



HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH

SERVED BY THE CONGREGATION OF HOLY CROSS

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“WITH THE LORD THERE IS MERCY AND FULLNESS OF REDEMPTION”

<https://holyredeemerpxchurch.org>

SEPTEMBER 4, 2022



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, SEPTEMBER 4

10:00 am Spanish First Communion Class, Clare Hall
11:00 am Communion Economy Discussion Brunch
Cantwell Hall

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, HAPPY LABOR DAY

5:30 pm Stepping Into Serenity Alanon Meeting,
Guadalupe Room

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

7:00 pm Charismatic Group Choir Practice, Church

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

6:30 PM Spanish Women’s Guitar Group, Clare Hall
7:00 pm Hispanic AA Meeting, Guadalupe Room

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

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

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

9:00 am Spanish Bible Study & Prayer Group, Clare Hall
2:00pm SVDP Picnic, School Tent & Grounds

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

10:00 am Spanish First Communion Class, Clare Hall
11:00 am Communion Economy Discussion Brunch
Cantwell Hall

After Masses September 10 & 11 come see the Parish Ministry & Activities Tables outside the church— many ways to JOIN IN our community, as we live as followers of Christ.

Mass Intentions for the Week

SANCTUARY LIGHT: HR Parishioners
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, LABOR DAY

7:15am Patrick Wong
by His Family

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

7:15am Heidi Tse & Family
by Sr. Terese Tsang

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

7:15am Edith Tse & Family
by Sr. Terese Tsang

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

7:15am Patrick Wong
by His Family

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

7:15am Special Intention
by Julie Howe

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 10

8:00am Patrick Wong
by His Family
5:00pm Alicia Lopez Sandoval †
by Alejandra Lopez

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

8:00am HR Parishioners
10:00am Ruth Tse & Family
by Sr. Terese Tsang
Noon Crystal Reynel
By Her Family



This Week's Readings

Sunday, Wisdom 9:13-18b
September 4 Philemon 9-10,12-17
Luke 14:25-33

Monday, 1 Corinthians 5:1-8
September 5 Luke 6:6-11

Tuesday, 1 Corinthians 6:1-11
September 6 Luke 6:12-19

Wednesday, 1 Corinthians 7:25-31
September 7 Luke 6:20-26

Thursday, Micah 5:1-4a
September 8 Matthew 1:1-16,18-23

Friday, 1 Corinthians 9:16-19
September 9 Luke 6:39-42

Saturday, 1 Corinthians 10:14-22
September 10 Luke 6:43-49

Sunday, Exodus 32:7-11,13-14
September 11 1 Timothy 1:12-17
Luke 15:1-32

HOLY REDEEMER SCHOOL

School will begin on September 6th. Please keep in prayer our teachers and administrators, our students and families in prayer, our volunteers and clergy. We appreciate your support!

With changes to traffic and parking patterns, please be especially cautious and aware of our precious children as school starts this week.

Pastoral Team

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Church News, Outreach and Social Justice



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. 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.

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 and foodfinder.oregonfoodbank.org. SVDP is an equal opportunity provider and all requests are treated confidentially.

PANTRY NEEDS

Frozen Meats (please bring to the pantry or rectory only), Canned Chicken and Canned Tuna, 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. Parish donors make this assistance possible. Thank you!

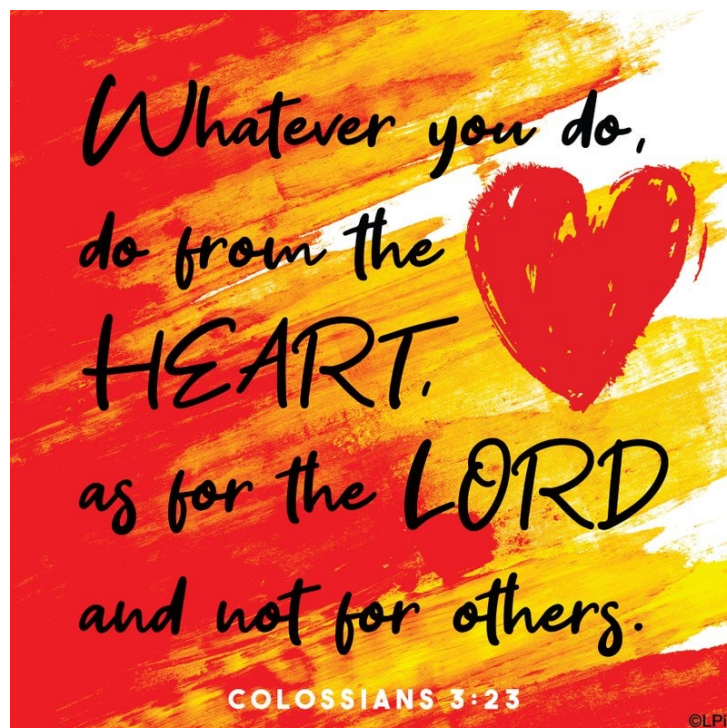


DONATIONS FOR HOMELESS SHELTERS

We are partnering with Do Good Multnomah to collect NEW Socks and NEW Underwear (Men's & Women's) sizes Small –XXL. Place donations in bin by the main entrance doors in the front of church. **Learn more at DoGoodMultnomah.org.**

Many thanks for filling the bin, let's try for twice filled!

