

Ascension

Catholic Church

May 21, 2017
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Chair – Keith Bailey

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Blanca Perez, Luis Roda & Luis Zafra.

*The Pastoral Council meets the First Tuesday of
each month from August through June.*

STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION: Page 2 inside

ENGLISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

9:00a.m-10:00a.m. Grade K to 8

Sunday, 10:30a.m. Pre-School

ADULT EDUCATION: See Inside.

YOUTH GROUP: See Youth Ministry section inside.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Masses

5:00p.m. (English)

7:00p.m. (Español)

Sunday

8:30a.m. and 10:30a.m. (English)

Preschool open during the 10:30a.m. Mass (September to May)

12:30p.m. (Español)

Weekdays

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday: 8:30a.m.

Thursday: 12:00p.m.

Holy Days: See Bulletin

RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE:

Saturdays: 3:30p.m. - 4:30p.m. and by appointment.

MINISTERIO HISPANO- páginas 5 y 6

CATECISMO PARA NIÑOS EN ESPAÑOL:

Inscripciones para el año 2017-2018 se abrirán en el verano

CONFESIONES:

Sábados de 3:30p.m. a 4:30p.m., o con previa cita.

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971-275-5256 - Only for emergencies requiring an anointing (for example is someone is near death and requires anointing of the sick.)

OFFICE HOURS

Closed Fridays
9:00am - 3:00pm – Monday through Thursday

St. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY HOURS

Wednesdays 5pm-6:30pm & Thursdays 2pm-3:30pm
(The entrance is located on 76th Ave.)

IMPORTANT CRISIS NUMBERS

Alcohol and Drug Youth Line: 503-244-1611
Archdiocese Director of Child Protection
(Cathy Shannon): 503-233-8302
Franciscan Province Pastoral Outreach Coordinator (clergy abuse):
(Angelica Jochim, MFT) 1-800-770-8013
Hispanic Hotline: 503-669-8350
Portland Women's Crisis Line: 503-235-5333
Pregnancy & Adoption Support: 503-238-5196
Post Abortion Healing: 800-249-8074

PARISHIONER EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

503-256-3897, x21

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Sat 5/20:	*7:00am	Promotores de la Salud
	*7:00am	Red Cross
	*5:00pm	Mass
	*5:30pm	Coro de Jóvenes en Español
	*7:00pm	Misa en Español
Sun 5/21:	*8:30am	Mass
	*10:30am	Mass
	*11:00am	Spanish Choir
	*12:00pm	Middle School Group Meeting
	*12:30pm	Misa en Español
Mon 5/22:	*8:30am	Mass
	*7:00pm	Buenaventura Fraternidad
	*7:00pm	Grupo: Divina Misericordia
	*7:00pm	Al-Anon
Tues 5/23:	*8:30am	Mass
	*9:00am	Rosary
Wed 5/24:	*8:30am	Mass
	*5:00pm	Al-Anon
	*7:00pm	Choir Practice
	*7:00pm	Finance Council
	*7:00pm	Grupo de Parejas
	*7:00pm	Grupo Carismático
Thur 5/25:	*12:00pm	Mass
	*6:00pm	Escuela San Andres
	*7:00pm	Coping with Life Alone
	*7:00pm	Holy Hour Choir Practice
Fri 5/26:	Parish Office Closed	
	*8:30am	Mass
	*6:00pm	Church Clean Up
	*7:00pm	Grupo de Oración
Sat 5/27:	*9:00am	Church Clean Up
	*5:00pm	Mass
	*7:00pm	Misa en Español
Sun 5/28:	*8:30am	Mass
	*10:30am	Multicultural Mass
	*11:00am	Spanish Choir
	*11:45am	Multicultural Celebration
	*12:30pm	Misa en Español



SPRING CLEAN:

Friday, May 26 from 6pm to 9pm, and Saturday, May 27 beginning at 9am.

This year, we would like to focus on the inside of the building.

We invite all groups that use specific rooms to come and help clean those particular spaces. Help is needed washing windows and walls, dusting hard to reach places and more. Each room also has its own particular needs.

"Ascension Catholic Church is a vibrant, Franciscan inspired Christian Community dedicated to proclaiming the Gospel through word, worship and service."



May 21st, 2017

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Reading I: Acts of the Apostles 8:5-8, 14-17

Reading II: 1 Peter 3:15-18

Gospel: John 14:15-21

Welcome to Ascension Parish!

