

July 28, 2019

St. Henry Church

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Masses: Saturday Vigil 5:00pm

Sunday 8:30am & 11:00am English, 1:30pm Spanish

Daily Mass: Monday ~ Saturday 8:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 3:00—4:30pm



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Music...Theo Burke

Calendar for July 28 - August 3

Sunday July 28

Masses 8:30am & 11am English, 1:30pm Spanish

Everyday Strength Cancer Support 9:30am (OMT)
 Summer Coffee & Donuts 9:30am (FSR)
 Spiritual Enrichment Presentation 9:40am (RM 6)
 Prayer Shawl Ministry 12:15pm (LIB)
 Adult Basket Ball English 4pm (GYM)
 Adult Basket Ball—Spanish 7pm (GYM)

Monday July 29 Mass 8am

Tuesday July 30 Mass 8am

Pointers Prayer Group 8:45am (MR)
 St. Vincent de Paul Pantry 10am (SVDPP / GYM)
 Al-Anon 10am (RM 6)
 Day Showers 1:30pm (GYM)
 Adult Education 7pm (FSR)
 Nar-Anon 7pm (RM 7)

Wednesday July 31 Mass 8am

Adult Education 9am (FSR)
 O.A. 10:30am (RM 7)
 Spanish Bible Study 6pm (LIB)
 Adult Basketball 7pm (GYM)
 Spanish Choir 7pm (CH)

Thursday August 1 Mass 8am

St. Vincent de Paul 12noon (LIB)

Friday August 2 Mass 8am

Library Open 9:30am (LIB)
 Spanish Adoration 7pm (CH)

Saturday August 3 Masses 8am & Vigil 5pm

Confessions 3:00pm - 4:30pm

Fatima Prayer Group 8:45am (CH)
 St. Vincent de Paul Pantry 10:00am (SVDPP w/Gym)

Sunday August 4

Masses 8:30am & 11am English 1:30pm Spanish

Summer Coffee & Donuts 9:30am (FSR)
 Everyday Strength Cancer Support 9:30am (OMT)
 Spiritual Enrichment Presentation 9:40am (RM 6)
 Adult English Basketball 4pm (GYM)
 Spanish Basketball 7pm (GYM)

Update Information

For information on Funeral Services, please see our website at sthenrygresham.org. From the homepage see the drop down menu "Our Parish" and click on Obituaries. As soon as we have the information it will be posted. Or call the parish office at 503-665-9129. Thanks, Terri

Mass Intentions 7/28 - 8/3

S	+Clifton Hegstad +Joe Culver -Nicholas Keeter -Hudson Metcalf +Clifford Hegstad -Vielka Franceschi	(Bill & Mary Hay) (Jeannine Huston) (Vining Family) (Vining Family) (Paul & Sandy Farrow BVD) (Vielka Franceschi)
M	+Jeff Choonoo +Sara Julia De SinClair	(Rubey Choonoo) (Vielka Franceschi)
T	Monastery of Christ in the Desert (Clara Campbell)	
W	Fr. Philip Lawrence, O.S.B	(Clara Campbell)
T	Men of Meadows/Huachuca (Ron Welsh)	
F	Abbot Christian Leisy, O.S.B	(Clara Campbell)
S	+Clifford Hegstad +Jacalyn Ranieri Dena Hegstad & Family -Celeste Davis	(Paul & Sandy Farrow BVD) (Bill & Mary Hay) (Jan St. John) (Bill & Mary Hay)

Prayer List

"What you ask in my name, I will do" John 14:13.

Please pray for... Janell Beaudry, Russell Bridenbeck, Imelda Broyles, Charles Brosh, Steven Burbank, Pete Clark, Joannie Cuddy, Ruth Cummings, Peter D'Eath, Ruth Dornfeld, Brenda Finnerty, Mary Gigliotti, Michael Gigliotti, Donna Harrison, Lisa Hills, Joseph Kattanick, Cyndi Kelly, Janna Kelly, Chita Lazatin, Ian MacAlevy, Sarah Marek, Chris Martin, Jim Martin, Pete Mays, Peggy McVitty, John Merz, Dr. Richard H. Miller, Ayden Mills, Patricia Mulkey, Nellie Nado, Mary Novotny, Mike O'Neal, Barbara Pereira, Delano Pereira, Gwen Ragnone, Norm Ragnone, Jerry Ruff, Dennise Ray, Lori Scienski, Donna Sullivan, Lois Swofford, Teipen Family, Serapio Tolentino, Robert Walsh, Ursula Wares,

Please call the office if you would like to be included on this list.

