

St. Paul



IGLESIA CATÓLICA DE

San Pablo

CATHOLIC CHURCH

"Serve one another humbly in love" Galatians 5:13c

FEBRUARY 2, 2025 THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

WELCOME!

BIENVENIDOS!

Mass Times -Horario de Misas

Tuesday-Friday.....8:00 am

Saturday Vigil.....5:00 pm

Sunday Mass.....8:00 am

10:00 am, 12:30 pm-Spanish

Reconciliation -Confesiones

Saturday.....3:00 pm

Adoration -Adoración

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

office@stpaulsilvertton.com

La capilla de adoración, anexa a la oficina parroquial, está abierta 24 horas, 7 días a la semana. Para adoptar una hora, envíe un correo electrónico a la oficina.

Prayer Chain

Cadena de Oración

Email prayer requests at:

Envíe un correo al:

office@stpaulsilvertton.com

Stay Connected

Do we have your email?

Weekly messages are sent out by email.

Office Hours

Horario de Oficina

Monday-Friday:

9:00 am-4:30 pm

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THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

"Behold, this child is destined for the
fall and rise of many in Israel." - Lk 2:34

LA PRESENTACIÓN DE JESÚS

"Este niño ha sido puesto para ruina y resurgimiento
de muchos en Israel". - Lc 2, 34

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CONTACT US

WE'D LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Call, visit or email the office. To register or update your information on our website: **www.stpaulsilvertton.com/register**

Llame, visite o envíe un correo electrónico a la oficina. Para registrarse o cambiar su información visite la pagina: **www.stpaulsilvertton.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:

Hilda Kleiman
Sheri Bowers
Donna Smith
Melinda
Aiben
Angela Fleshman
Marilyn Hohn
Gail Talbot
David Talbot
Roger Brown
Brian Bay
Judith Tedrow
Don Wavra
Hector Gutierrez



MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS

Mass Intention † = Deceased

Tuesday/Martes 8:00 AM	02/04	NO DAILY MASS
Wednesday/Miércoles 8:00 AM	02/05	NO DAILY MASS
Thursday/Jueves 8:00 AM	02/06	NO DAILY MASS
Friday/Viernes 8:00 AM	02/07	NO DAILY MASS
Saturday/Sábado 5:00 PM	02/08	Golan Family Members
Sunday/Domingo 8:00 AM 10:00 AM 12:30 PM	02/09	†Francisco Martinez & †Rosa Espinoza People of the Parish Spanish † Victor & Ana Nava

READINGS / LECTURAS

FEBRUARY 2 -9

Sunday/Domingo	Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
Monday/Lunes	Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24/Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday/Martes	Heb 12:1-4/Ps 22:26b-27, 28 and 30, 31-32/Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday/Miércoles	Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a/Mk 6:1-6
Thursday/Jueves	Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 9, 10-11/Mk 6:7-13
Friday/Viernes	Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc/Mk 6:14-29
Saturday/Sábado	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Mk 6:30-34
Sunday/Domingo	Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 (1c)/1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11/Lk 5:1-11

PRAYER LIST ADDITIONS

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 office@stpaulsilvertown.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 office@stpaulsilvertown.com

BULLETIN ARTICLES / ARTICULOS PARA EL BOLETIN

Articles for the bulletin, including flyers or inserts must be submitted by 10 am Tuesday. Submit by email at office@stpaulsilvertown.com

Artículos para el boletín, incluyendo volantes o insertos deben ser entregados antes de las 10 am del martes. Enviar por correo electrónico a office@stpaulsilvertown.com

PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS / ANUNCIOS PARA EL PÚLPITO

Short, concise announcements are due no later than Wednesday. Email them to office@stpaulsilvertown.com

Los anuncios breves y concisos deben enviarse a más tardar el miércoles. Envíelos por correo electrónico a la oficina.

“Reflecting Deeper on **THE GOSPEL***”* *“Reflexion sobre* **EL EVANGELIO***.”*

Presentation of the Lord

Luke 2:22-40

What is the secret to sharing in God's power to overcome our difficulties? Mary teaches us this in the prophecy of her pierced heart. This Sunday, the old man Simeon prophesies that when her son faces opposition, Mary's soul will be pierced by a sword. The seemingly pointless agony of a mother helplessly watching her son be mocked, tortured, killed and then cruelly desecrated in death by a spear — somehow this piercing of her heart releases a power by which “the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed” (Luke 2:35). What to make of this?

