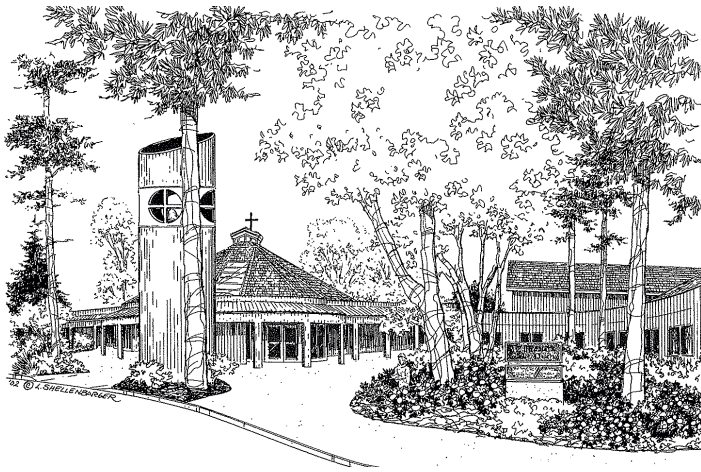




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Name _____

Address _____

Phone number _____

Mass Schedule

Tuesday	8:30 am
Wednesday (School Mass)	8:30 am
Thursday – Saturday	8:30 am
Saturday Vigil Mass	5:30 pm
Sunday	8:00 am, 10:30 am & 5:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm
and by appointment

Parish Office Hours

Monday – Thursday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm
Closed for lunch from 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm



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Parish Calendar

Monday, May 27 – Memorial Day

No School

Parish Office Closed

Tuesday, May 28

8:30 am **Mass (Herminia Illera+)**

Church

7:00 pm RCIA

P.C.

Wednesday, May 29

8:30 am **School Mass (Sue Knoroski+)**

Church

9:00 am Food Pantry

Old Hall

9:00 am Quilting

Old Hall

10:30 am Strong for Life

P.C.

5:00 pm Food Pantry

Old Hall

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Church

Thursday, May 30

8:30 am **Mass (Robert Perin+)**

Church

9:00 am Food Pantry

Old Hall

Friday, May 31

8:30 am **Mass**

Church

Saturday, June 1

8:30 am **Mass (Respect of All Human Life)**

Church

4:00 pm Reconciliation

Chapel

5:30 pm **Mass (John Dicker)**

Church

Sunday, June 2

Knights of Columbus Breakfast

8:00 am **Mass (People of the Parish)**

Church

9:45 am Rosary/Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Chapel

10:30 am **Mass (Miranda Irwin)**

Church

5:00 pm **Mass**

Church

5:00 pm Hope Diner – St Francis Team 6

Old Hall



Financial News

Collection total for 5/18 & 5/19: \$9,661.01

Please consider donating to the St Francis **Maintenance fund** by selecting this option on the green monthly envelopes. Online givers may also choose this option.

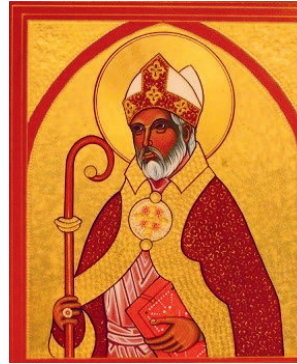
Next Sunday's Readings

Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11

Psalms 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9

Ephesians 1:17-23 or Hebrews 9:24-28; 10:19-23

Luke 24:46-53



"If you believe what you like in the gospels, and reject what you don't like, it is not the gospel you believe, but yourself."

Saint Augustine

Liturgical Ministers - June 1 & 2

Readers

Ushers

Servers

Saturday 5:30 pm

Jill LaFave

Ted Trecker

Darynne Guevara

Julie Hefner

Joe Corello

Reanne Guevara

Gianne Guevara

Sunday 8:00 am

Jeananne Bloudek

Collin Borla

Andrew O'Sullivan

Jerry Grondin

Mark Cowan

Kathryn Isaac

Volunteer

Sunday 10:30 am

Ed Hobbs

Colleen Jeffery

Austin Grosso

Danielle Coughran 2 Volunteers

JohnPaul Grosso

Leo Grosso

Sunday 5:00 pm

Barbara Davis

Giovi Paras

Matthew Zapodeanu

Maurissa Fisher

Volunteer

Carmen Bartoletta

Jaden Will

Coffee Social Hosts - June 2

No Coffee Social—Knights of Columbus Breakfast

If you are unavailable for your scheduled time, please find a replacement Minister.

