



# HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OCTOBER 16 2022

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### 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 Frs. Cameron, Pat or 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

### Parish Calendar

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16

10:00 am Spanish First Communion Class, Clare Hall  
11:00 am Communion Economy Discussion Brunch, Rectory  
1:00 pm Medjugorje Informational Meeting, Clare Hall

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 17

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

6:30 pm Hispanic Ministry Team Meeting, Rectory

#### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18

7:00 pm Hispanic AA Meeting, Guadalupe Room  
7:00 pm Charismatic Group Class, Clare Hall

#### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19

7:00 pm Charismatic Group Choir Practice, Church

#### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20

6:30 pm Spanish Women’s Guitar Group, Clare Hall  
7:00 pm Hispanic AA Meeting, Guadalupe Room  
7:30 pm Choir Practice (10am Choir), Church

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21

6:00 pm Charismatic Group, Church  
6:00 pm Spanish Baptism Preparation Class, Clare Hall

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22

7:00 pm Spanish First Communion Group, Clare Hall

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23

10:00 am Spanish First Communion Class, Clare Hall  
11:00 am Communion Economy Discussion Brunch, Rectory  
11:00 am RCIA Team Meeting, Rectory Conference  
1:30 pm First Communion Adult Group Class, Clare



### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Michael Ramirez and Ember White who were married at Holy Redeemer Church on October 8, 2022. May the Lord bless them in their vocation and as they begin life together.

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### SANCTUARY LIGHT: HR Parishioners

MONDAY, OCTOBER 17

7:15am Jim Safranski  
*by Dick Safranski*

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18

7:15am Anita Kwan  
*by Sr. Terese Tsang*

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19

7:15am Anita Kwan  
*by Sr. Terese Tsang*

8:20am Priests Worldwide

*by Rosa Allanby*

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20

7:15am Marie Hong Tran †  
*by Joseph S. Tran*

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21

7:15am Peter Tutmark †  
*by Dick Safranski*

SATURDAY OCTOBER 22

8:00am Mary Pope †  
*by Del Keller*

5:00pm Marie Hong Tran †  
*by Joseph S. Tran*

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23

8:00am In Thanksgiving

10:00am HR Parishioners

Noon Crystal Reynel  
*By Her Family*



### SAINT VINCENT DE APUL COLLECTION TODAY

St. Vincent de Paul volunteers will be collecting donations at the back of the Church after the Masses this weekend. **Thank you** for your continuing support.

## This Week's Readings

Sunday, October 16  
Exodus 17:8-13  
2 Timothy 3:14—4:2  
Luke 18:1-8

Monday, October 17  
Ephesians 2:1-10  
Luke 12:13-21

Tuesday, October 18  
2 Timothy 4:10-17b  
Luke 10:1-9

Wednesday, October 19  
Ephesians 3:2-12  
Luke 12:39-48

Thursday, October 20  
Ephesians 3:14-21  
Luke 12:49-53

Friday, October 21  
Ephesians 4:1-6  
Luke 12:1-7

Saturday, October 22  
Ephesians 4:7-16  
Luke 13:1-9

Sunday, October 23  
Sirach 35:12-14,16-18  
2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18  
Luke 18:9-14

**HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

**IN-PERSON OPEN HOUSE**  
**PRESCHOOL - 8<sup>TH</sup>**

OCTOBER 12<sup>TH</sup> & JANUARY 18<sup>TH</sup>  
4 - 6 PM

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Holy Redeemer Catholic School

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## Church News, Outreach and Social Justice

### WHITE MASS FOR HEALTHCARE WORKERS ON OCTOBER 22nd

You are cordially invited to attend a special White Mass on behalf of health care professionals, celebrated by Archbishop Sample Saturday, October 22 at 5:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Cathedral, 1716 NW Davis Street. All are welcome.

Guest speaker and dinner (\$95 per person) at 7:30pm follows. Rev. Tadeusz Pacholczyk, Ph.D., a priest of the Diocese of Fall River, Massachusetts, earned his doctorate in neuroscience from Yale and did postdoctoral work at Harvard. Currently, he serves as the Director of Education at The National Catholic Bioethics Center in Philadelphia and directs the Center's National Catholic Certification Program in Health Care Ethics.



