

**Parish Registration**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact Phone** \_\_\_\_\_


**Family Members** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP Code** \_\_\_\_\_

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*January 12, 2020*

The Baptism of the Lord

1970 Calendar

Most Holy Family

1962 Calendar

# St. Birgitta Catholic Church



**Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday**

**8:30am - 12:00noon, 1:00pm - 5:00pm**

**Closed Tuesdays**

**11820 NW St. Helens Rd, Portland, OR 97231**

**Phone: (503) 286-3929**

Administrator: Rev. Joshua Clifton      jclifton@archdpdx.org

Secretary: Ena Bezley      secretarystb@gmail.com

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**Weekend Mass Schedule**

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm  
Sunday: 8:00am

Sunday: 9:30am  
(Traditional Latin Mass)

**Daily Mass Schedule**  
(in Our Lady of Sinj Chapel)

Monday - Friday (except  
Wednesdays): 8:30am  
Wednesdays: 4:00pm

Saturdays: 8:30am  
(Traditional Latin Mass)  
First Fridays: 7:00pm  
(Traditional Latin Mass)

**Confessions**

One half hour before each  
weekend Mass

**Eucharistic Adoration**

After Wednesday Mass  
and Friday morning Mass

**Mass Intentions: Jan 11 - Jan 19**

- 11 Sat: 8:30am Linda Alexander
- 11 Sat: 5:00pm St. Birgitta Parishioners
- 12 Sun: 8:00am +Helen VanDyke
- 12 Sun: 9:30am St. Birgitta Parishioners
- 13 Mon: 8:30am +Linda Spry
- 14 Tue: 8:30am +Daniel Tharp
- 15 Wed: 4:00pm Eric Romanowsky
- 16 Thu: 8:30am Tracie Wahlberg
- 17 Fri: 8:30am +Dave Cardiff
- 18 Sat: 8:30am The Homo Family
- 18 Sat: 5:00pm Mr. & Mrs. Schwarte
- 19 Sun: 8:00am St. Birgitta Parishioners
- 19 Sun: 9:30am James Moquin

Collections	
Collection for Jan 4-Jan 5	\$1805.70
Goal Under	\$2,283.00
Maintenance	\$477.30
	\$1,025.00
Thank you for your generosity!	

*Mass Readings for the Week - Novus Ordo*

- 13 Mon: 1 SM 1:1-8; MK 1:14-20
- 14 Tue: 1 SM 1:9-20; MK 1:21-28
- 15 Wed: 1 SM 3:1-10, 19-20; MK 1:29-39
- 16 Thu: 1 SM 4:1-11; MK 1:40-45
- 17 Fri: 1 SM 8:4-7, 10-22A; MK 2:1-12
- 18 Sat: 1 SM 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1; MK 2:13-17
- 19 Sun: IS 49:3, 5-6; 1 COR 1:1-3; JN 1:29-34

*- Check out a book -*

From Fr. Clifton's library

The following books relate to the recent Introduction to the Faith talks and deal with belief in God and/or the Catholic Faith.

Title: Because God is Real Author: Peter Kreeft  
 Description: This book delves into some of the great philosophical questions. Subtitled "Sixteen Questions, One Answer" he approaches the question of God's existence in particular and discusses what that means for our lives. *currently checked out*

Title: The Evidential Power of Beauty  
 Author: Rev. Thomas Dubay, S.M.  
 Description: Subtitled "Science and Theology Meet," this book explores the intricate beauty of our world which scientific tools have allowed us to explore with greater detail and that the created world reflects the Mind of its Creator.

Title: ~~There is a God~~ Author: ~~Anthony Flew~~  
 Description: ~~This book, penned by one of the most famous philosophical atheists of the 20th century, chronicles the author's movement from atheism to belief in God.~~

Title: ~~The Language of God~~ Author: ~~Francis S. Collins~~  
 Description: ~~The author is the director of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and led the Human Genome Project. He demonstrates that our understanding of physics, chemistry and biology all point to the existence of the God of the Holy Bible.~~

*These listings will be changed periodically. If you are interested in checking out a book, contact the parish office.*

*Mass Readings for the Week - Traditional Latin Mass*

- 13 Mon: Isaiah 60:1-6; John 1:29-34
- 14 Tue: 2 Timothy 4:1-8; 5:13-19
- 15 Wed: Philippians 3:7-12; Matthew 11:25-30
- 16 Thu: 1 Peter 5:1-4, 10-11; Matthew 16:13-19
- 17 Fri: Ecclesiastes 45:1-6; Matthew 19:27-29
- 18 Sat: Ecclesiasticus 51:13-17; Matthew 13:44-52
- 19 Sun: Romans 12:6-16; John 2:1-11

**Bible Study** – Bible study will now be taking place twice a month. The next Bible study will take place on Wednesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00pm and Thursday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00am.

