

Saint Stephen Catholic Church

Portland, Oregon

Sunday, January 28th, 2024



Adam and Eve expelled from the Garden of Paradise

Dominica in Septuagesima

Septuagesima Sunday

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Sat	1/27	+Lizette Drennan +Edward William Marthaller
Sun	1/28	Athelston Frame People of the Parish +Erin Soldner
Mon	1/29	+Holy Souls in Purgatory Rousseau Family
Tue	1/30	Philip Stoerner Sandy Martinez
Wed	1/31	+Donald Navarini The Priestly Fraternity of St. Joseph
Thu	2/1	Archbishop Alexander K. Sample Peter Rousseau
Fri	2/2	Anne Arehart Averie Hand
Sat	2/3	Immaculate Heart of Mary +Dcn. Gregorio Hendersen
Sun	2/4	David Drennan People of the Parish Theophilus Frame

MASS READINGS (Traditional Latin Mass - 1962 Missal)

Saturday	2 Tim. 4:1-8	Matt 5:13-19
Sunday	1 Cor. 9:24-27; 10:1-5	Matt 20:1-16
Monday	2 Tim 4:1-8	Matt 5:13-19
Tuesday	Sir 51:1-8; 5:12	Matt 25:1-13
Wednesday	Phil 4:4-9	Matt 18:1-5
Thursday	Rom 8:35-39	John 12:24-26
Friday	Mal 3:1-4	Luke 2:22-32
Saturday	Sir 24:14-16	Luke 11:27-28
Sunday	2 Cor. 11:19-33; 12:1-9	Luke 8:4-15

This week's schedule:

Sat, Jan 27th: St. John Chrysostom, Bishop/Doctor (3rd Class)

- 7:15 am: Adoration and Lauds, Prime, Terce
- 9 am: Low Latin Mass
- 10:00 am: Confessions
- **4 pm: Sung 1st Vespers of Septuagesima**
Burying of the Alleluia

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

- 5 pm: English Mass (4th Sunday Ordinary Time)

Sunday, January 28th: Septuagesima Sunday (2nd Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass
- 9:15 am: Confessions
- 10:30 am: Sung Latin Mass
- 4 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 5 pm: Low Latin Mass

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

Monday, January 29th: St. Francis de Sales, Bish/Conf/Doctor (3rd Cl)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (no sermon)

Tuesday, January 30th: St. Martina, Virgin/Martyr (3rd Cl)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (no sermon)
- 12 Noon: Low Latin Mass
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers

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

Wed, Jan 31st: St. John Bosco, Conf (3rd Cl)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (no sermon)
- 5 pm: Adoration and Sung Latin Vespers
- 5:40 pm: Confessions (Public Rosary at 6 pm)
- 6:30 pm Benediction
- 6:45 pm: Low Latin Mass followed by Compline

Thursday, Feb 1st: St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop/Martyr (3rd Class)

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

Fri, Feb 2nd: Purification of the BVM aka "Candlemas" (2nd Class)

- **8 am: No Mass this morning - additional Mass this evening**
- 11 am: No confessions today
- 12 Noon: Low Latin Mass with Blessing of Candles
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 7 pm: Sung Latin Mass with Blessing of Candles and Procession

Sat, Feb 3rd: St. Blaise, Bishop/Martyr (4th Class)

- 7:15 am: Adoration and Lauds, Prime, Terce
- 9 am: Low Latin Mass w/ blessing of throats
- 10:00 am: Confessions
- 4 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 5 pm: English Mass (5th Sunday Ordinary Time)
- **8 pm: No Public Compline tonight**

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

Sunday, February 4th: Sexagesima Sunday (2nd Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass
- 9:15 am: Confessions
- 10:30 am: Sung Latin Mass
- **2 pm: 7 Sundays Devotion to St. Joseph**
- 4 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 5 pm: Low Latin Mass

Sunday	
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](https://www.divinumofficium.com/) or as an app (Breviarium meum)

Saturday	Eph 6:1-13; Eulogy of St. John Chrystosom
Sunday	Gen 1:1-19; Homily of St. Gregory
Monday	Gen 1:27- 2:10; Eulogy of St. Francis de Sales
Tuesday	Gen 2:15-24; Eulogy of St. Martina
Wednesday	Gen 3:1-20; Eulogy of St. Don Bosco
Thursday	Gen 4:1-15; Eulogy of St. Ignatius of Antioch
Friday	Exod 13:1-3; 13:11-13; Lev 12:1-8; Sermon of St. Augustine; Homily of St. Jerome
Saturday	Gen 5:15-31; Sermon of St. Jerome
Sunday	Gen 5:31; 6:1-15; Homily of St. Gregory