Out of respect for an individuals privacy, we print only the names of those who give their permission to have their names published.

Please Pray

Please pray for Walter Rollo who has recently died.

May Walter
and all the faithfully departed
rest in peace.



~ Pastors Note ~ 17th Sunday: Luke 11:1-13

Jesus' own prayer

The version of the Our Father that we are used to is from Matthew's gospel, but today's reading gives us Luke's version. You notice that it is shorter. In place of Matthew's 'Our Father in heaven,' Luke says simply, 'Father'. That longer phrase is so characteristic of Matthew's writing style (he uses it twenty times in his gospel, but Luke never) that it is seen as entirely his own and not Jesus'. Jesus probably said simply, 'Father'.

It seems to us a strange request: "Lord, teach us to pray." Jews prayed every day since childhood. Why would they ask him now to teach them to pray? The meaning of it seems to be this: they were asking him for a distinctive prayer as his disciples. John's disciples had a special kind of prayer, but Jesus' disciples apparently did not. In answer to their request he taught them the Our Father. This makes it very special: it is not just any prayer; it is a distinctively Christian prayer.



I remember standing some years ago at the Wailing Wall in Jerusalem, surrounded by Jews. It is a great privilege to stand there beside them, at the only remaining part of the Temple which was destroyed by the Romans in the year 70. I thought of Jesus, a Jew, as I stood there groping in my mind for words. There is no mention of him in his own prayer, the Our Father. I realised that any Jewish person at that Wailing Wall could pray the words of the Our Father and not find them the least bit strange. Jesus was among his own people. But how then can the Our Father be a Christian disciple's prayer?

Some time later it came to me: if there is no mention of Jesus, his life, death or resurrection, nor of any of the Christian mysteries, it is because **this was his own prayer**. In prayer he was seized by a single awareness: the Father; he was not thinking about himself. When we pray the Our Father we are not praying to him, but with him; we are praying his prayer. We are so close to him that we cannot see him; like him, we see only the Father. We are, as it were, inside his head, looking out through his eyes: seeing the Father, and seeing the world as he sees it. We are totally identified with him – we are indeed his disciples. We are praying through him. All our prayers end with the phrase, "through Our Lord Jesus Christ..." At the end of the Eucharistic Prayer we say, "Through him, with him, in him..." If Jesus sometimes seems absent it is because he is everywhere. He has drawn the whole world into his heart.

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Many Hands Make Light Work

On Friday's after the morning Mass, a small group meets to prepare the church for the weekend. We are asking your help in this very important task. Straightening of the church and every now and then helping to stuff an insert into the bulletin.

Call Terri or Veronikka in the office if you can help, 503-665-9129.

Parish Picnic On St. Henry Grounds

Mark Your Calendars!!

The Parish Picnic is coming,
The Picnic is coming!!

When: Sunday, August 11, 2019 Mass: 11am to 12:00noon
St. Henry Picnic begins after Mass at 12noon until 3pm

What we need is your help

Please call the parish office at 503-665-9129 to volunteer

This year we will have 2 Food Booths

Food service will end at 1:00pm

so volunteers can enjoy
the picnic.



Family Camp Out at Barton Park

Families are getting together for a Family Campout and you are invited... We are having a family campout at **Barton Park (west campground), August 23 - 25**. This is a fun get together as we share meals, games, campfires, and splash in the river. Group gathering will be in site 9. If you would like to join us, go to <http://reservations.clackamas.us/reservation/camping/> to reserve your campsite (only a few sites are still available). The cost is \$64 to reserve your site. If you have reserved a site or for more information, please contact Diana Bavarskas (503-490-6562).

Spiritual Enrichment Presentation

July 28, (this weekend)... A former Baptist convert to the **Catholic Church** tells an **inspiring path**, a nurse taking care of babies and how God helped her believe it is **the body of Christ** at Mass after years of believing that Catholics were wrong! Thru many hours of help by three devoted Catholics He put in her path, she had to attend Mass in her work, and finally one time at the consecration the **truth spoke to her!** There is so MUCH MORE to her story and what she has been thru and what she is doing now! This is a good story of an example of Missionary work. Starting at 9:40am. Get coffee and a donut in the Fireside room and come to room 6.

August 4... Messages of two authors point out how women are so important in young and older men's lives. Also speaking woman to woman.