### HOLY REDEEMER'S SVDP CONFERENCE

"Giving help and hope one person at a time." The Society of St. Vincent de Paul was founded by a small group of students in Paris in 1835 and now stretches across the globe. Its namesake and patron saint was a sixteenth century priest from Pouy, France who became known as the "Father of the Poor." The Society was unique for its time in that it was formed by lay Catholics, and it offered charity to foreigners as well as non-Catholics. A truly Christian enterprise! Our conference at Holy Redeemer seeks to reflect this Vincentian spirit through our rent and utility assistance program as well as a food pantry, all staffed and funded entirely through volunteers. Our pantry receives food from the parish as well as partner agencies such as the Oregon Food Bank, Safeway, and Nite Hawk Cafe & Lounge. Each conference is governed by a Board of Directors which includes a spiritual advisor and is overseen by the Portland District Council [www.svdppdx.org](http://www.svdppdx.org). Meetings take place in the rectory on the **second Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.** For more information, please contact board president Gordon Oliver [oliver.svdp@gmail.com](mailto:oliver.svdp@gmail.com).

### FOOD PANTRY

**Do you have enough food for yourself or your family? Our pantry offers fresh, frozen and canned food to those in need. Located behind the church, we are open Wednesdays and Saturdays from 2:30 to 4:00 pm. Other food resources include the SVDP website at [www.svdppdx.org](http://www.svdppdx.org) and [foodfinder.oregonfoodbank.org](http://foodfinder.oregonfoodbank.org). SVDP is an equal opportunity provider and all requests are treated confidentially.**

### PANTRY NEEDS:

**We welcome any fresh vegetables or fruit. You may bring fresh food items during our pantry hours on Wednesdays or Saturdays, or email Gordon Oliver at [oliver.svdp@gmail.com](mailto:oliver.svdp@gmail.com) to arrange a drop off time. Thanks! Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Dental Floss and Sacks of Potatoes.** Bring donations to the pantry during open hours, the rectory, or use the shopping cart at the entrance to the church. With your help we can offer items that are otherwise difficult to obtain. Thank you!

### RENT & UTILITIES ASSISTANCE

Need help paying for rent or utilities? SVDP Holy Redeemer offers up to \$750 in rent and \$400 in utility assistance per year to individuals or families living within our parish boundaries. To apply, call the **SVDP Emergency Services Hotline at 503-235-8431** or visit the website at [www.svdppdx.org](http://www.svdppdx.org). Parish donors make this assistance possible. Thank you

### VOLUNTEERS FOR MONTHLY MEAL SERVICE AT ST. ANDRE BESSETTE DOWNTOWN

Our Holy Redeemer Conference of St. Vincent de Paul will again be providing a monthly meal service at St. Andre Bessette downtown, in their commercial kitchen. **The time commitment is typically less than 4 hours a month and Holy Redeemer Catholic School Fair Share Hours are available to school families that participate.**

**Holy Redeemer will be hosting the second Fridays of the month, starting in October and our goal is to form a team of about 8 volunteers.** Anyone with experience in restaurants/food carts to help coordinate the preparation, packaging and distribution of the to-go meals would be very appreciated.

The Pastor of St. Andre Bessette will provide an orientation for our volunteers on our first Friday and will explain any safety concerns to help everyone feel confident and assured that clients can be served with dignity and respect. Volunteers will need to be comfortable with using stairs in the work space.

Work starts with the meal preparation 3:00- 4:00pm followed by serving the meal and then of course clean up. At this point, the meals are boxed "to-go" with hopes of moving to "stay and eat" dining room service in the future.

Please contact Carol Chislett at 503 880-2780, Deacon Robert or email [svdp@holyredeemerpx.org](mailto:svdp@holyredeemerpx.org) if have questions and if you'd like to join this important team of volunteers.



## Growing in Faith

**HOLY REDEEMER YOUTH NIGHT!** Teens from grades 8-12 are invited to Holy Redeemer Youth Night on **Sunday October 23rd**. We will begin with a Youth Mass in Clare Hall at 5pm, followed by a pizza dinner and games and activities till 7:15pm. Feel free to bring friends from outside the parish! All are welcome!

