



St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church

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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (English)

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost (Latin)

July 27, 2025

Welcome! We are glad you are here!

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RECONCILIATION / SACRAMENT of PENANCE

Tues **after** 6:30 pm Latin Mass
during Rosary

Thurs **after** All-Day Adoration **10:00 am – 6:00 pm**
Followed by *Benediction*

WEEKDAY LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

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

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

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

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.**

July 27 9:00 am For the Victims of Texas flooding
11:00 am For the People

July 2 6:30 pm Daniel Hanson

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

July 21 Joe Tembrock
Paul Herbst Jr.
Paul Rojas

July 22 Ruth Short
Henry Terheyden

July 23 Jo-Ann Howes
Ruthie Rhoades

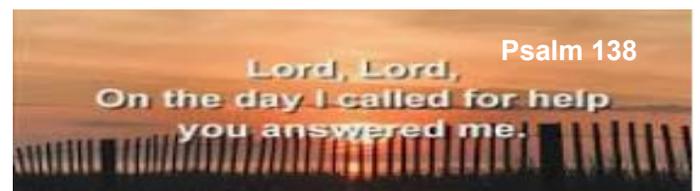
July 25 William Davis



POPE LEO XIV UNIVERSAL PRAYER INTENTION: AUGUST

For mutual coexistence:

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious, or ideological reasons.



WEEKLY FINANCIAL INFORMATION

07/20/2025			
WEEK 55	Income*	Budget**	Difference*
WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORTING			
Offertory+Online Giving	\$2,021	\$3,746	\$1,729
Special Donation			
EARLY STEWARDSHIP REPORTING			
Total to Date	\$12,251	\$11,250	\$1,001
* BLACK number means: Collected More than Planned			
* RED number means: Did not Collect Enough			
NOTE	Total to Date Income includes Special Donations. * Total Donations does not include Altar Society & Restricted funds.		

Please Pray with Us For . . .

Our parishioners, family, and friends.

Those who are sick and who have asked for our prayers:
Joe Sicotte↔Barb Puryear↔Kay Beach
Cayson Livingston↔Dave Cramsey Family
Joel Woods↔Marissa Campbell↔Jim Simpkins

Those who have recently died.
The members of our parish family who are in the military; a hospital; a nursing home; who are first responders; shut-ins; and All who have No One to Pray for Them.

REFLECT & RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE

First Reading:
Abraham questions God about how He passes judgment on people. *What questions do you have for the Lord?*

Second Reading:
Paul teaches the believers in Colossae that through his cross and resurrection from the dead, Jesus united Jews and Gentiles by their shared faith in him. *How does your faith in Jesus bring you closer to others?*

Gospel:
Jesus encourages his disciples to be persistent and bold in praying to God. *Can you think of a time when God answered a bold prayer from you?*

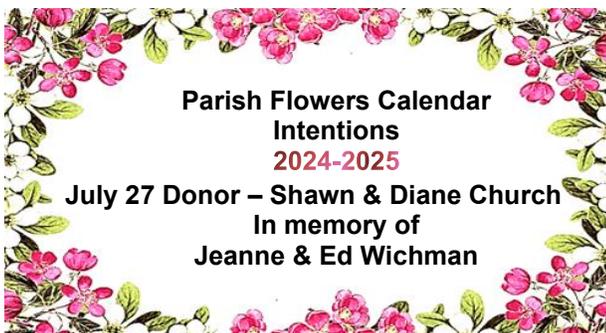
TODAY'S READINGS

Genesis 18:20-32;
Psalm 138;
Colossians 2:12-14;
Luke 11:1-13

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**LIVE THE LITURGY
INSPIRATION OF THE WEEK**

“Lord teach us to pray.” The disciples are asking how to approach God, how to communicate with Him. Jesus’ answer? Have no fear and have no embarrassment. God waits at the door knocks. The conversation is yours to start. ©LPI



CALENDAR SNAPSHOT

Please double-check the ‘Calendar’ on the website for most current schedule: stcveneta.com

Saturday, July 26

Sunday, July 27

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

Monday, July 28

Tuesday, July 29

Latin Mass 6:30 pm
Followed by Rosary with Exposition and Benediction
Confession during Rosary

Wednesday, July 30

Thursday, July 31

Adoration 10:00 am – 5:00 pm
Followed by Benediction
Confession 6:00 pm

Friday, August 1

1st Friday Latin Mass- 9:00 am

Saturday, August 2

Sunday, August 3

2nd Collection-Renovation

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



Thank you to Fr. Raj, Mila, Deanna, Don Persyn, Shawn, and for ALL your prayers, support, and for making Erik’s funeral service so special. I will never be able to tell each one of you how much I appreciated all your efforts. Please know that everything you did gave me great peace and comfort at a difficult time.

Altar Society — Thank you to Karen Bucher and the ladies for putting on such a lovely luncheon following Erik’s funeral. What a magnificent meal you provided. I appreciate all the work and care you put into creating such a fantastic spread. What a blessing to our family your kindness provides.

With Much Gratitude — Kay Erikson

OUR CATHOLIC FAITH

Why should I go to Mass if I don't get anything out of it? I pray better alone.

Solitary prayer is a wonderful thing, and the Church encourages us to pray alone as often as we can. But we realize that something unique happens when we gather to worship together as a Church. As Jesus said, "Whenever two or more gather in my name, there I am in their midst." It is difficult sometimes to feel that we are connecting with God in a crowd. Perhaps the congregation talks too loudly, or the presider delivers a lackluster homily, or our thoughts are on the duties that await us at home. But it is in the presence of each other that we learn gospel living and how to be in the world. Catholic morality, everyday justice, and charity are discovered in our active participation in the liturgy.

Perhaps you can help enrich your own experience of going to Mass by preparing yourself. Read the Sunday Gospel during the week so you have time to reflect on it before Mass; collect prayer intentions to take with you on Sunday; develop Sunday-morning rituals such as fasting or contemplation in anticipation of the liturgy. Once you arrive at church, participate actively and fully as a beloved member of the Body of Christ.

Participation in the Mass is your duty as a baptized Christian, but it is much more than that: It is an opportunity to fulfill your role in the Church. It is not individuals who show up every week to sing and pray but, rather, it is the Church. It is not individuals who are coming forward to the table, it is the Church. It is not even individuals who are going forth to live by the Word they have listened to and the Body and Blood of Christ they have eaten and tasted. It is the Church going forth — as the Body of Christ in service to the world God loves.

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Visit <https://helpourmarriage.org/> for testimonials, confidential information or to register for the August 22-24, 2025 in Canby, Oregon or email portland@retrouvaille.org or call 503-225-9191.



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Tickets will be available soon — don't miss your chance to win big while supporting a great cause!

THANK YOU!!

for your generosity and faithful support!



UNDER CONSTRUCTION



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 community, we are blessed that you are here to
 worship with us, and we welcome you. Our
 pastor, associate priest, staff and Parish Family
 extend the hospitality of Jesus Christ to you.

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 information about our Parish,
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