FULL TIME TEACHER JOB

Chesterton Academy of the Willamette Valley is seeking an adventurous, mission-driven teacher willing to be a spiritual pioneer! Our school is a joyful Catholic and Classical culture with an agrarian element that fosters a love of God's creation.

Key points to consider:

Full-Time, In-Person Teacher, Salaried Position Science Degree or Science Education Degree preferred Passionate and Dedicated about Faith (All staff take Oath to the Magisterium)

Able to teach multiple subjects

Willing to help build up the Academy

More info at: https://www.catholicjobs.com/job/10836144548
Send applications or inquiries to: plato.chesterton@gmail.com

ACA PARISH REPORT

This year's Archbishop's Catholic Appeal just issued the first All Parish Report with initial results. St. Stephen's reported 36 donors giving 45 gifts for a total of \$11,928.00. Our goal is set at \$19,775.07. This leaves the parish at a deficit of (-\$7,847.07) towards our goal. Thank you to all who contributed. If you intended to give, but have not yet had a chance to do so, please take an envelope from the Narthex and drop it into the weekly collection. Or visit the website for the Archdiocese of Portland, and click on the "Giving" tab. Follow the prompts for the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal and be sure, under "I want to support" to choose: "2021 St. Stephen". God bless you for your generosity.

PRIEST CONVOCATION THIS WEEK

Please pray for the priests of the Archdiocese of Portland this week as we meet altogether with Archbishop Sample for a time of retreat and formation. We begin Tuesday afternoon and continue until Friday afternoon. There will be no public Mass, Lauds, or Vespers during that time, and no Confessions Wednesday, Thursday or Friday as we normally have. We will resume again on Friday evening for Vespers and the Feast of the Translation of the Relics of St. Stephen, Protomartyr at 6:45 pm. This is a minor feast of our parish patron saint.

DO YOU EXPERIENCE SCRUPULOSITY?

Fr. Chad Ripperger gives very good catechesis and counsel on how to understand scrupulosity and what to do about it. Check out the video on Sensus Traditionis: http://sensustraditionis.org/release/spiritual-growth/ and click on the talk about scrupulosity.

St. Stephen Catholic Church, Portland, Oregon Sunday May 2nd, 2021

This week's schedule:

Saturday, May 1st: St. Joseph the Workman, Spouse of the BVM (1st Class)

- 8:00 am: Adoration
- 9:00 am: Sung Latin Mass
- 10:00-11:00: Confessions
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 6 pm: English Mass (Fifth Sunday of Easter)

Sunday, May 2nd: 4th Sunday after Easter (2nd Class)

- 7:15 am: Sung Latin Lauds
- 8:00 am: Low Latin Mass
- 9:15-10:15: Confessions
- 10:30 am Sung Latin Mass with crowning of the BVM
- 5:00 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 6:00 pm: Low Latin Mass

Monday, May 3rd: The Finding of the Holy Cross (4th Class)

- 8:15 am: Sung Latin Lauds
- 9:00 am: Low Latin Mass

Tuesday, May 4th: St. Monica, widow (3rd Class)

- 12 pm: Low Latin Mass followed by St. Anthony Novena Prayers
- 5 pm: NO VESPERS TODAY

Wednesday, May 5th: St. Pius V, Pope and Confessor (3rd Class)

NO PUBLIC MASS/SERVICES TODAY

Thursday, May 6th: St. John, Apostle, before the Latin Gate (4th Class) comm. St. Dominic Savio, Confessor (4th Class)

NO PUBLIC MASS/SERVICES TODAY

Friday, April 7th: Translation of the Relics of St. Stephen, protomartyr comm. St. Stanislaus, Bishop, Martyr

- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 6:45 pm; Low Latin Mass

Saturday, May 8th: The Apparition of St. Michael (4th Class)

- 8:00 am: Adoration
- 9:00 am: Sung Latin Mass
- 10:00-11:00: Confessions
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 6 pm: English Mass (Fifth Sunday of Easter)

Sunday, May 9th: 5th Sunday after Easter (2nd Class)

- 7:15 am: Sung Latin Lauds
- 8:00 am: Low Latin Mass
- 9:15-10:15: Confessions
- 10:30 am Sung Latin Mass
- 5:00 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 6:00 pm: Low Latin Mass

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Sunday 5/2: The Brehm Family