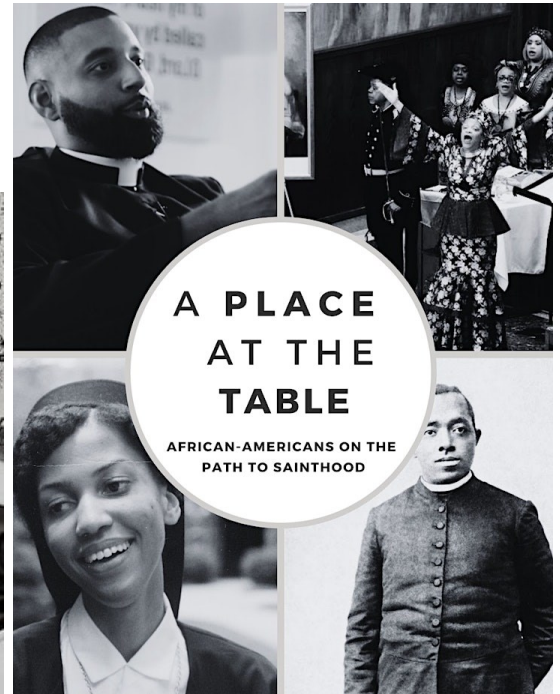
**SOUP 'N' SUCH** Saturday October 29th, 6:15pm:

Holy Redeemer Young Adults ages 21 and up are invited to the Holy Redeemer rectory (basement level) for "Soup 'n' Such" right after the 5:00 Saturday evening mass. This will be a time for young adults in the parish to share in food, fellowship and prayer. In addition, Fr. Pat will be present for a brief conversation about how our parish community can expand its outreach and ministry to draw more people into relationship with Christ, the Church and one another.

Guests are welcome to bring a side dish or snack to contribute, or simply bring yourselves! Soup will be provided by Fr. Cameron.

**ZOOM FILM SCREENING, DISCUSSION and PRAYER ON NOVEMBER 17, 5:30-7pm.**

**KNIGHTS OF ST. PETER CLAVER COUNCIL 225 REGISTER TODAY AT: [HTTPS://SAINTLY.EVENTBRIGHT.COM](https://saintly.eventbright.com)**



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## Fr. Michael's Message



“Are you unaware that we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were indeed buried with him through baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live in newness of life.” (Romans 6:3-4)

**Question:** Is Baptism for infant or adults? What do you think? How would you answer?

**The answer is:** Both! And so we, as a Church, baptize adults AND we baptize infants.

### Infants

The Church uses the word “children” or “infants” for those who haven’t reached the age of discretion, typically 6 or 7 years old, and aren’t able to profess the faith on their own. for themselves. A child can’t make life choices and doesn’t have sufficient development to make responsible moral decisions. Of course, we recognize that a 7-year-old isn’t the same as a 17-year-old or a 77-year-old. But this is the way the Church designates Baptism. Any instruction and teaching for Sacraments takes into account the age and ability of the one who is a candidate for Baptism.

Infants/children under the age of 7 are baptized on the extension of the faith of their Catholic parent/parents. Children can’t make such decisions and aren’t responsible for it. However, parents do and so provide every good thing for their children, including introducing them to Jesus and the Way of faith as a Catholic Christian

### Adults

Those who are 7 years and older are taken into the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**, whose acronym is **RCIA**. This is a process by which, tailored to the needs of the candidates, they learn how to pray, they discern what the Lord is asking of them, they reflect upon the Scriptures, they come to Mass and involve themselves in other Christian activities of prayer and service, as they make their way to the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. RCIA is the norm for initiation into the Church for those who are not infants.

### Godparent/Sponsor

Both sacramental celebrations need a Sponsor also known as Godparent. Godparents have no legal obligation to those whom they sponsor, but they’re called to represent the wider Church community, be a witness to the Faith, a partner in prayer, and help the person on their journey toward the Kingdom. For godparents of infants, their task is to assist parents to raise their children in the Faith since parents have that primary role.

Given the role of public witness that godparents share, they must: 1. Be 16 years old or older, 2. Be initiated with the three sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist and living out their faith. 3. If married, they need to have been married in the Church so as to remain in communion with the Church.

Living out our Baptism is a daily challenge and joyful adventure, both as children and as adults. Sharing in another’s baptism as a Godparent or Sponsor is a real gift. But together, we always live out our Faith in Jesus Christ and give witness to the Gospel by all that we say and do. Alleluia!

Peace,

Fr. Michael

