

HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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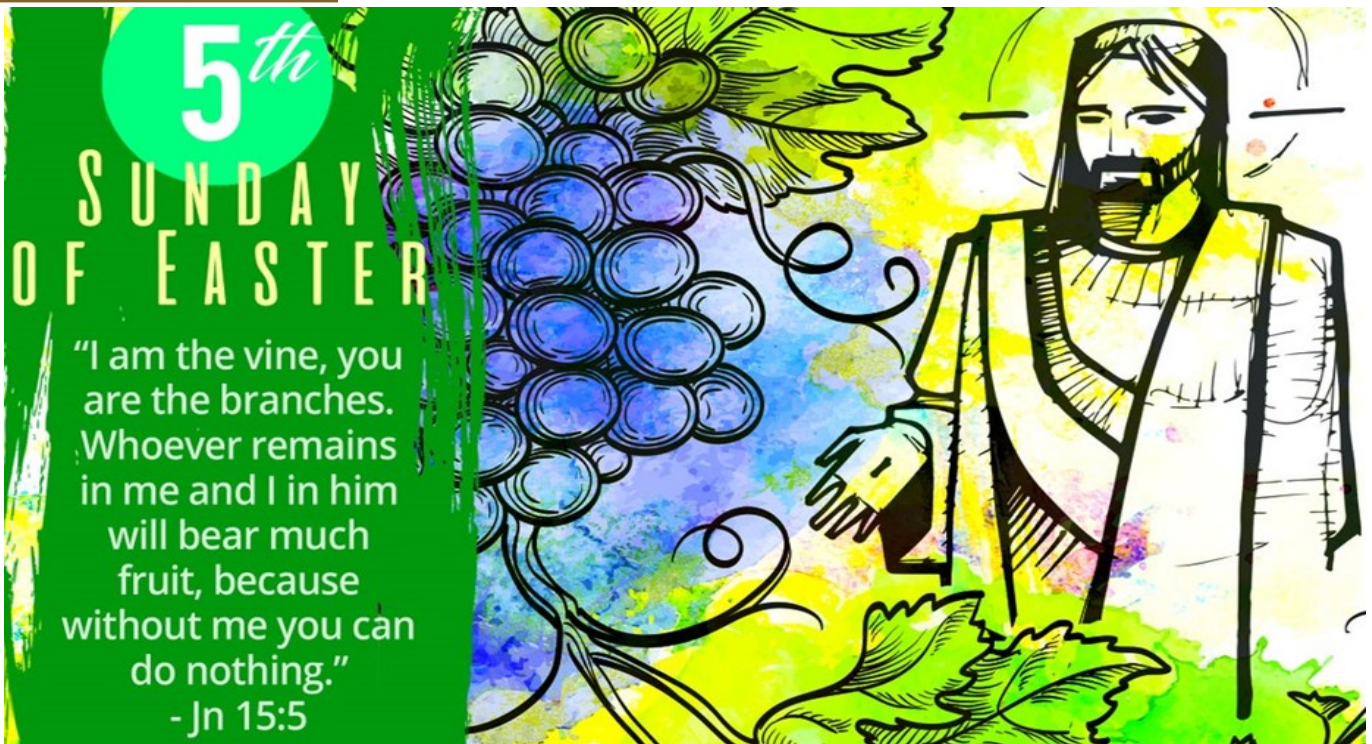
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"WITH THE LORD THERE IS MERCY AND FULLNESS OF REDEMPTION"

<https://holyredeemerpdchurch.org>

MAY 2, 2021



Mass & Confession Times

SUNDAY MASSES

8:00am Sunday (English)

10:00am Sunday (English) (Live on Facebook)

12:00pm Sunday (Spanish) (Live on Facebook)

2:00pm Sunday (Spanish)

DAILY MASSES

9:00am Monday and Wednesday

CONFESSIONS

Call to make appointment 503-285-4539

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

4:30-7:30pm Thursday

Sacramental Life

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Please contact a priest eight months in advance.

BAPTISM

Please contact Fr. Michael, Ext. 510.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Please contact Teresa Markgraf, Ext. 502.

FIRST COMMUNION and CONFIRMATION

Please contact Meaghen Igloria, Ext. 512.

