

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

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*Horario: Martes a Viernes 9 am—4 pm*

**Sacred Heart School 503-792-4541**



## 4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"A thief comes only to steal and slaughter and destroy; I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly."

- Jn 10:9-10

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### **Mass Schedule / Horario de Misas:**

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

6 pm (misa Español -Sacred Heart)

Sunday/domingo: 8:00 am (St. Louis)

9:30 am (Sacred Heart Church)

Daily Mass: Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday 8:00 am

Miércoles 6:15 pm (misa Español)

Thursday 6:15 pm (Sacred Heart Church)

Friday 8:00 am (Sacred Heart Church)

### **Reconciliation / Confesiones:**

Wednesday/miércoles 5 pm

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.

## FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 2:14a, 36-41, 1 Peter 2:20b-25, John 10:1-10

**Reflection:** The sheep follow Christ because they recognize his voice.

Jesus Christ, our Good Shepherd, is calling us today. He is present, leading us. Christ does not speak only in miraculous visions or through powerful movements of the heart. God speaks through Scripture and through his disciples. Just as Christ sent Peter to preach, he sends his faithful out to call his sheep today.

### AS A REMINDER — ALL PARISHIONERS SHOULD HAVE RECEIVED AN IMPROVEMENT PROJECT PLEDGE CARD IN THE MAIL.

If you did not receive one, please contact the office to get one and then for everyone, please return pledge cards into the office. This also applies to the survey that pastoral council sent out to everyone...please remember to return these, thank you.

### COMO RECORDATORIO: TODOS LOS feligreses DEBERÍAN HABER RECIBIDO UNA TARJETA DE COMPROMISO DEL PROYECTO DE MEJORA POR CORREO.

Si no recibió uno, comuníquese con la oficina para obtener uno y luego, para todos, recuerde entregar las tarjetas de compromiso en la oficina. Esto también se aplica a la encuesta que el consejo pastoral envió a todos... recuerde devolverla, gracias.

## GOSPEL MEDITATION - 4th Sunday of Easter

This week the readings focus our attention to the voice of the risen Jesus Christ. Comparing his disciples to sheep and himself to a shepherd, he says, "They recognize his voice." He speaks to us and wants us to respond. When we hear his voice, we follow. Throughout this coming week, we will experience many interior promptings to receive God's love, and to love Him in return. That's his voice. Follow it into the safe and tender arms of Christ.

By contrast, some voices we will hear do not convey God's concern and love for us, but rather produce fear, despair, and other harmful mischief. Jesus calls these voices those of robbers. Does an idea or thought make it harder for you to love God? If so, run away. Let it go. It is most likely not the voice of the Risen Lord. Keep waiting for him to speak. You will recognize his voice. Then run to him as fast as you can. — Father John Muir ©LPi

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\* The family of Linda Royston Rodriguez would like to \*  
\* thank Father James and the Sacred Heart - St. Louis \*  
\* community for all their prayers, Mass intentions and \*  
\* loving support through this difficult time. We are so \*  
\* thankful to all who helped celebrate the beautiful Mass \*  
\* for Linda, and to St. Rita's Alter Society for serving the \*  
\* funeral luncheon. We are truly blessed and grateful for \*  
\* all of the generosity and love that was shown to our \*  
\* family. \*  
\* Thank you, \*  
\* Angela Rodriguez and Family \*  
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## World Day of Prayer for Vocations – April 30

Let's celebrate vocations! For ways to highlight vocations and the universal call to holiness in your parish go to:  
[www.vianneyvocations.com](http://www.vianneyvocations.com).

## Sacred Heart Catholic School

503-792-4541 [shssecretary@shstl.org](mailto:shssecretary@shstl.org) [www.school.shstl.org](http://www.school.shstl.org)

School Principal: Mrs. Mariana Hill [principal@shstl.org](mailto:principal@shstl.org)

**Penny Wars:** Lisa Juhring from St. Germaine Pregnancy Resource Center came to the school on Thursday, April 28, to talk to the students about St. Germaine PRC. The Sacred Heart Student Council presented a check for \$1,141.06 that was raised by the students for St. Germaine's during Lent. Thank you to all the students, parents and grandparents that contributed to this wonderful cause.

