

February 2, 2020

TO SAINT HENRY Church



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Parish Code 3FHQK3

Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm English

Sunday: 8:30am & 11:00am English, 1:30pm Spanish

Monday ~ Saturday Morning: 8:00am English

Thursday Evening: 7:00pm Spanish

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 3:00 - 4:30pm & Thursday 6:00pm - 6:50pm

Staff

Pastor...Fr. Charles Zach

Parochial Vicar / Habla Español...Fr. Julio Torres

Deacon...Larry Loumena

Deacon / Habla Español...Lou De Sitter

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Parish Secretary...Veronikka Mayer

Maintenance / Grounds...Ed Kurtz

Liturgy / Sacraments...Sara Wise

Faith Formation...Jeanne Chambers

Youth Ministry...Emma Hoke

RCIA / Adult Ed...Connie Ostlund

Music...Barbara Adams

Calendar for February 2 - 9

Sunday February 2

Masses 8:30am & 11am English, 1:30pm Spanish

K of C Breakfast 9:30am (GYM)
 Everyday Strength Cancer Support 9:30am (OMT)
 Library Open 9:45am
 EFF & Sacra Prep 9:45am & 12:15pm (P/C)
 Spanish Basketball 7pm (GYM)

Monday February 3 Mass 8am English

Spanish Couples Group 7pm (FSR)

Tuesday February 4 Mass 8am English

Pointers Prayer Group 8:45am (MR)
 Al-Anon 10am (RM 6)
 St. Vincent de Paul Pantry 10am (SVDPP)
 Spanish RCIA 7pm ()
 Nar-Anon 7pm (RM 7)
 Choir 7pm (CH)

Wednesday February 5 Mass 8am English

Adult Study 9am (RM 6)
 OA 10:30am (RM7)
 #1 Pinochle 11:45am (FSR)
 Spanish Bible Study 6:30pm (LIB)
 Spanish Choir 7pm (CH)
 Youth Ministry 7pm (P/C)

Thursday February 6 Mass 8am English

Confessions 6pm - 6:50pm Bilingual

Mass 7pm Spanish

Day Shelter 1:00pm (GYM)
 English RCIA 7pm (RM 6)
 Folk Group 7:30pm (CH)

Friday February 7 Mass 8am English

St. Henry Library Open 9:30am (LIB)

Saturday February 8 Masses 8am English

Vigil 5pm English

Confessions 3pm - 4:30pm Bilingual

St. Henry Women's Group 9am (RM 8)
 St. Vincent de Paul Pantry 10am (SVDPP)
 Catholic Family Life Potluck and Card Making 6pm (FSR)

Sunday February 9

Masses 8:30am & 11am English, 1:30pm Spanish

Everyday Strength Cancer Support 9:30am (OMT)
 Coffee & Donuts 9:45am (GYM)
 Library Open 9:45am
 EFF & Sacra Prep 9:45am & 12:15pm (P/C)
 Family Life Guest Speaker 9:50am (LIB)
 English Basketball 4pm (GYM)
 Spanish Basketball 7pm (GYM)

Mass Intentions February 3 - 9

M	Youth of the Church -William Cordoba	(Ron Welsh) (Vielka Franceschi)
T	Norbert Berrie -Guadalupe Coronel	(Bill & JoAnn Reiling) (Vielka Franceschi)
W	+Rita Sullivan -Beth Orr	(Elise Nicholson) (Vielka Franceschi)
T	Persecuted Christians -Vielka Franceschi +Rita Sullivan	(Ron Welsh) (Vielka Franceschi) (Elise Nicholson)
F	+Rita Sullivan	(Elise Nicholson)
S	Souls in Purgatory +Rita Sullivan	(Ron Welsh) (Elise Nicholson)
S	+Deceased Knights of Columbus For the Parish Family -Jaclyn Gutierrez +Manuel Sr. & Lucille Fagundes +Rita Sullivan	(K of C) (Fr. Charles Zach) (V. Mayer) (Manuel Fagundes Jr.) (Elise Nicholson)

Prayer List

“What you ask in my name, I will do” John 14:13.

Please pray for... Donald Caldwell, Kathy Eisenzimmer, Brenda Finnerty, David Heitzman, Harry Heitzman, Lisa Hills, Mary Lafferty, Sarah Marek, Jim Martin, Dr. Richard H. Miller, Ayden Mills, Patricia Mulkey, Kerri O’Leary, Connie Ostlund, Gwen Ragnone, Norm Ragnone, Vicky Rizzo, Shay Van Smith. **We are building our prayer list again. Please call the office if you would like to be included on this list.** Out of respect for an individuals privacy, we print only the names of those who give their permission to have their names published.

Please pray for Lynn Horton, Mary Detter and Harriet Rice who have recently died.

May Lynn, Mary and Harriet and all the faithfully departed rest in peace.



Pray For...

No Elementary Faith Formation or Sacramental Preparation on February 16.

