



St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church

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Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (English)

Fifteenth Sunday after the Pentecost (Latin)

September 21, 2025

Welcome! We are glad you are here!

Rev. Ron Nelson, Parish Administrator
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Rev. Raj Michael Pandi

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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.**

Sept 21 9:00 am +Sophie Bucher

11:00 am For the People

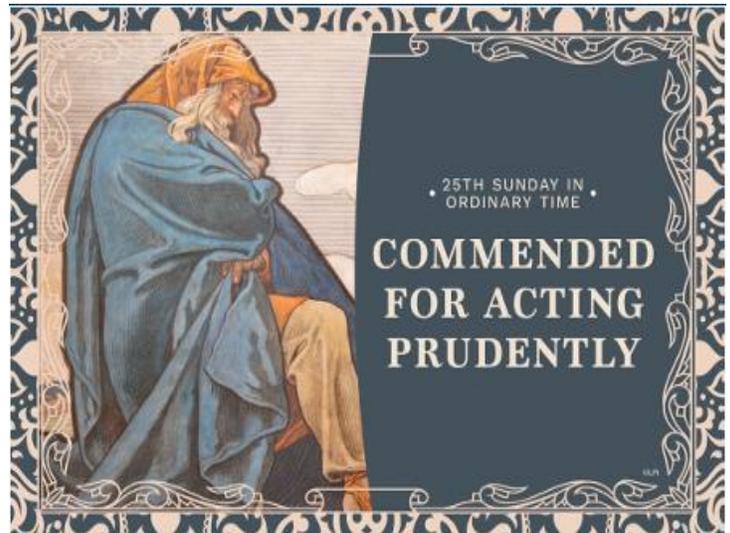
Sept 23 6:30 pm Jessica Thomas & Family

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

Sept 22 Ted Nothafft

Sept 24 Don Opoien

Sept 25 Tom Maskell



POPE LEO XIV UNIVERSAL
PRAYER INTENTION: SEPTEMBER

*For our relationship
With all of creation*

Let us pray that, inspired by St. Francis, we might
experience our interdependence with all creatures
who are loved by God and worthy of
love and respect.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL INFORMATION

08/31/2025			
WEEK 11	Income*	Budget**	Difference*
WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORTING			
Offertory+Online Giving	\$2,156	\$3,897	\$1,741
Special Donation			
EARLY STEWARDSHIP REPORTING			
Total to Date	\$40,827	\$42,867	\$2,040
* 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:

Pat Bettencourt ↔ Barb Puryear ↔ Cayson Livingston
↔ Dave Cramsey Family ↔ Renee Baker ↔
↔ 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:

Amos forewarns those who exploit the poor and disadvantaged that God will remember their greed and corruption. *How might you lend a helping hand this week to others in need?*

Second Reading:

Paul instructs Timothy on the necessity of openness and generosity in prayer. *What do you think makes for a strong prayer life?*

Gospel:

In the parable of the dishonest steward, the disciples learn the importance of honesty and prudence in daily living. *What other virtues would you add for the life of a Christian today?*

TODAY'S READINGS

Amos 8:4-7;
Psalm 113;
1 Timothy 2:1-8;
Luke 16:1-13

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LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION OF THE WEEK

No servants can serve two masters, and in his goodness, God gives us the ability to choose. Will we serve mammon, the riches of this world? Or will we seek true wealth, the kind that cannot be hoarded or wasted, but only given freely away? ©LPi

Parish Flowers Calendar
Intentions
2024-2025

Sept 21 Donor – Paul & Karen Bucher
In memory of + Sophie Bucher

CALENDAR SNAPSHOT

PLEASE double-check the 'CALENDAR' on the WEBSITE for most current schedule: stcveneta.com

Saturday, September 20

Sunday, September 21

2nd Collection-Altar Society

Rosary 8:30 am

English Mass 9:00 am

Coffee & Donuts 10:15 am

Latin Mass 11:00 am

Coffee & Donuts 12:15 pm

Monday, Sept 22

Tuesday September 23

Latin Mass 6:30 pm

Followed by Rosary with

Exposition and Benediction

Confession during Rosary

Office Hours 8:00 am – 1:30 pm

Wednesday, September 24

Altar Society Meeting 1:00 pm

Thursday, Sept 25

Adoration 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Followed by Benediction

Confession 6:00 pm

Office Hours 8:00 am 1:30 pm

Friday Sept 26

English Mass 9:00 am

Office Hours (Fr. Raj) for pastoral needs 10-1 pm

Office Hours 8:00 am – 1:30 pm

Saturday, September 27

Sunday, September 28

2nd Collection-Archdiocesan

Seminarian Appeal

Rosary 8:30 am

English Mass 9:00 am

Coffee & Donuts 10:15 am

Latin Mass 11:00 am

Coffee & Donuts 12:15 pm

PLEASE LOOK CLOSELY AT THE WEEKLY OFFICE HOURS ON OUR CALENDAR SNAPSHOTS. THEY MAY VARY FROM WEEK TO WEEK.