**Rosary:** During the month of May, we will be praying the Rosary every Wednesday at 9:00 AM in the church. On May 3<sup>rd</sup>, our Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> graders will be leading us. Please join us.

**Good Shepherd:** Today, Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, is Good Shepherd Sunday. Our school family would like to thank Father James for being our Good Shepherd. We are so blessed to have priest who leads us with words of wisdom, protects us, and cares for us. Thank you, Father James.



## MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO (Gospel Meditations) 4º Domingo de Pascua

Hoy celebramos a Jesucristo resucitado, pastor y guía de nuestras vidas. Él dio la vida por nosotros, nos abre la puerta para entrar a formar parte de su rebaño. Necesitamos buenos pastores que nos hablen de su amor, que nos guíen y nos lleven al Señor. Cabe la siguiente pregunta para reflexionar: ¿A quién seguimos, hacia donde caminamos? ¿Qué voces escuchamos a diario? ¿Es Jesús el Pastor que escuchamos y seguimos? El salmo 22 ayuda mucho a comprender quien es Jesús como Pastor Supremo de la Iglesia. Hoy lo cantaremos en la liturgia, y sus palabras nos guían a meditar y no olvidar lo que esto significa en nuestra vida.

“Aunque camine por valles oscuros nada temeré. Tu bondad y misericordia siempre me acompañan”. Ejemplo de eso ha sido lo vivido en la pandemia en años pasados, la economía y la falta de trabajo y vivienda, todo lo que se ha sufrido, soportar los sufrimientos por hacer el bien, es pastorear, dar ejemplo y ayudar a los que más lo necesitan. Señor Jesús, gracias por ser nuestro pastor y guía. Ayuda y da fuerza a nuestro Papa Francisco, obispos y sacerdotes, quienes nos ayudan a ver el camino para llegar a ti. Asimismo, fortalece a los padres y madres de familia para que sean auténticos y vivos ejemplos de tu amor. Queremos ser tus pequeñas puertas, donde todo el que entre encuentre tu presencia viva y eficaz. Que no seamos adrones ni destructores de tu Reino.

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### Sagrado Corazón-San Luis Parish CENA SEMESTRAL DE POLLO A LA BARBACOA SOLO CONDUCCIÓN

domingo, 7 de mayo de 2023 11 am a 2 pm  
Salón Parroquial Sagrado Corazón

Cena de pollo BBQ (\$15) incluye 1/2 pollo,  
papa al horno, ensalada de col, panecillo y  
postre de marionberry  
A la carta: 1/2 pollo BBQ (\$8),  
cuarto de ensalada de col (\$7)

### Financial Stewardship

COLLECTIONS		AMOUNT
April 2, 2023		\$5,185.00
Maintenance fund April		\$1,099.00
School fund for April		\$ 780..00
April 9		\$5,357.16
April 16		\$3,340.00
April 23		\$3,795.50
Maintenance fund collection is May 7		

## CUARTO DOMINGO DE PASCUA

Hechos de los Apóstoles 2:14a, 36-41, 1 Pedro 2:20b-25  
Juan 10:1-10

**Reflexion:** Las ovejas siguen a Cristo, porque reconocen su voz. Jesucristo, nuestro Buen Pastor, nos llama hoy. Él está presente, guiándonos. Cristo no habla sólo en visiones milagrosas o a través de poderosos movimientos del corazón, sino a través de las Escrituras y sus discípulos. Así como Cristo envió a Pedro a predicar, hoy envía a sus fieles a llamar a sus ovejas.