We Invite You to Read Next Sunday's Readings: May 28, 2017

Reading I: Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11

Reading II: Ephesians 1:17-23

Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Third Week in May 2017:

\$7,180.91

Third Week in May 2016:

\$5,835.09



Worship

"Come, let us sing joyfully to the LORD; cry out to the rock of our salvation. Let us come before him with a song of praise, joyfully sing out our psalms." Psalm 95



Anointing of the Sick at Mass

Thursday, May 25 @ noon



Ascension Multicultural Mass & Festival

May 28 at 10:30am



Baptism

Our next Baptism class for parents and Godparents will be Monday, May 22 at 6:30pm.

Baptisms will be celebrated on

Sunday, June 4 at the 10:30am Mass.



Community

"For as in one body we have many parts, and all the parts do not have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ and individually parts of one another." Romans 12:4-5



**Ascension Multicultural Mass
& Festival**

Sunday, May 28

Multicultural Mass at 10:30am ~

Followed by a Multicultural Celebration
in Tony Rinella Hall.

**Sign up today to prepare
foods from your country of
origin to share & serve.
See the sign-up board in the
vestibule.**

Women's Summer Social

**Monday, June 4th at 7pm
at Annielaurie Lund's home.**

**Please bring an appetizer or dessert to share.
Call the Parish Office for location info.**



Contact Person:
Melanie vanderVeen
extension: 14

ANOINTING MASS

Anointing of the Sick will be offered at
 the noon Mass Thursday, May 25th

THANK YOU

Thank you Ely Guerrero for the delicious
 Enchiladas served at our Francis Friends gathering.

Thank you Lisa Keller, Ceila Valle,
 Sibilina Chanocua, Gina Lundberg, and
 Guiselle Edwards for the food donations and your
 support serving the meal.

Thank you Mary Lou Betzing and
 Virginia Feininger our set up ladies;
 we could not do this without you!!

Muchas Gracias!

CARE MINISTRY CALENDAR

Tuesday, May 23

Mass at St. Andrew Chapel – 2:00pm

Thursday, May 25

Communion Service at Russellville – 1:30pm

Friday, May 26

Mass at Marquis – 1:30pm

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

In thanksgiving for the life of: Lori Kaiser

Ill parishioners and family members: Baby Grayson
 Barnett, Melody Blackmon, Kris Bratchers, Frank Byrnes,
 Currin C., Alexxis Childers, Eleanor Cipolla, Ronda Kennedy
 Clegg, Vi Costanzo, Ron Dove, Bob Douglas, Pat Edwards,
 Dale Emmons, Peggy Farrell, Phillis Farrelly, Esperanza
 Fuentes, Connie Gebhardt, Don Gibb, Lauran Griffith,
 Dan Heitzman, Neale Marie Inhara, Bill Kemp, Glen Kloster,
 Tony Kuntz, Kathi Laws, Gloria Leon, Sharon Mariani,
 Lynne Marino, Dionne Cima Moreno, Anita Nelson,
 Tina Nguyen, Karla Moreno Olivares, Dan Parker,
 Jeannette Parks, Hadley Petros, Kevin Raymond,
 Luis Rodriguez, David Rowland, Tim Smith, Ron Stenberg,
 George Van Gorder, and Sallymae Warnke.

If you know of someone in our Ascension community in need of our presence or
 prayers, please give us a call.

*Please help us keep our list current by letting us know when
 your loved one is better. Thank you!*

Word

*“But Jesus called for them and said,
 ‘Let the little children come to me, and do not stop them;
 for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God
 belongs. Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the
 kingdom of God as a little child, will never enter it.’”*

Luke 18: 16-17

“Education in the faith by the parents should begin in the
 child’s earliest years. This already happens when family
 members help one another to grow in faith by the witness
 of a Christian life in keeping with the Gospel. Family
 catechesis precedes, accompanies and enriches other
 forms of instruction in the faith. Parents have the mission
 of teaching their children to pray and to discover their
 vocation as children of God. The parish is the Eucharistic
 life of Christian families; it is a privileged place for the
 catechesis of children and parents.”

Catechism of the Catholic Church #2226

**In other words, parents are the primary educators
 of the faith for their children, and we as a parish
 are here to support you!**

Now is the time!

Invite your friends!

**Register for Faith Formation & Sacramental
 Preparation for the school year of 2017-2018**

Classes will be held on Sunday mornings

9am - 10am September 2017 to May 7, 2018.~

Special Needs ~ Where there is a need, we will find a way!

**Please do not hesitate to register if you have a child with
 special needs.**

Adults Register Now:

Adult Sacramental Preparation

† **Adult First Communion**

† **Adult Confirmation**

† **RCIA (Baptism, Communion, Confirmation)**

Would you like to celebrate the sacraments?

Are you interested in becoming Catholic?

Registration is now open. Call the office for Information!

Classes will begin in September.

