



St. Rita Catholic Church

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time | November 6th, 2022

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32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"That the dead will rise even Moses made known in the passage about the bush, when he called out 'Lord,' the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob; and he is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive."

- Lk 20:37-38

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Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:30PM

Sunday: 7:30AM; 10:00AM

12:00PM Spanish

Weekday Mass Schedule

Tuesday-Friday 7:45AM

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00PM-5:00PM

(or by appointment)

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Office Hours

Monday-Thursday

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Sacramental Emergency Only

After Office Hours:

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We are a people called to be Christ for one another through Prayer, Eucharist, Community Involvement and Social Justice.

Parish Updates

A big thank you to everyone who helped make the Fall Bazaar a huge success! Thank you especially to Sande Wilhelm

BIBLE STUDY AND FAITH SHARING

Bible Study and Faith Sharing is every Tuesday from 6:00-7:00 pm in the REC *and on Zoom*. For more information contact:

Bill Lindekugel (503)317-0574

GOT BOTTLES AND CANS?

Got bottles and cans you don't want to return? The Food Pantry can raise money for Christmas and other pantry needs by collecting and returning them for you. And from Nov. 15-Dec. 1st we can earn a 20% bonus, so bring us all you have. Last year we raised a bonus of \$120. Please bring them by Nov. 10th so that we can process them by the deadline. You can drop them off in the Vestibule or the Office. And if you have a green bag account, you can donate to the fund raiser online from your account.

CATHOLIC FRIENDSHIP GROUP

Singles, ages 40-60. Prayer followed by a talk and discussion. Come join us on Friday Nov. 4th from 6:30pm-8:00pm.

Visit www.catholicfriendshipgroup.com for more details. Location: St. Birgitta Catholic Church, 11820 NW St. Helens Rd, Portland.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Between now and December 10th, the Food Pantry is asking for food donations for our

Christmas Food Box Program. Items we need include pancake mix, canned olives, canned chicken broth, cream of mushroom soup, syrup, peanut butter, jam/jelly, Christmas Candy and hot chocolate mix. If you prefer, you can donate cash to help us purchase perishables for the boxes. You can bring your donations to Mass and leave them in the vestibule by the SVdP barrel, or bring them directly to the pantry. **Thank you for your ongoing support.**

Faith Formation

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION AND FAITH FORMATION

Faith Formation, Grades K – 7th, First Eucharist and First Confession are on Sundays at 11:00 am in the REC. Registration forms are available in the Religious Education Center, in the parish office, and online at our website www.stritapdx.org. If you have a child preparing for a sacrament, please include a copy of their baptism certificate with a completed registration form if they were not baptized at St. Rita Parish. If you have questions, please contact:

**Barbara Stanton, Faith Formation Director,
503-252-3403 x 104 or bstanton@archdpdx.org.**

HELP IS STILL NEEDED!!

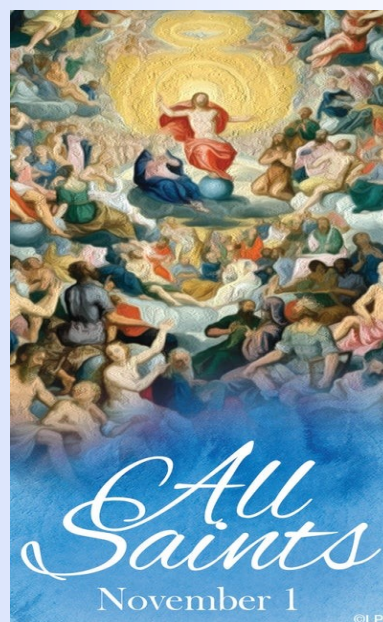
LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

2 Leaders still needed for Liturgy of the Word with Children (LWC) at the 10:00 am Mass.

If you want to Volunteer on a Sunday that doesn't take up too much time, this is for YOU!

CATECHISTS (TEACHERS) AND AIDES FOR FAITH FORMATION SESSIONS

Kindergarten – 1st Grade Catechist and Aide. Training, support and materials are provided for LWC and Faith Formation. Questions: **contact Barbara at (503)252-3403 ex.104 bstanton@archdpdx.org.**



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Society has many celebrations to remember or honor the dead. Memorial Day is an obvious one. In the United States, such days as presidential holidays, the Fourth of July, and even Thanksgiving are built upon honoring those who have gone before us.

As Christians, we also celebrate the dead. Some of the more obvious festivities include All Saints Day and All Soul Day. But the reality is, All Saints Day and All Souls Day do not and should not be the only time that we remember or pray for those who have died.