Whatever problems we currently face, the deepest threat is finally that evil thoughts are hidden in the human heart: hatred, envy, pride, lust, greed and so on. Behind every tyrant's injustice, for example, is a heart unpierced by love. Evil hides in our hearts. Mary's pierced heart, and its suffering love for her son, reveals and scatters these evil thoughts, and replaces them with love, forgiveness, generosity and peace.

This week, I invite us to ponder Mary's pierced heart. Her heart is quietly at work for us in the Church and world, exposing our evil thoughts and making a path for her son's divine love. This is how she gently cooperates in our salvation. Closed hearts are our biggest problem; love-pierced hearts are the ultimate power to overcome every difficulty.

— Father John Muir

World Day for Consecrated Life

God of all goodness,
you have called people to follow you faithfully.
Humans have heard that call and many choose to follow your call
in varied and faith-filled lives.
Some follow your call in private, silent lives as hermits;
some choose to follow you with lives lived as virgins and widows;
while others choose public lives of vowed men and women
as religious brothers and sisters.
Abundantly give to these men and women the courage to follow their call as witnesses to your gifts and faith and service to the world.
We ask this in faith
through the name of Jesus our Savior.
Amen.

La Presentación de Jesús

“Hoy celebramos la Fiesta de la Presentación del Señor. El Evangelio cuenta que, José y María llevaron al Niño a Jerusalén para consagrarlo a Dios, como prescribe la ley judía. Y, mientras describe un rito previsto por la tradición, este episodio llama nuestra atención sobre el comportamiento de algunos personajes. Reflejados en el momento en que experimentan el encuentro con el Señor en el lugar donde se hace presente y cercano al hombre. Estos son María y José, Simeón y Ana, que son modelos de acogida y entrega de sus vidas a Dios” (Papa Francisco). ¿Cómo me presento ante Dios cada día de mi vida? Nuestros modelos son Simeón y Ana que tuvieron la lucidez para reconocer a Dios que llegaba en brazos de María y José al templo.

Ellos, ya ancianos, nos enseñaron y mostraron el camino de ver, abrazar a Dios hecho niño y a anunciar la esperanza. Abracemos también nosotros la ternura de Dios y llevémosla a los tristes, a los enfermos, y a los que no tienen voz en muchos lugares de la sociedad en que vivimos, tal como son los niños y los ancianos. Abramos nuestro corazón al misterio de Dios que está en tantas personas que nos encontramos a diario, en casa, en el trabajo, y en nuestros vecindarios. Ojalá, que al final de nuestros días, Dios nos de la dicha de poder decir como el anciano Simeón: “Ahora, Señor, ya puedes dejar que tu servidor muera en paz, como le has dicho. Porque mis ojos han visto a tu salvador” (Lucas 2:29-30).

Jornada Mundial de la Vida Consagrada

Dios de toda bondad
tú has llamado a las personas a seguirte fielmente.
Los seres humanos han escuchado esa llamada y muchos optan por seguir tu llamada
en vidas variadas y llenas de fe.
Algunos siguen tu llamada en vidas privadas y silenciosas como ermitaños;
otros eligen seguirte con vidas vividas como vírgenes y viudas;
mientras que otros eligen vidas públicas de hombres y mujeres con votos
como religiosos y religiosas.
Da abundantemente a estos hombres y mujeres el valor de seguir su llamada como testigos de tus dones, de tu fe y de tu servicio al mundo.
Te lo pedimos con fe
en el nombre de Jesús, nuestro Salvador.
Amén.

PARISH NEWS • NOTICIAS EN LA PARROQUIA

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

The Respect Life ministry will meet on THURSDAY, February 13 at 9am in the Parish Office. Please join us at morning Mass, followed by the Pro-Life Rosary beforehand. Questions, call Cathy at 503-602-1968. Thank you.

