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MARCH 10, 2024

Mass & Confession Times

SUNDAY MASSES

5:00pm Saturday Vigil
8:00am Sunday (English)
10:00am Sunday (English)
Noon Sunday (Spanish)

DAILY MASSES

7:15am Monday—Friday
8:00am Saturday

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:30-4:30pm or by appointment



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

4:30-7:30pm Thursday

Sacramental Life

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact Fr. Paul or Fr. Michael.

BAPTISM

Please contact Fr. Michael, Ext. 510.

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

Please contact Rectory Office.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Please contact Teresa Markgraf, Ext. 502.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Please contact a priest eight months in advance.

Rectory Office Hours

Monday—Friday 8:00am-3:00pm.



There will be a Celebration of life for parishioner Patricia Espinoza March 17, 2:00-5:00pm at Rivercliff Estates, 15127 NE Rose Pkwy, (at the Clubhouse). All are welcome to attend.

Parish Calendar:

SUNDAY, MARCH 10, Fourth Sunday of Lent

10:00 am Spanish First Communion Class, Clare Hall
11:15 am RCIA Session, Rectory Basement
1:45-3:15 pm Confirmation Year 1, Clare Hall and Spanish Parents in Cantwell Hall

MONDAY, MARCH 11

5:30 pm Stepping Into Serenity Al Anon Meeting, Guadalupe Room

TUESDAY, MARCH 12

5:30 pm Spanish Mass Choir Practice, Church
6:30 pm SVDP Meeting, Rectory Large Conference Room
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Church Basement

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

7:00 pm Spanish Charismatic Choir Practice, Church

THURSDAY, MARCH 14

4:30-7:30 pm Adoration, Church
7:00 pm AA Meeting, Church Basement
7:30 pm 10am Mass Choir Practice, Church

FRIDAY, MARCH 15

5:00-8:00 pm Fish Fry, Cantwell Hall
6:00 pm English Stations of The Cross, Church
7:00 pm Spanish Stations of the Cross, Church

SATURDAY, MARCH 16

8:00 am Spanish Bible Study, Rectory Large Conference Room
6:45 pm El Cenacolo de Oracion, Clare Hall

SUNDAY, MARCH 17, Fifth Sunday of Lent

10:00 am Spanish First Communion Class, Clare Hall
11:00 am English First Communion Class, School Room 134
11:00 am Living Communion Meeting, Rectory Basement

Happy St. Patrick's Day, Sunday, March 17th!



Mass Intentions for the Week

SANCTUARY LIGHT: HR Parishioners

MONDAY, MARCH 11

7:15am **Souls in Purgatory**
by Mara Moreno

TUESDAY, MARCH 12

7:15am **Steve Larson**
by The Larson Family

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

7:15am **Sr. Prisca Hui**
by Sr. Terese Tsang

8:20am **Mrs. Mary Hui & Family**
by Sr. Terese Tsang

THURSDAY, MARCH 14

7:15am **The Ordway Family**
by Marc & Kathy Battilega

FRIDAY, MARCH 15

7:15am **Jack Basic †**
by Folz Family

SATURDAY, MARCH 16

8:00am **Thomas Campbell**
by Gordon Oliver & Pat Cary

5:00pm **Clarence Winters †**
by The Holy Cross Priests

SUNDAY, MARCH 17 **Fifth Sunday in Lent**

8:00am **Cody Folz's Birthday**
by His Family

10:00am **Fleming & Markgraf Families**
by Tom Markgraf

12:00pm **HR Parishioners**

CORRECTION: March 10, 2024

10:00am **Macaria Isabel Basquiex Gutierrez †**
by Matilda Basquiex Gutierrez

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

FOR THE WEEK OF 2-25-2024

Electronic Donations \$4,522.13

Envelopes \$1,380.

Loose \$1,121.50

Total \$7,023.63

2nd Collections:

Educate-A-Child \$75.00

Central & Eastern Europe Churches \$140.00

This Week's Readings

Sunday,
March 10 2 Chronicles 36:14-16,19-23
Ephesians 2:4-10
John 3:14-21

Monday,
March 11 Isaiah 65:17-21
John 4:43-54

Tuesday,
March 12 Ezekiel 47:1-9,12
John 5:1-16

Wednesday,
March 13 Isaiah 49:8-15
John 5:17-30

Thursday,
March 14 Ezekiel 32:7-14
John 5:31-47

Friday,
March 15 Wisdom 2:1a,12-22
John 7:1-2,10,25-30

Saturday
March 16 Jeremiah 11:18-20
John 7:40-53

Sunday,
March 17 Ezekiel 37:12-14
Romans 8:8-11
John 11:1-45



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY WED!

