

Saint Stephen Catholic Church

Portland, Oregon

Sunday, September 3rd, 2023



*Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Andrea di Bartolo, National Gallery in Washington DC*

Domínica XIV post Pentecosten

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

- Sat 9/2: Intentions of the Immaculate Heart of Mary
The Tyson Family
- Sun 9/3: Kacy Benson
People of the Parish
+Joe Kostelac
- Mon 9/4: +Pete Arnold
- Tues 9/5: John Hammelman
- Wed 9/6: +Mary Heon
- Thu 9/7: Archbishop Sample
- Fri 9/8: Daniel Traeger
- Sat 9/9: Jay Sticka
Giovanna Leon
- Sun 9/10: Colin Harrison
People of the Parish
Liliga Alkhalief

MASS READINGS (Traditional Latin Mass - 1962 Missal)

Saturday: Ecclesiasticus 31:8-11; Luke 19:12-26

Sunday: Galatians 5:16-24; Matthew 6:24-33

Monday: Galatians 5:16-24; Matthew 6:24-33

Tuesday: Ecclesiasticus 44:16-27, 45:3-20; Matthew 25:14-23

Wednesday: Galatians 5:16-24; Matthew 6:24-33

Thursday: Galatians 5:16-24; Matthew 6:24-33

Friday: Proverbs 8:22-35; Matthew 1:1-16

Saturday: Ecclesiasticus 24:14-16; Luke 11:27-28

Sunday: Galatians 5:25-26, 6:1-10; Luke 7:11-16

ALTAR BOY ENROLLMENT AND TRAINING

Contact Stephen or Dylan at: asofsscc@gmail.com

This week's schedule:

Saturday, Sept 2nd: St. Stephen of Hungary, King/Confessor (3rd Class)

- 7:15 am: Adoration with Sung Divine Office
- 9 am: Low Latin Mass
- 10 am: Confessions
- 4 pm: Sung First Vespers of Sunday
- 5 pm: English Mass (22nd Sunday Ordinary Time)
- 8:00 pm: Sung Compline

Sunday, Sept. 3rd: 14th Sunday After Pentecost (2nd Class)

- 7:00 am: Sung Latin Prime and Terce
- 8 am: Low Latin Mass followed by Confessions
- 10:30 am: Sung Latin Mass *followed by Baptism of Male Catechumens*
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers followed by Litany of St. Stephen, Protomartyr
- 6 pm: Low Latin Mass
- 9 pm: Sung Compline

Monday, Sept. 4th: Feria (4th Class)

- 7:15 am: Sung Prime and Terce
- 8 am: Low Latin Mass - no sermon

Tuesday, Sept. 5th: St. Lawrence Justinian, Bishop/Confessor (3rd Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass - no sermon
- 12 Noon: **No Noon Mass today**
- 4:30 pm: Chaplet of St. Michael
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers followed by Litany of St. Michael the Archangel

Wednesday, Sept. 6th: Feria (4th Class)

- 8 am: **No Morning Mass today**
- 5 pm: Adoration and Sung Latin Vespers followed by Litany of St. Joseph
- 5:40 pm: Confessions (*Public Rosary at 6 pm—No confessions after Rosary*)
- 6:30 pm: Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
- 6:45 pm: Low Latin Mass (Votive Mass of St. Joseph)

Thursday, Sept. 7th: Feria (4th Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (*comm. Pro Episcopo*)
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers followed by rehearsal for Confirmation
- 5:30 pm: **No Confessions or evening Mass today**
- 6:30 pm: Sacrament of Confirmation. Archbishop Sample.

Friday, Sept. 8th: Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (2nd Class)

- 8 am: **No Morning Mass today** **ABSTINENCE**
- 11 am: Confessions
- 12 Noon: Low Latin Mass
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers followed by Night Litany for the World

Saturday, Sept 9th: St. Peter Claver, Confessor (3rd Class) Comm. St. Gorgonius

- 7:15 am: Adoration with Sung Divine Office
- 9 am: Low Latin Mass
- 10 am: Confessions
- 4 pm: Sung First Vespers of Sunday
- 5 pm: English Mass (22nd Sunday Ordinary Time)
- 8:00 pm: Sung Compline

Sunday, Sept. 10th: 15th Sunday After Pentecost (2nd Class)

- 7:00 am: Sung Latin Prime and Terce
- 8 am: Low Latin Mass followed by Confessions
- 10:30 am: Sung Latin Mass
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers followed by Litany of St. Stephen, Protomartyr
- 6 pm: Low Latin Mass
- 9 pm: Sung Compline

** (St. Michael's Lent: Partial Abstinence every weekday. Fast/Abstinence on Wednesday and Friday)*

LESSONS AT MATINS (Traditional Roman Breviary - 1962)

