

Sacred Heart-St. Louis Catholic Parish Parroquía del Sagrado Corazón-San Luís

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Sacred Heart School 503-792-4541

11th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants."
- Mk 4:30-32b

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11^a Domingo DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

"El Reino de Dios se parece a lo que sucede cuando un hombre siembra la semilla en la tierra...y la tierra, por sí sola, va produciendo el fruto: primero los tallos, luego las espigas y después los granos en las espigas. Y cuando ya están maduros los granos, el hombre echa mano de la hoz, pues ha llegado el tiempo de la cosecha".
- Mc 4, 26. 28-29

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Welcome to all those who are visiting Sacred Heart-St. Louis Church / Bienvenidos a todos aquellos que están visitando

Mass Schedule / Misas los Domingos:

Saturday/sábado: 4:30 pm (Eng-Sacred Heart)

6:00 pm (Spanish-Sacred Heart)

Sunday /domingo: 8:00 am (Sacred Heart))

9:30 am (Sacred Heart Church)

11:00 am (Spanish-Sacred Heart)

Daily Mass — Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday

8:00 am (St. Louis Church)

Thursday 6:15 pm(Sacred Heart Church)

Friday 8:15 am (Sacred Heart Church)

Reconciliation / Confesiones:

Saturday/sábado 3 pm

Sacred Heart-St Louis Parish is a Catholic community of Christian believers devoted to the Holy Eucharist. We strive to build God's Kingdom by inviting all to faith formation, Sacred Liturgy, Evangelization and outreach.

La Parroquia Sagrado Corazón-San Luís es una comunidad Católica de creyentes Cristianos devotos a la Santa Eucaristía. Nos esforzamos para construir el Reino de Dios al invitar a todos a la formación de fe, a la Liturgia Sagrada, a la Evangelización y a la ayuda de la comunidad entera.

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Ezekiel 17:22-24, 2 Corinthians 5:6-10

Mark 4:26-34

Brief Reflection: The seed of faith is in our hearts, and grace helps it to bear fruit. Jesus speaks his Word to the crowds in parables because that is how *they were able to understand it*. Today, he uses agrarian images. Although farming is dependent on many variables the farmer has no control over, the seed of faith planted on our hearts is totally in our control. Will we take the time to weed? Will we take the time to water?

Don't forget to sign up for FORMED! There are 3 easy steps to Sign Up:

1. Visit <http://signup.formed.org/>
2. Enter our parish zip or name
3. Enter your name and email

Support Families as the Domestic Church

The Parish FORMED subscription can help families build holy habits and create new prayer routines at home.

[FORMED Daily Reflections](#) – short daily videos, subscribe to a daily email here

[Pray at Home](#)

[Rosary](#)

[Praying the Rosary Like Never Before](#) audio talk by Dr. Edward Sri

[Divine Mercy Chaplet](#) pray at 3pm daily

[Children's Cartoons](#)

[Movie Night](#)

Year of St. Joseph

"Blessed Joseph, be ever mindful of us; give us the benefit of your powerful prayers." St. Bernardine of Siena

June 24-St. Joseph Holy Hour 5-6 pm followed by Benediction and Mass

September 30-consecration to St. Joseph group begins and will be led by Fr. James. (more info on signing up and purchasing the book, coming soon).

November: Litany of St. Joseph

Prayer Intentions

Let us pray for those who are sick in our community. Remember these parishioners and friends of the parish in your prayers:

Juan and Aurora Ruiz

Rose Rush

Dolores Hockett (memory care)

German Villa (cancer)

Joseph Stravens

May you find consolation in knowing that you are thought of and prayed for in this time of need.



SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL 503-792-4541 shssecretary@shstl.org

Graduation: We will be celebrating 8th Grade Graduation Mass on Tuesday, June 15, at 7 pm. We are so proud of our 7 students who made it through a challenging year. We are thankful that we have been a part of their lives.

