

Saint Stephen Catholic Church

Portland, Oregon

Sunday, March 3rd, 2024



National Cathedral, Wash. D.C, ph. Lawrence OP

Dominica III in Quadragesima

Third Sunday in Lent

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Sat	3/2	Immaculate Heart of Mary Intention of the Celebrant
Sun	3/3	Erin Soldner People of the Parish +Deceased Members & Family of the Parish
Mon	3/4	Tony & Tuyen Rousseau In Thanksgiving to the Infant Jesus
Tue	3/5	+Camilo Gomez Julie Klum
Wed	3/6	+Holy Souls in Purgatory The Priestly Fraternity of St. Joseph
Thu	3/7	Archbishop Alexander K. Sample Lambert Nawai Kalehua
Fri	3/8	+Mary Heon +Diane M. Walsh
Sat	3/9	Intention of the Celebrant Intention of the Celebrant
Sun	3/10	Maria del Rosario Perez-Ramirez People of the Parish Julie Klum

MASS READINGS (Traditional Latin Mass - 1962 Missal)

Saturday	Gen 27:6-40	Luke 15:11-32
Sunday	Eph 5:1-9	Luke 11:14-28
Monday	4 Kings, 5:1-15	Luke 4:23-30
Tuesday	4 Kings 4:1-7	Matt 18:15-22
Wednesday	Ex 20:12-24	Matt 15:1-20
Thursday	Jer 7:1-7	Luke 4:38-44
Friday	Num 20:1, 3; 6-13	John 4:5-42
Saturday	Dan 13:1-9, 15-17,	19-30, 33-62 John 8:1-11
Sunday	Gal 4:22-31	John 6:1-15

This week's schedule:

Sat, March 2nd: Feria of Lent (3rd Class)

- 7:15 am: Adoration and Sung Divine Office
- 9 am: Low Latin Mass
- 10:00 am: Confessions
- 4 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 5 pm: English Mass (3rd Sunday of Lent)
- 8 pm: Sung Compline

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

Sunday, March 3rd: Third Sunday of Lent (1st 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
- 8 pm: Sung Compline

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

Monday, Mar 4th: Feria of Lent (3rd Cl); Comm. St. Casimir, Conf.

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (no sermon)

Tuesday, Mar 5th: Feria of Lent (3rd Class)

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass (no sermon)
- 12 Noon: Low Latin Mass
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- Sung Compline after Theology Night (approx 8:45 pm)

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

Wednesday, Mar 6th: Feria of Lent (3rd Cl); Comm. Sts. Perpetua & Felicity, Martyrs

- 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, Mar 7th: Feria of Lent (3rd Cl); Comm. St. Thomas Aquinas, Conf/Doctor

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

Friday, Mar 8th: Feria of Lent (3rd Cl); Comm. St. John of God, Confessor

- 8 am: Low Latin Mass
- 11 am: Confessions
- 12 Noon: Low Latin Mass
- 5 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 7 pm: Stations of the Cross followed by Adoration and Compline

Sat, March 9th: Feria of Lent (3rd Cl); Comm St. Frances of Rome, widow

- 7:15 am: Adoration and Sung Divine Office
- 9 am: Low Latin Mass
- 10:00 am: Confessions
- 4 pm: Sung Latin Vespers
- 5 pm: English Mass (4th Sunday of Lent)
- 8 pm: Sung Compline

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

Sunday, March 10th: Fourth Sunday of Lent (1st 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
- 8 pm: Sung Compline

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](http://DivinumOfficium.com) or as an app (Breviarium meum)

Saturday	Homily by Pope St. Leo
Sunday	Gen 37:2-28; Homily of Venerable Bede
Monday	Homily of St. Ambrose
Tuesday	Homily of St. Augustine
Wednesday	Homily of St. Jerome
Thursday	Homily of St. Ambrose
Friday	Homily of St. Augustine
Saturday	Homily of St. Augustine
Sunday	Exod 3:1-15; Homily of St. Augustine