Summer Reading for Grown-Ups

Summer is approaching, and it is time to select our
 Annual Parish Summer Reading Book.

If you have an idea for a book that our parishioners would
 benefit from reading, please email Sharon Grigar.

We will read through the summer, and gather together in
 September to discuss.

YOUR PLANTS HAVE ARRIVED.

Please see a Knight of Columbus in the Tony Rinella Hall after Mass to pick up your plants.

Thank you for supporting our fund raiser.



AYM

Ascension Youth Ministry

Follow us on Facebook:

Ascension Youth Ministry PDX

✚ The Youth Confirmation rehearsal is on Monday, May 29th at 6pm in Ascension. This rehearsal includes sponsors.

✚ The Youth Confirmation Mass is on Tuesday, May 30 at 7pm at Ascension. Youth and sponsors need to arrive by 6pm to check in.



Saturday, May 20	5:00pm	All Parishioners
	7:00pm	
Sunday, May 21	8:30am	†Mary Marino & †Effie Robinson
	10:30am	†Jim Jenness
	12:30pm	†Mardonio Navarro
Monday, May 22	8:30am	†Luis Godinez Arriola
Tuesday, May 23	8:30am	†Cristina Arriola
Wednesday, May 24	8:30am	†Eulogio Godinez
Thursday, May 25	12:00pm	†Rogaciana Nuñez
Friday, May 26	8:30am	†Emilio Carillo
Saturday, May 27	5:00pm	
	7:00pm	†Familia Godinez Arriola
Sunday, May 28	8:30am	All Parishioners
	10:30am	
	12:30pm	†Rogaciana Nuñez & †Emilio Carillo



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS

Since our normal Parishioner Outreach Food Box Sunday is the same day as the Multicultural Celebration, we will not be doing food boxes that day. If you would like a food box, our pantry will be open Wednesdays (5:00pm-6:30pm) and Thursdays (2:00pm-3:30pm). You may also call Terry at 503-252-2030. All are welcome.

We will resume our 4th Sunday schedule next month (June).

Service

"Then he sat down, called the Twelve, and said to them, 'If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all.'" Mark 9:35



Faith Action

Bread for the World

Join us after mass today to write a letter to your Senator or Representative. Our focus this year is to ask congress to make funding decisions that end hunger by 2030. We will write and collect the letters this weekend and send them to the Archdiocese to be included with the letters from our other Catholic Churches. Last year about 1100 letters were sent!

As followers of Christ, we seek to express and embody God's reconciling love at all times and in all places. Throughout the Scriptures, God speaks of our purpose to rebuild, restore and renew all that is broken (Isaiah 61). We work to end the brokenness of hunger and poverty in our communities, in our country, and around the world. We partner in God's work to remove the barriers that impede the flourishing God intended for all people.

Annual Offering of Letters

The 2017 Offering of Letters campaign urges Congress to invest in and protect vital policies and safety-net programs — including WIC, global nutrition, SNAP, and refundable tax credits. We have made great progress reducing hunger and poverty in our country and around the world, but our work remains unfinished.

Please support Rudy & Stella, Spanish directors for Sunday Mass, by purchasing a copy of their new CD, "Cristo No Tiene Pies en el Mundo (Sino los Tuyos)" *Christ has no body but yours*, after the 12:30pm Mass during the month of May. Profits from the sale of the CD will be used towards the Music Ministry needs of the parish. CDs are \$15, and songbooks are \$10.

21 de mayo del 2017

Sexto Domingo de Pascua



Misa en Español

Sábado - 7:00pm
Domingo - 12:30pm



Horario de Oficina

De lunes a jueves de 9am a 3pm
(503) 256 3897

Confesiones:

Sábados 3:30-4:30pm y con previa cita

Grupo de Parejas: Miércoles - 7pm

Escuela San Andrés: Jueves - 7pm.

Hora Santa: Primer viernes del mes - 7pm.

Misa de Sanación: Tercer viernes del mes - 7pm.

Asamblea de Oración: Segundo y cuarto viernes - 7pm.

BAUTIZOS



Los próximos bautizos serán en junio 10, 2017 a las 10:30am.

Las pláticas son el 7 de junio a las 7:00pm.

Para información detallada respecto a requisitos y más detalles favor de comunicarse con Maria Solis, Directora del Ministerio Hispano, o pueden pasar a las oficinas durante los lunes, martes, miércoles y jueves de 9:00am a 3:00pm. Recuerde los viernes está cerrado

BODAS



Requisitos para bodas: hacer una cita para fijar la fecha de la boda y llenar una solicitud. Si los novios han sido casados anteriormente ya sea por una ceremonia civil o religiosa tiene que aplicar por la anulación del matrimonio y eso tarde de 6 meses a un año o quizá más. Necesita presentar las actas de nacimiento y fe de bautizo, la fe de bautizo tiene que ser recientes de seis meses no de cuando los bautizaron. Para más información puede hablar con la Señora María Solís puede hacer una cita durante las horas de oficina. Recuerde que los viernes está cerrado.



