

St. Frederic Catholic Church

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March 15, 2026

4th Sunday of Lent

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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.



Jesus heals the Blind man.

*The Lord anointed my eyes: I went, I washed,
I saw and I believed in God.*

cf. John 9:11, 38

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

March 8, 2026

The budget for July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026 is \$4,500 per week. These are expenses to maintain our liturgy, ministries, personnel, and facilities throughout the church compound.

Week 36	Weekly	YTD
Need:	\$ 4,500.00	\$162,000.00
Weekly Collection:	\$ 2,021.00	\$151,002.00
Total:	\$ -2,479.00	\$ -10,998.00

February Online Giving \$3,645.00

February Maintenance Online Giving \$320.00

Second Collection

Last Weekend: Maintenance \$975.00

Thank you for your Continued Support!

Daily Readings

16 March 2020 - Monday

2 Kings 5: 1-15b; Ps 42: 2, 3; 43: 3, 4; Lk 4: 24-30

17 March 2020 - Tuesday

Dan 3: 25, 34-43; Ps 25: 4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8 and 9; Mat 18: 21-35

18 March 2020 - Wednesday

Deut 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147: 12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mat 5: 17-19

19 March 2020 - Thursday

2 Sam 7: 4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89: 2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29; Rom 4: 13, 16-18, 22; Mat 1: 16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2: 41-51a

20 March 2020 - Friday

Hos 14: 2-10; Ps 81: 6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17; Mk 12: 28-34

21 March 2020 - Saturday

Hos 6: 1-6; Ps 51: 3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab; Lk 18: 9-14

22 March 2020 - Sunday

1 Sam 16: 1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1); Eph 5: 8-14; Jn 9: 1-41

MASS OFFERINGS (\$10.00)

Sat	3/14	5:00 p.m.	
Sun	3/15	8:00 a.m.	† Paul Peczynski
		11:00 a.m.	For the Parishioners
Tues	3/17	8:30 a.m.	† Bishop David O'Connell
Wed	3/18	8:30 a.m.	Michael Delacuadra
Thur	3/19	8:30 a.m.	† Ariel Fauley
Fri	3/20	8:30 a.m.	

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

Rosie Amos, Chris Arnis, Janet Barker, Ken Brock, Margaret Brock, Grant Brown, Leo Carina, Diane Chiotti, Ron Chiotti, Stan and Lynn Chiotti, Lori Dahlin, Mark Dahlin, Joe Davis, Donna Marie DeSantis, Pat Dolan, David Douthwaite, Mary Douthwaite, Sharon Flowers, Lanis Rusty Freeman, Barbara Gordon, Clairra Grisham, Tim Harman, Cliff Johnson, Bethany Lang, Patty Lowe, Cary Lucas, Rodney Mann, Karen Nabehet, Debbie Medeiros, Chris Mincher, James Morgan, Esther Niece, Bernard Offley, Manuel Painter, Jeremy Perrin, Keating Presnell, Maureen Proffitt, Patty Rismoen, Ronald Schaumberg, Bruce Schnell, Maureen Sloan, Melody Smith, Dave Sutherland, Roman Tkach, Pauline Thompson, Margie Tomlinson, Darlene Tracey, Clifford Van Loo, Holly Vader, Shirley Walker, Marcy Wright, , and Gail Norwood Young.

Reconciliation Service

Our Reconciliation Service will be this Tuesday, March 17, 2026 at 7 pm.

There will be no Reconciliation on Saturday, March 21, 2026

Chrism Mass—Archbishop Sample is extending an invitation to parishioners to attend. It will be held at St. Mary's Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception on Thursday, March 26, 2026 at 5pm

Eyesight to the Blind: St. Paul Society Reflects on the Fourth Sunday of Lent

Readings: 1 Samuel 16:1, 6–7, 10–13; Psalm 23:1–6
Ephesians 5:8–14; John 9:1–41

God's ways of seeing are not our ways, we hear in today's First Reading. Jesus illustrates this in the Gospel as the blind man comes to see and the Pharisees are made blind.

The blind man stands for all humanity. "Born totally in sin," he is made a new creation by the saving power of Christ.

As God fashioned the first man from the clay of the earth (see Genesis 2:7), Jesus gives the blind man new life by anointing his eyes with clay (see John 9:11). As God breathed the spirit of life into the first man, the blind man is not healed until he washes in the waters of Siloam, a name that means "Sent."

Jesus is the One "sent" by the Father to do the Father's will (see John 9:4; 12:44). He is the new source of life-giving water: the Holy Spirit who rushes upon us in Baptism (see John 4:10; 7:38–39).

This is the Spirit that rushes upon God's chosen king David in today's First Reading. A shepherd like Moses before him (see Exodus 3:1; Psalm 78:70–71), David is also a sign pointing to the good shepherd and king to come—Jesus (see John 10:11).

The Lord is our shepherd, as we sing in today's Psalm. By His death and Resurrection He has made a path for us through the dark valley of sin and death, leading us to the verdant pastures of the kingdom of life, the Church.

In the restful waters of Baptism He has refreshed our souls. He has anointed our heads with the oil of Confirmation and spread the Eucharistic table before us, filling our cups to overflowing.

With the once-blind man we enter His house to give God the praise, to renew our vow: "I do believe, Lord."

"The Lord looks into the heart," we hear today. Let Him find us, as Paul advises in today's Epistle, living as "children of light," trying always to learn what is pleasing to our Father.

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Lenten Soup Supper and Stations of the Cross

Join us on Friday, March 20, 2026, for our 5th Soup Supper and Stations of the Cross during Lent. We will begin at 5:30pm with a soup supper in Buccini Hall. This week will be hosted by the Finance Council. Then, at 7:00pm, we will have Stations of the Cross in the Church.

Holy Week Schedule

Sunday, March 29, 2026

Palm Sunday – Masses at
8:00 & 11:00 a.m.

Thursday, April 2, 2026

Holy Thursday — Mass at 7:00 p.m.

Friday, April 3, 2026

Good Friday - Passion of the Lord
—Mass at 7p.m.

Saturday, April 4, 2026

Easter Vigil — Mass at 8:30p.m.

Sunday, April 5, 2026

Easter Sunday—Masses at 8:00 &
11:00a.m.

Baptism Class

Anyone who will be Baptizing their child in the next 4 months, Registration forms are in the entry of the Church.

Faith Formation Classes

Youth Group - Wednesdays @ 7pm in Parish Center

1st Comm (young kids) - Sundays after the 11am Mass in the Parish Center

1st Comm (older youth) - Sundays at 9:15 in the Parish Center

Confirmation - Wednesdays @ 6-7:00pm in Room 5 (St. Joseph's room)

OCIA (RCIA)— Thursdays @ 6:30pm in Rm 5



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Memorial Service for long time
Parishioner Mary Sook, will be on
Sunday, March 15 at 1pm at their
home at 123 N. Vernonia Rd, St.
Helens, Or. For those who knew
her, you are Welcome to attend.

Grotto Lenten Retreat THIS FRIDAY

with Dina Marie Hale

Friday, March 20th, 2026

8:15am—2:30pm

There is still time to Sign up &
Register for the Retreat.

Registration and information can be
found at dinamarie.org. Car pooling
available. Meet at St. Frederic's,
leaving at 7:30am