

Saint Stephen Catholic Church

Portland, Oregon

Sunday, May 19th, 2024



Dominica Pentecostes

Pentecost Sunday

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

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| Sat | 5/18 | Joshua Ryan Spacek Adam & Christina Crockett |
| Sun | 5/19 | Andreas Charles Erdmann People of the Parish Lydia Renner |
| Mon | 5/20 | Ben Hammelman & Family Jeremiah Johnson |
| Tue | 5/21 | Stan & Kathy Sech Chris & Olivia Welters |
| Wed | 5/22 | +Bruce MacPherson Justina Roblero |
| Thu | 5/23 | Archbishop Alexander K. Sample Sue Fecke |
| Fri | 5/24 | Clara Plato Halvor Hude, Jr. |
| Sat | 5/25 | Jamie & Vera Traeger Dick Marthaller |
| Sun | 5/26 | For the Protection of the Unborn People of the Parish Marlin & Mary Circo |

MASS READINGS (Traditional Latin Mass - 1962 Missal)

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| Saturday | Acts 19:1-8 | John 14:15-21 |
| Sunday | Acts 2:1-11 | John 14:23-31 |
| Monday | Acts 10:34, 42-48 | John 3:16-21 |
| Tuesday | Acts 8:14-17 | John 10:1-10 |
| Wednesday | Acts 2:14-21 | Acts 5:12-16 |
| Thursday | Acts 8:5-8 | Luke 9:1-6 |
| Friday | Joel 2:23-24; 26-27 | Luke 5:17-26 |
| Saturday | Joel 2:28-32; Lev. 23: 7-11; Lev. 26:3-12; Dan. | 9-11, 15-17, 21; Deut. 26:1-3; 3:47-51; Rom 5:1-5; Luke 4:38-44 |
| Sunday | Rom 11:33-36 | Matt 28:18-20 |

This week's schedule:

Sat, May 18th: Vigil of Pentecost (1st Class)

- 7:15 am: Sung Divine Office
- 9 am: Sung Latin Mass
- 10:00 am: Confessions
- 4 pm: Sung 1st Vespers of Pentecost
- 5 pm: English Mass (Vigil of Pentecost)
- **8 pm: No Public Compline**

| Saturday | |
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| Matins and Lauds | 6:30 AM |
| Prime and Terce | 8:15 AM |
| Vespers | 4:00 PM |

Sun, May 19th: Pentecost Sunday (1st Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass
- 9:30 am: Confessions
- 10:30 am: Sung Latin Mass
- 4 pm: Sung 2nd Vespers of Pentecost
- 5 pm: Low Latin Mass
- 8 pm: Sung Compline

| Sunday | |
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| Matins and Lauds | 5:30 AM |
| Prime and Terce | 7:00 AM |
| Vespers | 4:00 PM |
| Compline | 8:00 PM |

Monday, May 20th: Pentecost Monday (1st Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (no sermon)

Tuesday, May 21st: Pentecost Tuesday (1st Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (no sermon) [St. Anthony Novena](#)
- 11:35 am: Sung Sext (midday prayer)
- 12 pm: Low Latin Mass [St. Anthony Novena](#).
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers

Wed, May 22nd: Ember Wednesday in Pentecost (1st Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (no sermon)
- 5 pm: Adoration and Sung Latin Vespers
- 5:40 pm: Confessions (public Rosary at 6 pm)
- 6:45 pm: Low Latin Mass
- 8 pm: Sung Compline

| Tuesday - Friday | |
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| Matins and Lauds | 5:30 AM |
| Prime and Terce | 7:15 AM |
| Vespers | 5:00 PM |
| Compline | 8:00 PM |

Thursday, May 23rd: Pentecost Thursday (1st Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (no sermon)
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 5:40 pm: Confessions
- 6:45 pm: Low Latin Mass
- 8 pm: Sung Compline

Friday, May 24th: Ember Friday in Pentecost (1st Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (no sermon)
- 11 am: Confessions
- 11:35 pm: Sung Sext (midday prayer)
- 12 pm: Low Latin Mass
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers

Sat, May 25th: Ember Saturday in Pentecost (1st Class)

- 7:15 am: Sung Divine Office
- 9 am: Low Latin Mass
- 10:00 am: Confessions
- 4 pm: Sung 1st Vespers of Trinity Sunday
- 5 pm: English Mass (Vigil of Pentecost)
- **8 pm: No Public Compline**

| Saturday | |
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| Matins and Lauds | 6:30 AM |
| Prime and Terce | 8:15 AM |
| Vespers | 4:00 PM |