LENTEN RETREAT FOR WOMEN

SATURDAY, MARCH 1

All ladies from St. Paul parish are invited to attend a pre-Lenten retreat with Deacon Chris Anderson from Corvallis. He is an emeritus professor of English at OSU and has been a deacon for 27 years. He is the author of 15 books. This will be a time of prayer and fellowship, followed by lunch. Deacon Chris has titled his talk "Thirteen Thoughts about Prayer". We will begin at 8:30 with coffee and treats with the first session, starting around 9:00 am. We will finish with a soup, salad and sandwich lunch served around noon. Please plan on joining us. There is no cost, but you will need to register so we know how many are having lunch. You can register after mass beginning February 8 and 9 or in the office during the week. Questions call or text Kathy Beutler at 503-910-9935 or Mary Fogarty at 503-798-1760.



MUSIC MINISTRY

ARE YOU A MUSIAN OR A SINGER?

The music ministry here at St. Paul's is in great need of both musicians and singers. Do you love to sing? Do you play piano or another instrument? One does not have to be a professional musician to participate in this ministry. In an audience with parish and diocesan choirs, directors, and musicians, Pope Francis once called music, "a universal and immediate language." He said choir members and musicians provide a "precious service" to the church. The pope also shared that, "Music creates harmony, thereby reaching everyone, consoling those who suffer, rekindling enthusiasm in the downhearted, and bringing forth wonderful values such as beauty and poetry, which reflect God's harmonious light."

The Bible encourages praising God with music through verses like Psalm 100:2 which says, "Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs." Please prayerfully consider if you're being called to serve our parish family by participating in what Pope Francis called a precious service. Contact the office if you can say yes to this calling.

LOST AND FOUND / PERDIDO Y ENCONTRADO

If you have lost an item at our facilities, stop by the office we have a pile of lost and found items. See if you can find your lost treasure.

Si a perdido un objeto en nuestros establecimientos. Visite la oficina temenos una colección de objetos que hemos encontrado quizás aquí encuentre su tesoro perdido.

SPIRITUALITY OF GRIEF GROUP

JANUARY 24TH



St. James
Catholic Church

Grief comes to us in many forms: the death of a spouse, child parent or other loved one, other significant losses like a job, a marriage or other relationships. While there are many good psychological resources to help deal with the emotional turmoil that these losses let loose inside of us, how might we deal with our spirituality, our understanding of and relationship to God? St. James is offering a series of meetings to learn and reflect on our experiences around the spiritual issues of grief.

Our Spirituality of Grief Group will meet for five sessions, every other Friday evening starting on January 24th, at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall at St. James. Each session will last no more than 90 minutes. There is no charge, nor is it necessary to register in advance, but it would be helpful to know in advance how many people are coming, so if you think you might come as a courtesy, please call the parish office, or email Scott Scofield at sscofield@archdpcx.org to let us know. If you have any questions, feel free to call Kent Burtner at (503)475-3429

7 FEB, 21 FEB, 7 MAR & 21 MAR

ST. PAUL VALENTINE'S DANCE

FEBRUARY 14, AT 6:00PM

A night of English Country Dance, Snacks, & Photo Booth. This night is for couples, or the whole family! Kids, aged 12 and up will enjoy dancing! This dance is for beginners and dancers alike, no prior experience required.

Hosted by the
Silverton Knights of Columbus
In the Parish Hall.



BUNCO PARTY

Prizes

Holy Family Academy

10697 Howell Prairie Rd. NE
Brooks, Oregon

Saturday, Feb 22, 2025

Ages 7 and up
\$20 Entry
1-4 PM

Snacks

Fun

All proceeds benefit
Holy Family Academy

For tickets or more information email
Carolyn at carolynbeyer2@gmail.com



ST. PAUL 15TH ANNUAL DINNER & AUCTION FEBRUARY 8, 2025

Our Annual Parish Dinner & Auction Fundraiser is rapidly approaching. It will take place on Saturday February 8, 2025 in the school basement. We need your help to make this event successful.

- Our Dessert Dash is one of the more exciting events at the auction. Please sign up by contacting the parish to bring a wonderful dessert that will be bid on by the table participants.
- **Volunteers are needed** to help our with the different auction committees. Sign up in the office!
- This year's Auction will benefit the maintenance and the upgrade of the heating system in the Parish Hall.
- On the night of the auction the **Vigil Mass** will be at **4:30pm** instead of 5pm. Don't forget to mark your calendar.