### Mass Intentions and Activities for the Week

**Sunday/Domingo April 30** HE is risen, indeed!

**8 am Mass at St. Louis** Parishioners  
**9:30 am Mass at SHC** Catholic Daughters

**Monday/Lunes May 1** no Mass/OFFICE CLOSED  
7-9 pm grupo in FFC youth room

**Tuesday/Martes May 2**  
**8:00 am daily Mass** +*Joanne Tommasi*  
**6:30 pm CDA meeting in FFC**

**Wednesday/Miercoles May 3**  
**8:00 am daily Mass** +*Kathy Shepard*  
**5 pm confessions**  
**6:15 pm misa Español** Mariela Lopez

**Thursday/Jueves May 4**  
**6:15 pm daily Mass** +*Ann Ite*

**Friday/Viernes May 5**  
**8 am daily Mass at St. Louis** +*Sandra Schlechter*  
**6:15 pm primera viernes misa Español** +*Wendy Carvajal*  
**7-9 pm Grupo in church cry room**

**Saturday/Sábado May 6**  
**8 am daily Mass at St. Louis** +*Roger Eder*  
**3 pm confessions**  
**4:30 pm Mass at SHC** *family special intention*  
**6 pm misa espanol** +*Pedro Morales Altamirano*

**Sunday/Domingo May 7**  
**8 am Mass at St. Louis** deceased KC's  
**9:30 am Mass at SHC** Parishioners

**\*\*Food Bank—1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month**  
from 1-4 pm **May 3 and 17**  
**\*\*May 2—6:30 pm CDA meeting in FFC**  
**\*\*May 7—11 am-2 pm SH drive thru chicken dinner & plant sale!**  
**\*\*May 7—9:30 am 1st Communion at Mass**  
**\*\*May 13—6 pm 1st Communion at Mass**  
**\*\*May 14—Mother's day breakfast in gym**  
**\*\*May 27—10 am Confirmation at St. Mary Church**  
**\*\*June 18—Parish Picnic**

**\*\*Sacred Heart-St Louis offers**  
**WeShare online giving. Go to [shstl.org](http://shstl.org)**  
**to sign up or scan QR code below for**  
**one time giving available as well. Or**  
**you can make a contribution to Sacred**  
**Heart-St Louis Church by using Bill**  
**Pay through your online banking.**



**Children's FAITH FORMATION** [dre@shstl.org](mailto:dre@shstl.org)  
**Nanette Kuga, GSFF 503-792-4231 ext. 310**  
**Classes for year 2 students are from 5-6 pm in FFC on Wednesdays.**

May 3-Class

May 10-First Communion Rehearsal 4:30 pm

May 13-First Communion Spanish Mass 6:00 pm

May 17-Last Class-Registration Fall Faith Formation Classes

**Year One students** Continue working with your children on their prayers and practicing the form of going to confession. If you want help, please call the office. We are here and will give extra help to get them ready.

If you have any questions, please call or stop by the office. To reach Nanette, call Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday from 1-4 pm (503) 792-2431 x 310

**Las clases de segundo año son de 5 a 6 pm los miércoles en el centro de **Formación de Fe****

3 de Mayo-Clase

10 de mayo-Ensayo de Primera Comunión 4:30 pm

13 de mayo-Primera Comunión Misa en Español 6:00 pm

17 de mayo-Última clase-Inscripción Clases de formación de fe de otoño

**Los estudiantes de primer año:** Continúe trabajando con sus hijos en sus oraciones y práctica de la forma de ir a Confesión. Si desea ayuda, llame a la oficina. Estamos aquí y daremos ayuda adicional para conseguirlos. Listo. El verano es un buen momento para hacer esto como es. Menos agitado.