Sun, May 26th: Trinity Sunday (1st Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass
- 9:30 am: Confessions
- 10:30 am: Sung Latin Mass
- 4 pm: Sung 2nd Vespers of Trinity Sunday
- 5 pm: Low Latin Mass
- 8 pm: Sung Compline

| Sunday | |
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| Matins and Lauds | 5:30 AM |
| Prime and Terce | 7:00 AM |
| Vespers | 4:00 PM |
| Compline | 8:00 PM |

LESSONS AT MATINS (Traditional Roman Breviary - 1962)

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

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| Saturday | Homily of St. Augustine |
| Sunday | Homily of Pope St. Gregory |
| Monday | Homily of St. Augustine |
| Tuesday | Homily of St. Augustine |
| Wednesday | Homily of St. Augustine |
| Thursday | Homily of St. Ambrose |
| Friday | Homily of St. Ambrose |
| Saturday | Homily of St. Ambrose |
| Sunday | Isa 6:1-12; Sermon of St. Fulgentius; Homily of St. Gregory |

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

Offertory (*includes Maintenance/Restoration; Music, etc.*) +/- budget

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| • Envelopes/Cash: \$23,471.50 | | | |
| • Online: \$2,953.00 | | | |
| Total WTD: \$26,424.50 | Budget: \$12,832.00 | | +\$13,592.50 |
| Total MTD: \$43,150.75 | Budget: \$25,664.00 | | +\$17,486.75 |

Special Collections

- School Building: \$1,235.00 Match: \$1,235.00 Remaining \$81,766.88
- (*Bell Tower: \$1,485.00 - included in offertory above*)
- Poor Box (Urban Missionaries): \$5.00

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

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

5/26: School Building - Remaining **\$81,766.88** (\$40,883.44 w/ match)

6/9: Bell Tower Repairs: Goal Remaining: \$6,215.00

MATCHING GRANT FOR SCHOOL BUILDING EXPENSES

An anonymous donor has offered to match your donations for the school building until we reach our goal. For every dollar you donate, another dollar will match it. **Remaining goal: \$81,766.88.** *That means we just need to raise \$40,883.44 to maximize the match and reach our goal.*

SUBSCRIBE TO THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANNEL:

Saint Stephen Catholic Church PDX

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

PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE:

Saint Stephen Catholic Church

<https://www.facebook.com/saintstephenpdx/>

GARDEN VOLUNTEERS:

We need various volunteers to sign up to come once a week for light garden duty - keeping up on the vegetable and flower beds - deadheading, weeding, thinning out, watering as needed.

NEWS & EVENTS AT ST. STEPHEN

BETROTHAL:

5/19 at 5 pm: Calvin Stickney and Sierra Elliott

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

6/1 at 10:30 am:

Isaiah Campos, Hudson Frieboes, Simeon Hendricks, Cecily Long

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING:

5/28: 6:45 pm.

NINE TUESDAYS NOVENA TO ST. ANTHONY - WEEK 6

Beginning Tuesday, April 16th and concluding Tuesday, June 11th. The Feast of St. Anthony falls this year on Thursday, June 13th. Many favors have been obtained by those who have made this Novena. Here are the rules:

- 1) Recite for nine consecutive Tuesdays the prayer or prayers you find most appropriate (provided in the church and on the website)
- 2) Endeavor to imitate his virtues.
- 3) Receive within the period of the Novena, if possible, the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist.
- 4) Promise alms for St. Anthony's Bread for the poor, if you have the means.

We will pray the Novena in the church and you can also watch the 2022 video series (listed under playlists: Nine Tuesdays of St. Anthony) on the parish YouTube channel.

INDULGENCES FOR PENTECOST

A partial indulgence is granted the Christian faithful who devoutly take part in a publicly celebrated novena before the solemnity of Pentecost. *A plenary indulgence* is granted to the Christian faithful who devoutly sing or recite the hymn, *Veni Creator Spiritus* on the Solemnity of Pentecost.

VIGIL OF PENTECOST - DAY OF FAST/PARTIAL ABSTINENCE

Saturday morning, **May 18th**. 9 am. Sung Latin Mass.

MOTHERS GROUP: TUESDAY MAY 21ST 9 AM.

United in Christ through Our Lady, we gather together as a community of mothers and little ones to spend time together in a playgroup of prayer and friendship. All mothers welcome, "new" moms especially encouraged. Meetings on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month in Carmody Hall gymnasium.

