

St. Frederic Catholic Church

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

February 25, 2024

2nd Sunday of Lent

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.

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God tests Abraham's love. (Genesis 22:12, 16)

Mass Schedule:

Saturday at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday at 8:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m. (bilingual)

Tuesday at 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday at 8:30 a.m.

Thursday at 8:30

Friday at 8:30 a.m. Mass & Adoration

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

Our Offertory Collection

February 18, 2024

The budget for July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024 is \$4,500 per week. These are expenses to maintain our liturgy, ministries, personnel, and facilities throughout the church compound.

Week 34	Weekly	YTD
Need:	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 153,000.00
Collection:	\$ 1,639.00	\$ 131,849.75
	\$ -2,861.00	\$ - 21,150.25

Catholic Home Missions	\$563.00
Central & Eastern European Church	\$425.00

Thank you for your Support

MASS OFFERINGS (\$10.00)

February 24—March 2

Sat	2/24	5:00 p.m.	Dave Sutterland
Sun	2/25	8:00 a.m.	
		11:00 a.m.	For the Parishioners
Tue	2/27	8:30 a.m.	† Kenny Zimmerman
Wed	2/28	8:30 a.m.	† Alfredo Moreno
Thur	2/29	8:30 a.m.	
Fri	3/1	8:30 a.m.	Marie Dágrosa
Sat	3/2	5:00 p.m.	

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 is for St. Vincent de Paul.

Faith Formation

First Communion

2/25	Class	after 11:00 a.m. Mass	Parish Center
3/1	Class	after 11:00 a.m. Mass	Parish Center

Confirmation Class (1st year)

2/25	Class	9:15—10:45 a.m.	Parish Center
3/1	Class	9:15—10:45 a.m.	Parish Center

Confirmation Class (2nd year)

2/25	Class	9:15—10:45 a.m.	St. Joseph's Rm
3/1	Class	9:15—10:45 a.m.	St. Joseph's Rm

High School Youth Group

2/28	Class	6:00—7:30 p.m.	Parish Center
3/6	Class	6:00—7:30 p.m.	Parish Center

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

2/29	Class	5:45 p.m.	St Joseph's Rm
3/7	HW7	Source & Summit	

Pray for your brothers and sisters in Christ

'Therefore I tell you, all that you ask for in prayer, believe that you will receive it and it shall be yours' Mark 11:24

Karen Adenau, Rosie Amos, Linnae Anceneaux, Chris Arnis, Janet Barker, Bob Bower, Ken Brock, Marvel Brown, Leo Carina, Barbara Cowlin, Lori Dahlin, Mark Dahlin, Joe Davis, Rita Davis, Elizabeth & Baby A DeNome, Donna Marie DeSantis, David Douthwaite, Mary Douthwaite, Marge Ebert, Dean Ebert, Sharon Flowers, Lanis Rusty Freeman, Barbara Gordon, Claira Grisham, Brent Hiller, Cliff Johnson, Bethany Lang, Patty Lowe, Rodney Mann, Karen Nabahat, Debbie Medeiros, Dick Niece, Esther Niece, Robin Ochoa, Bernard Offley, Manuel Painter, Jeremy Perrin, Keating Presnell, Ronald Schaumberg, Annabelle Scheer, Melody Smith, Dave Sutherland, Pauline Thompson, Margie Tomlinson, Marcy Wright, Clifford Van Loo, and Gail Norwood Young.

Baptism Class

Anyone who will be Baptizing their child in the next 6 months needs to complete the Baptismal form (found in the entrance of the Church) and turn in by March 9, 2024. The class is scheduled for Wednesday, March 13, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.

Adoration

As part of the Revival of the Eucharist, St. Frederic has Adoration on Friday mornings after the 8:30 a.m. Mass and on Thursday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. All are welcome and encouraged to spend time with the Lord.

Soup Supper and Stations of the Cross

Soup Supper is Friday, March 1 at 5:30 p.m. in Buccini Hall sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

Stations of the Cross start at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.

Celebration of Life for Robert Shadley

A celebration of life luncheon will be held at the St. Helens Elk's Lodge on Saturday, March 2, 2024 at 1:00 p.m.

Bible Reflection from St. Paul Society

February 25, 2024

2nd Sunday of Lent

The Lenten season continues with another story of testing. Last Sunday, we heard the trial of Jesus in the desert. In this week's First Reading, we hear of how Abraham was put to the test.

The Church has always read this story as a sign of God's love for the world in giving His only-begotten son.

In today's Epistle, Paul uses exact words drawn from this story to describe how God, like Abraham, did not withhold His only Son, but handed Him over for us on the Cross (see Romans 8:32; Genesis 22:12,16). In the Gospel today, too, we hear another echo. Jesus is called God's "beloved Son"—as Isaac is described as Abraham's beloved son.

These readings are given to us in Lent to reveal Christ's identity and to strengthen us in the face of our afflictions.

Jesus is shown to be the true son that Abraham rejoiced to see (see Matthew 1:1; John 8:56). In His transfiguration, He is revealed to be the "prophet like Moses" foretold by God—raised from among their own kinsmen, speaking with God's own authority (see Deuteronomy 18:15, 19).

Like Moses, He climbs the mountain with three named friends and beholds God's glory in a cloud (see Exodus 24:1, 9, 15). He is the one prophesied to come after Elijah's return (see Sirach 48:9-10; Malachi 3:1, 23-24).

And, as He discloses to the Apostles, He is the Son of Man sent to suffer and die for our sins (see Isaiah 53:3).

As we sing in today's Psalm, Jesus believed in the face of His afflictions, and God loosed Him from the bonds of death (see Psalm 116:3).

His rising should give us the courage to face our trials, to offer ourselves totally to the Father—as He did, as Abraham and Isaac did.

Freed from death by His death, we come to this Mass to offer the sacrifice of thanksgiving, and to renew our vows—as His servants and faithful ones.

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World Day of Prayer

Friday, March 1, 2024 at 1:00 p.m.

St. Frederic Catholic Church

A service prepared by the World Day of Prayer Committee of Palestine. All are welcome.

Women's Society Meeting

Tuesday, February 27, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.

There will be a short meeting to discuss the World Day of Prayer this Tuesday in St. Joseph's Room.

Catholic-Lutheran Joint Music, Scripture and Prayer

Rescheduled: Saturday, March 9, 2024

11:00 a.m.

at First Lutheran Church of St. Helens

360 Wyeth St., St. Helens

Potluck to follow in the Fellowship Hall

All are invited to this collaboration between St. Frederic Catholic Church and First Lutheran Church of St. Helens. Both church choirs will sing. Join us in song, scripture and prayer together. Following the brief service, all are invited to the Fellowship Hall for a potluck luncheon where members of both parishes can get to know each other. Please support this ecumenical event and take advantage of this opportunity to encounter our Catholic and Lutheran communities through music, prayer and conversation.

Daily Readings

26 February 2024

Dan 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13; Lk 6:36-38

27 February 2024

Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50: 8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23; Mt 23:1-12

28 February 2024

Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16; Mt 20: 17-28

29 February 2024

Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 16:19-31

1 March 2024

Gen 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28; Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

2 March 2024

Mic 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

3 March 2024

Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42

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