Jennifer Fullwiler, an ex-atheist, but her dad taught her to always seek truth, she found the truth in the Catholic Church!! She gets women together in prayer retreats and helps Catholic women manage their whole lives, church, family, work, etc., **and much more!**

Meg Meeker, M.D. has been practicing pediatric and adolescent medicine working with children and their parents, for over 30 years and she and her husband have 4 kids. **Meg gives lessons Mothers need to raise extraordinary men.** We will have copies of these two books for you to look at and pass one among you. Starting at 9:40am. Get coffee and a donut in the Fireside room then come to room 6 for the presentation.

Stewardship ~ 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.” (Luke 11:9)

Jesus assures us that if we ask, God will take care of what we need. The problem is that our culture often confuses what we really need with what we simply want. Many people need very little. However, we usually want so much more. A good steward only asks God for what he needs.

Offertory Giving for July 2019

	Month to Date	Year To Date
Actual:	\$ 42,488.29	\$ 42,488.29
Budget:	\$ 49,507.50	\$ 49,507.50
Difference:	\$ -7,019.21	\$ -7,019.21

Widows, Widowers and Singles

ATTENTION: The weather is still nice and time to head to the hills. Lunch at the Rendezvous in Welches on Wednesday, August 14 (Please note the change of date). Bus (\$5) in the east St. Henry parking lot at 12:15. **RSVP Ilene at 503-667-2500 by Sunday, August 11 to reserve your seat.**

St. Vincent de Paul School Drive

Yes, it is that time! Summer 's end is closing in on us and it's time to think about school children and their needs. Our St. Vincent de Paul volunteers have put together a great display of items we are looking for. Or you may come up with your own ideas. We'll take it all. Remember, collections run through the end of August. Thank you for your support.



St. Henry Women's Group

The Women's Group will not be meeting in August. Our next gathering will take place September 14. Watch the bulletin as it gets closer for room and time. Diana Bavarskas

Library News

 All library books and media must be returned now! Please look around your homes to see if you have any library materials. The library cart will be at Coffee and Donuts on the 1st Sunday in August. Thank you for your support this year. Happy Reading! -Anne Jochim 

Good Things From VBS

Dear VBS Children and Staff at St. Henry Church; Thank you so much for sharing this update with me! \$281.46 What a tremendous result from your children! Please extend our gratitude to everyone who participated in this offering and to all the VBS volunteers who helped share the CURE story. We're honored and humbled whenever someone speaks on behalf of these precious patients. Thank you again and I hope you have a wonderful rest of your summer! Joyfully, Lee Cooper



Blankets For Randall Children's Hospital



RANDALL CHILDREN'S
HOSPITAL
LEGACY EMANUEL

17 warm, fleece blankets were delivered to Randall Children's Hospital. Accepting our donation was Molly from the Children's Life Dept. These blankets were made by our VBS 5th and 6th graders.... for children at the hospital.



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Thank you....The Child Life Program would like to thank those who donated the most beautiful, soft, variety of fuzzy blankets! We were in great need of these as we go through them quickly! Thank you for supporting the patients and families. We are all grateful for your kind generosity in helping spread joy to those in need. RCH Staff

## St. Joseph the Worker Prayer Group

Living the Christian Life in the Spirit Prayer Group... Mondays at 7:00pm in classroom 2 ~ Chapel of the Holy Family. We will be praying through the Catechism of the Catholic Church and then praying for each other. For more information contact Will Rice at 503-810-7292

## Nun Run

Road Trip! Young women are invited to join us on a trip to San Francisco. We will visit with area religious communities, tour the California Missions, and have fun celebrating our call to holiness as daughters of God. Contact the Office of Vocations for more information at 503-233-8368 or [vocations@archdpdx.org](mailto:vocations@archdpdx.org).



## A Message From the Oflates

Have you always wanted to become an Oblate of a Benedictine monastery? Have you wondered what the word "Oblate" means? Here is a wonderful opportunity to find out about the oblate program at Queen of Angels Monastery. The Oblate Council of Queen of Angels Monastery is hosting an opportunity for you to learn about the life of an Oblate. What an oblate is and does. How you become an oblate. Time to answer your questions. **When:** Saturday, August 17, 2019 10:00am—12:00pm. **Where:** Monastery Chapter Room, 840 S. Main St., Mt. Angel, OR. Followed by lunch with the Benedictine Sisters **This is a complimentary presentation. Please RSVP:** [qam.oblates@gmail.com](mailto:qam.oblates@gmail.com). If you have questions call Sr. Maureen at 503-845-6141

