

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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March 10, 2024

Fourth Sunday of Lent
 1970 Calendar

Laetare 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

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

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Administrator: Rev. Joshua Clifton jclifton@archdpdx.org

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Mass Intentions: Mar 9 – Mar 17

- 9 Sat: 9:00am Tony McNally
- 9 Sat: 5:00pm +Sue Elting Humes
- 10 Sun: 8:00am Robert Remington
- 10 Sun: 9:30am Pro Populo
- 11 Mon: 9:00am +Carol Everett Proctor
- 12 Tues: 9:00am Trey Downey
- 13 Wed: 9:00am +Charles von Walther
- 14 Thu: 9:00am +Georgia Lassiter
- 15 Fri: 9:00am +Susan Ford
- 16 Sat: 9:00am Sr. Mary Rose, O.P.
- 16 Sat: 5:00pm Pro Populo
- 17 Sun: 8:00am +Janice Pelster
- 17 Sun: 9:30am Tony McNally

Collections	
Collection for Mar 3rd	\$2,368.00
Goal	\$3,010.00
Under	\$642.00
Maintenance	\$376.00
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Mass Readings for the Week - Novus Ordo
<http://www.usccb.org/bible/>
 11 Mon: Isaiah 65:17-21; John 4:43-54
 12 Tue: Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12; John 5:1-16
 13 Wed: Isaiah 49:8-15; John 5:17-30
 14 Thu: Ezekiel 32:7-14; John 5:31-47
 15 Fri: Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22; John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
 16 Sat: Jeremiah 11:18-20; John 7:40-53
 17 Sun: Jeremiah 31:31-34; Hebrews 5:7-9; John 12:20-33

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/ 11 Mon: 3 Kings 3:16-28; John 2:13-25 12 Tue: Exodus 32:7-14; John 7:14-31 13 Wed: Ezekiel 36:23-28; John 9:1-39 14 Thu: 4 Kings 4:25-38; Luke 7:11-16 15 Fri: 3 Kings 17:17-24; John 11:1-45 16 Sat: Isaiah 49:8-15; John 8:12-20 17 Sun: Hebrews 9:11-15; John 8:46-59

AHG Baby Shower – Our baby shower is this Sunday! All are invited to congratulate the new moms in the parish and to enjoy food and games. Thank you to all who donated!

Confirmation Class – Confirmation will be meeting this week instead of on the fourth Sunday (which will be Palm Sunday).

Catechism – There will be catechism immediately after the 9:30am Mass in the office upstairs, last room on the right.

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

Benedictus – Copies of the March Benedictus are available.

Easter Vigil – Since our church will not be ready for Easter, those who go to the Easter Vigil are invited to attend at St. Stephen’s Catholic Church in Portland. Fr. Clifton will serve as subdeacon. All other Holy Week services and Easter Masses will happen at St. Birgitta’s as usual.

Homeschooling – Parents interested in a homeschooling co-op here at the church are invited to contact Fr. Clifton, as is anyone who would like to volunteer to help. A meeting will take place in the hall on Sunday, March 24th after the 9:30am Palm Sunday Mass.

Hall Mass – All weekend Masses except for the Saturday, 5:00PM Vigil Mass are currently taking place in the hall. Daily English Masses are taking place in the chapel as usual. Confessions will be in the office chapel. To come to confession, come through the main door of the office and line up in the hall. After confession you may exit through the chapel door.

Stations of the Cross – Stations of the Cross will take place each Friday during Lent at 6:30pm in the chapel.

Sign the Petition – Sign a petition to protect parents’ rights in education. Information and petition can be found on the back table.

Fasting and Abstinence – For laws concerning Lenten fasting and abstinence please see the link on the parish website homepage.

2024 Sacred Liturgy Conference – June 4-8, 2024. Registrations are now open! Visit sacredliturgy.org for more info and to register.

Synod – The next stage of the synod is beginning. If you would like to participate, submit your answers of *no more than one paragraph* to Fr. Clifton. Questions

for reflection: 1. Where have I experienced successes and distresses within the Church’s structures/organization/leadership/life that encourage or hinder the mission? 2. How can the structures and organization of the Church help all the baptized respond to the call to proclaim the Gospel and to live as a community of love and mercy in Christ?

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 **\$97,663!** To donate to the renovation fund, simply write “special projects” on the memo line of a check or on an envelope.

Legion of Mary – The object of the Legion of Mary is the Glory of God through the holiness of its members developed by prayer and active co-operation in Mary’s and the Church’s work. Membership is open to all faithfully practicing Catholics. For more information, email pdxlegioncuria@gmail.com.

40 days for Life – Sign up for vigil hours at 40daysforlife.com/en/portlandor

St. Patrick’s Day Dinner – March 17th at St. Patrick’s Church in Portland. Three-course meal, live music, silent auction and 50/50 raffle. For more info and for tickets visit stpatrickpdx.org.

Retreat – “Beginning Experience @ Weekend” Retreat for separated, divorced and widowed adults. Friday, April 5, 2024 - Sunday, April 7, 2024. Griffin Center, Milwaukie. \$75 deposit per person. Register early (by March 22nd), space is limited. Visit www.beeforegon.org or email beeforegon@gmail.com.

Men’s Silent Retreat – Theme: “All Quiet on the Western Front: Amassing Virtue Amidst a Spiritual Wasteland.” Led by Fr. Christopher Bernabe. April 5-7. Our Lady of Peace Retreat. To register or for more information visit olpretreat.org or call 503-649-7127.

CYO Camp Howard – Many activities are taking place this summer. Visit cyocampoward.org for more info. For summer camp job openings, visit cyocampoward.org/jobs.

Video Series – Archbishop Sample has launched a new video series called “Know What You Believe.” Go to www.youtube.com/@ArchbishopSample and click on “videos” to see the latest.

New Parish Registrations – Those who would like to register for the parish are invited to fill out a form from and place it folded in the collection basket.