In the Spirit of St. Francis ...THANK YOU!

- ♦ To Linda Moreland, Debbie and Vern Puchalski, Gabrielle Morrow, Chris Roth, Steve and Kathleen Doebler, & Vida and Adolf Eppich for preparing the Hope Garden and planting the vegetable starts and seeds.
- ♦ To Derek Conrow and Josie Wiren for donating their time, talent and effort in acting out a skit for the First Communicants at rehearsal to teach them the sacredness of the Sacrament.
- ♦ To All members of St. Francis' PSO who so generously hosted the First Communion reception.
- ♦ To St. Francis' School children's choir who with their angelic voices beautified the liturgy for the First Communion Mass.
- ♦ To Derek Conrow and Marcus Conrow who hung the First Communion banners in the church.
- ♦ To Archbishop Sample for gracing us with his presence and bringing the sacrament of Confirmation to us and for faithful service to our archdiocese.
- ♦ To Fr. Shane, Fr. Brian, Deacon Bill, and our altar servers who participated in the beautiful Confirmation liturgy.
- ♦ To our choir, Josie Wiren, Allison McIntosh and Darynne Guevara who helped create a celestial atmosphere with their God-given talent.
- ♦ To Grace Garand and Robin Reyna for proclaiming the word of God.
- ♦ To St. Cyril's Confirmation Coordinator, Mary Ellen O'Leary and the St. Francis teaching team: Rachel Morrow, coordinator, Mark Garand, Debbie Puchalski and Jerry Grondin who gave much time and effort preparing for and attending retreats and classes faithfully, giving of themselves for the sake of our teens.
- ♦ To sponsors, who took on a special role in the lives of the newly Confirmed during this preparation process and who will continue that roll hereafter.
- ♦ To the parents of these great teens. Keep doing a marvelous job in supporting the eternity of your children. Continue your faithfulness...

Respect Life

1st Principle of Catholic Social Teaching

"A human being is always sacred and inviolable, in any situation and at every stage of development. Human beings are ends in themselves and never a means of resolving other problems."

Pope Francis



ARE YOU LOOKING FOR DIFFERENT WAYS TO ENHANCE YOUR CATHOLIC IDENTITY?

FEATURING:

The Memorare Prayer

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known, that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

Significance of the prayer: This is a popular prayer to Our Blessed Virgin Mary to ask her for intercession for our sincere needs entrusting ourselves to her maternal love at the foot of her Son's cross.

History of the Memorare prayer: The prayer, traditionally attributed to St. Bernard of Clairvaux, gets its name from the first word of the original Latin prayer, meaning "Remember". However, the prayer as we know it today is actually found within a much larger prayer to the Virgin Mary entitled *Ad sanctitatis tuae pedes, dulcissima Virgo Maria* ("At your holy feet, most sweet Virgin Mary"). The Memorare was popularized by another Bernard, Fr. Claude Bernard, in the 17th century. Fr. Claude believed that the recitation of the prayer was the cause of his miraculous healing of a deathly illness. He printed over 200,000 leaflets with the prayer on it in different languages to distribute wherever he could.

Interesting facts about the prayer: St. Teresa of Calcutta used this prayer regularly. "This is the most beautiful prayer," Mother Teresa would say, as quoted by Father Kolodiejchuk who knew her well. "When we wanted to get a motherhouse, I promised Our Lady 85,000 Memorares. We were just very few sisters, and how to say so many Memorares? So we gathered all our poor children and all the people and taught them to say the Memorare — and soon we got this house." Oftentimes, she would resort to what is known as her "Flying Novena" which consisted of 9 Memorares in a row for an intention. Taking the collaboration of heaven so much for granted, she always added a 10th Memorare immediately in thanksgiving for the favor received.

Make this prayer part of your prayer life today!

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR YOUTH WHO CELEBRATED SACRAMENTS LAST WEEKEND!!

Keep these 29 beautiful young souls in your prayers, who received their First Holy Communion.



Maya Barton
Anden Choi
Marcus Conrow
Henry Cordell
Lucy Cowan
Benjamin Edwards
Preston Frias
Natalia Frost
Daniel Gartska
Alex Gill
Paige Golda
Kaylee Guillory

Cole Henderson
Carter Henricks
Moses Irwin
Luke Jackson
Charles Knickerbocker
Mason Liles
Andrea Manish
Evan McGinnis
Mackenzie Mucha
Liam O'Brien
Kieran O'Connor
Luis Salazar-Perez
Catherine Salerno
Easton Stetner
Tenzin Tran
Lily Trumbo
Emmanuel Venegas

Lord, bless our youth who received Confirmation last weekend, and all the days of their lives.