People of the Parish

Rev. Frater Frederick Schmit, O'Praem

Monday 5/3: + Souls in Purgatory

• Tuesday 5/4: Taylor Lange

Wed 5/5: No public Mass

No public Mass

• Thurs 5/6: No public Mass

• Friday 5/7: Kucera Family

Saturday 5/8: + Marlene Gnibus

Hugger Family

Sunday 5/9: Alberto Mena

People of the Parish

Konrad and Jessica Von Walther

OFFERTORY COLLECTION (this week and month to date)

Envelopes/Cash: \$3,814.74 +/- budget

Online: \$1,040.00

Total WTD: \$4,854.74 Budget: \$4,800 + \$54.74

Total MTD: \$24,861.88 Budget: \$19,200 + \$5,661.88

Maintenance/Restoration: \$885.00 MTD: \$10,375.56

Sacred Music Fund: \$638.00 MTD: \$768.00

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

MASS READINGS (Extraordinary Form)

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

Monday: Phil. 2:5-11; John 3:1-15

Tuesday: 1 Tim. 5:3-10; Luke 7:11-16

Wednesday: 1 Pet. 5:1-4,10-11; Matt. 16:13-19

Thursday: Wis. 5:1-5; Matt. 20:20-23

Friday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Matt. 23:34-39

Saturday: Apoc. 1:1-5; Matt. 18:1-10

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

LESSONS AT MATINS (Extraordinary Form) find online at

http://divinumofficium.com or as an app (Breviarium meum)

Sunday: James 1:1-16; Homily of St. Augustine on John 16:5-14

Monday: James 1:17-27;

Tuesday: James 2:1-13; Eulogy of St. Monica

Wednesday: James 2:14-26; Eulogy of St. Pius V

Thursday: James 3:1-10

Friday: James 4:1-15; Eulogy of St. Stanislaus

Saturday: James 5:1-16

Sunday: 1 Peter 1:1-21; Homily of St. Augustine on John 16:23-30

SIGN UP TO ATTEND MASS (online or call parish office)

https://www.saintstephenpdx.com/covid-19-update

SUBSCRIBE TO THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANNEL

Saint Stephen Catholic Church PDX. https://www.youtube.com/

channel/UCenluv9m_Zo_8lvGRz_72A

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

5/9: Maintenance & Restoration

5/23: Sacred Music Fund

UPCOMING EVENTS AT ST. STEPHEN'S

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

5/16 Seth Jay, Dennis Scott

6/6 Parish Children (External Solemnity of Corpus Christi)

WEDDINGS

6/19 Rollins/Walsh Wedding

ROSARY WALK SATURDAY MAY 8TH

For the month of Mary, we will gather at 11:15 am in front of the church and depart at 11:30. 6.8 mile pilgrimage around the parish boundaries. No pets. Bring your rosary and a sack lunch.

NINE TUESDAYS OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

Continuing Tuesday, April 20th and concluding Tuesday, June 8th. The Feast of St. Anthony falls this year on Sunday, June 13th. Many favors have been obtained by those who have made this Novena. Watch for weekly videos on the parish YouTube channel. Here are the rules:

- 1) Recite for nine consecutive Tuesdays the prayer or prayers you find most appropriate (copies in the church and 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.

ROGATION DAYS AND PROCESSION

Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, we will pray the litanies before the Rogation Mass - a penitential Mass with violet vestments that will remind us a bit of the Lenten season. But on Wednesday evening, we will hold a procession. Historically, those who walked in this procession had ashes imposed upon their heads and walked barefoot, even emperors like Charlemagne and queens like St. Elizabeth of Hungary. The cross is processed and bells are rung. We express our sadness that our Lord is preparing to depart. He is carried aloft in the air and we follow where He goes.

· Monday, May 10th

Tuesday, May 11th

Wednesday May 12th

9 am. Rogation Day Low Mass
9 am. Rogation Day Low Mass
12 Noon Vigil of the Ascension
5 pm. 1st Vespers of the Ascension
5:30 pm. Rogation Procession
6:45 pm. Rogation Day Low Mass

FROM THE DESK OF FR ERIC ANDERSEN

We have a few days of rest this week before there will be much to keep us busy. This coming Friday is the feast of the Finding of the Relics of St. Stephen, the protomartyr. The Roman Martyrology for the seventh day of May gives us this:

At Rome, the translation of the body of St. Stephen, Protomartyr, which was brought to that city from Constantinople under Pope Pelagius I, and placed in the tomb of St. Laurence the Martyr in the Agro Verano, where it is honoured with great reverence by the faithful.

