



NOVEMBER 20, 2022 | OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

WELCOME!

Mass Times

Tuesday-Friday...8:00 am
Saturday Vigil.....5:00 pm
Sunday Mass....8:00 am,
10:00 am and 12:30 pm

Reconciliation

Saturday.....3:00 pm

Adoration

Friday.....2:30-3:30 pm

The adoration chapel,
attached to the parish
office, is open 24 hours,
7 days a week.

To sign-up to adopt an
hour, please email
secstpaulsilvertont@gmail.com

Prayer Chain

Email prayer requests at
secstpaulsilvertont@gmail.com

Stay Connected

Do we have your email?
Weekly messages are sent
out by email.

Office Hours

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9:00 am-4:30 pm

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The rulers sneered at Jesus and said, "He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God." - Lk 23:35

Las autoridades le hacían muecas, diciendo: "A otros ha salvado; que se salve a sí mismo, si él es el Mesías de Dios, el elegido". - Lc 23, 35

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WE'D LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Call, visit or email the office. Or, register or update your information on our website: www.stpaulsilvertont.com/register

Llame, visite o envíe un correo electrónico a la oficina. Para registrarse o cambiar su información visite la pagina: www.stpaulsilvertont.com/register

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

Escúchanos, Señor, te rogamos

PRAYERS / PETICIONES

For those who have asked for our prayers in our community, especially:

Por los que necesitan nuestras oraciones en nuestra comunidad, especialmente:

Rock Sander
Jolene Gerlits & Family
Mike O'Boyle
Elizabeth Hathaway
Carolyn Espe
Paul Kuenzi
Priscilla Schaecher
Kelly Comstock
John W.
Linda Hamlin
Bill Martin
Brian Bay
Sara White
Joani Steffen
Margaret Bothum
Judith Tedrow
Pam Smith
Shirley McHorse
Frank Gubbels
Tony Davis

PRAYER LIST ADDITIONS /

CÓMO AÑADIR A ALGUIEN A LA LISTA DE ORACIÓN

If you wish to add yourself or your loved one to the prayer list, please call the parish office at 503.873.2044 or send an email to secstpaulsilvertont@gmail.com

Si desea añadirse a sí mismo o a su ser querido a la lista de oración, llame a la oficina parroquial al 503.873.2044 o envíe un correo electrónico a secstpaulsilvertont@gmail.com

MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS

Mass Intention + = Deceased

Tuesday/Martes	11/22	+Casilda Reyes
8:00am		
Wednesday/Miércoles	11/23	+Alfredo Reyes
8:00am		
Thursday/Jueves	11/24	+Aleta
8:00am		
Friday/Viernes	11/25	+Jorge Padilla
8:00am		
Saturday/Sábado	11/26	+People of the Parish
5:00pm		
Sunday/Domingo	11/27	
8:00am		+John & Sandra Ganino
10:00am		+Lefevre Family Members
12:30pm	Español	+Ricardo Ortiz Hernandez & +Catalina Hernandez

READINGS / LECTURAS

NOVEMBER 6 - NOVEMBER 13, 2022

Sunday/Domingo	2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43
Monday/Lunes	Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday/Martes	Rv 14:14-19/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13/Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday/Miércoles	Rv 15:1-4/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 7-8, 9/Lk 21:12-19
Thursday/Jueves	Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 21:20-28
Friday/Viernes	Rv 20:1-4, 11—21:2/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a/Lk 21:29-33
Saturday/Sábado	Rv 22:1-7/Ps 95:1-2, 3-5, 6-7ab/Lk 21:34-36
Sunday/Domingo	Is 2:1-5/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Rom 13:11-14/Mt 24:37-44

Reflecting Deeper on **THE GOSPEL**

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

It's not unreasonable to think that if God wanted to make a statement he could do so in a very dramatic way. After all, he spoke through a burning bush that didn't actually burn, parted the Red Sea, sent manna to the Israelites from the sky, cured lepers, healed the sick and cast out demons. All of that is pretty dramatic stuff, and they made statements! Now, Jesus hangs dying on a cross. He has been referred to as a king. Considering all of the miracles Jesus did in his short time on earth, isn't one more in order? If Jesus came down off of the cross, defied death, and parted the waters of suffering and death, onlookers, believers and unbelievers alike, would take notice. It would prove who God is and show us what God wants us to do. Or would it?

