN

The silent “Our Father”

Those of you who attend the Traditional Latin Mass know that the priest celebrant of the Mass says the Pater Noster (Our Father) prayer alone and that the faithful respond at the very end with the words: “sed libera nos a malo” (but deliver us from evil). Likewise, in the Divine Office and in many of the various other rites and blessings of the Traditional Roman Rite, the words, “Our Father” are intoned and then the rest of the prayer is prayed silently until the very end when the priest says, “And lead us not into temptation” and the people or servers respond “but deliver us from evil.” Why is this done? What is the meaning of this silent “Our Father”?

The introduction to the Pater Noster at Mass is a clue: “*We dare to say Our Father...*” Reserving the prayer to the priest, and then even praying it silently at times is a matter of protecting the prayer, and protecting those who might casually pray it. Joseph Jungmann writes: “We can better understand the reverence for the Lord’s Prayer which is thus manifested, and which is surely appropriate, if we recall that in those days it was not only kept secret from the pagans but was even withheld from the catechumens until shortly before the time when, by Baptism, they became children of the heavenly Father (The Mass of the Roman Rite, Vol. II. p. 283)

The silent recitation can be likened to the silent prayer of the Canon and Consecration during Mass. It’s so sacred, that one might even whisper it rather than say it unworthily. Early Christians understood that “only the Church and the Son of God call God Father”. The Apostolic Constitutions taught: “prepare yourselves that you may be worthy of the filiation of the Father, lest calling Him Father unworthily, you may, like Israel, be rejected by Him” [cf. Mal. 1,6f] (footnote 29, Jungmann, vol. II., pg. 283).

We might take the Lord’s Prayer for granted because we recite it so often. Let us consider how sacred it is and what a privilege it is to be able to call GOD our Father. We are adopted as children of GOD. Let us come before Him in sacred silence and not be afraid of the silence. Let it not be awkward, but a rich and filled

AWARENESS WEEKEND - ACA **Archbishop’s Catholic Appeal**

Most past contributors to the Archbishop’s Catholic Appeal will receive a mailing from Archbishop Sample in the next few days. At all Masses next weekend, additional information will be provided in the bulletin. The Appeal provides funds to support essential parish-based ministries that would find it difficult, if not impossible, to operate solely on parish funds. Your support and prayers for the Catholic Church in Western Oregon and all the people we serve are greatly appreciated.

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

The evening class meets 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 office.

MEN’S HOLY LEAGUE

This 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.

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| 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 |

ROSARY WALK

This Saturday, February 1st, 2020. This month's Rosary Walk will be in honor of the Nativity of the LORD as we prepare for Candlemas on February 2nd, ending the 40 days since the Nativity. It is also a First Saturday in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary. 11:00 am: Meet in the church for prayer / 11:15 am: Rosary Walk commences. 6.8 mile long pilgrimage around the parish boundaries. Bring your Rosary and money for coffee and lunch at St. Honoré.

THE TRAVELING CRIB

The Traveling Crib will be coming to St. Stephen’s for this month of February.

The crib will be here to collect baby items and maternity supplies for Pregnancy & Parenting Support Program at Catholic Charities. This will be a practical way we can support women facing difficult situations, who have said “YES” to new life. Last year, Pregnancy & Parenting Support Program supported over 200 women and their babies with diapers, clothes, counseling, parenting and relationship education classes, rent and utility assistance. Items that are most needed include: new or gently used 0 – 3 month clothes, diaper wipes, pack-n-plays, and maternity clothes. There will be a complete list of needed items next to the crib when it arrives. For more information call 503-238-5196. Thank you for your ongoing generosity and partnership in our life-affirming ministry!