Mia Berry
Ella Bowman
Sophia Bowman
John Feliciano
Ella Fuchs
Natalie Fuchs
Grace Garand
Darynne Guevara
Jorge Hernandez
Chase Highberger
Lucy Langer
Jeffery Manning
Nolan Manning
Keely McCaulley-Wagner
Allison McIntosh

Isabella Monroe
Alanna Navarro
Maia Oliver
Victoria Pitt
Anthony Robin Reyna
Brendan Roach
Jerome Salon
Hayden Smith
Carmela Valdez
Sydney Watson



Do you have a son or daughter graduating from high school in June 2019?

St. Francis would like to acknowledge your graduate.
Please email Monica Conrow with your student's name, graduating high school and their plans for their future.

monica@stfrancissherwood.org

Vacation Bible School



June 17-June 21, 2019
9:15am-12:15pm

Who: ages 3 1/2 (birthdate before 1/31/16) through incoming 5th graders

Come celebrate a fun and faith-filled week of music, crafts, games, prayer and more!

\$30/1 child; \$55/2 children; \$75/3+ children

Sign up online at

www.stfrancissherwood.org

Please register ASAP to make planning easier.

Parish members entering 6th grade through age 99!

We could use your help.

Please sign up to volunteer online at www.stfrancissherwood.org or contact Monica Conrow at monica@stfrancissherwood.org

Sherwood Rotary Peace Village Camp June 24-28

Sign-up now! The camp is located at **St. Francis Church & School in Sherwood**. Peace Village is non-denominational, multicultural, and open to everyone. It is for children ages 1st through 6th grade. Cost: \$150.00

Led by a staff of local educators, specialists, and counselors, the program utilizes nature, music, art, and wellness activities to emphasize the importance of world peace and understanding.

Students 7th grade and older plus interested adults can apply to become counselors or group leaders.

Email peace@sherwoodrotary.org for more information or to register as a camper, counselor or teacher.



You are invited to attend the 5th annual

St. Francis Educational Endowment & Financial Aid Brunch

*Sunday, June 9, 2019
\$25 per person*

*The morning will begin with our 10:30am Mass
followed by Brunch and guest speaker in the Parish Center*

*Please confirm your attendance
Gretchen Brown (503) 625-0497*

A banner with a teal background and a pattern of small, colorful circles. The text "Get Involved with Social Action" is written in white, with "Social Action" in a larger, bold font.

Get Involved with
Social Action

Bobbi Fallon | Social Action Coordinator
bobbi@stfrancissherwood.org | 503-625-7067
Food Pantry Hours: Wednesday 9:00 am – 11:00 am
and 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Thursday 9:00 am – 11:00 am

5/26 Hope Diner Host: St Francis Team 3

GARDENERS (or wannabe gardeners) NEEDED!

St. Francis Hope Garden needs help finishing planting the garden and with future up keep of the garden. Once the garden is planted we will need help weeding and picking. Times are flexible so please help if you can. For more information please, email bobbi@stfrancissherwood.org.

Food Pantry-

Summer is a busy time for our food pantry, but we also run low on supplies during this time. Dropping off food at the food pantry is a wonderful learning experience for kids. Stop by during pantry hours, get a tour of The Old Hall and have your kids weigh the food you donate and learn the importance of helping those in need.

Food Pantry Needs:

Soup, syrup, jelly, pancake mix, milk, produce and eggs

If you would like to donate fresh items but are unable to drop items off please consider using the monthly green envelopes and check social action. Cash/Check donations can be dropped off at The Old Hall or the parish office.

St. Francis School

A Memorial Day Prayer

Gracious God,
On this Memorial Day, we pray for those who courageously laid down their lives for the cause of freedom. May the examples of their sacrifice inspire in us the selfless love of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Bless the families of our fallen troops, and fill their homes and their lives with Your strength and peace.

In union with people of goodwill of every nation, embolden us to answer the call to work for peace and justice, and thus, seek an end to violence and conflict around the globe.

We ask this through Your name. Amen.

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ENDOWMENT BRUNCH



June 9, 11:30 a.m.

Parishioners welcome!

\$25.00 per Person

Proceeds benefit **Tuition Assistance**

Joe Weston Foundation Matching Funds Program

To encourage and support school endowments, the foundation will double a school's donations up to **\$30,000** annually!