Great spiritual masters remind us not to focus on miracles or consolations received from God. They can distract us. Doing anything other than what Jesus did would distract humanity as well, misplacing our focus. It's not about a miracle, at least not the dramatic kind people are eager to see. It's about something more profound. It all goes back to where it began for the earthly Jesus. God becomes one with humanity in Jesus Christ. All that goes into being human is holy and blessed, and that becomes a place where God is born, again and again. God, through Jesus, tells us to hold firm to all of the experiences of being human, the joys and the wonders, the disappointments and the failures.

God's lesson is found in Jesus' vulnerability. It is only when we are vulnerable that we learn how to love. When Jesus breathed his last, God's unconditional and tender love was realized. Jesus always had a soft spot for the weak, lost, vulnerable, and broken. God wants us to come to Him freely, not because we have witnessed some fantastic display of prowess. God desires that we find Him through who we are, as our hearts and souls direct. This will mean that our love is authentic as it will be born of the heartache, pain, and turmoil that are a part of life. The fragments of our lives need to be made whole. Our fragmented king, Jesus Christ, is the only one who can help put the pieces together

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Reflexión sobre **El Evangelio**

Alentando un Entendimiento Más Profundo de la Escritura

¡Viva Cristo Rey! ¡Viva el Rey del Universo! Mostraste tu reinado cuando caminaste sobre las aguas, y cuando multiplicaste los panes, cuando curabas a los leprosos y dabas vista a los ciegos. Tanto, tanto que hiciste por nosotros hasta llegar a la cruz. Es ahí, en la cruz, donde mostraste tu amor como Rey del Universo, al darnos la salvación. Fue ahí, en la cruz, donde un malhechor se robó el cielo, al reconocer en Jesús su Reino. "Jesús, acuérdate de mí cuando entres en tu Reino. Jesús le respondió: En verdad te digo que hoy mismo estarás conmigo en el paraíso" (Lucas 23,42-43).

"Cristo es el centro del pueblo de Dios. Y precisamente hoy está aquí, en el centro. Ahora está aquí en la Palabra y estará aquí en el altar, vivo presente, en medio de nosotros, su pueblo... A él podemos referir las alegrías y las esperanzas, las tristezas y las angustias que entretejen nuestra vida" (Papa Francisco). Cuando estamos lejos de tener a Cristo como centro de nuestra vida, estamos perdidos, no existe luz en el sendero. Sin embargo, si él es el centro de la vida, aun los momentos más oscuros se iluminan con la esperanza, como le sucedió al buen ladrón en el Evangelio de hoy. ¿En qué momento de tu vida has invitado a Cristo como centro de tu vida? ¿Qué enseñanza dejó marcada tu existencia?

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OUR SAINT *of the* WEEK

SAINT CECILIA | NOVEMBER 22

Saint Cecilia's story, like many of the earliest saints', is largely apocryphal and legendary in nature. According to tradition, Cecilia was born to a wealthy and prominent Roman family. Though she had consecrated her virginity to the Lord, she was married to a man named Valerian. It is said that she was "singing in her heart to the Lord" at her wedding. She confessed her promise of virginity to her new husband revealing that an angel protected her. Valerian would honor her vow only if he too could see the angel. Cecilia told him he would see the angel if he was baptized, which he went to do immediately. When he returned to her, he saw the angel beside her. Cecilia also converted Valerian's brother, Tiburtius. Unfortunately, it was a turbulent time in Rome for Christians. Valerian and Tiburtius were martyred for burying the bodies of Christians, which was illegal. Cecilia was also targeted for her faith. First authorities attempted to suffocate by locking her in the bath in her home and overheating the room. Some accounts say that she didn't break a sweat and even began to sing. They then sent in an executioner to behead her, but he faltered and was unable to complete his task, only succeeding in mortally wounding her. She remained alive for three days before she died. The saint's body was exhumed twice, first by Pope Paschal I in 821, then by Cardinal Sfondrato in 1599. Both times her body was found incorrupt, the first saint to exhibit this extremity. St. Cecilia is the patron saint of music and musicians.



