



St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church

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26th Sunday in Ordinary Time (English)

October 1, 2023

18th Sunday after Pentecost (Latin)

Welcome! We are glad you are here!

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Rev. Raj Michael Pandi

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Reconciliation / Sacrament of Penance
Tues **after** the 6:30 pm Latin Mass
during the Rosary

Thurs **after** the All-Day Adoration &
Benediction at 6:00 pm

WEEKDAY LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Tues **6:30 pm** Latin Mass-Rosary-Benediction
CONFESSION **after** the Mass
during Rosary

Thurs Eucharistic Adoration **10:00 am – 6:00 pm**
followed by Exposition and Benediction
CONFESSION **after** the Benediction

Fri 9:00 am Latin Mass **EVERY**
1st Friday of the Month

Bulletin Items * Deadline
12 noon * Wednesdays

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

Sundays 9:00 am (English - livestreamed)

Sundays 11:00 am (Latin - livestreamed)

**Mass Intentions for the week. Loving God,
we lift these intentions into your hands.**

October 1, 9:00 am For the People

.. 11:00 am Chelsey Romero

October 3, 6:30 pm Brigid & Brian Sennett

**For these whose anniversary of death
occurs this week.**

Oct 4 James Burchell

Feliciano Gonzalez

Tasha Coffman Saeburn

Oct 5 Barbara Grady

Oct 7 Dee Allen



**Our Winter Warmth Drive - Sept 1 - Oct 31 is
officially under way! Countless individuals and
families in our community **do not have the blankets
and winter clothing they need** to stay warm as
temperatures begin to drop. Some of these
neighbors in need are experiencing homelessness,
and rely on warm clothing much more than you and I.
Please visit: ccslc.org/winter-warmth-drive For more
information.**

**St. Catherine's Drop-off barrel's in the
Parish vestibule**

	Income	Budget	Difference
WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORTING			
Offertory			
+ On Line	4,635	2,883	1,752
YEARLY STEWARDSHIP REPORTING			
Total to Date	37,180	37,479	299

*A **black** number means we collected more than planned.
A **red** number means **we did not collect enough**.



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS IS SPEARHEADING the PARISH CAMPUS CLEAN-UP

SATURDAY ► 10am – 2pm ◀ OCT 7

Since our Knights have a small council,
YOUR HELP will be appreciated. If **you**,
your **friends**, and **family**, are available,
please stop by.

Bring your own Tools!

The weather's nice; it is time to clean.

- Mow + Weed-whack in the rectory backyard & BBQ area
- Weed whack the ditches along E. Broadway & the RR tracks
- Clean-up **or** Weed & Trim planting strips alongside restrooms, rectory, & parish hall
- Extra chairs in the vestibule need to go to the Parish Hall
- Old rusty folding chair from parish hall needs to go on the pile by BBQ area.

If you can spare an hour or two, please come and assist the **KofC** with our **Parish Campus Clean-up**.

Please use the
Sign-up Sheets Next to Church Doors.

LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

God invites each of us to work in His vineyard, but it's our choice whether we "clock in" or stay home. Let's never fail to show up. It's the most important job we will ever have. **LPI©**

CALENDAR SNAPSHOT

Go to stcveneta.com.

Saturday, Sept 30

Sunday, Oct 1

2nd Collection- Renovation

English Mass 9:00 am
Coffee & Donuts 10:15 am
Latin Mass 11:00 am
Coffee & Donuts 12:15 pm

Monday, Oct 2
Office Closed

Tuesday, Oct 3
NO LATIN MASS

Wednesday, Oct 4

Thursday, Oct 5
NO ALL-ADORATION

Friday, Oct 6
NO 1ST FRIDAY MASS

Saturday, Oct 7

Sunday, Oct 8
Men's Group Meeting 8:00 am

English Mass 9:00 am
Latin Mass 11:00 am
Coffee & Donuts 12:15 pm



Fall Campaign:
Sept. 27 - Nov. 5.

Are you able to spare one hour, or maybe one hour a week, to come out to pray and keep a peaceful vigil at Planned Parenthood on Franklin Blvd?

To sign up for hours to pray, Visit the website: 40daysforlife.com/en/Eugene

Bring your family and friends with you to pray to end abortion while keeping a peaceful vigil during these 40 days.