ST. PAUL 15ª CENA Y SUBASTA ANUAL 8 DE FEBRERO DE 2025

Nuestra Cena Anual Parroquial y Subasta para recaudar fondos se acerca rápidamente. Tendrá lugar el sábado 8 de febrero de 2025 en el sótano de la escuela. Necesitamos de su ayuda para hacer que el evento sea un éxito.

- Nuestra subasta de Postre es uno de los eventos más emocionantes de la noche. Por favor apúntese para traer un postre maravilloso que será deleitado y coticiado por los participantes de la mesa.
- **Se necesitan voluntarios** para ayudar con los diferentes comités de la subasta. ¡Inscribase en la oficina!
- La subasta de este año beneficiará el mantenimiento y la mejora del sistema de calefacción en el Salón Parroquial.
- La noche de la subasta la **misa de vigilia** será a las **4:30pm** en vez de a las 5pm. No olvides marcar tu calendario.

You are invited to a . .

Weekend with the Sisters

February 15 -16, 2025
Sisters of St. Mary of Oregon
Motherhouse, Beaverton
4440 SW 148th Avenue, Beaverton

Registration Deadline: February 8.
Overnight accommodations are limited.

Contact Sr. Charlene Herinckx, SSMO
at 503-805-6201 or srcharleneh@ssmo.org

If you are a single, Catholic woman between the ages of 18 and 39, curious – yet cautious – about discerning how you may be called to love and serve God for the rest of your life, consider joining others to learn more about discernment, religious life, the types of religious communities, and the steps that are involved. Your questions will be welcomed.



We look forward to meeting you!



CHESTERTON ACADEMY
OF THE WILLAMETTE VALLEY



Please join us for an

OPEN HOUSE

OCTOBER 20  FEBRUARY 9

2:00-4:00 PM / PRESENTATIONS BEGIN AT 2:30

Chesterton Academy of the Willamette Valley is a high school forming a new generation of leaders and saints, educated in the classical tradition and the truths of the Catholic faith. Come meet our faculty & students, tour the school, and hear more about who we are and what we do. All families, current 7th & 8th graders, donors, and supporters are welcomed and encouraged to attend.

We can't wait to meet you!



RSVP »

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OUR SAINT of the WEEK



The saints are more than lovely pictures on a holy card. If we dig a little deeper, their lives can challenge and transform our own. On February 8th, the Church celebrates St. Josephine Bakhita. As a young girl, St. Josephine was kidnapped from her family in Darfur and sold into slavery at age nine. She was introduced to Catholicism as an adolescent and experienced a profound love for Jesus Christ. St. Josephine eventually gained legal freedom and entered religious life. Though she bore over one hundred scars beneath her habit, St. Josephine forgave her enemies and became known in the convent for her humility and joyful spirit.

Author Fr. Jeff Kirby writes, "Saint Josephine gives us all a scarred and human face to the evils of human trafficking, racial tension, and of the brutality found in the peripheries. Her life demands a response." As we approach the season of Lent, let us recall our own call to conversion and an active concern for those who suffer.

Los santos son algo más que bellas imágenes en una estampita. Si indagamos un poco más, sus vidas pueden interpelar y transformar la nuestra. El 8 de febrero, la Iglesia celebra a santa Josefina Bakhita. De niña, fue secuestrada de su familia en Darfur y vendida como esclava a los nueve años. En su adolescencia conoció el catolicismo y experimentó un profundo amor por Jesucristo. Finalmente, obtuvo la libertad legal y entró en la vida religiosa. Aunque llevaba más de cien cicatrices bajo el hábito, perdonó a sus enemigos y se hizo famosa en el convento por su humildad y su espíritu alegre.