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

<u>Offertory</u>			+/- budget
• Envelopes/Cash: \$3,251.00			
• Online: \$1,300.00			
Total WTD: \$4,551.00	Budget: \$7,812.00		-\$3,261.00
Total MTD: \$26,230.64	Budget: \$31,248.00		-\$5,017.36

Special Collections

• Maint/Rest/Heat: \$1,123.00	Budget: \$2,468.00		-\$1,345.00
• Sacred Music: \$120.00	Budget: \$625.00		-\$505.00
• School Building: \$1,890.00	Match: \$1,890.00	Remaining \$121,696.00	

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

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

3/3: School Building Expenses – Remaining Goal: \$121,696.00

3/17: St. Maria Goretti Home for Expectant Mothers

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: \$121,696.00**

We are grateful for your support of prayers, labor, and money. St. Stephen School opened in 1908 with 80 students enrolled. Enrollment in the 1950s through 1970 typically numbered 300+ students. It closed in June 2002 with 91 students enrolled.

TRAVELING CRIB

Thank you to all who gave generously to the Traveling Crib.

NEWS & EVENTS AT ST. STEPHEN

HOW IS GOD CALLING YOU TO SERVE THE CHURCH?

Beginning this Sunday, we will highlight a new apostolate each week to help you to commit to serving God and the Parish in volunteer work. Consider tithing your time to the LORD. A tithe is 1/10th of your time. Signups will be in the narthex on Saturdays and Sundays or contact Joseph Salazar.

Week 4: Holy League and Holy Heart Coordinators

The Holy League is our outreach to the men of the parish, whom we gather about once per month for an evening of prayer, adoration, Mass, Confessions, food and socializing. Likewise, the Holy Heart is a monthly mini-retreat for the Ladies of the parish for prayer, adoration, Mass, Confessions, food and socializing. The priests of the parish offer their time for these smaller groups in order to give general spiritual direction; and an opportunity to interact with your priests. Each group is in need of a new coordinator. The coordinator reports to Fr. Andersen and sends out email and/or text reminders to parishioners; organizes the potluck, delivery, or preparation of dinner; leads or coordinates the public praying of the Rosary for that evening; and recommends dates for gatherings, and other social events.

SEVEN SUNDAYS OF ST. JOSEPH

WK 5: THE FLIGHT INTO EGYPT

2 pm 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.

BEGINNER CHANT CLASS

Nicolai Bajanov will be teaching beginner classes on Sundays at 3 pm during Lent. If you are interested in joining our schola or just interested in singing chant, come to the choir loft and check it out. You can reach Nicolai with any questions at: nbajanov@yahoo.com

THEOLOGY NIGHT: TUESDAY, MARCH 5TH

Theme: Lectio Divina and Mental Prayer. Speaker: Fr. Christopher Bernabe. Location: Carmody Hall. Time: 7 pm. No reading-ahead necessary. Snacks provided. Free will offering accepted. Compline will be prayed afterwards.

LENTEN STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND SOUP SUPPER

Fridays of Lent. 5 pm Vespers. 5:45 pm Potluck Soup Supper in Carmody Hall. Bring a meatless soup, or grilled cheese sandwiches, or something tasty and meatless. No Meat. No Desserts. 7 pm Stations of the Cross in the church. 7:45 pm Adoration and Sung Compline. Head home by 8:30 pm.

NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH - MARCH 10-18

Begins at 2 pm Sunday, March 10th. Join us for the continuation of the Seven Sundays of St. Joseph. We will add a Novena Prayer to St. Joseph and continue for the next nine days after the weekday Low Masses and at 2 pm on Sunday, March 17th. A new video series will be posted to the parish YouTube Channel to follow along at home.

THE FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH - TUESDAY, MARCH 19TH

We will have two Masses this day in honor of the feast. 12 Noon Low Mass and 7 pm Sung Mass. Please join us for the celebration.

