

Parish Registration

To register for the parish simply fill out the registration form found in the church vestibule. You can also obtain a form from the parish office. If you prefer to receive an electronic copy just call or email the office with your request.

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January 21, 2024

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
 1970 Calendar

Third Sunday after Epiphany
 1962 Calendar

St. Birgitta Catholic Church



Weekend Mass Schedule

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

Sunday: 9:30am
 (Traditional Latin Mass)

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday - Friday: 9:00am

Saturday: 9:00am
 (Traditional Latin Mass)

First Friday: 7:00pm
 (Traditional Latin Mass)

Confessions

One half-hour before each
 weekend Mass

Eucharistic Adoration

After Friday morning Mass

Office Hours: Tuesday through Friday

9:30am - 12:00noon, 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Closed Mondays

11820 NW St. Helens Rd, Portland, OR 97231

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Mass Intentions: Jan 20 – Jan 28

- 20 Sat: 9:00am Kathy Cooney
 20 Sat: 5:00pm +Albert Cox
 21 Sun: 8:00am Pro Populo
 21 Sun: 9:30am Dimi Lyles
 22 Mon: 9:00am Robert Cooney
 23 Tues: 9:00am Sydney Vincent
 24 Wed: 9:00am Carol Cooney
 25 Thu: 9:00am Cindy Larson
 26 Fri: 9:00am David Cooney
 27 Sat: 9:00am Marion Schmid Golson
 27 Sat: 5:00pm +Edana Bickel
 28 Sun: 8:00am Grace and Philomena Louie
 28 Sun: 9:30am Pro Populo



Mass Readings for the Week - Novus Ordo

<http://www.usccb.org/bible/>

- 22 Mon: 2 Samuel 5:1-7, 10; Mark 3:22-30
 23 Tue: 2 Samuel 6:12b-15, 17-19; Mark 3:31-35
 24 Wed: 2 Samuel 7:4-17; Mark 4:1-20
 25 Thu: Acts 22:3-16; Mark 16:15-18
 26 Fri: 2 Timothy 1:1-8; Mark 4:26-34
 27 Sat: 2 Samuel 12:1-7a, 10-17; Mark 4:35-41
 28 Sun: Dt 18:15-20; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mark 1:21-28

Organizations and Activities

- Adoration
 Altar Servers
 Altar Society
 American Heritage Girls (age 5-18)
 Bible Study
 Catechism Classes
 Catholic Friendship Group
 English Choir
 Homeschooling Group
 Latin Schola
 Latin Schola Training
 Parish Council
 Potlucks
 Readers
 Sacristans
 Safety Committee
 Sauvie Island Faith Sharing Group
 Seven Sisters Apostolate
 Trail Life USA (age 5-18)

Contact the parish office for info or to get involved

Mass Readings for the Week - Traditional Latin Mass

<http://www.extraordinaryform.org/>

- 22 Mon: Wisdom 3:1-8; Luke 21:9-19
 23 Tue: Ecclesiasticus 31:8-11; Luke 12:35-40
 24 Wed: 1 Timothy 6:11-16; Luke 14:26-33
 25 Thu: Acts 9:1-22; Matthew 19:27-29
 26 Fri: 1 John 3:10-16; Matthew 10:26-32
 27 Sat: 2 Timothy 4:1-8; Matthew 5:13-19
 28 Sun: 1 Corinthians 9:24-10:1-5; Matthew 20:1-6

Church Renovation – Floor and Pews – The new floor and pews will be installed very soon. *We will be having Mass in the hall and confessions in the office chapel* during this phase of the renovation. Here is the expected timeline:

January 21st – After the 9:30am Mass, please help us by putting away all Christmas decorations and setting up chairs in the hall.

January 28th – After the 8:00am Mass please bring all pew missals, hymnals and any other items from the pew books racks to the hall. After the 9:30am Mass all other items on the church or cry room floor will be moved. *If you are taking any pews home, it must be done by today.*

January 29th – Work crews will begin removing the pews and floor from the church. **At this point no one will be able to go back into the church until the work is complete.**

Late February – At this point we expect that the new floor and pews will be installed, and we can return to the church for Mass. *There will be no 2nd Sunday Potluck in February.* All other activities will take place as usual.