El autor, el padre Jeff Kirby, escribe: «Santa Josefina nos ofrece un rostro humano y lleno de cicatrices ante los males del tráfico de seres humanos, las tensiones raciales y la brutalidad de las periferias. Su vida exige una respuesta». Al acercarnos al tiempo de Cuaresma, recordemos nuestra propia llamada a la conversión y a una preocupación activa por los que sufren.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2 | DOMINGO, 2 DE FEBREO

- 8:00 AM Holy Mass
- 10:00 AM Holy Mass
- 12:30 PM Santa Misa

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3 | LUNES, 3 DE FEBRERO

- 6:30 PM Prayer & Praise
- 7:00 PM His. Char. Group

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4 | MARTES, 4 DE FEBRERO

- 8:00 AM NO Holy Mass
- 3:30 PM Middle School Youth Group
- 7:00 PM Grupo San Juan Diego (Men)
- 7:00 PM AA Meeting

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5 | MIERCOLES, 5 DE FEBRERO

- 8:00 AM NO Holy Mass
- 9:30 AM Book Group
- 6:30 PM High School Youth Group
- 6:30 PM OCIA

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6 | JUEVES, 6 DE FEBRERO

- 8:00 AM NO Holy Mass
- 7:00 PM AA Meeting
- 7:00 PM Group San Juan Diego (Women)
- 7:00 PM Crecimiento/Charismatic
- 7:00 PM KofC Meeting

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7 | VIERNES, 7 DE FEBRERO

- 8:00 AM NO Holy Mass
- 9:00 AM Search
- 2:30 PM NO Adoration & Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 7:00 PM Casa de la Palabra

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8 | SÁBADO, 8 DE FEBRERO

- 3:00 PM Confessions - Confesiones
- 5:00 PM Holy Vigil Mass

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9 | DOMINGO, 9 DE FEBRERO

- 8:00 AM Holy Mass
- 10:00 AM Holy Mass
- 12:30 PM Santa Misa

MOVING? CHANGED PHONE OR EMAIL? PLEASE KEEP US INFORMED

We are having envelopes returned by the Post Office as undeliverable because the recipient moved and never provided a new address. To minimize that please fill out a new registration form or email the parish office with your new contact information should you move, change phone number, or email addresses. Thank you!

¿TE MUDASTE, CAMBIASTE TU NUMERO O EMAIL? POR FAVOR MANTENOS INFORMADOS

Estamos teniendo sobres devueltos por la Oficina de Correos como imposibles de entregar porque el destinatario se mudó y nunca proporcionó una nueva dirección. Para minimizar esto, por favor, llene un nuevo formulario de inscripción o envíe un correo electrónico a la oficina parroquial con su nueva información de contacto en caso de mudanza, cambio de número de teléfono o dirección de correo electrónico. Gracias!.

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. We meet on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7pm in the parish. For info contact Betty Jean at cordills@frontier.com

EXTENDED HANDS MINISTRY

DEDICATED TO HELPING PARISHIONERS IN NEED

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

JAIL & PRISON MINISTRY

ONE OF THE CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY

To visit the imprisoned. The mission of Prison Ministry is to share the transforming love and forgiveness of Jesus Christ to impact the hearts and lives of incarcerated men, women and youth. For more info contact Debbie Beahm at debbie.beahm@gmail.com

ARCHBISHOP'S CATHOLIC APPEAL 2024

Your Donation Makes a Direct Impact Funds raised from the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal go directly to support parishes, vocations to the priesthood, seminarians, Catholic education, retired priests, and other vital programs and ministries. Scan QR code to donate, please be sure to select St. Paul- Silverton as your parish.

Su donación tiene un impacto directo. Los fondos recaudados de la Campaña Católica del Arzobispo van directamente a apoyar a las parroquias, las vocaciones al sacerdocio, los seminaristas, la educación católica, los sacerdotes jubilados y otros programas y ministerios vitales de la arquidiócesis. Escanee el código QR para donar, por favor asegúrese de seleccionar a San Pablo/Silverton como su parroquia.



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OFFERTORY UPDATE

	ACTUAL	BUDGET	DIFFERENCE
October	\$24,416.47	\$28,500.00	\$(4,083.53)
November	\$27,586.19	\$28,500.00	\$(913.81)
December	\$37,093.74	\$35,000.00	\$2,093.74

OFFERTORY CONTRIBUTIONS:

Make a one-time or reoccurring donation on our secure website:

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or 503-873-2044