Thank you for helping bring dignity and hygiene to our homeless neighbors.



Growing in Faith



CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION

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Our parish is now ready to start receiving registrations for our two-year confirmation program, which will begin in the fall. Families of teens going into the 8th grade and older are invited to fill out registration forms either in the parish office during weekday office hours or on our parish website at <https://holyredeemerpxchurch.org/confirmation-1>. **September 2nd is the deadline for registration.** Confirmation candidates will typically meet from 2-3:30pm on Sundays throughout the academic year, beginning on September 11th.

INSCRIPCIONES DE CONFIRMACION

Si desea que su hijo o hija participe en el programa de preparación para la Confirmación, empezando en otoño 2022 y culminando con la Confirmación en primavera 2024, los formularios de inscripción ya están listos. Se invita a las familias de adolescentes de octavo(8) grado y mayores que completen su inscripción en la oficina parroquial durante el horario de oficina de lunes a viernes. También se puede completar los formularios en nuestro sitio web en <https://holyredeemerpxchurch.org/confirmation-1>.

El 2 de septiembre es la fecha límite para la inscripción. Los candidatos a la confirmación normalmente se reunirán de 2:00 p. m. a 3:30 p. m. los domingos durante todo el año académico, a partir del 11 de septiembre.

CATHOLIC FRIENDSHIP GROUP:

Singles, ages 40-60. Eucharistic Adoration followed by a talk and discussion led by Fr. Joshua Clifton. Next topic: Mary in the Scriptures – Part II. Our group continues to grow! Come join us for our next gathering. Friday, September 9th, 7:00pm-8:30pm. Location: St. Birgitta Catholic Church, 11820 NW St. Helens Rd, Portland. RSVP to: CatholicFriendshipGroup@outlook.com Visit www.catholicfriendshipgroup.com for more details.



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mybyzantinechurch.org/

Nativity of the Mother of God Ukrainian Catholic Church
nativityukr.org/



Fr. Pat's Message



Dear Friends:

This coming Tuesday, September 6, our school year begins. One of the constant challenges for any school is the hiring of new teachers. Deirdre McPheeters has been untiring in her search for teachers the past several months, and the Lord has listened to her prayer. Here are the new teachers that we are welcoming to Holy Redeemer School:

Amy Taylor: Spanish Teacher K-4th/ELD Teacher. Having spent four summers in Guatemala, Amy Taylor has been able to immerse herself in the language of Latin America and is excited to teach Spanish here at HR. Amy has been a licensed teacher for 18 years earning her BA from Wells College in New York State and an MA in Elementary Education at New York University. She also received her ESOL Endorsement at Portland State University and will provide support to our students that need English for Speakers of Other Language support.

Philippe Kreiter: Spanish (5th-7th) / Latin (8th) Teacher. Philippe has been active in our parish for years as an organist and pianist, and has led music at the Spanish Mass since 2013. He is also our new D.R.E. and Director of Music for the parish. Philippe spent his childhood in France and was raised surrounded by French and Spanish. He comes to us after working at Central Catholic where he started the Latino Student Services and Outreach to the Latino community, and Spanish for Native Speakers courses. He also taught French. He will be wearing multiple hats, for sure.

Joe Leahy: Music Teacher. Joe Leahy joins our music team to direct our afterschool music choirs (4th/5th and Middle School) as well as take on the position of Music Teacher to our primary and middle school music classes. Joe comes to Holy Redeemer with a BA in Music Education from Gonzaga University and a Master of Education from the University of Portland. We are pleased to be able to continue the growth of our school choirs.

Dennis Carline: PE/MS Health Teacher. Dennis is coming to Holy Redeemer with a long career in teaching PE/Health and coaching sports. Over the years he has been honored with awards from students and parents alike acknowledging his service to students and schools. Our students got to know him when he visited Holy Redeemer when he brought his African American Mobile Display during Black History Month. We are excited to have him join us.

Katie Blaskowsky: 5th Grade Teacher. Katie earned her BA in Elementary Education from Concordia University and recently received her MA in Education from the University of Portland. She is excited to be serving as our new 5th grade teacher. She attended Catholic schools here in the Portland where she grew up and is happy to continue her journey in Catholic education. We are delighted to have her join our team.

Renee Blaufus: Middle School Science and 6th Grade Homeroom. Coming to Holy Redeemer after teaching in Tennessee, we are happy to have Renee Blaufus join our Middle School Team. In addition to her middle school duties, Ms. Blaufus will collaborate with our K-5th grade teachers to help support monthly science labs for our younger students. We are pleased to welcome her onboard at our school.

We give thanks for each of these teachers and pray that their time at Holy Redeemer School will be truly blessed for them and their students!

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Pat