**Pray for these 1st Communicants:**

**Amelia Rose Beyer**  
**Elizabeth Michelle Ruiz León**  
**Cesar Gael Ruiz León**  
**Leslie Perez Rodriguez**  
**Uriel Perez Rodriguez**  
**Leonardo Mendoza**  
**Ximena Stephanie Mendoza**  
**Shirley Gonzalez-Martinez**  
**Sophia Itzel Posada**

**Violet Avery**  
**Silas Wurdinger**  
**Erika Staab**

**7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grades, High School and Young Adult Faith Formation**

**Katie Phelan -Youth Minister** [ym@shstl.org](mailto:ym@shstl.org)  
**503-792-4231 ext 305 Cell: (503)929-3901**

**WEDNESDAY EVENING TIMES 6:30-7:30PM**

**SUNDAY MEETING TIMES 10:45am-12:00pm**

**April**

30—Class

**May** (Easter Time)

**07— MANDATORY!!! Plant Sale 8 am-3 pm**

21—Last Class: End of Year Party

**25—Confirmation Rehearsal, 7:00 pm, St. Mary's Catholic Church, Mt. Angel**

**CONFIRMATION MASS** (Second Year Students)

**DATE: May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023, Saturday**

**TIME: 10:00am**

**PLACE: St. Mary's Catholic Church, Mt. Angel**

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

**MIÉRCOLES POR LA NOCHE 6:30-7:30 PM**

**CLASES DOMINGO 10:45 am-12:00pm**

**April**

30—Clase

**Mayo** (Tiempo de Pascua)

**07— OBLIGATORIO!!! Venta de Plantas 8 am-3 pm**

21—Última Clase: Fiesta de Fin de Año

**25—Ensayo de Confirmación, 7:00 pm, Iglesia Católica de St. Mary, Mt. Angel**

**MISA DE CONFIRMACIÓN**

**FECHA: 27 de mayo de 2023, sábado HORA: 10 am**

**LUGAR: Iglesia Católica de St. Mary, Mt. Angel**

**Jennifer Marie Ferschweiler**

**Thomas Savage**

**Joseph Louie Sanchez**

**Francisco Cid Rivera**

**Israel and Dioselin Alejandra Martinez Birrueta**

**Yolanda Reyna Perez Dolores Paulina Gonzalez**

**Belen Mendoza Cortes Abigail Rosario Reyes**

**Evelyn Rocio Pintle Sanchez**

La mayoría de los contribuyentes anteriores a la Campaña Católica del Arzobispo recibirán un correo del Arzobispo Sample. Comience a enviarlos por correo directamente en un sobre con franqueo pagado con la dirección preestablecida o colóquelos en la canasta de recolección. Ayude a hacer crecer la ESPERANZA, la EDUCACIÓN y la FE con una donación a la Campaña Católica del Arzobispo. Hay más de 22 ministerios que cambian vidas, responden a las necesidades de nuestro prójimo, amigos y familiares apoyados con SU generosidad. Para tener un impacto inmediato en su comunidad de fe, visite [JesusChangesEverything.church](https://JesusChangesEverything.church), o llame al (503) 233-8336.

May 6 - - 4:30 pm at SHC		May 7 - - 8 am St. Louis	May 7 - - 9:30 am SHC
<b>Readers:</b>	Thomas Lear	Connie Schlechter	Katie Utterback
<b>Sacristan/extra min:</b>	Judy Brutka	Tom Mahony	Steve Utterback
<b>Altar servers:</b>	volunteers	Moses and Kolbe Blair	Ezra and Ezekiel Gallagher
<b>Ushers:</b>	Lupe Contreras	volunteer	Geovanny Espetia
<b>Greeters:</b>	volunteers	Barb Ferschweiler	Teresita Miranda
<b>Cantor/Organist:</b>	Pete Petrowski	volunteers	volunteers
<b>Church Cleaning: Marianne Appeldoorn, Marianne Branaman, Virginia Hemshorn, Stephanie Blair</b>			

# Weekly Prayer

## Sunday's Readings

### First Reading:

"Let the whole house of Israel know for certain that God has made both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified." (Acts 2:36)

### Psalm:

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.  
(Ps 23)  
Or Alleluia.