Teaching Positions Open: We are currently seeking applicants for 2 teaching positions. The teacher would teach a blended classroom of two consecutive grade levels, kinder/1st or 5/6. We are looking for practicing Catholics with previous elementary teaching experience. If you are interested, please, send a resume with a cover letter to Mrs. Mariana Hill at principal@shstl.org. Job descriptions are available <https://schools.archpdx.org/elementary-teaching-staff-positions-vacancies>

Registration: We have a few spots still open at Sacred Heart Catholic School. Our education is rooted in the Catholic Faith. We have a caring environment with strong parental involvement. If you are interested in our school, please, give us a call. We would be happy to meet with you and give you a tour!

School Office: Our office hours are 7:45 am- 3:30 pm on school days. Please call ahead to let us know you are coming. Due to current health protocols any visitors must be screened before admittance.

Scrip is now available during school office hours. Please call ahead if you would like to purchase scrip. Sign up for Benefit Mobile with the app and purchase scrip using your smart phone. Download the app to your phone and set up your account. Choose Sacred Heart School as your beneficiary. We receive up to 20% back from your everyday purchases.

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MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO – ALENTAR UN ENTENDIMIENTO MÁS PROFUNDO DE LA ESCRITURA 13 de junio de 2021 11º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Todavía con sabor a Fiesta del Cuerpo y Sangre de Cristo del pasado domingo en nuestros corazones, ahora, debemos de preparar la mente y corazón para iniciar el Tiempo Ordinario. Esto significa que, el Evangelio de Marcos, nuevamente nos lleva por el camino del Reino, a preparar la tierra para que la semilla crezca por si sola y de fruto. “Jesús dijo además: ‘Escuchen esta comparación del Reino de Dios. Un hombre esparce la semilla en la tierra, y ya duerma o esté despierto, sea de noche o de día, la semilla brota y crece, sin que él sepa cómo’” (Marcos 4:26-27).

Aquí, claramente se trata de ver la confianza que Dios ha depositado en el crecimiento de cada uno. Dios comienza, poniendo su semilla, y la persona responde. Todo, despacio, llegará a su tiempo. Sin quemar etapas, los resultados aparecen cuando el Espíritu de Dios está listo en la persona. “La tierra da fruto por si misma: primero la hierba, luego la espiga, y por último la espiga se llena de granos. Y cuando el grano está maduro, se le mete la hoz, pues ha llegado el tiempo de la cosecha” (Marcos 4:28-29). Muchas veces hay desesperanza por no ver resultados rápidos y convincentes. Tal pareciera que el mal vence en el mundo. Sin embargo, no es así; Dios, da comienzo a su obra de santidad con humildad. Saber esperar con paciencia, pero en actividad, es de sabios y de santos. La semilla crece, y la persona lo sabe al sentirse segura y lista para andar por los caminos de Dios. Reto de este domingo: Dejar que el grano de mostaza crezca en mi vida y de fruto en abundancia. ©LPi

Si usted es un adulto y está pensando en unirse a la Iglesia Católica, RCIA es una clase para conocer más la Iglesia Católica y, finalmente, iniciarse o aceptarse plenamente en la fe católica. La instrucción/formación dura aproximadamente un año (10 meses) y normalmente sucedería en la Vigilia Pascual en abril. Para obtener más información o para registrarse, llame a la oficina al 503-792-4231

Financial Stewardship

Needed Weekly: \$ 6,000

COLLECTIONS	difference	AMOUNT
June 6, 2021	(\$ 10.25)	\$4,666.75
Maintenance fund for June		\$1,323.00
School fund for May		\$ 905.00
School fund collection for June 20th weekend		
SH Cemetery envelope collection		\$ 716.10

UNDÉCIMO DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Ezequiel 17:22-24, 2 Corintios 5:6-10

Marcos 4:26-34

Breve Reflexion: La semilla de la fe está en nuestro corazón y la gracia la ayuda a dar fruto.

Jesús habla su Palabra a las multitudes en parábolas porque así es *como pudieron entenderla*. Usa imágenes agrarias. Aunque la agricultura depende de muchas variables sobre las que el agricultor no tiene control, la semilla de fe plantada en nuestros corazones está totalmente bajo nuestro control. ¿Nos tomaremos el tiempo para desmalezar? ¿Nos tomaremos el tiempo para regar?

