



WELCOME TO THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

St. Boniface Church

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Office Hours: 8 am-1pm
Tuesday - Friday
Closed Monday

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May 24, 2020

Dear brothers and sisters, "God is good all the time!"

I am writing you this letter to bring you good news that after careful thought and prayerful discernment, the Archbishop has approved the plan for the limited reopening of Masses has gone into effect. The dispensation for the Sunday Mass obligation remains in effect, so no one is required or expected to attend Mass on the weekends with this reopening. Parishioners will have an expanded opportunity to attend Mass during the weekdays. Each Mass can be reopened to a maximum allowed **by law of 25 total people.**

You must sign up for Mass by calling or texting (Kim @ 503-949-9621), facebook messaging (Kim Zuber or St. Boniface) or email to the parish office

boniface@wvi.com. If you call the parish office to sign up, it must be only during office hours, do not leave a message.

Once you have done one of the above, a staff member will return a call back to you to confirm that you are able to attend. **PLEASE DO NOT assume you can just come because you called, you must receive a call, text or email back from the parish office or Kim.**

Unfortunately, those who simply show-up for Mass will be turned away. This is due largely to public health contact tracing requirements. First and Last name and contact number required for all attendees. Please also remember it will be easier to attend a weekday mass as not as many people will be able to come due to work.

Limits on signing up: Please be mindful of the other parishioners who want to also attend Mass. Large families of 7 or more, please limit to every other weekend.

Rules that have been put in force per Archdiocese and government rules. Please read these rules in your letter that you should have received by mail. They were mailed out on May 7th. If for some reason you did not receive your letter, please contact the parish office or stop by during regular business hours to pick one up.

Weekday Mass times: Wednesday-Thursday-Friday 9 am

Weekend Mass times: Saturday 7pm, and Sunday 8 am & 10 am

Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday 8 am-1 pm

Yours in the Risen Lord,

Fr. Paul Materu,

Administrator, St. Boniface Church



"Ascension Day"

Before ascending into heaven, Jesus realizes that his disciples are clinging to him even after his resurrection and so he needs to distance himself from them and help them to face their own struggles and challenges. The disciples had become totally dependent on him.

But what is heartwarming is the words of Jesus which assures the disciples of his continued presence in their lives and in the Church. Jesus before he ascends into heaven gives them a lifelong mission to accomplish-to catechize the people, to baptize them and to follow the commandments. Jesus ascended to the Father knowing that his "mission is yet to be accomplished"-every human being, present and future, is to be saved-so he delegates to his followers his mission until the last human being is saved. For this mission Jesus sends his apostles out to make all the world his disciples. It must have sounded strange for the eleven humble and simple Galileans to be sent forth to conquer the world! But no sooner had the command been given, than the promise followed: "I am with you until the end of the world." How much of this mission are we willing to accomplish for Jesus? Let us remember the words of Blessed Teresa of Kolcatta: "What is important is to be faithful and not successful in our mission."

Fr Paul Materu

Please Pray For the following friends and family.. Tami Dayton, Theresa Kingsbury, Rosemary Heuberger, Grayson Beaty, Rosie Nelson, Juliette Chamberland, Ted Peters, Suzanne Beutler, Karrie Welter, David Benton, Mary Fery, Doug Barrow, Tim Plummer, John Sturges, Susan Payseno, Richard Hill, Robin Gillette, Caleb Smith, Marvin Nichols, Joan Adams, Jan Stupfel, Susie Aus, Jensen Nathan Ripp, Shannon Byler, Paul Ditter, Dan Poindexter, Bodhi Clevenger, Roy Ramay, Kelsey Theiss, Bob Rigdon, David Morin, Dennis Federico, Eunice Beyer, Parker Family, Tasha Penley, Anne Pavelek, Betty & Jim Germse, Dawn Drinkwater, Kaisy Case, Sara Tacas, Darcy Archer, Fr. Ed Coleman, Sami Galvin, Dan Henry, Kara Chytka, Jeremy J., Dolly, Peter J. Jr., Keith, Ann, Lori & Rose Smith, **and all those living in Assisted Living Facilities in our area.**



Let us pray for all men & women serving our country. May the Lord hold them in His loving hands; protect them as they protect us.

Prayer Chain Request: St. Boniface: Parish office boniface@wvi.com
St. Mary's Shaw: Irene Satterwhite 503-364-2483

St. Boniface Church, Sublimity —1879—2020

Parish Mission Statement: We, the Catholic community of St. Boniface, inspired by the Holy Spirit, seek to proclaim and live the Gospel, celebrate the Sacraments, foster our Catholic traditions and serve the needs of others.

This Week At St. Boniface:

Please Mail or Drop Off your Collection Envelope!

***Preregistration for the weekend Masses (25 people per Mass)**

Sunday, May 24:

***8 am Mass: Intention;** People of the Parish

***10 am Mass: Intention;** Jonathan Liesch+

Monday, May 25: Memorial Day~9 am Mass

Parish Office Closed

1st Reading: Acts 19:1-8. Resp. Psalm: 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab. Gospel: John 16:29-33.