2019-20

Projected Tuition Assistance*

18 Families, 29 Students, **\$100,000+** needed

*as of May 20, 2019

Catholic Corner

Which are some other moral virtues? Other moral virtues are:

Filial piety and *patriotism*, which help us love, honor and respect our parents and nation;

Obedience, which helps us obey our parents and superiors, who represent God;

Truthfulness, or veracity, which helps us always tell the truth;

Liberality, which helps us use rightly the goods of this world;

Patience, which helps us to take trials and difficulties from the hands of God;

Humility, which helps us know ourselves and see that whatever is good in us comes from God;

Chastity, or purity, which helps us be pure in mind, heart and body.

There are many other moral virtues besides these. *St. Paul Family Catechism*.

Next week: What is meant by the eight beatitudes?

With excitement and hope for the future, we announce the hiring of Denise Gonzalez as the Principal of St. Francis School. She has worked in the education field for 27 years. Mrs. Gonzalez has been in Elementary education for 17 years and in middle school education 6 years. She has spent the last 5 years as the Vice Principal at Our Lady of the Lake. Mrs. Gonzalez has her Master of Education with a reading endorsement from George Fox University. Her children all have been educated in the Catholic School system and she understands the value of a Catholic School education. She brings a new energy and wealth of knowledge to St. Francis School.



Announcements

Happening this Week:

The parish office will be closed on Monday, May 27 in observation of Memorial Day.

There will be NO Strong for Life Class on Memorial Day, Monday, May 27.

Parish Announcements:

The **Knights of Columbus** will be hosting the **last breakfast before summer next Sunday, June 2** after the 8:00 am and 10:30 am Masses. Please come and celebrate another great year.

We will no longer have subscriptions to the **Magnificat**, **Word Among Us** and **Our Sunday Visitor Newsletter** available for sale at the parish. You can, however, have these periodicals delivered directly to your home. If you would like to order any of these, here are the websites for your ordering convenience:

Magnificat: <https://bookstore.magnificat.net/subscription/index/index>

Word Among Us: <https://wau.org/subscribe/>

Our Sunday Visitor: <https://www.osvnews.com/?ref=hplink>

Please DO NOT leave any garage sale items at the old hall for the Knights of Columbus sale until July 1st. Thank you!

Catholic education is an important component to the Catholic faith and evangelization. Please help support Catholic Education by attending our **St Francis Educational Endowment and Financial Aid Brunch on Sunday, June 9 after the 10:30 am Mass**. Please see this bulletin for additional information.

Registration for Vacation Bible School is open! The week of June 17th through 21st will be a fun and faith-filled week of music, crafts, games, prayer and more for children age 3 1/2 to those entering 5th grade. Sign up now on the St. Francis website.

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Out of Parish:

Monthly Free Event: **Young Catholic Professionals** (ages 21-39) Tuesday, May 28 from 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm at Kells Irish Pub, 112 SW 2nd Ave, Portland. Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers is one of the most sought-after speakers in the Catholic Church. He co-hosts the EWTN radio program, "Morning Glory" and is the CEO and President of The Saint Joseph Center. Questions: email info@ycpportland.org.

One-third of families in Multnomah County lack sufficient income to meet basic needs. Yes, the reasons are abundant. One of the many reasons may be an inability to adequately manage one's finances. The journey to **financial wellness** can begin with a visit to the **Save First program at Catholic Charities**. Catholic Charities offers Financial Wellness Workshops for Save First clients. After the workshop, the graduated clients need accompaniment. They need a volunteer financial coach who can mentor them in their journey. They need a mentor coach who can teach them how to fish, not give them a fish! Interested in becoming a coach? As you requested, the next training is scheduled for Saturday, June 22 from 9:00 am to 12:30 pm at Catholic Charities located on 2740 SE Powell Blvd. Portland. Can't make this training? Don't worry, there will be more opportunities.

St. Peter's Parish in Newberg, Oregon is having its 11th annual Fr. Jim Nibler Memorial Golf tournament. The tournament will be on the Saturday after Labor Day, September 7. We need golfers, donations and sponsors. Golfers are sent out in 4 person teams but we'll gladly accommodate anyone who wants to join in. Come and join us for a morning of great golfing and fellowship at Chehalem Glenn Golf Course in Newberg. For more information go to our website at <http://stpeternewbergor.org/events-2/memorial-golf-tournament/>, or call 503-538-3399.

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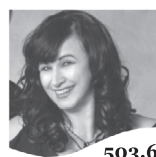
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