

Parish Registration

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October 8, 2023

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
 1970 Calendar

Feast of St. Bridget, Widow
 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: Oct 7 – Oct 15

7 Sat: 9:00am +Steven Clifton
 7 Sat: 5:00pm +Laura Georgine Forese
 8 Sun: 8:00am Pro Populo
 8 Sun: 9:30am +Marge Rasp
 9 Mon: 9:00am +Rev. David Clark
 10 Tue: 9:00am +John O'Connor
 11 Wed: 9:00am Maria Elena Villazan
 12 Thu: 9:00am +Steven Clifton
 13 Fri: 9:00am Annette Mahon
 14 Sat: 9:00am +Steven Clifton
 14 Sat: 5:00pm +Flo Tartaglia
 15 Sun: 8:00am Randy Downey
 15 Sun: 9:30am Pro Populo



Mass Readings for the Week - Novus Ordo
<http://www.usccb.org/bible/>

9 Mon: Jonah 1:1-2:1-2, 11; Luke 10:25-37
 10 Tue: Jonah 3:1-10; Luke 10:38-42
 11 Wed: Jonah 4:1-11; Luke 11:1-4
 12 Thu: Malachi 3:13-20b; Luke 11:5-13
 13 Fri: Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Luke 11:15-26
 14 Sat: Joel 4:12-21; Luke 11:27-28
 15 Sun: Isaiah 25:6-10a; Phil 4:12-14, 19-20; Mt 22:1-14

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/>
 9 Mon: 2 Corinthians 4:1-6, 15-18; Luke 10:1-9
 10 Tue: Ecclesiasticus 45:1-6; Matthew 19:27-29
 11 Wed: Ecclesiasticus 24:23-31; Luke 2:43-51
 12 Thu: Ephesians 4:23-28; Matthew 22:1-14
 13 Fri: Ecclesiasticus 31:8-11; Luke 12:35-40
 14 Sat: 1 Peter 5:1-4, 10-11; Matthew 16:13-19
 15 Sun: Ephesians 5:15-21; John 4:46-53

Congratulations – Congratulations to John and Ruth Eisenbacher who were married this weekend.

St. Birgitta Mass – According to the traditional calendar, this Sunday, October 8th is the feast of our patroness. The 9:30am Latin Mass will be the Mass of St. Bridget, Widow rather than the 19th Sunday after Pentecost.

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.

Sanctuary Renovation – This Sunday, October 8th, will mark the final Masses in our sanctuary prior to the renovation. *We will begin moving items out of the sanctuary and sacristies into the office at some point after lunch. Any help with this endeavor is greatly appreciated.*

Catechism – Catechism will take place this Sunday immediately after the 9:30am Mass in the cry room.

Adult catechism – Adult catechism will take place after the 9:30am Mass in the office dining room. Anyone is free to attend.

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

Egress from Church – Until the new pavement has been laid in front of the church, please exit out either side door. Bulletins, the collection box, signup sheets and handouts are in the cry room.

Hall Security – If you are the last one to leave the hall, please make sure that all the doors are locked. Please make sure that the hall and hall restrooms are unoccupied before locking up.

40 Days for Life – The 40 Days for Life campaign has begun. To sign up for vigil hours go to: 40daysforlife.com/en/portlandor

Free Booklets – Free Pro-Life booklets are available in the cry room. Feel free to take booklets to give out as well.

Catholic Friendship Group – Gathering on Friday, October 13th in the hall from 7:00pm to 8:30pm. For single Catholics age 40 to 60.

Jams – There are still jars of jam left for sale! \$3.50 each for the benefit of the Altar Society.

Seminarian Appeal – Thank you for supporting our seminarians!

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 **\$24,440!** To donate to the renovation fund, simply write “special projects” on the memo line of a check or on an envelope.

Healing the Whole Person Conference – November 30th - December 2nd at Our Lady of Lavang Church. Join Archbishop Sample on this journey to wholeness as we welcome Christ’s divine love that brings the healing we ardently desire. Healing the Whole Person (HWP) is the basis for Dr. Bob Schucht’s best-selling book “Be Healed” and takes place only four times each year in parish settings across the US. Led by renowned speakers and authors Dr. Bob Schuchts, Sr. Miriam James Heidland SOLT, and Bart Schuchts, the uniquely engaging format will help you see and experience God’s healing love through teaching, prayer, personal reflection, Adoration, worship, and the Sacraments. For more information visit archdpdx.org/healing-the-whole-person

Employment Opportunity – Catholic Charities of Oregon is looking for a Senior Director of Development. For more information or to apply visit: catholiccharitiesoregon.applicantpro.com/jobs/3045796

Beginning Experience Weekend Retreat – For widowed, divorced and separated adults. Date: Friday, Oct. 20 through Sunday, Oct. 22. Location: Griffin Center, Milwaukie. \$75 deposit to reserve your space. Beginning Experience programs serve people who have suffered the loss of a spousal relationship. Team members offer compassionate support and guidance for working through grief and pain towards a new beginning with renewed hope. Call Karen 971-404-6512 by Oct. 10th to register in advance. Email beoforegon@gmail.com. beginningexperience.org

Silent Retreat – For men and women. Our Lady of Peace Retreat House. October 13th – 15th. Retreat master is Br. James Lindsay, O.C.D. Theme is “I am a Daughter of the Church: Christ, the Church and the Carmelite Response.” Cost is \$240. For more info or to register contact Kinh Nguyen, O.C.D.S. at 503-816-5205.

CYO/Camp Howard – 12th Annual Champions of Faith Benefit Dinner. Tuesday, October 17th. For more information visit cyocampoward.org/content/28431/2023-Benefit-Dinner

Discernment Retreat – Mount Angel Abbey. October 20-22. For men 18-45 years old discerning a vocation to the priesthood or brotherhood. Free of charge. Contact: 503-881-8919 or vocation@mtangel.edu.