

**Parish Registration**

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

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

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

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

**Check here if you would like collection envelopes:**

**Simply fill this out and drop it in the collection basket - Welcome to our parish!**

	<p><b>Jessica Robinson</b> Vocalist and private voice instructor jlgwasko@gmail.com 503-729-3224</p>	<p><b>Your Ad Here!</b> Contact the parish office to place an ad</p>	
	<p><b>Your Ad Here!</b> Contact the parish office to place an ad</p>	<p><b>FREE HAULING by JUAN</b> Batteries, Aluminum, Extension Cords,, Scrap Metal and Steel, Appliances: washers, dryers, refrigerators, stoves, etc. ~~~~~ <b>CALL for FREE PICK-UP</b> 503-285-4092 SPECIFY LOCATION Courteous, professional service with a smile!</p>	<p><b>MARION'S</b> CARPET &amp; FLOORING WAREHOUSES TEL: (503) 239-0528 FAX: (503) 239-4201 1635 SE GRAND AVE PORTLAND, OREGON 97214 www.marionscarpets.com</p>
	<p><b>TekCollect</b> Guaranteed Collections 10% <b>Alan Phelan, MBA</b> Division Vice President Vancouver, WA <b>Office (360) 695-3009</b> <b>Cellular (503) 502-1390</b> al.phelan@tekcollect.com www.tekcollect.com</p>	<p><b>CULVER GLASS COMPANY</b> Portland, OR CCB# 189603 <b>TERRY BARNES</b> President/C.E.O. Phone: (503) 226-2520 Fax: (503) 228-9155 Email: tbarnes@culver-glass.com Website: www.culver-glass.com <b>COMMERCIAL • RESIDENTIAL</b> PORTLAND • SALEM • EUGENE</p>	<p><b>Jensen Voice &amp; Piano Studio</b> Pauline Jensen Certified Teacher/Singer <b>(503) 286-1168</b> Voice-Piano-Theory-Harmony Composition-Arranging High School &amp; College credit Available</p>

*February 23, 2020*

Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

1970 Calendar

Quinquagesima Sunday

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**  
(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

**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**

**www.stbirgittapdx.com**

**Mass Intentions: Feb 22 - Mar 1**

- 22 Sat: 8:30am +Annette Wycker
- 22 Sat: 5:00pm Camerino Mendez Family
- 23 Sun: 8:00am +Henry Schmit
- 23 Sun: 9:30am St. Birgitta Parishioners
- 24 Mon: 8:30am +Victoria Schmit.
- 25 Tue: 8:30am Andrew Wyburn
- 26 Wed: 4:00pm +Catherine Downey
- 26 Wed: 7:00pm +Nancy Fierro
- 27 Thu: 8:30am +Mary Lou Brady
- 28 Fri: 8:30am +Catherine Downey
- 29 Sat: 8:30am +Annette Wycker
- 29 Sat: 5:00pm Ena Bezley
- 1 Sun: 8:00am St. Birgitta Parishioners
- 2 Sun: 9:30am +Annette Wycker

**Collections**

Collection for Feb 15-Feb 16	\$2,423.11
Goal	\$2,283.00
Over	\$140.11
Maintenance	\$430.26

Thank you for your generosity!

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

- 24 Mon: Jas 3:13-18; Mk 9:14-29
- 25 Tue: Jas 4:1-10; Mk 9:30-3
- 26 Wed: Jl 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
- 27 Thu: Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25
- 28 Fri: Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15
- 29 Sat: Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32
- 1 Sun: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19; Mt 4:1-11

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

- 24 Mon: 1 Corinthians 13:1-13; Luke 18:31-43
- 25 Tue: Acts 1:15-26; Matthew 11:25-30
- 26 Wed: Joel 2:12-19; Matthew 6:16-21
- 27 Thu: Isaiah 38:1-6; Matthew 8:5-13
- 28 Fri: Isaiah 58:1-9; Matthew 5: 43-48; 6:1-4
- 29 Sat: Isaiah 58:9-14; Mark 6:47-56
- 1 Sun: Corinthians 6:1-10; Matthew 4:1-11

**Requiescat in Pace** – In your charity please pray for the repose of the soul of Fr. Clifton's grandfather, Joseph Ferraro, who passed away this last week. Prayers for him and for the rest of the family are very much appreciated.

**Fr. Clifton Out of Town** – Fr. Clifton will be in California from Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup> through Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup> for his grandfather's funeral services. The church office will be closed during those days.

**Mass cancellation** – There will be no 8:30am Latin Mass on Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup>. All other Masses will continue as usual.

**Bible Study Cancellation** – The Bible study that was scheduled for March 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> is canceled. The next Bible study will take place on Wednesday, March 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm and Thursday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am.

**Ash Wednesday** – Ash Wednesday will be celebrated on Wednesday, February 26<sup>th</sup>. English Mass will take place at 4:00pm in the church and the Traditional Latin Mass will take place at 7:00pm, also in the church.

**Lenten Stations of the Cross** – On Fridays during Lent (except Good Friday), the Stations of the Cross will be celebrated in the church at **6:30pm**. **We moved the time back a half hour** to give people more time to arrive. This will be followed by a simple, meatless meal in the hall. Please sign up on the sheet in the vestibule if you would like to provide a meal.

**Lenten Booklets** – The Magnificat Lenten Companion booklets are available in the vestibule. Please feel free to take one for yourself and for any family members that may be at home.

**First Friday Latin Masses** – There will be no First Friday Latin Masses during Lent due to Stations of the Cross.

**Ride for a Parishioner** – We have a parishioner in the Milwaukie area who is looking for someone who can drive him to and from Latin Mass. He also attends Bible study on Thursdays. If you are able to help for any of these times, please see Fr. Clifton.

**Parish Council** – We will be meeting next Saturday, February 29<sup>th</sup> in the hall at 3:30pm. All are invited.

**Last Saturday of the Month Potluck** – Please join us next Saturday after the 5:00pm Mass for a potluck. Bring a dish to share and join us for fun and fellowship.

**Change in Mass Schedule** – Beginning the first week of March, Wednesday Masses will take place at 8:30am. Thursday Masses will be moved from 8:30am to 4:00pm.

**Archbishop's Catholic Appeal** – Our parish goal is \$10,596.39. If you have not already done so please complete your pledge card, indicating your gift or pledge to our Catholic Church in Western Oregon. Thank you for your generosity to God and His Church!

**Lenten Concert** – James MacMillan's *Seven Last Words from the Cross* (1994) will be performed on Saturday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at 3pm at Mount Angel Abbey. David Hill will conduct. Tickets available at: [sevenlastwords.brownpapertickets.com](http://sevenlastwords.brownpapertickets.com).

**Sacred Liturgy Conference** – Schola Cantus Angelorum is pleased to announce the 8th annual Sacred Liturgy Conference June 9-12, 2020 in Spokane, WA. The lectures will take place on the campus of Gonzaga University. Four beautiful Gregorian liturgies including one in the ancient Dominican Rite will be celebrated at St Aloysius and the Cathedral of Our Lady of Lourdes. Nearby hotels are offering discounted rates for conference attendees and an "Early Bird Special" rate is available through March 1, 2020.

**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](mailto:dgutmann@aeroair.com).