SANTA CECILIA | NOVIEMBRE 22

La historia de Santa Cecilia, como la de muchos de los primeros santos, es en gran parte apócrifa y legendaria. Según la tradición, Cecilia nació en el seno de una familia romana rica y prominente. Aunque había consagrado su virginidad al Señor, estaba casada con un hombre llamado Valeriano. Se dice que en su boda "cantaba en su corazón al Señor". Confesó su promesa de virginidad a su nuevo marido revelando que un ángel la protegía. Valeriano sólo cumpliría su promesa si él también podía ver al ángel. Cecilia le dijo que vería al ángel si se bautizaba, cosa que él fue a hacer inmediatamente. Cuando volvió con ella, vio al ángel a su lado. Cecilia también convirtió al hermano de Valeriano, Tiburcio. Por desgracia, era una época turbulenta en Roma para los cristianos. Valeriano y Tiburcio fueron martirizados por enterrar los cuerpos de los cristianos, lo cual era ilegal. Cecilia también fue blanco de ataques por su fe. Primero las autoridades intentaron asfixiarla encerrándola en la bañera de su casa y sobrecalentando la habitación. Algunos relatos dicen que no sudó e incluso se puso a cantar. Luego enviaron a un verdugo para que la decapitara, pero vaciló y no pudo completar su tarea, sólo consiguió herirla mortalmente. Permaneció viva durante tres días antes de morir. El cuerpo de la santa fue exhumado en dos ocasiones, primero por el Papa Pascual I en el año 821 y luego por el cardenal Sfondrato en 1599. En ambas ocasiones su cuerpo fue hallado incorrupto, siendo la primera santa en exhibir esta extremidad. Santa Cecilia es la patrona de la música y de los músicos.

SAINT CECILIA, *pray for us!*

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

Recognize God in Your Ordinary Moments

Is Christ King in Our Hearts?

When you think of a king, who is the first person to pops into your head? It may depend on how much history you know, or which historical period intrigues you the most. As Americans, the first person we might think of is King George III, whose reign has become synonymous in our national lore with the concept of tyranny.

We don't have much familiarity with kingship in modern American society. Kings tend to make us uneasy. Presidents, on the other hand — we can handle those, because we know we are a president's boss. No matter how much power he has, we are the electorate. We are the source of that power. We're comfortable with this arrangement.

But with kings it is profoundly different. Traditionally, the king derives his power from God. His rule bridges humanity with the divine.

We should reflect carefully on whether or not we have made Jesus Christ king in our hearts, or whether we regard him as a president. The difference isn't just one of titles, it's one of roles. Subjects do not demand anything of a king. They beseech. They entreat. They submit, and they accept.

Do we demand of Christ, or do we beseech? Do we tolerate God's edicts with grumbling, or do we embrace His word as the means of our reconciliation with Him?

The "good thief" treated Christ as a king. His counterpart treated him as a president. And it's worth remembering that Jesus Christ is not the President of the Universe.

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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Happy Thanksgiving Day

Feliz Día de Acción de Gracias

Lord, we thank you for the goodness of our people and for the spirit of justice that fills this nation. We thank you for the beauty and fullness of the land and the challenge of the cities.

We thank you for our work and our rest, for one another, and for our homes. We thank you, Lord: accept our thanksgiving on this day. We pray and give thanks through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

"Give thanks to Yahweh, for he is good, for his faithful love lasts for ever!"
1 Chronicles 16:34



"¡Alaben al Señor porque Él es bueno, y Su gran amor perdura para siempre!"
1 Crónicas 16:34.

Señor, te agradecemos por la bondad de nuestro pueblo y por el espíritu de justicia que llena esta nación. Te damos gracias por la belleza y la plenitud de la tierra y el desafío de las ciudades.

Te damos gracias por nuestro trabajo y nuestro descanso, por los demás y por nuestros hogares. Te damos gracias, Señor: acepta nuestra acción de gracias en este día. Te pedimos y damos gracias por Jesucristo, nuestro Señor.

Amén.

Public Life

Question:

If we have a separation of church and state, how should faith influence the way we act in society, especially for those who have a role in the government?