PRAYER TO RESPECT LIFE

Dear Lord,

What a gift you have given
in every human life.

Inspire us to respect Your
Handiwork in every
human we encounter.

Embolden us to protect the
dignity of the most vulnerable
members of society. Amen

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: The prophet Ezekiel teaches that all people (the just and the wicked) are capable of doing evil as well as repenting. *What do you think anyone to repent?*

TODAY'S READINGS

Ezekial 18:25-28;
Psalm 25;
Philippians 2:1-11;
Matthew 21:28-32

Second Reading: Paul encourages the believers in Philippi to have the same attitude of humility as Jesus. *Is humility one of your strengths?*

Gospel: Jesus criticizes the religious leaders of Jerusalem for lacking self reflection. *How often do you examine your own behavior and choices?*

**Recognizing
in your own
pray for our
consider a gift in**



**the value of the priesthood
sacramental life,** please
seminarians **and**
support of their education

and formation through the **Seminarian Appeal**. To **meet our seminarians** and find out more about how **you** can help, visit ► supportourseminarians.church

A Prayer for our Seminarians: Lord Jesus, as you once called the first disciples to make them fishers of men, let your sweet invitation continue to resound: *Come Follow Me!*

We thank you for the gift of the seminarians called to serve in the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon. *Inspire them* to imitate You, the Eternal High Priest, in sacrificial service to your Church. *Grant perseverance* to our seminarians.

Give them the graces they *need* to one day serve you faithfully as priests. *May your light* shine through them to everyone they meet. *Mary, Mother of the Church, the model of every vocation,* help our seminarians to continue to say *"Yes"* to the Lord who calls us to cooperate in the divine plan of salvation. Amen



CLASS SCHEDULES

SUNDAYS

SEPTEMBER 10
SEPTEMBER 17
OCTOBER 1
OCTOBER 29
NOVEMBER 19
DECEMBER 3
DECEMBER 17

(2024 DATES to Follow)

WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Catholic Life Explained

Question: Is an ordained priest still a priest when he dies and goes to heaven?

Answer: The three Sacraments of baptism, confirmation and holy orders confer, in addition to grace, a sacramental *character* or "seal" by which the Christian shares in Christ's priesthood and is made a member of the Church according to different states and functions. The configuration to Christ and to the Church, brought about by the Spirit, is indelible; it remains forever in the Christian as a positive disposition for grace, a promise and guarantee of divine protection, and as a vocation to divine worship and to the service of the Church. Therefore, these sacraments can never be repeated. (CCC 1121).

You can also reference Hebrews 7:17, which reveals that Christ is a priest forever. "Thou art a priest forever, after the order of Melchizedek." Since Catholic priests participate in the priesthood of Christ, it follows that they are priests after the order of Melchizedek as well, and thus priests forever. However, given that the sacramental veils of bread and wine will give way to face-to-face communion with Christ in the fulfillment of the Mass in heaven, that is, *"the marriage supper of the Lamb"* (Rev. 19:9), there will be no need for priests to celebrate the sacraments, for he will come to their fulfillment in the beatific vision (CCC 1028; see 1137-1139). CA®

SAVE THE DATE FUNERAL MASS



Raymond Leroy "Sonny" Bisterfelt, 30-year partner of Corinne Newstorm, is scheduled for **Friday, October 27 @ 4:00 pm**

Mary Opoien - decades-long parishioner – is scheduled for **Saturday, November 4 @ 1:00 pm.**

Reception Information / details will be announced when finalized.



THANK-YOU

to a parishioner who donated funds to clean the campus roofs, gutters, and outside windows for all parish buildings; **AND,**

ALSO, to another parishioner who donated funds for this week's Altar flowers.

REMINDER

Priests are in convocation from October 2nd to October 6th. There will be NO Latin Mass on Tuesday, October 3rd and Friday, October 6th. Also, No Adoration on Thursday, October 5.

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


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Men of the parish – interested in knowing what the
 KCs are all about?

Contact:

Grand Knight Antonio Moreno - 505.363.0702

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

St Catherine's SVdP Meetings Schedule

- 1st Monthly Meeting is on the 1st Monday of the month.
- 2nd Monthly Meeting is on the 3rd Monday of the month.

**Both meetings are held at the
 Fern Ridge Library Conference Room.**