**Calendars** – 2020 calendars are available in the vestibule. **If you would like a traditional calendar, please see Fr. Clifton.** If you would like to make a donation for the traditional calendars, simply add it to the collection basket.

**Candlemas** – We will be celebrating Candlemas at the traditional Latin Mass on Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please bring any candles that morning that you would like to have blessed.

**Fr. Clifton out of town** – Fr. Clifton will be out of town from Monday, January 27<sup>th</sup> through Friday, February 7<sup>th</sup>. The office will be closed but Masses will take place as usual.

**Congratulations** – Congratulations to Gabriel Ivan Martinez and his family! Gabriel was baptized last Friday here at the church.

**Second Sunday Coffee and Donuts** – Come join us this Sunday in the hall after the 8am Mass.

**Second Sunday Potluck** - Come join us for the Second Sunday potluck after the 9:30am Mass. Bring a dish to share and join us for fun and fellowship. *Don't forget: Our potlucks are becoming more popular, and last time we ran out of food!*

**Catechism** – There will be catechism immediately after the 9:30am Mass in the cry room.

**Coping with Life Alone in the Beginning** – This one-day program is a step in the process of moving forward for those who are recently widowed, divorced, or separated. Lay ministry team members of Beginning Experience of Oregon will present topics that address being alone, loneliness, the grief process, trusting one's self, and next steps. Date: Saturday, Jan 25, 2019. Time: 8:45-9:00am. Registration: 9:00-3:30. Program Cost: \$35 (includes lunch/snacks/coffee). Location: Holy Redeemer Catholic Church – Small Hall, 25 N Rosa Parks Way, Portland. Pre-registration REQUIRED: deadline is Jan 20. Contact JoAnne @ 503-476-4796. (Please, DO NOT call Holy Redeemer Parish).

**2019 Contribution Letters** – Please let us know of any mailing address or phone number updates as we will be mailing out tax letters detailing 2019 contributions.



**Free Chairs** – We have a number of free folding chairs in the hall. Any folding chairs that are not hung up are available for anyone to take home. See Fr. Clifton for more information.

**Open House** – Holy Cross Catholic School will be having an open house on Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup> from 11:00am – 2:00pm. For more information see the cards on the table in the vestibule.

**Priest Discernment Retreat** – This retreat, led by Archbishop Sample, will take place Friday evening, January 17<sup>th</sup> through Sunday afternoon, January 19<sup>th</sup>. This retreat is available for any men 18 and over who are considering a vocation to the priesthood. Please see Fr. Clifton for details and to get registered.

**Treasure and Tradition** – The Ultimate Guide to the Latin Mass. This amazing resource is available for viewing in the vestibule and can be purchased for \$15. Please let Fr. Clifton know if you are interested in acquiring a copy. *Please give payments for the books to Fr. Clifton.*

**Local Bible Study/Faith Sharing Group** – Every other Thursday at 7pm there is group that meets on Sauvie Island at Jack and Marie Fazio's home for a lap around the Rosary and to read and pray over the coming Sunday readings. Refreshments follow. For more info contact Dick Gutmann at 503-432-7985 or dgutmann@aeroair.com.

**Catholic in Recovery** – Anyone interested in attending a local 12-step based Catholic recovery group is invited to contact the parish office. A new meeting is starting up in the area. For information about Catholic in Recovery, visit <https://catholicinrecovery.com>

**Mass intentions** – You are invited to submit Mass intentions for your loved ones, living or dead. Please use the envelopes in the vestibule or simply email the parish office.

**Latin Mass Schola** – Those interested in singing in our Latin Mass Schola are invited to speak with Jessica Robinson.

**Upcoming Retreats and Events** – Retreats and events taking place in the Archdiocese of Portland can be found on the web at <https://archdpdx.org/events?page=1>