Tuesday, May 26: 8:30 am Mass-Fr. Paul at St. Mary-Shaw

1st Reading: Acts:20:17-27. Resp. Psalm: 68:10-11, 20-21. Gospel: John 17:1-11a.

Wednesday, May 27: 9 am Mass Fr. Paul (25 people per weekday Mass)

Intention: Catherine Busch+

1st Reading: Acts: 20:28-38. Resp. Psalm: 68:29-30, 33-35bc-36ab. Gospel: John 17:11b-19.

Thursday, May 28: 9 am Mass Fr. Paul

Intention: Theresa Kingsbury

1st Reading: Acts: 22:30; 23:6-11. Resp. Psalm:16:1-2a &5,7-11. Gospel: John 17:20-26.

2-4 pm Adoration: Please sign up prior to Thursday.

Friday, May 29: 9 am Mass Fr. Paul

Intention: Marie Ditter +

1st Reading: Acts 25:13b-21. Resp. Psalm:103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab. Gospel: John 21:15-19.

Saturday, May 30: 7 pm Vigil Mass (25 people)

*Pick up a missalette to use during Mass and take it home to keep, it is yours to bring back to the next Mass you come to. If left in pew after Mass it will be thrown away.

All collection envelopes, cash & checks must be put into the collection cabinet inside the main entrance of church. Following Mass the **bulletin's** will be available for you to pick up at the same place in a basket.

Intention: People of the Parish +

1st Reading: 28:16-20, 30-31. Resp. Psalm:11:4, 5 & 7. Gospel: John 21:20-25.

Sunday, May 31: Pentecost Sunday (25 people per Mass).

8 am: Intention: People of the Parish

10 am: Intention: Marcey Etzel+

1st Reading: Acts 1:1-11. Resp. Psalm:47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9. 2nd Reading: Ephesians 1:17-23. Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20.

Parish Office Hours:

Tuesday & Thursday, 8:30 am to 12 noon

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Parish Office: Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors Scheduling.

Homebound Extraordinary Ministries: Susan H. & Mary Kay B.



St. Boniface Parish Collection: May 17: 2225.00

Capital Imp.:155.00, Prayer Garden:25.00, Home Mission:250.00, Altar:25.00, Outreach: 200.00

It is important that our parishioners mail in or drop off their collection envelopes.

Donations for the Seminarian Twins need to be given to Fr. Paul's order ALCP

Thank you for your financial support.

This week there will be Mass at 9 am on Monday, Memorial Day and the church will be open Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday (8-2pm) Adoration (2-4 pm) & Friday

from 8 am to 4 pm.

Weekday Mass, Wed.,-Friday at 9 am. *Please sign in when you enter church.*

Confessions by appointment only. Contact Fr. Paul.

No Holy Communion to the homebound or family and friends at this time we encourage you to receive a Spiritual Communion except for grave reasons contact Fr. Paul.



Congratulations to John & Sarah Sparks

they had their marriage Blessed by Fr. Paul. On Sunday, May 24th John will participate in the Rite of the Presentation of The Lords Prayer and on Sunday, May 31st., John will fully receive the Holy Eucharist and be Confirmed at the 10 am Mass. We welcome John Sparks to the Catholic Faith. Please keep John and his wife Sarah and their 4 children in your prayers.

Information for Sacristans, Lectors & Ushers:

This is very important information on the new job duties, rules for the temporary liturgical restrictions for you as a minister at St. Boniface. In general the ministers are asked to all work together during this difficult time.

Thank you.

Job Opening: St. Mary Shaw has an opening for a part time janitor/lawn maintenance person.

The position would be 8-15 hours per week depending on the time of year. To apply and obtain additional information, please contact the parish office at St. Mary Shaw. 503.362.6159.



St. Boniface Prayer Garden: New to the garden area, new plants!

Time is coming to the close of selling bricks. A great way to pay tribute to your family and those who have died.

Order yours Today!

Forms are available for you to fill out to purchase a brick for our future prayer garden path (**you need to fill out the entire form!**).

You can find them on the parish website and inside of church main entrance or contact the Parish office.

Extended Brick sale until May 31, 2020!!

This project is 100% funded by donations. No parish funds will be used. Your support is greatly appreciated!

Memorial Day

May 25, 2020



Dear Parishioners,

Memorial Day is an American Holiday on which we honor our deceased friends and relatives as well as our country's deceased veterans. Memorial Day 2019 was especially meaningful since we paid tribute to the residents who made the Sublimity Veterans Memorial possible.

Many people helped, but Velma Russell and Gene Ditter were instrumental in making it all happen. They spent countless hours gathering information on veterans, and it was a challenging task. This memorial is one of only a few in western Oregon, and we are fortunate to have it in our parish.

The memorial lists the names of men and women from our area who served in past conflicts. Over 40 of them were or are members of St. Boniface parish. Let us remember them in our prayers and thank them for the sacrifices they made for the freedoms we enjoy living in America. Because of the limitations imposed by covid 19 we will not be paying a parish tribute to the memorial this year.

Please visit the memorial on your own this year.