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

Offertory +/- budget

• Envelopes/Cash: \$2,694.30		
• Online: \$2,360.00		
Total WTD: \$5,054.00	Budget: \$7,812.00	-\$2,758.00
Total MTD: \$14,605.59	Budget: \$23,436.00	-\$8,830.41

Special Collections

• Maint/Rest/Heat: \$358.00	Budget: \$2,468.00	-\$2,210.00
• Sacred Music: \$1,148.05	Budget: \$625.00	+\$523.05
• School Building: \$1,790.00	Goal: \$150,000	Remaining \$135,167.00

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

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

2/4: School Building Expenses – Remaining Goal: \$135,167.00

2/18: Archbishop's Seminary Appeal

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS FOR 2023

Contribution Statements were delayed due to the snow and ice. They were mailed out via US Mail this week to those who have donated to St. Stephen via postal mail, cash and check donations at Offertory, or bill pay during 2023. Please keep a lookout for them and contact the Parish Office if you have not received them within one week.

For those who donated online via EasyTithe in 2023, we sent you an Email this week with your 2023 online contribution statement. This Email statement went to the address you provided in your EasyTithe profile and includes only your EasyTithe donations (you will receive a separate printed statement via US Mail for your regular contributions).

Please check the Email address you provided to EasyTithe and notify us if you did not receive that Email statement.

If you notice any discrepancies or errors, or if you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office at (503) 234-5019 or saintstephen@archdpdx.org. May God bless you for your contributions and for your generosity!

NEWS & EVENTS AT ST. STEPHEN

BURYING OF THE ALLELUIA. SATURDAY, JANUARY 27TH

5 pm. First Vespers of Septuagesima concludes with a solemn “Benedicamus Domino, alleluia, alleluia”. The ‘alleluia’ will not be heard again until the Easter Vigil on March 30th. The very word “alleluia” will be buried at the Saint Joseph Altar, as a sign of mourning. Please join us to bid a mournful farewell to this blessed word as we enter into the Pre-Lenten season.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, January 30th. 6:45 pm.

RCIA CLASSES CONTINUE THIS WEDNESDAY

Wednesday evenings. Meet in the church for quiet prayer during Adoration (anytime after 5 pm). Class begins after Benediction at 6:45 pm. Those interested in becoming Catholic or taking the steps to learn more about the Catholic Faith can email jsalazar@archdpdx.org

CANDLEMAS - THE PURIFICATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN

Friday, February 2nd. The 40th day after the Nativity of the Lord is marked by the blessing and procession of small candles in honor of the Presentation of the Child Jesus. The blessed tapers are sacramentals for the faithful to take home. You may bring candles to be blessed, but let them be of beeswax, or partially of beeswax. Regular household candles will not be blessed. This is the last of the feasts of the Christmas cycle. Vespers on this day will conclude with the singing of the *Alma Redemptoris Mater*. At Compline, the singing of the *Ave Regina Caelorum* will commence and last through Septuagesima and Lent. Low Mass at 12 Noon. High Mass at 7 pm.

BLESSING OF THROATS ON THE FEAST OF ST. BLAISE

Saturday morning, Feb 3rd following the 9 am Mass. The priest, holding two candles crossed and tied together with a red ribbon, will come to the communion rail and, holding the candles under each person’s throat, shall say: “Through the intercession of St. Blaise, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from ailments of the throat and from every other evil; in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.”

SEVEN SUNDAYS OF ST. JOSEPH: FEBRUARY 4th - MARCH 17th

2 pm each Sunday in the church. A special devotion to St. Joseph may be prayed for 7 Sundays prior to his feast on March 19th. The devotion consists of praying the Seven Sorrows and Joys of St. Joseph, one mystery each Sunday over seven weeks. Come and join us at 2 pm in the church each Sunday beginning February 4th through March 17th for Devotions to St. Joseph.

ASH WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 14TH - FAST AND ABSTINENCE

Low Masses at 8 am & 12 Noon. Sung Mass at 7 pm. Be sure to prepare your Lenten goals ahead of time and be ready to go for Ash Wednesday. Lenten worksheets are available now in the Narthex of the church.