The Church office is closed on February 17 In observance of Presidents Day



~ Pastors Note ~ Struggling with God's Plan



"One day, a small opening appeared in a cocoon; a man sat and watched for the butterfly for several hours as it struggled to force its body through that little hole.

Then, it seems to stop making any progress.

It appeared as if it had gotten as far as it could and it could not go any further.

The butterfly then emerged easily.

But it had a withered body, it was tiny and shriveled wings.

The man continued to watch because he expected that, at any moment, the wings would open, enlarge and expand, to be able to support the butterfly's body, and become firm.

Neither happened!

In fact, the butterfly spent the rest of its life crawling around with a withered body and shriveled wings. It never was able to fly.

What the man, in his kindness and his goodwill did not understand was that the restricting cocoon and the struggle required for the butterfly to get through the tiny opening, were God's way of forcing fluid from the body of the butterfly into its wings, so that it would be ready for flight once it achieved its freedom from the cocoon.

Sometimes, struggles are exactly what we need in our life.

If God allowed us to go through our life without any obstacles, it would cripple us. We would not be as strong as we could have been. Never been able to fly.

I asked for Strength...

and God gave me difficulties to make me strong.

I asked for Wisdom...

and God gave me problems to solve.

I asked for prosperity...

and God gave me a brain and brawn to work.

I asked for Courage.....

and God gave me obstacles to overcome.

I asked for Love...

and God gave me troubled people to help.

I asked for Favors...

And God gave me Opportunities.

"I received nothing I wanted..."

But I received everything I needed."



With Christ, live life without fear, confront all obstacles and know that you can overcome them.

Spiritual Enrichment



The Spiritual Enrichment Committee will present on DVD
"The Seven Pillars of Catholic Spirituality" by Matthew Kelley
Sunday, February 16, 2020 @ 9:40am in the Fireside Room.
Coffee will be offered.

Justice and Peace Prayer Service

Thank you to all who attended the Prayer Service for Peace hosted by the Justice and Peace Committee on the evening of January 20th. A special thank you to Steve Piplovic, Michell Emrich and the Children's Choir for leading us in song. Thanks to our readers: Brandon Dannog, Terry Tygielska, Don Schantz, and Jay Courtney-Leocadio. Shirley Wilson and Deacon Larry did a great job publicizing the event. Our Justice and Peace Committee members brought cookies and cider to share after the service. Hopefully our prayers will help to bring peace in our hearts, in our community and in our world. Sharon Williams



Widows, Widowers and Singles

ATTENTION: We'll enjoy Italian at Boccellis Restaurant, 246 N. Main in Gresham. Let's meet there at 1:00 pm on Wednesday, February 19 and enjoy good food and conversation. Hope to see you there. Don't forget to call Ilene at **503-667-2500 by Sunday, February 16** so a reservation can be made.



Empty Nesters Mardi Gras Celebration & Pot Luck



Tuesday, February 13, 2018
Fun begins at 5pm in the Fireside Room

Wear that colorful Mardi Gras Mask,
and get your beads at the door.
Colorful dress is recommended.

Appetizers furnished by your Empty Nesters Committee
Please bring your favorite potluck dish ready to serve.
Coffee, tea and punch will be provided.
Questions: call Ilene at 503-667-2500

Catholic Family Life



We will be making Valentines cards for parishioners who are living in care facilities. All families and parishioners are invited to join us for a fun evening of simple card making and a potluck meal. Please bring a dish and/or dessert to share. Card making supplies and beverages will be provided.

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**Saturday, February 9, at 9:50am in the Library, Guest Speaker, Miriam Marston will be sharing "Call to Holiness in Everyday Life."**

Miriam is a speaker/author/singer-songwriter based in Portland, OR. She's been a featured artist on a number of radio stations, including Archangel Radio, Mater Dei Radio, Ava Maria Radio, and WQOM Boston. Miriam serves as the Coordinator for the Institute for Catholic Life & Leadership in the Archdiocese of Portland.

Please join us in the Library for an inspirational talk.



## St. Vincent de Paul

St. Vincent de Paul is looking for donations of old t-shirts. One of our team leaders is acquainted with someone who will turn old t-shirts into bags. Please place your old t-shirts in the red bins in the foyer of the church through February 28, 2020. Thank you

## Study Course: The Eucharist

The Franciscan Sisters of the Eucharist invite you to attend a study course on the Eucharist based on Dr. Brant Pitre's "Eucharist: Discovering The Mass In The Bible". Spring Session begins Saturday February 29 and continues through March 28, 2020. For more information or to register call Sr. Mary Margaret Delaski, FSE 971-263-3526 or email: [smmdelaski@fsecommunity.org](mailto:smmdelaski@fsecommunity.org)  
Location: 48100 E. Historic Columbia River Hwy PO Box 23 Bridal Veil, OR 97010  
Donations accepted.