### Second Reading:

For you had gone astray like sheep, but you have now returned to the shepherd and guardian of your souls. (1 Pt 2:25)

### Gospel:

"I am the gate.  
Whoever enters through me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture."  
(Jn 10:9)

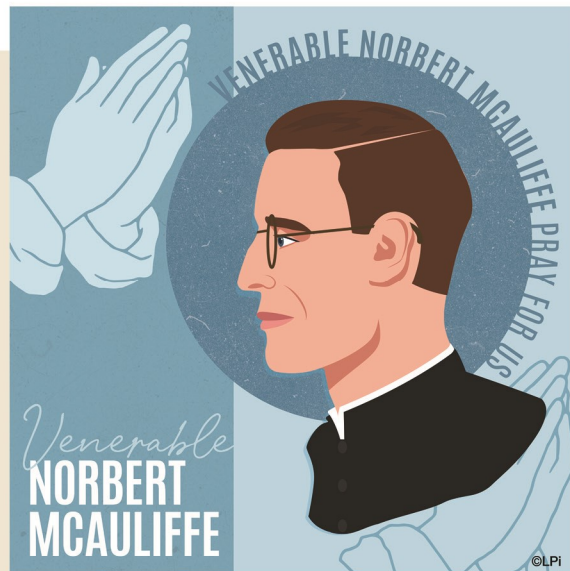
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## Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

We know the voice of our shepherd. We know he speaks a language of love, of patience, of long-suffering sacrifice. The voice of the thief will offer us freedom, but it is a freedom that ends in destruction. There is only one gate that leads to everlasting life.

## Observances for the week of April 30, 2023

- Sunday:** 4th Sunday of Easter  
**Monday:** St. Joseph the Worker  
**Tuesday:** St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church  
**Wednesday:** Sts. Philip and James, Apostles  
**Thursday:** SNational Day of Prayer  
**Friday:** Cinco de Mayo  
**Next Sunday:** 5th Sunday of Easter



## Saint of the week

An American-born missionary known for his work in Uganda with the Brothers of the Sacred Heart, Venerable Norbert McAuliffe was nicknamed The Man Who Always Prays by those he served. His work continues to this day through the leadership of the many African Brothers he formed.

## Prayer

*Prayer for the Canonization of Venerable Norbert McAuliffe*

Most Holy Trinity, you granted to Your servant Venerable Norbert McAuliffe the gifts of administration and of vision, that he should be a spiritual guide for all he met, a joyful herald of the Gospel, and a devoted servant of the one Church of Christ. For his love of everyone You put in his path, his formation of many young men, and his dedication to education and evangelism across the U.S. and Africa, we pray that he may soon be numbered among the canonized saints. Through our Lord Jesus Christ Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.



## ADORATION CHAPEL/ CAPILLA DE ADORACION

### 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

**Please sign in when you come into chapel.**

Substitutes needed; check with a coordinator above if you can help.

Most past contributors to the **Archbishop Catholic Appeal** have received a mailing or envelope from Archbishop Sample. Please begin to mail those directly in pre-addressed postage paid envelope or place in collection basket. **Help grow HOPE, EDUCATION, and FAITH through a donation to the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal.** More than 22 life-changing ministries answering the needs of our neighbors, friends, and family are supported through YOUR generosity. To make an immediate impact for your faith community, visit [JesusChangesEverything.church](http://JesusChangesEverything.church), or call (503) 233-8336.

**Are you able to cook one breakfast for the 2023 senior socials?** This is on the 4th Friday morning served after morning daily Mass. School students will be your servers so this only takes one or two people. Please call the office if you are interested or have more questions.