Parish Activities for the Week

Sunday/Domingo	June 13	
8 am Mass at SHC		Therese Sorley
9:30 am Mass at SHC		+James Tesch Sr.
11 am Español at SHC		Parishioners
Monday/Lunes	June 14	NO MASS/office closed
Tuesday/Martes	June 15	
8 am Mass at St. Louis		+Ed Bashaw
Wednesday/Miercoles	June 16	food bank 1-4 pm
8 am Mass		special intention for our country
5-6 pm confessions in SHC		
6:15 pm Misa español		Stephany Cruz (health)
Thursday/Jueves	June 17	
6:15 pm Mass at SHC		+Mary Lovelace
Friday/Viernes	June 18	
8:15 am MASS at SHC		+Jeanne Becke
Saturday/Sábado	June 19	
8:00 am Mass at St. Louis		+Debi Schmitt
3-4 pm confessions in SHC		
4:30 pm Mass at SHC		Parishioners
6:00 pm español		+Leticia Salgado Aleman
Sunday/Domingo	June 20	Happy Fathers Day
8 am Mass at SHC		all fathers from Catholic Daughters
9:30 am Mass at SHC		Maureen Belleque
11 am español at SHC		+Arturo Rodriguez

****Food Bank** —1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month from 1-4 pm. **June 16**

****June 15—7 pm Sacred Heart School graduation Mass**

****June 24—5-6 pm St. Joseph Holy hour/confessions followed by Benediction and Mass at SH**

2021 Archbishop's Catholic Appeal, with the week ending May 21, has received a total of \$7,252.00 which is 41.27% of our goal of \$17,570.45.

**** For your convenience, Sacred Heart-St Louis offers WeShare.** If you would like to know how to sign up for electronic funds transfer of your donation to the church, go to the front page of our website or call the office. **Or you can make your weekly or monthly contribution to Sacred Heart-St Louis Church by using Bill Pay through your online banking.**

Children's FAITH FORMATION dre@shstl.org
Nanette Kuga, GSFF 503-792-4231 ext. 310

**ATTENTION PARENTS: NOW IS THE
 TIME TO ENROLL YOUR CHILD(REN)
 FOR FALL FAITH FORMATION CLASSES.
 PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ENROLL!!**

**ATENCIÓN PADRES: AHORA ES EL
 MOMENTO DE INSCRIBIR A SU HIJO PARA LAS
 CLASES DE FORMACIÓN DE LA FE EN
 SEPTIEMBRE. POR FAVOR LLAME A LA OFICINA
 PARA INSCRIBIRSE!!**

Año de San José

"Beato José, acuerdas siempre de nosotros; danos el beneficio de tus poderosas oraciones ". San Bernardo de Siena

24 de junio – St. Hora Santa de José de 5-6 pm. Bendición y misa seguidas.

El 30 de septiembre comienza el grupo de consagración a San José dirigido por el P. Jaime. (Más información sobre cómo registrarse y comprar el libro, próximamente).

Noviembre: Letanía de San José



**7th-8th Grades, High School and Young
 Adult Faith Formation**

Katie Phelan - Youth Ministry Coordinator
503-792-4231 ext 305 Cell: (503)929-3901
ym@shstl.org

Please keep our 2021 confirmed students in your prayers.

Brian	Beyer
Sofia	Contreras
Juan	Esquivel-Barrera
Lauren	Ferschweiler
Spencer	Karsseboom
Frances	Lear
Mario	Luna Huapeo
Ashley	Pintle Sanchez
Jazmin	Reyes
Javier	Rodriguez
John	Sanchez

POST CONFIRMATION GROUP – (NO COST)

For youth that have been confirmed, join us for some food and fun. This group is just starting out. We are planning for some fun activities. Please come and bring a friend. For the next gathering please give Katie Phelan a call, email or text.