## Everyday Strength Support

Our Library is missing the DVD of Bp. Robert Barron on the Eucharist. If you have it please return to Anne Jochim in the library or you can bring it to the office front desk. Thank you

## Women's Lenten Retreat at St. Joseph in Vancouver

**Save the Date!** St. Joseph Catholic Church in Vancouver will again be hosting their full day Women's Lenten Retreat on Saturday, February 29, 2020 from 8am to 4pm. Many women from St. Henry attended last year and it was a fantastically energetic day of inspiration, prayer, adoration and fellowship. Featuring Mary Lenaburg and Shannon Evans. **St. Henry women are planning once again to attend. Please call Diana Bavarskas (Parishioner from St. Henry) at 503-490-6562 to reserve your spot. Diana has reserved 16 spots, so call her soon to get your seat. Cost is \$35 per person.**



This retreat includes breakfast and lunch. It is a day long event with inspiring talks, workshops, prayer, adoration and fellowship designed to help us invite Christ into our hearts as we enter the Lenten season.

## Archbishop's Catholic Appeal

Next weekend is Commitment Weekend for the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal. During Mass we will watch a video from Archbishop Sample about the Appeal. If you received a personalized commitment card in the mail please bring it to Mass with you next week. If you did not receive a pledge card in the mail, they will be available in the pews during Mass. Please read the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal materials in the bulletin today and prayerfully reflect on the level of commitment you can make next week.

## St. Henry Mom's Group

St. Henry Mom's Group meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursday monthly from 10am to 11:30am in room 8 of the Parish Center. We are a group of moms supporting each other in raising our children within our Catholic Faith. Join us for our bimonthly meetings for friendship and special topic presentations for busy moms. Free childcare provided. Facebook: St. Henry Gresham OR MOMS Group.



## Community News

### St. Stephen in Portland

#### Celebration of St. Jacinta on the Centenary of her Death

St. Stephen Church, 1112 SE 41st Ave in Portland, and the World Apostolate of Fatima will host a commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the death of St. Jacinta, with Adoration, Confessions, veneration of the saint's relic, and Rosary in the church beginning at 5:30 pm, followed by a talk by Fr Eric Anderson, in Carmody Hall at 7 pm., entitled "The Blessing of Sickness". St. Jacinta, one of the three Fatima shepherd children, died at age 9 on February 20th, 1919. Snacks provided. Parking available in the lot on SE Taylor at 43rd Ave. For more info Call Mary Nordlund at 503-914-8411 or Jerry McAfee at 503-260-8995

### St. Ignatius in Portland~ Italian Dinner

The beloved community event returns for the 85th time! Serving over 10,000 meatballs as part of a dinner that includes spaghetti, ravioli, bread, salad, wine, beer, and more. Reasonably priced and a friendly atmosphere where you are sure to get more than your fill! Take out is available too! The event is located at St. Ignatius Church Gym at SE 43rd and Powell on Sunday, Feb. 16th from noon-6pm. Parties of 8 or more, please make reservations with Diane Welters at

503.774.0744.

### Zarephath Fundraiser

**SUNDAY FEB 23 4:00—9:00PM**

**Mardi Gras Party**



**GRESHAM EAGLES 117 NE Roberts Ave.**



**Casino Games**

**Gumbo & Jambalaya Dinner INCLUDED**

**Costumes Encouraged**

**Masks & Beads at the door**

**Zydeco Dance Instruction**

**Tickets available at [www.Tickettomato.com](http://www.Tickettomato.com)**

**\$40 advance / \$45 at door**

**Proceeds Benefit Zarephath Kitchen & Pantry**



Dinner served 4:00 - 8:30  
Dance instruction 4:00 - 5:00  
Gaming 5:00 - 8:00  
Live DANCE Music 5:30 - 8:30  
Prizes awarded 8:30 - 9:00



## Guest Speaker



Parishioners and guests of St. Henry enjoy the morning Guest Speaker, Ryan Mainard as he spoke on "Teaching Children to be Children of God" on January 19. Catholic Family Life Committee sponsored this event. Next Guest Speaker is scheduled for February 9 at 9:50 in the Library with Miriam Marston. Everyone is invited. See page 5 for more details.



PRESENTATION OF THE LORD



## 2 de febrero de 2020 - Presentación del Señor

"... lo llevaron a Jerusalén para presentarlo al Señor ..." (LUCAS 2:22)

¿Qué tan en serio te tomas ser católico? ¿Es "ser católico" algo que hago cuando asisto a la misa dominical o asisto a una de mis funciones parroquiales? Es fácil ser católico entonces, es más difícil ser católico cuando estoy en el mundo. ¿Te reconocería alguien como católico por tu forma de actuar, vestirse y hablar? ¿Cómo te presentas al Señor y a los demás?

Si deseas Bautizar a tu (a) Los pasos son:

- 1) Llenar la Aplicación en la Oficina,
- 2) Traer los documentos Necesarios y
- 3) Asistir a las...

Platicas pre-Bautismales

Las clases son el primer del mes de Sábado 9am a 1pm Padres y padrinos entran a la clase presentando la copia de su aplicación ya hecha en la oficina Parroquial.



# Bautismo

