

St. Frederic Catholic Church

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OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday—Friday 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

May 21, 2023 Ascension of the Lord

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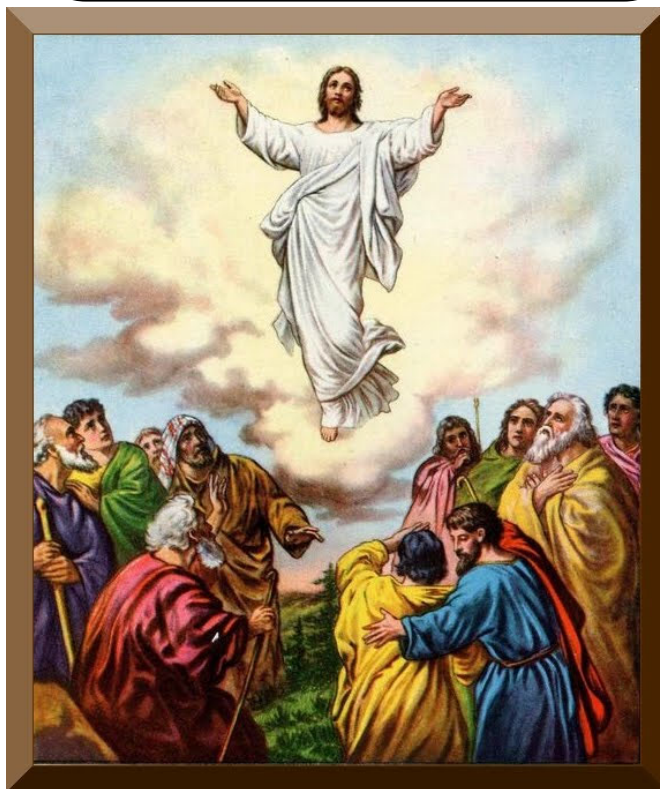
Women's Society

Judy Valpiani 503-397-0148

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Mission Statement

St Frederic is a Catholic Christian Community that works and prays together to deepen our love of God and to share that love by ministering to each other and the extended community in holiness and justice.



Mass Schedule:

Saturday at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday at 8:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m. (bilingual)

Tuesday at 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday at 9:00 a.m.

Thursday at 9:00 a.m.

Friday at 9:00—10:30 a.m.

Mass & Adoration

Reconciliation: 4:00—4:30 p.m. Saturday
or by appointment

Our Offertory Collection

May 14, 2023

The budget for July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023 is \$4,000 per week. These are expenses to maintain our liturgy, ministries, personnel, and facilities throughout the church compound.

Week 46

	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Need:	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 184,000.00
Collection:	\$ 2,250.00	\$ 163,211.85
	\$ -1,750.00	\$- 20,788.15

Thank you for your Support

Maintenance Fund \$1,359.00

BEQUESTS

I give, devise, and bequeath the sum of \$_____ to the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon for the sole benefit of St. Frederic Catholic Church located at 175th S. 13th, St. Helens, Oregon to be used under the direction of the priest at the time of my death.

Second Collections

Next weekend's collection is for St. Vincent de Paul.

Archbishop's Catholic Appeal

Gifts to the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal are immediately invested in works of mercy, education, and charity. To make an immediate impact on – and for – our faith community, visit JesusChangesEverything.church, or call (503) 233-8336.

**Early Summer Day Retreat at
Our Lady of Peace Retreat Center, Beaverton
Friday, June 9, 2023
8:30 am.—3 p.m.**

Would you like to attend this Retreat? The **Women's Society** is sponsoring the \$40 Retreat Fee for any woman in our parish who would like to attend. Please contact Judy Valpiani at 503-397-5143 if interested.

MASS OFFERINGS (\$10.00)

May 20—May 27

Sat	5/20	5:00 p.m.	Carrie Gomez
Sun	5/21	8:00 a.m.	
		11:00 a.m.	For the Parishioners
Tue	5/23	9:00 a.m.	† Myron Schnoor
Wed	5/24	9:00 a.m.	† Lucille Ferarro
Thu	5/25	9:00 a.m.	
Fri	5/26	11:00 a.m.	
Sat	5/27	5:00 p.m.	