This is one of three feasts of St. Stephen during the year. August 3rd is the date of the Finding of the Relics of St. Stephen in Jerusalem in the year of Our Lord 417. St. Bede the Venerable tells us that the Relics of St. Stephen were found on the same day of the year on which the saint was martyred.

The Feast of St. Stephen on December 26th commemorates the consecration of the Basilica of St. Stephen built to house his relics where they were interred after their finding. St. Stephen was not to stay long in Jerusalem. It was quite by accident that he was moved to Constantinople shortly after he was honored in Jerusalem. But he was not to stay long in Constantinople either.

After only 7 years, he was translated to Rome on May 7th, AD 425. His relics were supposed to be a trade whereupon the relics of St. Lawrence were to be sent to Constantinople in exchange. In fact, St. Lawrence did not get sent to Constantinople. The two deacon saints have lain in the same tomb side by side in Rome ever since.

Please join us at St. Stephen's this coming Friday evening at 6:45 pm for a Low Mass in honor of this minor feast of St. Stephen. It will also be First Friday.

On the following day, Saturday, we will honor the Mother of God during her special month of May, by making a pilgrimage around the boundaries of the parish territory - a 6.8 mile walk praying the Rosary. May the Mother of God surround this parish and its bounds with her Rosary as a lasso to bring all who live within these bounds to her Son, Jesus Christ.

Then we enter into the Triduum before the Ascension of the Lord. The following Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday are Rogation days of mourning and penance to prepare for our Lord's departure on Ascension Thursday. The Rogation procession on Wednesday evening is a penitential procession, and in imitation of the saints of old, you are invited to walk barefoot. Shoes are also allowed.

The Priestly Fraternity of St. Joseph Saint Stephen Catholic Church

The Church in a Time of Revolution

A Eucharistic Conference August 2nd - 5th, 2021



(Donday - Thursday:

- Daily Sung Vespers at 5 pm
- Box Supper & Conference at 5:30 pm in Courtyard & Garden
- · Daily Solemn Graditional Latin (Dass at 7 pm
- · Confessions every evening in the church

Also:

- 40 Ŋours Devotion with Adoration
- Two Eucharistic Processions

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Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam

Fasting Brothers

in conjunction with Seven Sisters Apostolate

Fasting Brothers are men who commit to fasting one day a week in conjunction with their parish's Seven Sisters group (cf. WEARE: SevenSistersApostolate.org) exclusively for the intention of their pastor. Sunday is excluded as it is the Lord's day and thus unsuited to penance.

WHAT

Fasting Brothers each commit to a day of the week (other than Sunday) to offer their fasts in union with the Eucharistic Holy WE DO: Hour of a Seven Sister for their priest. Each man chooses what type of fast he will offer, e.g. no food all day, only bread and water, not eating until 3 p.m.—whatever he discerns from the Holy Spirit. It should be sacrificial.

On the specific day of the week to which he has committed, a Fasting Brother offers his fast solely for the intentions of the pastor. These include: the priest's sanctification in general, specific spiritual and temporal needs, and his ever-deepening devotion to Our Lady, Mother of Priests. These mirror the Seven Sisters' intentions during their Eucharistic Holy Hours. It is also encouraged that the Fasting Brothers offer their fasts for the priest's increased devotion to St. Joseph, model of fortitude and purity.

Holy Mother Church is under attack like never before. **Our priests** daily face the brunt of Satan's brutal assault. Like officers MATTERS: bravely leading the charge into battle, our priests need the support of the entire Church Militant. Jesus tells us of how to fight the most powerful devils: "But this kind is not cast out but by prayer and fasting" (Matthew 17:21). The Seven Sisters provide the prayer and the Fasting Brothers complement it with their fasts. We need both!

TO START:

Identify six men in your parish who are willing to put themselves on the line physically and spiritually for your pastor. Get a commitment from someone for each day of the week (except Sunday) and invite them to make a one-year commitment. Choose a solemnity on which to renew your commitment each year (such as the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart or Solemnity of Saint Joseph). Let your pastor and your local Seven Sisters group know when you're underway! Godspeed!

Contact Jim McIntyre if you are interested in joining. jim.mcintyre@gmail.com