**Misa Multicultural
de la Ascensión y Festival
Domingo 28 de mayo**

**Misa en Comunidad a las 10:30am ~
Seguida por la Celebración
Multicultural
en el salón Tony Rinella Hall.**

**Todos están invitados a preparar algún
platillo originario de tu país de origen
para compartir con los demás y servirlo.**

***Todas las donaciones serán a beneficio de
nuestra parroquia.***

Apunta tu nombre en el vestíbulo.

AYM

Ministerio de Jóvenes de Ascensión

Síguenos on Facebook: Ascension Youth Ministry PDX

✚ El ensayo del Grupo de Jóvenes de Confirmación será el lunes 29 a las 6pm. Tendrán que venir acompañados por sus padrinos.

✚ La misa de Confirmación será el martes 30 de mayo a las 7pm. Jóvenes y padrinos tienen que estar en la iglesia a las 6pm y tomar lista.

COMPARACION DE LA OFRENDA DOMINICAL

Tercer Semana de Mayo 2017:

\$7,180.91

Tercer Semana de Mayo 2016:

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"Pan para el Mundo"

Ofrenda de Cartas de 2017

Únase a nosotros después de la misa de hoy para escribir una carta a su Senador o Representante legislativo. Nuestro enfoque este año es pedirle al Congreso que tome decisiones de financiamiento que acaben con el hambre para el 2013. Escribiremos y recogeremos las cartas este fin de semana y las enviaremos a la Arquidiócesis para ser incluidas con las cartas de otras Iglesias Católicas. El año pasado hubo alrededor de 1100 cartas enviadas!

Cada año, *Pan para el Mundo* urge a los líderes electos en Washington, DC para que ayuden a las personas de nuestra nación y del mundo a poder alimentar a sus familias y sacarlas de la pobreza.

El evento de la Ofrenda de Cartas — cuando personas de tu iglesia, recinto universitario o grupo se sientan juntas con el propósito de escribirles a los miembros del Congreso acerca de asuntos específicos — es una herramienta efectiva que ayuda a darle forma a la respuesta de nuestro gobierno al problema del hambre.

Ofrenda de Cartas

La Ofrenda de Cartas de 2017 exhorta al Congreso a invertir en programas que ayudan a las familias a aliviar el hambre y salir de la pobreza como WIC, SNAP (estampillas de comida) y créditos tributarios reembolsables. Ha habido mucho progreso para reducir el hambre, pero nos queda mucho por hacer.

TUS PLANTAS QUE ORDENASTE PARA APOYAR A LOS CABALLEROS DE COLON YA ESTAN AQUI.



Las podrás recoger en el salón Tony Rinella Hall después de misa.

Gracias por ayudar en esta causa.



LIMPIEZA DE NUESTRA PARROQUIA

**Viernes, 26 de mayo
de las 6pm a las 9pm, y
el sábado 27 de mayo,
comenzando a las 9am.**

Este año nos enfocaremos en limpiar la parte de adentro del edificio.

Invitamos a todos los grupos de la parroquia que participen en la limpieza extensa de los salones en donde se reúnen y tienen sus clases y juntas.

Ayuda es necesaria especialmente para limpiar ventanas, paredes, limpiar aquellos lugares difíciles de llegar, y mucho más.

Cada salón tiene sus propias necesidades de limpieza.

Organízate con tu grupo y participa.



NOTICIAS DE SAN VINCENTE DE PAUL

El mes de mayo no daremos cajas de comida debido a que la Celebración Multicultural cayó el mismo día en el que usualmente lo hacemos (el cuarto domingo del mes).

Sin embargo si tú tienes la necesidad y necesitas una caja de despensa por favor visita nuestro banco de comida de aquí de la parroquia todos los miércoles de 5:00pm a 6:30pm y los jueves de 2:00pm a 3:30pm.

También te puedes comunicar con Terry al: 503-252-2030.

Todos son bienvenidos.

Apoyemos a Rudy & Estela, directores del coro del domingo, comprando una copia de su nuevo disco, "Cristo No Tiene Pies en el Mundo (Sino los Tuyos)", después de la misa de 12:30 pm durante el mes de Mayo. Las ganancias del disco se donarán a la parroquia de la Ascensión hacia las necesidades del Ministerio de Música. El disco vale \$15 y el cancionero \$10.

