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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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

Administrator: Rev. Joshua Clifton

jclifton@archdpdx.org

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Mass Intentions: Nov 4 – Nov 12

4 Sat: 9:00am Diane Shigetomi Glick

4 Sat: 5:00pm +Randy Randquist

5 Sun: 8:00am +Henry Gilpin

5 Sun: 9:30am Pro Populo

6 Mon: 9:00am +Sidney Berry

7 Tue: 9:00am Archbishop Sample

8 Wed: 9:00am +Andy Anderson

9 Thu: 9:00am Diane Shigetomi Glick

10 Fri: 9:00am Betty Schmidlin

11 Sat: 9:00am +Randy Randquist

11 Sat: 5:00pm Pro Populo

Maintenance

12 Sun: 8:00am +Henry Gilpin

12 Sun: 9:30am +Sydney Berry

Collections

Collection for Oct 29th \$1,251.00

Goal \$3,010.00

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Thank you for your generosity!

Mass Readings for the Week - Novus Ordo

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

6 Mon: Romans 11:29-36; Luke 14:12-14

7 Tue: Romans 12:5-16ab; Luke 14:15-24

8 Wed: Romans 13:8-10; Luke 14:25-33

9 Thu: Ez 47:1-2,8-9,12; Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; John 2:13-22

10 Fri: Romans 15:14-21; Luke 16:1-8

11 Sat: Romans 16:3-9,16, 22-27; Luke 16:9-15

12 Sun: Wisdom 6:12-16; 1 Thes 4:13-18; Matthew 25:1-13

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/

6 Mon: Phil 3:17-21; 4:1-3; Matthew 9:18-26

7 Tue: Phil 3:17-21: 4:1-3: Matthew 9:18-26

8 Wed: Hebrews 11:33-39; Matthew 6:1-12

9 Thu: Apocalypse 21:2-5; Luke 19:1-10

10 Fri: Ecclesiasticus 31:8-11; Luke 12:35-40

11 Sat: Ecclus 44:16-27; 45:3-20; Luke 11:33-36

12 Sun: Col 3:12-17; Matthew 13:24-30

Oktoberfest - We made \$15,600 from Oktoberfest! A big "thank you" to all of our volunteers and to Dominic Havlicek at Urban German for donating all of the profits to St. Birgitta's.

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 **\$41,451!** To donate to the renovation fund, simply write "special projects" on the memo line of a check or on an envelope.

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

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

Schola Fundraiser – Crafts featuring the talents of our schola members are for sale in the cry room after Mass to benefit our schola. There are icon prints, hot pads, various knitted and crochet items, wood burnings, cards and more!

Bible Study - Book of Exodus. This Wednesday, November 8th at 7:00pm and this Thursday, November 9th at 10:00am (same class offered twice). Meet in the chapel.

Catholic Friendship Group - Singles ages 40-60. Friday, November 10th. Adoration in the chapel at 6:30pm followed by a discussion. This week's theme: vestments.

Second Sunday Potluck - Come join us for the Second Sunday potluck next week after the 9:30am Mass. Bring a dish to share and join us for fun and fellowship.

All Saints' Party - We will have our annual All Saints' party on Sunday, November 12th during the potluck. Children are invited to dress up as a saint and to know three facts about them. Fr. Clifton will try to guess who they are. There will also be other activities. More information soon!

Lost and Found – There are a lot of items in the lost and found in the hall. Please check to see if you have any items there. After next weekend, what is left will be disposed of.

Bake Sale - American Heritage Girls will be having a bake sale on Sunday, November 19th.

Donut Signups - Please check the schedule posted in the hall to sign up to bring donuts. Two dates for donuts after the 9:30am Mass were blank. Someone filled in at the last minute to get donuts, but this may not always be possible.

Remembrance Cards - Mass remembrance cards are now available in the cry room. You may write the names of dearly departed family and friends on these cards which will in turn be placed on the altar throughout the month of November. Masses during November will be offered for those whose names are written on the cards, in addition to the usual Mass intentions.

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.

Advent Day Retreat - Wednesday, December 6th, 9:00am to 2:30pm, at Our Lady of Peace Retreat in Beaverton. Retreat master is Fr. Christopher Bernabe. Theme is "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear: How Christ's Light Leaps Forth into our Darkness." \$40 per person (includes lunch). To register call 503-649-7127 or visit olpretreat.org.

Open House – Chesterton Academy of Bl. Pier Giorgio Frassati. A joyful classical high school in Portland offering a devoutly Catholic great books curriculum is hosting an Open House on November 30th, at 6:00pm -8:00pm at 340 NE Clackamas St, Portland. Discover the Chesterton difference! Meet our faculty, current students, and parents and tour the school. All potential new families, current 7th & 8th graders, parents, donors, and supporters are welcome and encouraged to attend. To RSVP, call 360-355-3362 or visit our website at chestertonFrassati.org/admissions.

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

Seminarian Appeal – Thank you for supporting our seminarians!

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