RCIA (OCIA) CLASSES

On Wednesday evenings class begins at 6:30, and we end with praying Compline in the church. Those interested in becoming Catholic or taking the steps to learn more about the Catholic Faith can email jsalazar@archdpdx.org

ELIJAH'S HELPERS APOSTOLATE

This group is unique because the Sisters do not pray a Holy Hour for a particular priest or bishop, but for the priest or bishop in our Archdiocese most in need of prayers. The description specifically says they pray for the priest or bishop most in crisis. AND, the sisters don't know who this priest or bishop is... Our Lord does though. So, they work in tandem with the Holy Spirit to strengthen our priests and bishops. Think about that...we all want to help our priests and bishops and this group singles them out and offers them our prayers! Truly amazing!!! Please contact Jennifer Williams at sevensistersportland@gmail.com

FAST AND ABSTINENCE

The Catholic Fast means one full meal, and two small snacks that do not equal a full meal. The rules for fasting have changed over the centuries, but historically one might eat the following: a "fustulum" of 2 ounces of bread (or other food) in the morning; a full meal in the midday/mid-afternoon (for example: an entree, side dish, vegetable, fruit for dessert); and a "collation" limited to 8 ounces of food in the evening.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANNEL:

Saint Stephen Catholic Church PDX.

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

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

Sunday March 3.

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 Session on Sunday 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 SCHOOL CHOICE AMENDMENT

The Oregon School Choice Amendment gives families the opportunity to direct a portion of their child's education dollars to the education option that best fits their needs. This includes private school tuition, homeschool curriculum, educational therapy, tutors, computers, transportation, vocational schools, and other approved educational costs! Visit <https://letthemlearnoregon.com> for more information. *Next Sunday during Coffee & Donuts in Carmody Hall there will be volunteers at a table with clipboards for you to have the opportunity to sign the School Choice Amendment form.*



NEW FROM PARISHIONER ADALEE HUDE:

Our Lady of Sorrows; Devotion to Mary's Seven Sorrows for Children, by Patrick O'Hearn and illustrated by Mrs. Adalee Hude (parishioner) was just released on 2/20 from Sophia Institute Press. The book contains scriptural passages with guided meditations on the Seven Sorrows of Our Lady along with detailed illustrations, beautiful borders, and four original prayers by Fr. Chad Ripperger. To order:

<https://sophiainstitute.com/product/our-lady-of-sorrows/>

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

40 DAYS FOR LIFE PRAYER VIGILS, February 14 - March 24

Join us for the Spring 40 Days for Life Campaign! Last year, we achieved record-breaking turnout in Portland, and with your support, we plan to surpass those records once again. 40 Days for Life is an internationally coordinated 40-day campaign dedicated to ending abortion locally through prayer and fasting, community outreach, and a peaceful all-day vigil in front of abortion businesses. Help us shift the tide towards a culture of life here in Oregon! For details and to sign up at www.40daysforlife.com/en/portlandor

GO FISH! YOUNG ADULT CONFERENCE AT THE COAST

The Go Fish Conference is an annual event hosted by the Saint John Society that is open to all college-aged Catholics 18-25 years old in the Pacific Northwest. Students are invited to come and be inspired by Christ, strengthened in community, and deepened in their faith. This is fostered through talks, small group discussion, fun activities, adoration and Mass—all while enjoying the beauty of the Oregon Coast! This year the Go Fish Conference will be held at the Agate Beach Inn in Newport, OR from April 12th - April 14th, 2024. Register by March 20th to be guaranteed a conference shirt. **Registration closes March 31st.** For more information and to register:

<https://newmanatosu.regfox.com/gofish-conference>

THE 89TH ANNUAL ARCHBISHOP'S SEMINARY TEA

Benefiting the education of seminarians preparing to serve in the Archdiocese of Portland. Wednesday, **April 24**, 3-6 PM at Portland Golf Club, 5900 SW Scholls Ferry Road, Portland 97225. For more information about the event and how to purchase tickets or make a donation, please visit seminarytea.org or email info@seminarytea.org