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Initiation
of Adults (OCIA)



You are Invited! Are you or someone you know considering joining the Catholic Church? **Have any questions? Would like more information?**

Please contact **Diane & Shawn Church:**
sd_church7@msn.com OR
leave a message (541) 515-0943

OUR CATHOLIC FAITH DEVOTIONS, EXPLAINED!



GOOD IS GOOD, ALL THE TIME

Perhaps you have been a member of a congregation to whom the pastor says, expectantly, God is good! The congregation responds, faithfully, All the time. In turn, the speaker repeats: All the time. And the congregation affirms: God is good!

A collective affirmation of God's faithfulness amidst the trials of life, this refrain communicates a theme presented again and again in Scripture: Come what may, God will be with us. There is no official consensus on the origins of this saying, though it is often associated with African Christianity. Whatever this sayings roots, its message is truth: For the Lord is good; His mercy is everlasting; and His truth endures to all generations, says Psalm 100:5. Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good! For His mercy endures forever, echoes 1 Chronicles 16:34. Jesus confirms this in Matthew 28:20: I am with you always, even to the end of the age. ©LPi



In the Public Right-of-Way ♦ Outside the
Planned Parenthood Abortion Clinic

♦ 3579 Franklin Blvd. ♦ Eugene (Glenwood area)
September 24 - November 2

You are invited to Join other Christians
For 40 days of Prayer + Fasting

for an End to Abortion: ▶ To Stand + Peacefully Pray
during 8 am - 8 p.m. hours and ▶ To Help Spread the Word
about this Important Community Outreach.

**Our opening prayer will be at the same location on
Wednesday, September 24, at 2 pm, with Fr. John
Boyle leading us.**

If you'd like more information, **especially** if you'd like to
volunteer to help and/or sign up for an hour or more at this
prayer vigil, please contact: **Eileen** at
40DaysEugene@gmail.com or 458-205-3820, or on our
Website page: 40DaysforLife.com/Eugene

**The Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court
Oregon #118** is hosting "An Autumn Tea with Family &
Friends," on Saturday, October 25, from 2:00 - 4:00 pm,
at St. Mary's Parish Center. Doors open at 1:15
pm. Enjoy freshly prepared food, live entertainment,
Raffle Baskets, Door Prizes, and Silent Auction. Tickets
are \$30 for adults, \$25 for seniors 60 and over, \$15 for
children 13 and under. A gluten free menu is available
for an additional \$5. For more information or to
purchase a ticket, contact Cindy Fisher
at 541-636-7830.



*St Catherine of Siena
Altar Society*

Our first meeting of the 2025-2026 year will be held
on Wednesday, October 1, at 1:00 p.m. in the
parish hall. All are warmly invited to attend.

The agenda will include planning and preparations
for our upcoming Holiday Bazaar, and we
welcome your ideas and input.

The goals for the Altar Society are:

1. **Fundraising** – to provide for the parish's liturgical needs such as candles, communion bread and wine, vestments, altar linens, and to ensure the care and upkeep of these sacred items.
2. **Bereavement support** – to accompany parish families in their time of loss by organizing funeral luncheons and offering comfort through presence and hospitality.
3. **Outreach in time of need** – to extend support to fellow parishioners experiencing illness, grief, or hardship, often through cards, visits, and other expressions of care.

Beyond these important ministries, our meetings also provide an opportunity to grow together in friendship and faith as we serve our parish community.

PARISH FLOWER CALENDAR 2025-2026

We are now accepting sign-ups to
SPONSOR flowers – 3 arrangements –
for **WEEKEND MASSES**.

You might, for example, take this **OPPORTUNITY** for
loved ones **OR** to mark a special occasion. Your
SPONSORSHIP will be acknowledged in the Bulletin
and the Intercessory Book of Prayers.

OPTIONS for SPONSORING

1. Make your own arrangements; bring to the Church on Friday.
2. Order from a florist; have it delivered on Thursday.
3. **OR** ▶ use the Flowers Donation Envelope available in the vestibule.
▶ **INCLUDE:**
4. **WHOM** it memorializes **OR FOR WHAT OCCASION** AND ▶ The Church will make the 3 flower arrangements.

Please call or e-mail the office if you wish to participate in populating this **CALENDAR**.



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St. Anthony,
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 prayers answered!



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 Fern Ridge Council #17884

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

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 Grand Knight Antonio Moreno - 505.363.0702

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- and much more!

Check us out in the Vestibule
 and in the St. Dominic Room

WELCOME TO ST CATHERINE OF SIENA

If you are visiting or new to our parish
 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.

If you would like more
 information about our Parish,
 please call: 541-935-3933

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**Bulletin Items * Deadline
 12 noon * Wednesdays**