Mass Offerings

Envelopes are available in the vestibule for all parishioners who wish to request a mass. You may put your Mass offering request in the collection basket or mail to the office. Please make sure to include your phone number in case there are questions. Offering is \$10.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Karen Adenau, Quartney Alden, Linnae Anceneaux, Chris Arnis, Janet Barker, Ken Brock, Marvel Brown, Leo Carina, Barbara Cowlin, Pam Curnutt, Lori Dahlin, Mark Dahlin, Rita Davis, Donna Marie DeSantis, David Douthwaite, Mary Douthwaite, Dean Ebert, Sharon Flowers, Lanis Rusty Freeman, Barbara Gordon, Clairia Grisham, Brent Hiller, Bethany Lang, Larry Liewer, Nick Liewer, Patty Lowe, Rodney Mann, Debbie Medeiros, Inge Miller, Dick Niece, Robin Ochoa, Bernard Offley, Manuel Painter, Keating Presnell, Patty Rodabaugh, Ronald Schaumberg, Annabelle Scheer, Melody Smith, Chip Starr, Sunday Summer, Pauline Thompson, Margie Tomlinson, Marcy Wright, Clifford Van Loo, and Gail Norwood Young.

Christmas Bazaar Surprise Package Booth

The Women's Society is in need of tissue paper, bows, ribbons, and like new items for the surprise package booth. Please keep them in mind when spring cleaning.

Knights of Columbus Breakfast

There will be a Knights of Columbus Breakfast this Sunday, May 21, 2023 after both Masses for our high school seniors.

Bible Reflection from St. Paul Society

May 21, 2023 — The Ascension of the Lord

In today's First Reading from the Acts of the Apostles, St. Luke gives the surprising news that there is more of the story to be told. The story did not end with the empty tomb, or with Jesus' appearances to the Apostles over the course of forty days. Jesus' saving work will have a liturgical consummation. He is the great high priest, and He has still to ascend to the heavenly Jerusalem, there to celebrate the feast in the true Holy of Holies. The truth of this feast shines forth from the Letter to the Hebrews, where we read of the great high priest's passing through the heavens, the sinless intercessor's sacrifice on our behalf (see Hebrews 4:14-15). Indeed, His intercession will lead to the Holy Spirit's descent in fire upon the Church. Luke spells out that promise in the First Reading for the feast of the Ascension: "in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit" (Acts 1:5). The Ascension is the preliminary feast that directs the Church's attention forward to Pentecost. On that day, salvation will be complete; for salvation is not simply expiation for sins (that would be wonder enough), but it is something even greater than that. Expiation is itself a necessary precondition of our adoption as God's children. To live that divine life we must receive the Holy Spirit. To receive the Holy Spirit we must be purified through Baptism.

The Responsorial Psalm presents the Ascension in terms familiar from the worship of the Jerusalem Temple in the days of King Solomon: "God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord" (Psalm 47). The priest-king takes his place at the head of the people, ruling over the nations, establishing peace.

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Faith Formation—Attention

Do you have a child who will be in second grade or above in 2023-2024 school year? Do you know someone who needs Confirmation? Do you know someone who would like more information about the Catholic Church?

Registration for First Communion, Adult Confirmation (RCIA), and High School Youth Group starts **this weekend and will end June 30, 2023**.

These are for classes that start in September. Forms will be in the entrance of the church and in Buccini Hall during the Knights of Columbus Senior Breakfast.


Youth Group

5/21 6—8 p.m. Parish Center

B.L.A.S.T. Class

(Believe, Learn, And Seek Truth)

The next class will meet after the 11:00 a.m. Mass in St. Joseph's Room, this **Sunday, May 21**.






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Save the Date

Healing the Whole Person Conference

Nov. 30 - Dec. 2, 2023

Thurs. & Friday evenings and all-day Saturday
Our Lady of Lavang Catholic Church, 11731 SE
Stevens Rd, Happy Valley, OR

The conference is hosted by the Archdiocese and is put on by Dr. Bob Schuchts and the John Paul II Healing Center. It is open to everyone and can be attended in-person or virtually. There will be a Spanish language option.

More information to follow.



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