MOVIE NIGHT: A MAN FOR ALL SEASONS (1966. 2 HRS. RATED G)

Saturday, February 10th. Movie begins at 6:30 pm in Carmody Hall. Potluck begins at 5:30 pm. The movie depicts the final years of Sir Thomas More, the 16th-century Lord Chancellor of England who refused both to sign a letter asking Pope Clement VII to annul Henry VIII of England's marriage to Catherine of Aragon and to take an Oath of Supremacy declaring Henry Supreme Head of the Church of England. Directed by Fred Zinnemann. Winner of 6 Academy Awards including Best Picture. 1966. Columbia Pictures. Rated G. 120 minutes.

ROSARY WALK PILGRIMAGE: SATURDAY FEBRUARY 24TH

Ember Saturday in Lent. 6.8 miles around the parish boundaries. Meet at 11:15 am. Depart at 11:30 am. No pets. Bring a sack lunch. We return around 3:30 pm. Pray for good weather.

PHILOSOPHY NIGHT: TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH

More information forthcoming. Save the date.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANNEL:

Saint Stephen Catholic Church PDX.

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

ALTAR BOY ENROLLMENT AND TRAINING

Contact Stephen at: asofsscc@gmail.com

APPROX. EXPENSES FOR THE SCHOOL BUILDING – ONE YEAR

Window Repair:	\$20,000
Floor replacement:	\$20,000
Asbestos removal:	\$20,000
Permitting Process with City:	\$35,000.
Trash area project:	\$20,000.
Monthly maintenance/oil/heat, etc.	

@\$2,500/mo x 12 mos.= \$30,000

Subtotal: \$145,000. Goal: \$150,000. Remaining: \$135,167.00

We will continue with a monthly 2nd collection to help cover the expense of the school building. *Please consider sponsoring a line-item*

CHESTERTON ACADEMY OF BL. PIER GIORGIO FRASSATI OPEN HOUSE INFO SESSIONS AT ST. STEPHEN

Chesterton Academy in Portland is a high school with a higher purpose. We offer a faithfully Catholic classical curriculum and students attend Mass every school day. We are currently accepting applications for our 2024-25 school year at our new campus at St. Stephen Catholic Church in Portland. Come learn more about our school and how to apply at our Open House Info Sessions on Sundays, February 4 and March 3. Join us for the 10:30 AM Sung Latin Mass, followed by lunch in St. Stephen's Carmody Hall, and then we begin our Open House which will go until 2 PM. Meet our faculty, current students, & parents and tour the new school building. All potential new families, current 7th & 8th graders, parents, and supporters are welcome and encouraged to attend. RSVP at 360-355-3362 or online at ChestertonFrassati.org/admissions.



The poster features a green background with a golf ball and a golf club. Text includes 'SAINT STEPHEN'S HOLY LEAGUE GOLF TOURNAMENT 2024' and 'SUMMER 2024'.

St. Stephen Catholic Church Holy League Golf Tournament is coming in the Summer of 2024. Priced at \$150 per player or \$500 for teams. More information coming soon. Scan the QR code or email saintstephengolftournament@gmail.com to express your interest. Stay tuned for updates!



EVENTS ELSEWHERE



The poster features a silhouette of Mary Poppins holding an umbrella. Text includes 'CHESTERTON ACADEMY OF THE WILLAMETTE VALLEY Presents... MARY POPPINS' and a list of showtimes: 'PREVIEW NIGHT: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 7:00; FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 7:00; SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 7:00; SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2:00'. It also includes the website 'WWW.CHESTERTONWV.COM'.

MARY POPPINS MUSICAL

February 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th, 2024.
Thurs-Sat: 7-9:30 PM; Sunday: 2-4:30 pm.
Chesterton Academy of the Willamette Valley.
900 South Main Street, Mt Angel, OR, 97362.
Experience all the magic of Mary Poppins - complete with live music, dazzling costumes, and even a few surprises!

For more information or to purchase tickets call (503) 845-2727 or go to

<https://chestertonwv.com/events/mary-poppins-musical>

CELEBRATING THE SANCTITY OF LIFE



YOU ARE INVITED!

2024
February 17



You are cordially invited to join us for a night of celebration, inspiration, and a powerful call to action at the Life Gala hosted by the Archdiocese of Portland.

This special evening is dedicated to embracing and cherishing life in all its forms, spotlighting local initiatives, and uniting our community in a shared commitment to uphold the sanctity of life.

DETAILS

Guest speaker from the Sisters of Life

Keynote speaker: Abby Johnson

Date: Saturday, February 17, 2024

Time: 5:00 PM (doors open)

Venue: Multnomah Athletic Club (MAC)



www.archdpdx.org/lifegala

Tickets go on sale December 15th.