THEOLOGY NIGHT: TUESDAY, MAY 21ST AT 7PM

NewsFlash! Confession: Not Just About Mortal Sin Anymore

Have your confessions become drab, lifeless repetitions that feel futile, lacking devotion and improvement? In this Theology Night, Fr. Christopher Bernabe will discuss how to effectively utilize the powerful sacrament of confession to eradicate venial sins, break out of a confessional rut, cut through the repetitive fluff, and forge real spiritual progress without bogging down the rest of the line — earning you the ire of your fellow travelers. Carmody Hall. 7 pm. Tuesday, May 21. Snacks provided. Ages High School and up.

EMBER WEEK IN PENTECOST

Consecrate the Season of Summer to the Lord by means of Fasting and Abstinence. Pray for the priests being ordained this summer.

- 5/22: Ember Wednesday - Fast and Partial Abstinence
- 5/24: Ember Friday - Fast and Abstinence
- 5/25: Ember Saturday - Fast and Partial Abstinence

FULFILL YOUR EASTER DUTY BY TRINITY SUNDAY (May 26)

The “Easter Duty” of every Catholic, in order to be a Catholic in good standing, is to go to Sacramental Confession at least once a year in the Easter Season (Ash Wednesday through Holy Trinity Sunday); and, following that Confession, to receive Holy Communion *in a state of sanctifying grace* at least once a year.

THE ATHANASIAN CREED ON TRINITY SUNDAY

The *Quicumque vult*, aka Athanasian Creed, is “An official statement of Christian doctrine principally in regard to the Holy Trinity and the Incarnation, probably composed during the life of St. Athanasius (d. 373)” (Catholic Encyclopædic Dictionary, 1931. p. 42). Prior to 1911, it was chanted in the Office of Prime on Sundays through the year. The 1960 reforms reduced its use to once a year, on Trinity Sunday. We will pray the Athanasian Creed on Trinity Sunday at the Office of Prime at 7 am.

CORPUS CHRISTI THURSDAY - MAY 30TH

8 am: Latin Low Mass (no procession)

7 pm: Sung Latin Mass (with small procession)

SUNDAY JUNE 2ND: [External Solemnity of Corpus Christi.](#)

Procession following the 10:30 am Mass.

FSSJ EUCHARISTIC CONFERENCE/PARISH MISSION 2024

August 5th-9th. Theme: 800th Anniversary of the death of St. Thomas Aquinas. The Priestly Fraternity of St. Joseph invites you to come for daily Conferences, Solemn Masses, Adoration, Processions, Confessions, Divine Office, and more. Mark your calendar. Watch for more information to come.

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

OREGON MARCH FOR LIFE AT THE STATE CAPITOL IN SALEM WITH ARCHBISHOP SAMPLE

Please join Archbishop Sample and thousands of Oregonians on **May 18th** at the Oregon State Capitol as we continue to advocate for a culture of life in Oregon. The band will begin playing at 2:15 PM with speakers starting at 2:30 PM. Let's have a tremendous turnout for life and let our politicians and the public know that the majority of Oregonians support a culture of life, not death. See you there!



CATHOLIC FRIENDSHIP GROUP - AGES 40-60

Catholic Friendship Group is for single Catholics ages 40 to 60 throughout the Archdiocese of Portland who are looking to grow in faith and fellowship. They meet every other week from 7PM-8:30pm at St. Birgitta's, 11820 NW St. Helens Rd. More info & our 2024 slate of topics at www.catholicfriendshipgroup.com. Contact Fr. Joshua Clifton - catholicfriendshipgroup@outlook.com

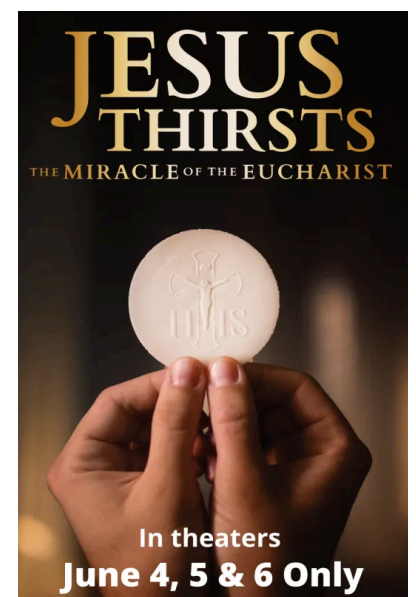
"JESUS THIRSTS: THE MIRACLE OF THE EUCHARIST" MOVIE SCREENING JUNE 4 - JUNE 6

This film embarks on a global journey to rediscover and revive the transformative power of the Eucharist. Engaging in dialogue with notable Catholic figures, it explores the biblical origins of the Eucharist and shares personal stories of individuals whose lives have been transformed by the Blessed Sacrament. This exploration makes it unmistakably clear that the Eucharist is not merely a symbol, but is indeed Jesus Christ Himself..."