Find online at [Divinum Officium](http://DivinumOfficium.com) or as an app (Breviarium meum)

Saturday: Ecclesiasticus 4:23-36; Eulogy of King St. Stephen of Hungary

Sunday: Job 1:1-11; Homily of St. Augustine on the Sermon on the Mount

Monday: Job 1:13-22

Tuesday: Job 2:1-13; Eulogy of St. Lawrence Justinian

Wednesday: Job 3:1-16

Thursday: Job 4:1-18

Friday: Canticle of Canticles 1:1-16; Sermon of St. Augustine on the Saints;
Homily of St. Jerome on Matthew

Saturday: Job 7:1-12; Epistle of Pope St. Leo to Pulcheria Augusta

Sunday: Job 9:1-17; Homily of St. Augustine on the Words of the Lord

OFFERTORY COLLECTION (*this week and month to date*)

Offertory

+/- budget

• Envelopes/Cash: \$4,742.65

• Online: \$1,660.00

Total WTD: \$6,402.65

Budget: \$7,812.00 **-\$1,409.35**

Total MTD: \$23,143.18

Budget: \$31,248.00 **-\$8,104.82**

Special Collections

• Maintenance/Restoration: \$980.00

Budget: \$2468.00 **-\$1,488.00**

• Sacred Music: \$150.00

Budget: \$625.00 **-\$475.00**

• School Building Fund: \$688.00

• St. Stephen Festival/Conference: \$15.00

Online giving: <https://www.saintstephenpdx.com/special-events>

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

9/10 Urban Missionaries - Poor Box Collection

9/24 School Building Fund - maintenance, repairs, etc.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANNEL:

LOOK UP THE PLAYLIST: ST. MICHAEL'S LENT AND NOVENA

Saint Stephen Catholic Church PDX.

<https://www.youtube.com/@saintstephenpdx>

RCIA AT ST. STEPHEN

Those interested in becoming Catholic or taking the steps to learn more about the Catholic Faith can email jsalazar@archdpdx.org

NEWS & EVENTS AT ST. STEPHEN

BAPTISM:

9/2: Josephine Arehart (*supplying the ceremonies*)

9/3: (RCIA) Luke Arno, Daniel Goldsmith, Orren Kiesel, Orion Kiesel, Oliver Kiesel & David Norman

9/7: (RCIA) Caroline Ross

CONFIRMATION:

9/7: Archbishop Sample will Confirm youth & RCIA adults. 6:30 pm.

From St. Stephen: Luke Arno, Elijah Campos, Felicity Clary, Paul Emrich, Noe Emrich, Coleson Friebos, Daniel Goldsmith, John Hammelman, Thomas Heffernan, Avery Henley, Xavier Hoffmann, Sol Johnson, Orren Kiesel, Orion Kiesel, Oliver Kiesel, Clare Lawhon, Kieron Lawhon, Matthew Miccolis, David Norman, Olga Pospisil, Caroline Ross, Grace Satyna, Heath Satyna, Noah Traeger, Nova Trainor, Olivia Trainor.

Plus, guests from other parishes.

SAINT MICHAEL'S LENT - AUG. 15 – SEPT. 29

There are 40 days (not counting Sundays) from the Solemnity of the Assumption of the BVM to the Solemnity of St. Michael the Archangel. St. Francis of Assisi observed this 40 day period by fasting and prayer in observance of St. Michael's Fast or Lent. During this time, St. Francis experienced great graces and received the stigmata (the five nail wounds) of Christ. We too may receive great graces for fasting and praying during these 40 days. *Watch the video series on the parish Youtube channel.*

- *Recommended prayer:* St. Michael Chaplet every day.
- *Recommended penance* full abstinence from meat Wed & Fri; partial abstinence (meat only at the main meal) every other day except Sunday. Sunday is a free day - no fasting.
- *Optional penance:* Fast and Abstinence on Wednesdays and Fridays. Each family participating may choose three days during the 40 days on which to use a "coupon" which excuses you from the fast/abstinence.
- *Suggested "coupon days" - choose three (3):*
 - *Sept 4th (Labor Day - Civil Holiday - optional)*
 - Sept. 14th (Exaltation of the Holy Cross - BBQ at parish)
 - Sept. 23rd (St. Linus, Pope/Martyr; St. Padre Pio)

NOVENA TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL: SEPT 20-28

Pray the Novena on the last nine days of St. Michael's Lent (September 20-28).

MOVIE NIGHT: FOR GREATER GLORY (2012)

Saturday, **September 2nd**. Potluck Dinner at 5:30 pm. Movie begins at 6:30 pm. Carmody Hall. "In the exhilarating action epic FOR GREATER GLORY, an impassioned group of men and women risk everything for family, faith and the very future of their country – as the film's adventure unfolds against the long-hidden, true story of the 1920s Cristero War - the daring people's revolt that rocked 20th Century North America.