As Catholics, our practice of praying for the dead comes from our faith and belief in the resurrection of the dead, a belief that the Sadducees in today's Gospel struggled to understand. We believe that in death we continue to live in relationship with God. We also hold fast to the belief of the communion of saints, which consists of all of us—those living here on earth and those living in the presence of God. Because of this communion there continues to be a relationship between the dead and us, and us to the dead through prayer. Ultimately, we pray for the dead because we are a people of hope.

I'd like to offer some ideas of how we, as Catholics, might consider praying for those who have gone before us:

- Continue to pray for the souls in purgatory. While a seemingly scary image, purgatory is simply a state of being cleansed. We pray for all souls as they are cleansed as they prepare to dwell in the beatific vision of God.
- Create Altars for the Dead. This custom is common in many cultures, and can be done in many ways. Altars for the Dead are shrines where the photos or mementos of loved ones and friends are placed. You may also wish to place images or statues of the saints, which serve like photographs of loved ones. Such altars remind us that we are never alone, and as we walk our Christian journey, we walk in the light of many holy men and women before us.
- Another tradition that is common is lighting a votive candle at Church, and while doing so, calling to prayer those who have died (or if you wish, those who are living).
- You can also visit the parish office and inquire about a Mass intention for a loved one, especially one that has died.
- Also, don't forget to celebrate the lives of the saints throughout the year.
- Finally, honor those who have died by learning about them and their history and emulating the good that they did in this life.

We pray for the dead because we are a people of hope, and because we believe that our God is not the God of the dead, but the God of the living—for all are alive.

Fr. Tetzl

Readings for the week of November 6, 2022

Sunday: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14 // 2 Thes 2:16—3:5/Lk 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38

Monday: Ti 1:1-9/Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Ps 37:3-4, 18 and 23, 27 and 29/Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 / 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

Thursday: Phlm 7-20/Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Lk 17:20-25

Friday: 2 Jn 4-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18/Lk 17:26-37

Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 18:1-8

Next Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

Observances for the week of November 6, 2022

Sunday: 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time;

National Vocation Awareness Week

Monday: Tuesday: Election Day

Wednesday: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Thursday: St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

Friday: St. Martin of Tours, Bishop; Veterans Day

Saturday: St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr

Next Sunday: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time;





Clarissa Martinez
 Mary (Panowicz) Redd
 Frances Gasca
 Sergio Aguilera
 Charlotte Benfiet
 Jennifer Benfiet
 Jo Betich
 Ken Dobos
 Malcolm Fylan
 Curt Gefre
 Dottie Griffin
 Gary & Liz Heckman
 Patty LeCount
 Eunice Monsrud
 Barbara Nisbet
 Skye Porter
 Pat Shanahan
 Charlene Steier
 Casey Yager
 Sharon & Leon Young
 Domingo Umingli

Please call or email the office if you would like to add a name to this list.
 Phone number: 503-252-3404.



THIS WEEK AT ST. RITA

Sun., Nov.6: 32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time
NO Coffee & Donuts!
 LWC 10am, Faith Formation 11am
 1st Reconciliation #5 11am
Mon., Nov.7: No Mass; Women's Guild 1pm
Tue., Nov.8:
Wed., Nov.9: SVDP Food Pantry 3-5pm
Thu., Nov.10:
Fri., Nov.11: Veteran's Day
Sat., Nov.12: SVDP Food Pantry 10-Noon
Sun., Nov.13: 33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time
 LWC 10am, Faith Formation 11am
 1st Reconciliation #6 11am



November 8, Tues +Maria Nguyen
November 9, Wed +Maria Nguyen Thanh
November 10, Thu +Josefina Katibak
November 11, Fri +Maria Nguyen Thanh

November 12, Sat 5:30
 For the People

November 13, Sunday
7:30am In Thanksgiving
10:00am +Josephine Best
12:00pm +Rita Torres

*Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to have Mass offered for your intention.
 Suggested donation is \$10.*

Stewardship

Offertory Update F.Y. 2022-23:

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>
July	\$19,250.37	\$21,200.00
August	\$17,281.93	\$21,200.00
September	\$18,642.13	\$21,200.00

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>
July-Sept'22	\$55,174.43	\$63,600.00

<u>Over/Under</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
\$8,425.57	86.8%

Online Giving: Thank you so much for your financial support to St. Rita Parish.
 To donate online, go to our parish website stritapdx.org and click the **Donate** button to access our safe online giving portal.

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Email: _____

Cut and drop it in the offertory basket