Rectory Office Hours

Monday—Friday 8:00am-3:00pm

Masses for the Week

SANCTUARY LIGHT: HR Parishioners

MONDAY, MAY 3

9:00am Kwok Yee Tse †

TUESDAY, MAY 4

Kwai Chun Mak †

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5

9:00am Fr. Peter Tsang †

THURSDAY, MAY 6

Adrienne Kersey

FRIDAY, MAY 7

Souls in Purgatory

SATURDAY, MAY 8

Claire Safranski †

SUNDAY, MAY 9

8:00am Gloria Safranski †

10:00am HR Parishioners

Noon Carla Peters

2:00pm Charlie Browne

This Week's Readings

Monday,
May 3

1 Corinthians 15: 1-8
John 14: 6-14

Tuesday,
May 4

Acts 14: 19-28
John 14: 27-31

Wednesday,
May 5

Acts 15: 1-6
John 15:1-8

Thursday,
May 6

Acts 15: 7-21
John 15: 9-11

Friday,
May 7

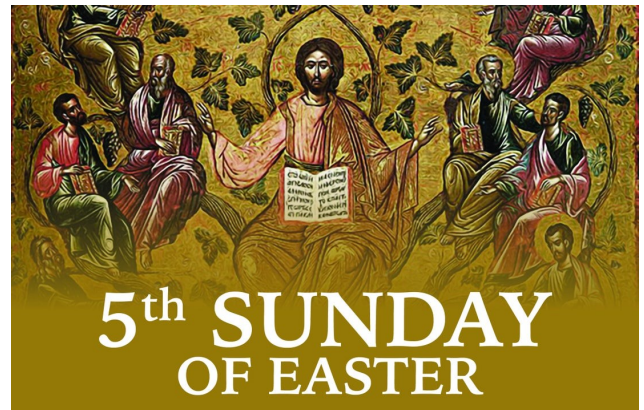
Acts 15: 22-31
John 15: 12-17

Saturday,
May 8

Acts 16: 1-10
John 15: 18-21

Sunday,
May 9

Acts 10: 25-26,34-35,44-48
1 John 4: 7-10
John 15: 9-17



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Church News, Outreach and Social Justice


VISIT USCCB.ORG

Based in Washington, DC, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' website is a helpful source of information and official episcopal documents that are not picked up by the secular media.

HOLY REDEEMER SENDS CONDOLENCES

Please pray for the repose of the souls of these Sisters of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary, who also taught at Holy Redeemer: Sr. Magdalen Basick, Sr. Rosemary Antonich, and Sr. Susan Mitchell. "Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them."

HOLY REDEEMER SVDP CONFERENCE

 The FOOD ROOM needs a volunteer / team of two for the Fourth Monday each month at noon to PICK UP FOOD, 40 cases, from St. Andrew's. This task takes about 1 hour. If you have a pickup truck or a van and are interested in helping email Carol Chislett at svdp@holyredeemerpx.org or 503-880-2780. Thank you!

For the week ending 4/14/2021, we've served 23 families with \$3,871 in food/rent/utilities. Holy Redeemer church/school donated 200 lbs. of food and volunteers offered 47 hours of time. Thank you for your ongoing love and sacrifices.



Not sure what to do with that old vehicle? Consider donating it to St. Vincent de Paul's Portland Council to support our emergency rent, utility, and food programs! The donation process is easy and completely free to you; vehicle donations are also tax-deductible. Call Katie at 503-595-2286 to donate or email cars@svdpportland.org for more information.



HOLY REDEEMER PARISH

Fiscal Year July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021

Offertory	Actual	Budget	% of Goal
March	\$37,193	\$43,750	85%
Year-to-Date	\$369,737	\$393,750	94%
Annual Budget		\$525,000	

Pastor's Message



Dear Friends:

There are two months when the Catholic Church traditionally honors Mary: the month of May and the month of October. This coming Friday our first-grade students will participate in the traditional May Crowning of Mary at the school Mass. They will come with fresh flowers and surely be excited to come in procession and place them one by one before her statue.

In my own home, I would not say that we had much by way of Marian devotion, though we always had a small statue of Mary above a hutch in our dining room. I learned to pray the rosary when I was about 16 and my best friend's mother was dying. He and I started praying the rosary together after someone explained to us how to pray it.

My favorite place of all that honors Mary is the Grotto at Notre Dame. In 1878, Fr. Edward Sorin, the founder of Notre Dame, had a replica of the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes built on campus. Some say it is the closest replica they have ever seen of the original Grotto in France.

The rosary has been prayed there every day at 6:45 p.m. since time immemorial, come rain or snow. There are racks of devotional candles always burning, and tradition says that when you take a wick to light your candle, you should light it from a candle that is about to burn out. That way you join someone's prayer to yours and keep it going.

It is a place very popular with students who can be found praying there at all hours of the night (especially during final exams) or for people to visit during a crisis or some kind of personal loss.

I remember one gentleman stopping by my office in Campus Ministry one day. He told me that his daughter had just died of cancer, and he drove to Notre Dame to find some solace at the Grotto. As he knelt there at night, a Notre Dame student knelt down not far from him. She started to sob and he asked if she wanted to talk. It turned out that her father had just died unexpectedly. As they talked about their mutual loss, he said, "It seems like you need a father right now and I need a daughter," and they embraced. He spoke of it as something of a miraculous and healing encounter. He gave Mother Mary all the credit.

I share this because the Grotto helped me to develop a friendship with Mary that did not really exist before. I cannot say that I pray the rosary as often as I should, but when I think of all the holy women who have shaped my life of faith, isn't it just possible that Mary herself seeks out friendship with people who love her son?

While we cannot sit and have a cup of coffee or a glass of wine with Mary, I suspect an occasional rosary connects us more intimately to this amazing woman than we dare believe. In addition, since Jesus cannot say "no" to his mother, there is no telling what can happen when we ask for her intercession before her son!

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Pat