## Sacred Heart-St. Louis Parish SEMI-ANNUAL BBQ CHICKEN DINNER

DRIVE-THRU ONLY

Sunday, May 7, 2023

11:00 am to 2:00 pm

Sacred Heart Parish Hall

485 7th Street

BBQ chicken dinner(\$15) includes 1/2 chicken, baked potato, coleslaw, dinner roll and marionberry dessert

A la carte: 1/2 BBQ chicken (\$8), coleslaw quart (\$7)



**BREAKFAST**  
sponsored by  
**Knights of**  
**Columbus on**  
**May 14,**  
**9-10am**

**The month of May is a special time to honor Mary, our Blessed Mother. We honor Mary in our prayers and devotions to her, especially in our recitation of the Holy Rosary. "... for the more she is honored, the greater is the glory of her Son. There can be no doubt that whatever we say in praise of the Mother gives equal praise to the Son."**

-St. Bernard of Clairvaux, Father and Doctor of the Church

## RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

### Cut to the Heart

Everyone who has been married knows this feeling: you're in the midst of a disagreement with your spouse. You've really dug in your heels. You're ready to die on this hill. And you have the awful, heartbreaking realization that you are wrong. Whatever it is you're arguing about, you're wrong. You.

So where do you go from here? The only way forward is to own it. Fess up. Grab a fork and dig into that humble pie. It makes me cringe just to write about it, because it's the worst feeling.

I use the example of marriage because it's the one I'm most familiar with — my closest relationship, the one that teaches me the most about who I am and who God asks me to be. But this is a universal experience, and everyone — single or married, child or adult, lay or ordained — knows how badly it feels to realize that you're wrong. You're human. You messed up.

It is hard to recognize that the Christian life is one of ongoing repentance. It is painful to acknowledge the ways in which we are falling short, even as we strive to follow in Christ's example.

It can, in the words of today's reading, "cut to the heart."

But that feeling of despair is what propels forward motion. We have to allow ourselves to feel bad, that's the fertile ground of penitence. We are meant to have not just life, but life "more abundantly." Stasis isn't the goal. Baptism isn't the finish line.

Examining our conscience is hard. It cuts to the heart. It cuts to the truth. *"Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins."* — Acts 2:38 ©LPi

## Camp Howard Open House

May 6 @ 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

*Camp Howard 11010 SE Camp  
Howard Rd., Corbett, OR*

Bring the family to tour Camp Howard and experience what makes Camp Howard so special! Learn about program activities, visit the cabins, meet the camp goats, and try homemade refreshments. Camp Howard staff will be on hand to answer questions.

## **19th annual dinner for St. Joseph the Worker Family Shelter**

**May 7 @ 5:00 - 8:00 pm \$50**

Catholic Community Services, Benedictine Sisters of Mount Angel, St. Mary Parish, and Mount Angel Abbey offer an open invitation to this fundraising dinner for the St. Joseph Family Shelter in Mount Angel. Funds raised will allow the ministries of the St. Joseph Family Shelter, Mission Benedict food bank, and Casa Adele agricultural worker housing to provide food, clothing, housing, life skills training, counseling, mentorship, and referral services for families facing adversity. Every gift made will be matched, thanks to a generous donor.

## **The Archbishop's Lecture Series: The Gift of the Liturgical Wisdom of Pope Benedict XVI** May 11 @ 7:00- 9:00 pm Free

The Archbishop's Lecture Series offers all people of the Archdiocese of Portland the opportunity to reflect with distinguished Catholic intellectuals, authors and scholars on compelling topics concerning Catholic faith and its relationship to the modern world.

Free, but please RSVP to Rolando Moreno at 503-233-8315 or email [rmoreno@archdpdx.org](mailto:rmoreno@archdpdx.org)

**Pregnancy Care Center in Canby Walk For Life**  
**Our Annual WFL will be held on May 27, registration beginning at 10 a.m. Find out how you can share PCC's mission with your friends, family and co-workers by participating in our Rally and Fund-raiser as we join together and Champion LIFE!!**

**The annual *Walk For Life* is Saturday, May 13, 2023, 10:00 am to noon.**

We meet at Blanchet Catholic School rain or shine - 4373 Market Street NE, in Salem. The Walk is 2 miles round trip. Proceeds benefit Michael the Archangel and St. Germaine Pregnancy Support Centers. Call 503-581-2229 or email [mtasalem2@gmail.com](mailto:mtasalem2@gmail.com) for more information.