At multiple theaters in Oregon and SW Washington, with most daily showings at 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

To find locations and buy tickets go to

www.fathomevents.com/events/jesus-thirsts-the-miracle-of-the-eucharist/



Pentecost Novena Prayer *(Friday after Ascension through Vigil of Pentecost)*

Holy Spirit, Third Person of the Blessed Trinity, Spirit of truth, love and holiness, proceeding from the Father and the Son, and equal to Them in all things, I adore You and love You with all my heart.

Dearest Holy Spirit, confiding in Your deep personal love for me, I am making this novena for the following request, if it should be Your holy Will to grant it:
(mention your request).

Teach me, Divine Spirit, to know and seek my last end; grant me the holy fear of God; grant me true contrition and patience. Do not let me fall into sin. Give me an increase of faith, hope, and charity, and bring forth in my soul all the virtues proper to my state of life.

Make me a faithful disciple of Jesus and an obedient child of the Church. Give me efficacious grace sufficient to keep the Commandments and to receive the Sacraments worthily. Give me the four Cardinal Virtues, Your Seven Gifts, Your Twelve Fruits. Raise me to perfection in the state of life to which You have called me and lead me through a happy death to everlasting life. I ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Consecration

Holy Spirit, Divine Spirit of light and love, I consecrate to Thee my understanding, heart, and will, my whole being, for time and for eternity. May my understanding be always submissive to Thy heavenly inspirations and to the teaching of the Catholic Church, of which Thou art the infallible Guide. May my heart be ever inflamed with the love of God and of my neighbor. May my will be ever conformed to the Divine Will. May my whole life be faithful to the imitation of the life and virtues of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, to Whom with the Father and Thee be honor and glory forever.

God, Holy Spirit, Infinite Love of the Father and the Son, through the pure hands of Mary, Your Immaculate Spouse, I place myself this day, and all the days of my life, upon Your chosen altar, the Divine Heart of Jesus, as a sacrifice to You, consuming fire, being firmly resolved now more than ever to hear Your voice and to do in all things Your most holy and adorable Will. Amen. *Raccolta #289 (Pius X, June 1, 1908...).*

O HOLY SPIRIT, who on the solemn day of Pentecost didst suddenly descend upon the Apostles gathered in the Upper Room in parted tongues as it were of fire and didst so enlighten their minds, inflame their hearts, and strengthen their wills, that henceforth they went through the entire world and courageously and confidently proclaimed everywhere the teaching of Christ and sealed it with the shedding of their blood, renew, we beseech Thee, the wondrous outpouring of Thy grace in our hearts also.

How grievously our minds are afflicted with ignorance concerning the nature and dignity of those divine truths which form the object of faith, without which no man may hope for salvation. How far men go astray from a just estimation of earthly goods, which too often are put before the soul itself. How often our hearts do not beat with love of the Creator as they ought, but rather with an ignoble lust for creatures. How often are we led by a false respect for human judgment, when we ought to profess openly the precepts of Jesus Christ and to reduce them to action with a sincere heart and with the loss, if need be, of our worldly substance. What weakness we manifest in embracing and carrying with a serene and willing heart the crosses of this life, which alone can make the Christian a worthy follower of his divine Master.

O Holy Spirit, enlighten our minds, cleanse our hearts, and give new strength to our wills; to such a degree, at least, that we may clearly recognize the value of our soul, and in a like manner, despise the perishable goods of this world; that we may love God above all things, and, for the love of Him, our neighbor as ourselves; that we may not only be free from fear in professing our faith publicly, but rather may glory in it; finally, that we may accept not only prosperity but also adversity as from the hand of the Lord, with all confidence that He will turn all things into good for those who lovingly tend towards Him. Grant, we beseech Thee, that we, by constantly answering the sweet impulses of Thy grace and doing that which is good with a persevering heart, may deserve one day to receive the rich reward of glory everlasting. Amen.

From the Raccolta #291 (S. P. Ap., May 31, 1941).