**Formación de fe de los grados 7° a 8°, la escuela
 secundaria y los jóvenes adultos**

**Katie Phelan - Coordinadora del
 Ministerio Juvenil 503-792-4231 ext 305 Celular:
 (503)929-3901 m@shstl.org**

Domingo 12:15-1:45 pm en FFC

GRUPO POST CONFIRMACIÓN - (SIN COSTO) Para jóvenes que han sido confirmados, unase a nosotros para comer y divertirse. Este grupo recién está comenzando. Estamos planeando algunas actividades divertidas. Por favor ven y trae un amigo. Para la próxima reunión, por favor llame a Katie Phelan, envíe un correo electrónico o envíe un mensaje de texto.

June 19 - - 4:30 pm		June 20 - - 8:00 am	June 20 - - 9:30 am
Reader:	Larry Schiedler	Marianne Branaman	David Gonzales
Sacristan/extra min:	Ed Adelman	Jim Branaman	Bob Nelson
Altar servers:	Mitchell Boyd, Frank Orton	volunteers	Danny Nelson, Ezekiel Gallagher
Ushers:	Larry Schiedler, Lisa Juhring	Kent Belleque, Loretta Lang	Phelan family
Greeters:	volunteer	volunteers	volunteers
Cantor/Organist:	N/A	N/A	N/A
Church Cleaning: Anita Gonzales, Adelina and Ramona Quintero, Celinda Alarcon			

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) If you are an adult and thinking about joining the Catholic Church, **RCIA** is a class to know the Catholic Church more and eventually get initiated or fully accepted into the Catholic faith. The instruction/formation runs about a year (10 months) and would normally happen at Easter Vigil in April. For more information or to sign up, call the office at 503-792-4231



ADORATION CHAPEL/ CAPILLA DE ADORACION

Chapel open hours:

Thursday/Jueves midnight-1 am
Thursday/ Jueves 8-9 am
Friday/Viernes 1-2 am
Saturday/Sabado 7-8 pm

Chapel Coordinators / Coordinadores de Capilla

12 midnight-5am	Barbara Rodriguez	503-559-7413
6 am-11 am	Pilar Zamora	503-792-4424
12 noon-5 pm	Veronica Davidson	503-951-0533
6 pm-11 pm	Sandi Belleque	503-508-0971

The Mission Statement for our Pastoral Council states. "The Pastoral Council of Sacred-Heart-St. Louis Parish accepts the Great Commission of our Lord to "go therefore, and make disciples" (Mt 28:19) by endeavoring to promote discipleship through evangelization and catechesis, fortified by our devotion to the Blessed Sacrament and Holy Mass and our commitments to the Works of Mercy. "Go therefore and make disciples." Mt 28:19

The parish is looking to add additional Pastoral Council members. If you are interested in taking a more active role to assist in leading the parish, please prayerfully consider becoming a member of the council. If you have any questions on what this entails, feel free to reach out to any of the Pastoral Council members or Father James.

Pastoral Council Members: Brian Belleque (chair), Amanda Belleque, Marty Miller, Robert Tesch, Mary Miller & Karla Morales

Sacred Heart Catholic School has been issued a **\$54.64** donation from the AmazonSmile Foundation as a result of AmazonSmile program activity between January 1 and March 31, 2021.

Preparation for Sacraments/Sacramentos

Baptism/Bautismo: English PreBaptismal Class (children 0-6 years old) **Parents must be registered and active a minimum of 6 months.**

Choose appropriate godparent(s). At least one must be 16 years of age, confirmed and a practicing Catholic. If married, must be married in the Catholic Church. If single, must be living a chaste life. Godparents must be registered and active in a parish for a minimum of six months and present a letter documenting activity from their parish. Call to register 503-792-4231.

Clases Pre-Bautismales (Niños de 0-6 años)

Es necesario que los padres esten registrados y activos un mínimo de 6 meses.

Elija el Padrino (s) apropiado, al menos uno debe ser de 16 años de edad, confirmado, y católico practicando. Si es casado, debe ser casado en la Iglesia Católica. Si es soltero, debe vivir una vida casta y no cohabitando. Los padrinos deben estar registrados y activos en una parroquia durante un mínimo de seis meses y presentar una carta documentando la actividad de su parroquia. Favor de llamar para registrarse.