Starring Andy Garcia, Eva Longoria, Peter O'Toole. Color. 150 min. **Rated R for violence, depiction of cruelty, and martyrdom.** Parents are advised to judge at what age their children should see the film.

THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS BBQ - "COUPON NIGHT"

Thursday, **Sept. 14th**. 8 am Low Mass. 6:45 pm Latin Low Mass with Music. We celebrate with a BBQ after the evening Mass as a "free night" or "coupon night" during St. Michael's Lent. If you are observing partial abstinence from meat through St. Michael's Lent; and abstaining from meat on Wednesdays and Fridays during St. Michael's Lent, you will welcome a "free day".

REGISTRATION FOR CCD CLASSES

Our CCD classes take place during the school year on Sundays between the two morning Masses (after the 8:00 am Mass to 10:15 am). Our first class will be on **September 17**. Registration forms for grades 1-12 are available on the counter of the church vestibule.

THEOLOGY NIGHT: PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Tuesday, **September 19th** at 7 pm. Carmody Hall. This month, Fr. Christopher Bernabe will speak about the history and spiritual benefits of making a pilgrimage, even close to home; and in particular, he will share about his recent pilgrimage to the Holy Land. Ages high school and up. Snacks provided.

ROSARY WALK PILGRIMAGE

Saturday, **September 23rd**. The Feast of St. Padre Pio of Pietralcina. Join us to wrap our Lady's Rosary like a lasso of blessings around the parish boundaries. Approximately 6.8 mile walk. Bring a sack lunch and bottle of water. No pets. Meet in front of the church at 11:15 am. We depart at 11:30 am and return around 3:30 pm.

CATECHISTS FOR CCD

If you would like to serve as a Catechist for our CCD Religious Education program, please contact Joseph Salazar in the parish office or email jsalazar@archdpdx.org.

FR. BERNABE ON PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Please pray for Fr. Bernabe and his pilgrimage group from New Mexico visiting Jerusalem, Galilee, Nazareth, Bethlehem, and many other holy places from August 30th through Sept 9th. May they reach their destination and return safely to praise God and thank Him.

VOCATION NEWS

The Poor Clare Nuns of Rockford joyfully announce the First Profession of vows by their Sister Mary Flores of the Paschal Mystery (Abigail Theresa Irigoyen) daughter of Mr and Mrs. Lorenzo Irigoyen. Friday, Sept 8th, 2023. The Irigoyen family were parishioners of St. Stephen's when their daughter entered the convent. They moved across the country to be closer to her. We give thanks to God for the witness of Sr. Mary Flores and rejoice in her religious vocation. Please pray for her and for all religious.

MORE VOCATION NEWS

Mr. Shawn Natola began his novitiate on July 14th, 2023, being clothed in the religious habit for the Capuchin Franciscans of the Province of St. Mary in Yonkers, NY. His time of novitiate will take place in Southern California.

Dress Code for Mass



Out of respect to Our Lord and for the edification of our neighbor, we beg all men, boys, women, and girls to appear in Church modestly dressed.

- No gym clothes, yoga clothes, revealing clothes or pajamas.
- No bare shoulders on men or women
- No cleavage, no bare chests. Ladies cover up. Men button up.
- No mini-skirts. Skirts should cover the knees while seated. Men should wear long pants.
- No anti-Christian clothing, logos, jewelry, make-up.
- Tattoos should be covered
- Remove piercings of tongues, lips, cheeks, eyelids, noses, or enlarged ears, etc.
- No Cross-dressing.
- No hair color that is unnatural (green, orange, blue, pink, etc.)

REVISED SCHEDULE FOR THE DIVINE OFFICE (Monday in private)

| | Sunday | Tuesday - Friday | Saturday |
|---------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Matins | 5:30 am | 5:30 am | 6:30 am |
| Lauds | 6:10 am (approx) | 6:10 am (approx) | 7:15 am (approx) |
| Prime & Terce | 7:00 am | 7:15 am | 8:00 am |
| Sext | private | variable | variable |
| None | private | private | private |
| Vespers | 5:00 pm | 5:00 pm | 4:00 pm |
| Compline | 9:00 pm | 9:00 pm | 8:00 pm |

THE ST. MICHAEL CHAPLET

Tuesdays at 4:30 pm from August 15th through September 26th. Pray along with Fr. Andersen and Fr. Bernabe in person in the church, or pray along with the video on the parish Youtube channel. The video can be found under the playlist for St. Michael's Lent and Novena.

<https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLODFeWFZ0CdmZ0ki0ikt2VnfBKFkIP1tz>