Answer:

No matter who we are, our inner lives affect the way we interact with the world. In the United States, we have freedom of religion. That means there is no official state-sanctioned religion. This does not mean that our faith is a private affair with no impact on public life! We have the ability to freely exercise our religious beliefs in accord with our conscience. Not only do we have the option to do so, but we also have the responsibility.

We're called to imitate Christ in every area of our life, not compartmentalize our faith. This means acting with respect and honoring the common humanity all we encounter. It means recognizing the person behind the politics. It also means standing up for the truth of human life and dignity, and advocating for just policies that serve the common good. The Vatican has produced a "Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church." It contains more detailed exposition of how our Catholic faith relates to various aspects of public life.

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Kids Corner



COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



Christ the King • Luke 23:35-43

PRAYER / ORACIÓN

Lord, I want to be with you in paradise.

Señor, quiero estar contigo en el paraíso.

MISSION FOR THE WEEK / MISION DE LA SEMANA

I will ask God to help me forgive when I am hurt and angry.

Pediré a Dios que me ayude a perdonar cuando esté herido y enfadado.

When someone hurts you, you might get very angry. You might want to say or do mean things to get even. Before you do anything, pray first. Ask God to help you say and do the right things. When Jesus hung on the cross, he said, "Father, forgive them." When you love God and forgive yourself and others, God will say, "I promise that when you die, you will be with me in paradise."

RESPECT TO LIFE

Thank you to all who purchase bake sale items for the our ministry. Your generosity is heartwarming! Please, Pickup your Bake Sale Items this weekend after Masses. Advent wreaths pre-orders due Monday Nov 21st by 5pm. Call Cathy at 503-602-1968 or email peterboringfamily@gmail If you have any questions. Please come and help on Nov. 22 from 1-4pm with the wreath assembly in the Coffee & Room, please bring gloves and clippers.

RESPECTO POR LA VIDA

Gracias a todos los que compran artículos de venta de pasteles para nuestro ministerio. ¡Su generosidad es reconfortante! Por favor, recoger sus artículos de venta de pasteles este fin de semana después de las misas. Las coronas de Adviento se deben entregar el lunes 21 de noviembre a las 5pm. Contacte a Cathy al 503-602-1968 o por email peterboringfamily@gmail

AD LUCEM

Presents their 11th annual Christmas Concert and Carol Sing. Free admission event, donation are gratefully accepted! Saturday, December 10th at 1pm at the Queen of Angels Monastery Chapel 840 S Main St. Mt. Angel OR 97362

EL GRUPO AD LUCEM

Presenta su 11º Concierto de Navidad y Canto de Villancicos anual. Evento de entrada gratuita, ¡se aceptan donaciones con gratitud! Sábado, 10 de diciembre a la 1pm en la Capilla del Monasterio de la Reina de los Angeles 840 S Main St. Mt. Angel OR 97362

SACRED HEART PARISH

Invites you to their 67th semi-annual BBQ chicken dinner Sunday December 4th 2022 from 11am to 2pm at 485 Seventh St. Gervais. Full Dinner \$14 includes 1/2 Chicken, Bake Potato, Coleslaw, Dinner Roll and Marionberry Dessert.

LA IGLESIA DEL SAGRADO CORAZON

Le invita a su 67ª cena semestral de pollo a la barbacoa el domingo 4 de diciembre de 2022 de 11 a 14 horas en el 485 Seventh St. Gervais. Cena completa \$14 incluye 1/2 pollo, patata al horno, ensalada de col, pan y postre Marionberry.

WOMEN'S GROUP

Save the date! Tuesday Dec. 6 at 6pm the group will be holding their annual Christmas Party at the home of Mary Fogarty. All women in the parish are welcome please bring a Christmas snack to share, but if you don't have time to prepare something, come anyway! Party Address 525 Tillicum Drive, Silverton

EL GRUPO DE MUJERES

¡Reserva! El martes 6 de diciembre a las 6:00 p. m., el grupo realizará su fiesta anual de Navidad en la casa de Mary Fogarty. Todas las mujeres de la parroquia son bienvenidas, por favor traiga un refrigerio de Navidad para compartir, pero si no tiene tiempo para preparar algo, ¡venga de todos modos! Dirección de la fiesta 525 Tillicum Drive, Silverton

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need your help to make tamales during January, food handlers card is a require. Please contact Evelin Vasquez or the office if you would like to help. Profits would be for the renovation of the church.