## Community Information



**Volunteer Service and Welcoming Spiritual Community for Older Adults! Jesuit Volunteer EnCorps** (JV EnCorps) is now accepting applications for 2019-20! JV EnCorps, a program of JVC Northwest, facilitates rewarding opportunities for service, community and spiritual formation for adults 50 and older who are committed to social and ecological justice. During their ten months of volunteer service, participants meet monthly for fellowship, reflection and to explore the values of community, spirituality, simple living and social & ecological justice. Our values arise from the Ignatian Spirituality and JV Encorps is an inclusive and ecumenical community. **Priority application deadline: August 31st.** Opening Retreat in September. For more information: [JVEnCorps@jvcnorthwest.org](mailto:JVEnCorps@jvcnorthwest.org) or [www.jvencorps.org](http://www.jvencorps.org).

## 28 de julio de 2019 - 17º domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

“Pide y recibirás, busca y encontrarás, llama y la puerta se te abrirá.” (LUCAS 11: 9)

Jesús nos asegura que si pedimos, Dios cuidará de lo que necesitamos. El problema es que nuestra cultura a menudo confunde lo que realmente necesitamos con lo que simplemente queremos. Muchas personas necesitan muy poco. Sin embargo, solemos querer mucho más. Un buen administrador solo le pide a Dios lo que necesita.

### Ofertorio de Julio

|               | Month to Date | Year To Date |
|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| Real:         | \$ 42,488.29  | \$ 42,488.29 |
| Presupuestar: | \$ 49,507.50  | \$ 49,507.50 |
| Diferencia:   | \$ -7,019.21  | \$ -7,019.21 |

## Encuentro Matrimonia Mundial en Español



La fecha del próximo Fin de Semana De Encuentro Matrimonia Mundial en Español.  
La fecha es del 16 al 18 de Agosto del 2019.  
Lugar: Quality inn 3333 SW 198th Ave, Aloha, Or 97006



## Scott Hahn reflexiona sobre el 17º Domingo de Tiempo Ordinario



El Sermón de la Montaña,  
Carl Bloch, 1877

Lecturas: Génesis 18,20-32 Salmo 138,1-3.6-8,  
Colosenses 2,12-14, Lucas 11,1-13

A pesar de que no somos más que “polvo y ceniza”, podemos presumir de llamar la atención y hablar audazmente a Nuestro Señor, como Abraham se atreve a hacer en la primera lectura de esta semana.

Pero incluso Abraham, el amigo de Dios (cfr. Is 41,8), nuestro padre en la fe (cfr. Rm 4,12) no conoció la intimidad que nosotros experimentamos como hijos suyos, herederos de las bendiciones prometidas a sus descendientes (cfr. Ga 3,7.29).

El misterio de la oración, como Jesús revela a sus discípulos en el Evangelio de esta semana, es la relación viva que los amados hijos e hijas tienen con su Padre celestial. Nuestra oración es puro don, hecho posible por el “regalo gratuito” del Padre: el Espíritu Santo de su Hijo. Es el fruto de la Nueva Alianza por la cual somos hechos hijos de Dios en Cristo (cfr. Ga 4,6.7; Rm 8,15.16)

Por el Espíritu que se nos ha dado en el Bautismo podemos clamar a él como nuestro Padre, sabedores de que cuando

llamemos, Él responderá.

Jesús enseña a sus discípulos a perseverar en su oración, como Abraham persistió implorando la misericordia de Dios por los inocentes de Sodoma y Gomorra. Por causa del único Justo, Jesús, Dios libró la ciudad de los hombres de la destrucción (cfr. Jr 5,1; Is 53), “borró el protocolo que nos condenaba”, como dice Pablo en la epístola de esta semana.

Jesús clavó en la cruz las culpas de todos nosotros, cancelando así la deuda que le debíamos a Dios, la muerte que nos merecíamos por nuestras faltas. Oramos como quienes han sido liberados, sabiendo que hemos sido visitados en nuestra aflicción y salvados de nuestros enemigos.

Rezamos siempre una plegaria de acción de gracias, lo cual significa literalmente Eucaristía. Hemos realizado la promesa del salmo de esta semana: nos postramos en su Templo santo, en la presencia de ángeles, santificando su Nombre.

Pedimos con confianza sabiendo que recibiremos; que Él completará lo que ha hecho por nosotros: levántarnos de la muerte y traernos a la vida eterna con Él.