

**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 16, 2025*

Second Sunday of Lent  
 1970 Calendar

Second Sunday in Lent  
 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**

Thursday after 9:00am 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: Mar 15 – Mar 23**

- 15 Sat: 9:00am Scott Woltze
- 15 Sat: 5:00pm Jaimeleigh Salazar
- 16 Sun: 8:00am Pro Populo
- 16 Sun: 9:30am +Richard Shapley
- 17 Mon: 9:00am +Mike Cole
- 18 Tues: 9:00am +Betty Cox
- 19 Wed: 9:00am Sarah Adams and Family
- 20 Thu: 9:00am +Fr. James Browne
- 21 Fri: 9:00am +Fr. James Browne
- 22 Sat: 9:00am +Ann Minarik
- 22 Sat: 5:00pm +Ann Minarik
- 23 Sun: 8:00am +Kimberly Lynn Martinez
- 23 Sun: 9:30am Pro Populo

Collections	
Collection for Mar 9th	\$1,763.00
Goal	\$3,010.00
Under	\$1,247.00
Maintenance	\$15.00
Thank you for your generosity	

- Mass Readings for the Week - Novus Ordo  
<http://www.usccb.org/bible/>
- 17 Mon: Daniel 9:4b-10; Luke 6:36-38
  - 18 Tue: Isaiah 1:10, 16-20; Matthew 23:1-12
  - 19 Wed: 2 Sm7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22  
Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a
  - 20 Thu: Jeremiah 17:5-10; Luke 16:19-31
  - 21 Fri: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Mt21:33-43, 45-46
  - 22 Sat: Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Luke 15:1-3, 11-32
  - 23 Sun: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Luke 13:1-9

**Organizations and Activities**

- Adoration
- Altar Servers
- Altar Society
- American Heritage Girls (age 5-18)
- Bible Study
- Catechism Classes
- Catholic Friendship Group
- English Choir
- Homeschooling Co-op
- Latin Schola
- Latin Schola Training
- Legion of Mary
- 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/>
- 17 Mon: Daniel 9:15-19; John 8:21-29
  - 18 Tue: 3 Kings 17:8-16; Matthew 23:1-12
  - 19 Wed: Ecclus 45:1-6; Matthew 1:18-21
  - 20 Thu: Jeremiah 17:5-10; Luke 16:19-31
  - 21 Fri: Genesis 37:6-22; Matthew 21:33-46
  - 22 Sat: Genesis 27:6-39; Luke 15:11-32
  - 23 Sun: Ephesians 5:1-9; Luke 11:14-28

**Adult catechism** – Adult catechism will take place after the 9:30am Mass in the office dining room.

**Trail Life/AHG** – Trail Life and AHG troops will meet this Sunday at 11:00am.

**Stations of the Cross** – Stations of the Cross take place on Fridays at 6:30pm during Lent.

**Youth Confirmation** – Youth confirmation class will take place next Sunday after the 9:30am Mass in the Our Lady of Perpetual Help classroom upstairs in the office.

**Sacred Liturgy Conference** – Registration for the 13<sup>th</sup> annual Sacred Liturgy Conference is now open! The conference will take place June 24-27 at Holy Rosary Church in Portland. The theme is “Manna from Heaven: The Bread of Life in the Eucharist.” Come immerse yourself in the divine mystery of the Holy Eucharist, contemplating its profound significance and transformative power within our Catholic Faith. For more information or to register visit [sacredliturgy.org](http://sacredliturgy.org).

**Lenten Booklets** – Magnificat Lenten meditation booklets are available in the vestibule.

**Legion of Mary** – Legion of Mary meets Saturdays, 7:15am to 8:45am in the hall. Come help to evangelize and bring the love of Christ to our parish!

**Blue Bag Fundraiser** – Support our Trail Life and AHG troops with the Blue Bag fundraiser. Blue bags may be taken home from the church and filled with bottles, cans or glass (for glass bags please fill only halfway). These can be brought to Fred Meyer, Safeway or any bottle redemption center where the QR code on the bag will be scanned. All proceeds benefit our Trail Life and AHG troops. Bags are in the vestibule and in the hall. We have raised **\$1,614.35** so far!

**Tuition Assistance** – ASCEND's vision is to share the beauty, goodness, and truth of Catholic education with families who want it for their children but cannot afford it. Operating independently within the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon and under the leadership of Archbishop Sample, ASCEND provides tuition assistance

regardless of a family's location or chosen Catholic school. For more information visit [ascend-cseforegon.org](http://ascend-cseforegon.org)

**St. Patrick's Day** – March 16<sup>th</sup>. St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Portland invites you to its annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner with seating times at 11:00 AM, 1:30 PM, and 3:30 PM. Enjoy a meal catered by Kells Irish Pub, live Irish music, and a silent auction. For more information visit site [stpatriickpdx.org](http://stpatriickpdx.org).

**Women's Silent Retreat** – Lent: A Season for Rediscovering Christ. Fr. Joachim Aldaba, O.Praem. March 21-23. For more information visit [olpretreat.org](http://olpretreat.org). \$225 for the weekend. \$168 for commuters. \$84 for Saturday only.

**Catholic in Recovery Retreat** – Retreat for those impacted by addiction. Witness talks, discussions, meetings, sacraments and fellowship. Men's Retreat: March 28-30. Women's Retreat: April 11-13. Our Lady of Peace Retreat House. Register at [catholicinrecovery.com/events](http://catholicinrecovery.com/events).

**Lenten Day Retreat** – Speaker: Dina Marie of Faith Moments. Theme: A Spiritual Oasis for the Jubilee Year – Exploring Our Call: Walking with Christ. Friday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, 8:30am – 2:30pm. The Grotto Conference Center. Register at [dinamarie.org](http://dinamarie.org).

**Ignite NW** – Ignite NW invites high school students into a deeper relationship with God and neighbor through sacred liturgy, authentic community, and faithful intellectual formation at an annual Catholic youth conference. July 16-20, 2025. University of Portland. Visit [ignitenw.org](http://ignitenw.org) for more information or to register.

**Seminarian Appeal** – We have 10 new seminarians this year, bringing us to 30 men in formation. With 4 priestly ordinations in 2024 and a steady influx of local men discerning the priesthood over the past years, these future priests need our prayers and support to continue their journey of faith and service. Your contribution is vital in providing the resources they need to become dedicated priests. Help build the future of our Church!