NECESITAMOS VOLUNTARIOS

Necesitamos su ayuda para hacer tamales durante el mes de enero, la tarjeta de "food Handlers" es un requisito. Por favor, póngase en contacto con Evelin Vásquez o la oficina si desea ayudar. Las ganancias serán para la renovación de la iglesia.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20 | DOMINGO, 20 DE NOVIEMBRE

8:00 AM	Holy Mass
10:00 AM	Holy Mass
11:15 AM	Faith Formation & Confirmation
12:30 PM	La Santa Misa
6:30 PM	HS Youth Group

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21 | LUNES, 21 DE NOVIEMBRE

6:30 PM	Prayer & Praise
7:00 PM	Hispanic Charismatic Group

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22 | MARTES, 22 DE NOVIEMBRE

8:00 AM	Holy Mass
7:00 PM	G. San Juan Diego (M)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23 | MIÉRCOLES, 23 DE NOVIEMBRE

8:00 AM	Holy Mass
9:30 AM	NO Book Group
2:30 PM	NO MS Youth Group
7:00 PM	G. San Juan Diego (W)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24 | JUEVES, 24 DE NOVIEMBRE

9:00 AM	Thanksgiving Day	Holy Mass
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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25 | VIERNES, 25 DE NOVIEMBRE

8:00 AM	Holy Mass
2:30 PM	Holy Hour & Divine Mercy Chaplet

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26 | SÁBADO, 26 DE

3:00 PM	Confessions
5:00 PM	Vigil Mass

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27 | DOMINGO, 27 DE NOVIEMBRE

8:00 AM	Holy Mass
10:00 AM	Holy Mass
11:15 AM	NO Faith Formation & Confirmation
12:30 PM	La Santa Misa
6:30 PM	NO HS Youth Group

SUPPORTING EACH OTHER

Please consider supporting the businesses of these parishioners who currently maintain the landscaping of our parish grounds.

APOYÁNDONOS UNOS A OTROS

Por favor, considere apoyar los negocios de estos feligreses que actualmente se encargan del mantenimiento del paisaje de nuestros terrenos parroquiales.

 Roberto Santos Jr. 503-269-3070 Roberto Santos Sr. 503-569-7710 1207 Mill St Silverton, OR 97381 FREE ESTIMATES	 Sergio Garcia 503 602-7362
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Information about St. Paul

MINISTRIES

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

CARING FOR OTHERS

Parishioners minister those needing home visits, by providing pastoral visits and the reception of Holy Communion.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FOR THE MEN OF THE PARISH

A Catholic men's fraternal service group that serve families, the parish & community in Faith, Community, Family and Life.

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

HELP DEFEND LIFE

This group prays for a deeper respect for human life, and the dignity God infused in us from the moment of conception. Contact Cathy 503-602-1968 for info.

ST. PAUL'S WOMEN'S GROUP

WOMEN GATHERING TOGETHER IN CHRIST

Women working together to enrich our spiritual lives, strengthen community and provide loving service to our parish.

EXTENDED HANDS MINISTRY

DEDICATED TO HELPING PARISHIONERS IN NEED

Contact Joe/Cheryl Sprauer for more information at cherylsprauer77@gmail.com.

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OFFERTORY UPDATE

This is a time of year when many of us focus on getting organized and "decluttering" our surroundings – why not streamline your offertory and simplify your support for St. Paul and the ministries that mean so much to us all? Now is a great time to stop using checks and envelopes, by switching to electronic giving– you can sign up from your computer, smartphone or tablet, and set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift. Recurring gifts help give our parish a steady, consistent offertory that strengthens the programs, services, and ministries we lead for our church families and for those in need throughout the community. Sign up today by visiting www.stpaulsilvertont.com/offertory-donations.

FY 2021-2022	ACTUAL	BUDGET	DIFFERENCE
July	\$23,573	\$27,542	\$(3,968)
August	\$26,970	\$28,237	\$(1,267)
September	\$30,390	\$25,382	\$5,008
Total 1st Quarter	\$80,933	\$81,160	\$(277)

OFFERTORY CONTRIBUTIONS:

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