CHESTERTON ACADEMY GALA

Sat. Feb. 1 at the Festhalle in Mt. Angel. Doors open at 5:00. Social hour, dinner, entertainment, dessert auction followed by Caeli Irish Dancing (no experience needed). \$40 per guest Register online at chestertonwv.com or contact Mary Belleque at 971-218-3926

ALTAR BOY TRAINING: SAT., FEB. 8TH

11:15 am -12:15 pm: **Beginner class.** "General principles of serving at the altar"
12:15-12:30 pm: Break
12:30 - 1:30 pm: **Intermediate class.** "Acolytes. Low Mass/High Mass/Vespers"
1:30-2:00 pm: Break
2:00 - 3:00 pm: **Advanced class.** "Thurifer. Master of Ceremonies. Sacristan"

2020 PARISH EVENTS

In addition to the events in this bulletin, please mark your calendars for these 2020 events:

- **Preparation for Consecration to St. Joseph**
February 8th - March 19th
- **40 Days for Life at Lovejoy Surgicenter**
Begins Ash Wednesday, February 26th
- **Solemnity of St. Joseph - Latin Missa Cantata**
Thursday, March 19th at 7:00 pm
- **Holy Week/The Sacred Triduum**
Holy Thursday, April 9th
Good Friday, April 10th
Holy Saturday, April 11th.
- **Volunteer Retreat at Our Lady of Peace Retreat**
Saturday, May 9th
- **St. Stephen Festival**
Sunday, August 2nd
- **Priestly Fraternity of St. Joseph Eucharistic Conference**
Monday, August 3rd-7th, 2020

OFFERTORY REPORT

| | January 19 | Fiscal Year-to-Date* |
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| Regular Collections | \$2,529.03 | (*Beginning July 1st) |
| Electronic Giving | \$...565.00 | |
| Total | \$3,094.03 | \$151,888.58 |
| Budgeted | \$4,800.00 | \$139,200.00 |
| Budget +/- | -\$1,705.97 | +12,688.59 |

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

CATHOLIC SINGLES NIGHT-ST STEPHEN'S

Friday, February 14th, 2020 - St. Valentines Day

Catholic Singles Night is a monthly meet up for practicing Catholics in their 20s & 30s who feel called to the Sacrament of Matrimony and are interested in wholesome (chaste) dating. The evening will begin in the church with Adoration from 5:30-6:45 pm. From 7:00-8:30pm we'll have a social mixer in Carmody Hall. Singles will rotate during the evening and decide if they want to go on a coffee date. Please invite & share this event with anyone you think will be interested. Parking available in the school lot on SE Taylor between 42nd and 44th. For practicing Catholics only.

CENTENARY OF ST. JACINTA OF FATIMA

(1920-2020)

**Thursday, February 20th, 2020.
7 pm in Carmody Hall**

Fr. Andersen will present a talk entitled "The Blessing of Sickness". Sr. Lucia wrote regarding Jacinta that prior to the apparitions at Fatima, "the slightest quarrel which arose among the children when at play was enough to send her pouting into a corner." But after the apparitions, Jacinta delighted in the opportunity for self-denial so that souls could be spared from hell. When she was dying of the influenza, the Blessed Mother gave her the choice to live an additional year of suffering and Jacinta said yes in order to offer it for the conversion of poor sinners. St. Stephen's Church and the World Apostolate of Fatima will host a special celebration for St. Jacinta (Hyacinth) of Fatima with Adoration, Confessions and Rosary in the church beginning at 5:30 pm followed by veneration of a 2nd class relic of St. Jacinta and a special edition of Philosophy/Theology Night in Carmody Hall at 7 pm. Snacks provided. Parking in the lot on SE Taylor at 43rd Ave.

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 offertory envelopes, please call Sr. Anne-Therese or email the parish office at sainstephenpdx@gmail.com / 503-234-5019. Thank you.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

St. Stephen will provide contribution statements to those who have given to St. Stephen via postal mail, offertory envelopes with a number or bill pay for the year 2019. Contribution Statements will be sent out via postal mail on the first week of February 2020. If you do not receive one after a week, please contact our parish office. Only those who have contributed a total amount of \$250+ for the tax year 2019 will receive one. If you have any questions please contact Sr. Anne-Therese in the parish office at [503-234-5019](tel:503-234-5019) or email sainstephenpdx@gmail.com.