Elizabeth Kathleen Skurdahl and Michael Dane Blythe were married at Holy Redeemer Catholic Church on March 3, 2024.

May the Lord bless them as they begin their holy vocations!

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Growing in Faith and Upcoming Parish Events



HOLY REDEEMER'S SVDP CONFERENCE Our conference is staffed and funded entirely through volunteers. *Thank you for donations from the parish and from partner agencies.* We are an equal opportunity provider and all requests are treated confidentially. **Many thanks for your donations and financial support!**

HELP NEEDED! We are in need of a few volunteers on Thursdays from 1:30-2:30pm to help weigh and stock donations from New Seasons. If you can help out, please email Mary Ellen at meadlar@comcast.net.

PANTRY NEEDS: Please donate Egg Cartons & a variety of Canned Fruits, bring to the pantry, parish office or cart by main church doors. Thank you!

FOOD PANTRY: Our pantry is located behind the church, we are open Wednesdays and Saturdays from 2:30 to 4:00 pm.

RENT & UTILITIES ASSISTANCE: SVDP Emergency Services Hotline at 503-235-8431 or www.svdppdx.org. Parish donors make this assistance possible. Thank you!

WELCOME

YOUR HOLY REDEEMER STORIES BEGINS NOW. WELCOME THE NEW FAMILY:

Rachel Wiles and Anthony Malone, with their children, Nomi and Kash, have joined the Holy Redeemer community. Welcome to the Holy Redeemer faith family!



EASTER FLOWERS

It is time to participate in the Memorial Flower Fund. A list will be published so that the Parish community will be able to join in prayer for those remembered/honored. The last date to drop off your memorial contribution is **Wednesday, March 19th**. This allows time to prepare the list for the bulletin on Easter. You may drop your monetary gift, marked FLOWER FUND, including who is being remembered and your name in the collection basket or leave it at the Parish Office.



MENU

Fish Dinner: 3 piece cod \$15
\$13 child/senior 2 piece
includes: french fries, coleslaw, corn & dinner roll

Mac & Cheese Dinner: \$15
\$11 child/senior portion
includes: french fries, coleslaw, corn & dinner roll

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JOIN US

HOLY REDEEMER 2024 LENTEN FISH FRY

community event sponsored by the Holy Redeemer Parent Club

FRIDAYS
March 1st
March 8th
March 15th

Cantwell Hall

127 N. Rosa Parks, 97217

Food service 5-8pm
Dine-in or take-out

For questions or to volunteer please email or call:



hfishfry@holyredeemerpx.org
Theresa Berney at 971-235-5419

Upcoming Holy Redeemer Parish Events

LENTEN SCHEDULE 2024

Thursday Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

4:30pm-7:30pm

Friday Stations of the Cross

6:00pm in English

7:00pm in Spanish

Reconciliation Opportunities

Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm and

by appointment, call 503-285-4539

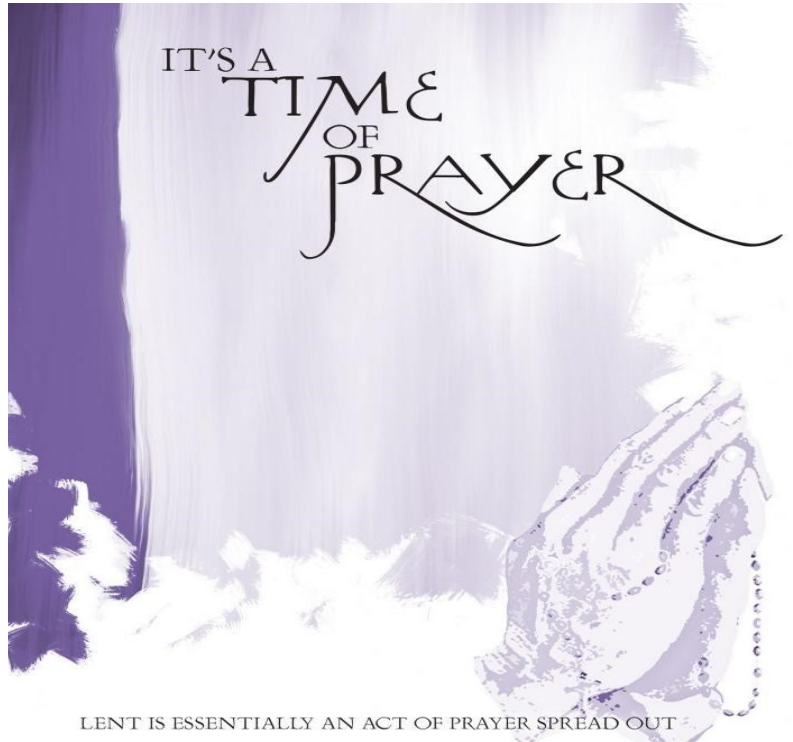
Palm Sunday of the Passion of Our Lord

Saturday, March 23—5:00pm English Mass

Sunday, March 24 -- 8:00am English Mass

Sunday, March 24 – 10:00am English Mass

Sunday, March 24 – Noon Spanish Mass



LENT IS ESSENTIALLY AN ACT OF PRAYER SPREAD OUT OVER 40 DAYS. AS WE PRAY, WE GO ON A JOURNEY, ONE THAT HOPEFULLY BRINGS US CLOSER TO CHRIST AND LEAVES US CHANGED BY THE ENCOUNTER WITH HIM.

HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC SCHOOL 2024 ANNUAL AUCTION



Dinner & Live Auction

Saturday, April 13, 2024, 5:30 pm

Sheraton Portland Airport Hotel

8235 NE Airport Way, Portland, OR 97220

Online Silent Auction

Online Begins Sunday, April 7, 2024

Tickets for the In-Person event are now on sale for \$90 p/p, \$180 p/couple, and \$900 p/table (Table of 10 includes 2 Bottles of Champagne). www.holyredeemerpx.org/auction.

Fr. Paul's Message



Dear Holy Redeemer,

In the first readings for these Sundays in Lent we have worked through the promising but tragic history of Israel, a history of promises by God, of broken promises and fresh starts by Israel. We have seen this in the stories of the covenant with Noah, Abraham's obedient trust, the commands given to Moses to keep Israel faithful to the Lord. Now we come to the final disaster, inevitably brought on by Israel's repeated failure and infidelity. This whole history of Israel was composed with the background theme that fidelity brought prosperity and that a healing punishment was the inevitable consequence of desertion of the Lord. In this final chapter the historian looks back at the ultimate disaster of Exile in Babylon, and the return of a renewed Israel to the Holy City. Even then the promised blessing of God seemed long delayed. They were an oppressed little community, huddled round Jerusalem, harassed by their neighbors and dominated by one foreign power after another. After some years they did rebuild the Temple, but they continued to yearn for the decisive intervention of God which would enable them to serve their Lord in freedom and total dedication.

The Letter to the Ephesians is usually considered to be the first commentary and reflection on Paul rather than from the Apostle's own hand, reflecting on the salvation won by Christ. After the record in the first reading of the repeated failures of Israel, the message, twice repeated, that salvation is by grace alone, is particularly apt. Grace here means not a substance poured into our souls to provide some sort of salvific energy, but is the unmerited favor and choice by God. It is a personal relationship rather than a material, rather even than a spiritual gift. God has smiled on each of us and invited us into his family. In the light of this gift of sonship we are strengthened and encouraged to serve him, so that this gift of his body and blood becomes an ever stronger and more important element in our lives. God shows us his love and we respond. So he shows us even greater love. But the greatest gift of all is his Son and the salvation, the new life won for us by Christ.

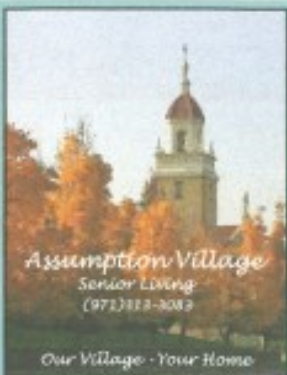
After Jesus' conversation with Nicodemus comes this reflection on his visit. Is it Jesus' reflection or the evangelists? The text does not make it clear. Throughout the gospel of John people are coming to Jesus and judging themselves by their reactions to Jesus. The Father judges no one, but has given all judgment to the Son. In his turn the Son does not judge, but we judge ourselves by our reaction to him. So at the wedding at Cana the disciples believe in him and see his glory. In the Temple the Jews refuse belief and are condemned. Then comes Nicodemus in secret and in fear. He is sitting on the fence, afraid of the Pharisees, but by the time of the burial he has decided for Jesus. After Nicodemus comes the Samaritan woman, unbelieving at first, but won over by Jesus' persistence. And so on: the Jews on one side, the man healed at the Pool of Bethesda on the other; the Jews on one side, the man blind from birth on the other. The decision is ours too: when confronted by Jesus do we come to the light that our deeds may be known, or do we shun the light, abandon the gift of family, love, mercy and eternal life?

Fr. Paul Ybarra, C.S.C.

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