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Trail Life/Heritage Girls – Troop meeting this Sunday from 11:00am to 12:30pm.

Bible Study – Bible Study will take place this Wednesday, January 24th at 7:00pm and Thursday, January 25th at 10:00am in the chapel (same class offered twice).

Parish Council – Parish Council will meet next Saturday, January 27th at 3:30pm in the hall.

Last Saturday of the Month Potluck – We will be having our Last Saturday of the Month potluck next Saturday. Bring a dish to share and join us for fun and fellowship in the hall after the 5:00pm Mass.

Bake Sale – Heritage Girls will be having a bake sale on Sunday, February 4th.

AHG Baby Shower – On March 10th we will be having a baby shower for all pregnant mothers and all mothers who have recently given birth. Parishioners can donate new, hand-made or gently used baby items or make monetary donations. Free gift cards will be given raffle-style for mothers. Keep your eyes out for the donation box.

Help for a Parishioner in Need – Staring in a couple of weeks, a homebound parishioner in St. Johns is looking for someone to cook and clean three times a week. For more information, please contact the office.

Calendars – Novus Ordo calendars have arrived! If you are still interested in getting a Latin Mass calendar, please contact the office.

Tax Letters – Tax letters are being prepared. If you have changed your address, please let the office know.

Church Renovation – Thank you to all of those who have donated so far to support our renovation. Since announcing our goal of \$150,000, we have raised **\$86,893!** To donate to the renovation fund, simply write “special projects” on the memo line of a check or on an envelope.

Community Rewards – You can help St. Birgitta Catholic Church earn donations just by shopping with your Fred Meyer Rewards Card! Simply link your Fred Meyer Rewards Card to St. Birgitta Catholic Church at www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards. You can search for us by name or by our non-profit number: UE232. Every time you shop and use your Rewards Card, you are helping us earn a donation. You will continue to receive your usual rewards points, fuel points and rebates. If you do not yet have a Rewards Card, please consider getting one to support our parish. Currently we have **41** families registered. **This last quarter we made \$100.55.**

Chesterton Academy in Portland – We are currently accepting applications for our 2024-25 school year at our new campus at St. Stephen Catholic Church in Portland. Come learn more about our school and how to apply at our Open House Info Sessions on Sunday, February 4 and March 3 at 12:15pm to 2:00pm at St. Stephen's Hall at 1112 SE 41st Avenue, Portland OR 97214. Meet our faculty, current students, and parents and tour the new school building. All potential new families, current 7th and 8th graders, parents, and supporters are welcome and encouraged to attend. RSVP to 360-355-3362 or online at ChestertonFrassati.org/admissions.

Luncheon Tea and Silent Auction – Our Lady of Peace Retreat in Beaverton is hosting Our Lady's Luncheon Tea and Silent Auction (honoring Our Lady of the Pillar). Saturday, February 3, 2024, 12:00pm – 2:00pm. Doors open for bidding at 11:00am. Cost is \$50.00 per person. Tables of 6 and 8 available for purchase. Please come, bring friends and family. Men welcome! Help us raise funds for the individual HVAC (heating, ventilation and cooling units) in Hallway Two of the Retreat House. For reservations: online at www.olpretreat.org or phone the retreat house at 503-649-7127 and ask for Jossie.

Women's Silent Retreat – March 1-3, 2024, with Fr. Eric Andersen. Theme: "Lent, Laetare and Passiontide." Our Lady of Peace Retreat in Beaverton. The Retreat begins Friday with Dinner at 6 pm and concludes after a late-morning Brunch on Sunday. To register, visit us online at www.olpretreat.org, call the retreat house at 503-649-7127 or email us at sisters@olpretreat.org. \$255 for the weekend. Commuter rates available