Marriage/Matrimonio

Couples must contact the office at least six months in advance. One party should be registered at our parish. The Catholic party must be an active Catholic and participating in the life of the church. If the Catholic party planning to get married in our parish is not an active member in our parish, he or she should be participating actively in another Catholic parish. (The pastor will request a letter from your parish.)

Las parejas deben ponerse en contacto con la oficina por lo menos seis meses adelantado. Por lo menos uno de los dos debe estar registrado/a en nuestra parroquia. La pareja Católica debe ser un Católico activo y participando en la vida de la iglesia. Si la pareja Católica planificando casarse en nuestra parroquia no es un miembro activo, él o ella debería estar participando activamente en otra parroquia Católica. (El pastor va a solicitar una carta de su parroquia.)

SUNDAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING:

And all the trees of the field shall know
that I, the LORD,
bring low the high tree,
lift high the lowly tree,
wither up the green tree,
and make the withered tree bloom. (Ez 17:24)

PSALM:

Lord, it is good to give thanks to you. (Ps 92)

SECOND READING:

We are always courageous,
although we know that while we are at home in the body
we are away from the Lord,
for we walk by faith, not by sight. (2 Cor 5:6-7)

GOSPEL:

"It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground,
is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth.
But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the
largest of plants
and puts forth large branches,
so that the birds of the sky can dwell in its shade."
(Mk 4:31-32)

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OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 13, 2021

Sunday: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: Flag Day
Saturday: St. Romuald, Abbot; BVM
Next Sunday: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Refugee Day;
Father's Day

**WE JUDGE
ALL THINGS
ACCORDING
TO THE
DIVINE TRUTH.**

ST. AUGUSTINE

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REFLECT

FIRST READING

The prophet Ezekiel's image of God growing Israel into a mighty majestic cedar tree bearing fruit, with birds nesting in its branches was intended to be words of comfort for the exiled Israelites in Babylon. How do you find God's comfort in times of distress?

SECOND READING

Paul encourages the believers in Corinth to be courageous in knowing one day all will appear before "the judgment seat of Christ." How confident are you in reflecting on judgment day?

GOSPEL READING

Mark tells us that Jesus often spoke in parables to the crowds about the kingdom of God. Today's parables speak to the often unseen and subtle growth of the kingdom of God in our midst. How might you better observe the kingdom of God at work in your life?

2021 Abbey Sponsored Retreats

The guesthouse is open with limited occupancy .
Please email the retreat master or call 503.845.3025 for
further information. mountangelabbey.org

A Father's Love:

The Passion, Cross & St. Joseph
(True Devotion to St. Joseph Retreat)
with Br. Louis de Montfort Nguyen, O.S.B.

June 28 – July 1, 2021

Prayer and Work as We Go Together to Everlasting Life: An introduction to Benedictine Monastic Spirituality *Monastic retreat speaker*

July 30 – August 1, 2021

Apple of His Eye Charity

appleofhiseyecharity.org

**We are excited to
announce that registration for Cycle
for a Cause is now
open!**

Sunday, August 1,
9 am–3 pm. start at
St. Joseph's Winery,
28836 S Barlow Rd,
Canby 97013

Call 503-665-6655

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FAITH ON FIRE CATHOLIC FAMILY WEEKEND

July 10-11, 2021

Registration Now Open!



Faith on Fire is the signature Catholic Event of the Pacific Northwest, a spiritually transformative celebration of Catholic fellowship, family, prayer, and vocations celebrating the joy and beauty of our Catholic Christian faith and facilitating authentic encounter with Jesus Christ for mission in the 21st Century

For the 11th year, St. Mary Anacortes will proudly host The Faith on Fire Family Weekend. Our theme this year is "God's Roadmap," featuring keynote speaker Dr. Kerry McMahon of the Encounter School of Ministry in Seattle.

Abbot Marion Nguyen will also be featured as a guest speaker. There will be closing Mass on the grass Sunday morning, as well as an exciting kids program divided into Primary, Junior, and Teen tracks.

To register, contact St. Mary Catholic Church, 4001 Saint Mary's Drive, Anacortes, WA 98221 call 360-293-2101 or go to faithonfire@stmaryanacortes.org