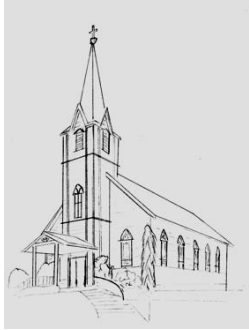


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Masses: Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 11:00 am

Saturday, 4:30 pm; Sunday 10:00 am

April 7th, 2024

Padre's Portion..... "You are Loved."

"God is Good."

"You Matter"

"Christ Always Loves Me (CALM)"

"Love Wins"

"NBA"(Nothing But Acceptance)

"Blessed"

If you were at the Easter Mass on Sunday Morning, you may recognize that these ideas were central to my homily. I had decided to review some of the phrases we've used over the years. I realized as I prepared for Easter that each of these phrases, within themselves capture the Easter message. Jesus came because he LOVES us (so stay CALM) and is always so GOOD. Easter reminds us that "You Matter" and that no matter what, Jesus gave His life for EACH of us. And that Jesus is the All Star, Most Valuable player but Jesus accepts us because Jesus is Good and We Matter, and are Loved. Love Wins when Jesus is in our lives and our game. We are so blessed.

Interesting point about Mark's Gospel is that it has two endings. This is the first one. "So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid." (Mark 15), Then in Mark 16 is the account of the women headed to the tomb and being told by the angel that Jesus is not there anymore. This is the second ending that Scripture scholars agree was added later to Mark's Gospel.

However, here in the first ending lies our third challenge of these 50 days: the challenge of overcoming our fear – our terror and amazement – and sharing the Good News – the Gospel with others. We are called to live out as witnesses the incredible love Jesus Christ has for each of us in our own time and place. And Jesus not only has our back, but we have each other.

This means serving one another – and not just the ones who are easy to love. This means also loving the stranger we do not know. This means going to the Cross and forgiving those who have persecuted us. Every day we must celebrate the Light of the World once again breaking into the darkness, the resurrection continues – through us. Let your light shine.

God Bless

Mass Intentions for April 6th – April 14th

Sat, April 6 th	4:30 pm	Parishioners
Sun, April 7 th	10:00 am	+Bill Kelner – Mitzi Mills
Wed, April 10 th	11:00 am	+Maria Rivelli-Erland – Josephine Rivelli
Thurs, April 11 th	11:00 am	+Joyce Carruthers
Fri, April 12 th	11:00 am	Sherri Marrazzo – Rob & MaryAnn Kappa
Sat, Apr 13 th	4:30 pm	+Kyle Stach – Lisa Rivelli
Sun, Apr 14 th	10:00 am	Parishioners

Third Sunday of Easter

Acts of the Apostles 3:13-15, 17-19 (47B)
1 John 2:1-5a
Luke 24:35-48

What a beautiful Holy Week – for that matter a beautiful Lent. Though I can't name each of you individually, so many of you had a part in helping to put together our celebrations for the Season. So many to make it happen from all those involved in music, those who decorated, those who set up and cleaned up, those who made the Stations happen with soup supper, those who took care of the Fellowship Hall, and on and on. I'm so blessed and touched by your generosity. Also a heartfelt thanks to all of you who participated in our celebrations. All of you are amazing.

Save the DATE! - Sacred Heart Spaghetti Dinner – Saturday, April 20th, 4:30pm – 7:30pm. Pre-sales for the dinner will start this weekend at the Sunday Mass 4/7, than next Saturday at wine and cheese on 4/13 and after Sunday Mass on 4/14 tickets will also be on sale at the dinner.

This week at Sacred Heart

Tuesday	NO RE Class this week
Wednesday	Mass at 11:00am , Rosary precedes Mass at 10:40am. Scripture Study after 11am Mass in the Fellowship Hall.
Thursday	Mass at 11:00am , Rosary precedes Mass at 10:40am.
Friday	Mass at 11:00am , Rosary precedes Mass at 10:40am.
Saturday	Mass at 4:30pm. Wine & Cheese after Mass in the Fellowship Hall, Hosted by: Jeff & Amy Delegato and Paul & Connie Oakden
Sunday	Sunday Mass at 10:00 am. Coffee and Donuts following in the Fellowship Hall.

Renew your hope in Jesus Christ during Mater Dei Radio's 2024 Spring Sharathon from April 8 - 12. Support local Catholic programming and make your gift today by visiting MaterDeiRadio.com, calling 1-888-823-5286, or using the free Hail Mary Media app. Be sure to tune in during this inspiring broadcast event!

YCP Panel Discussion on the Virtue of Generosity - Milwaukie – April 9th

The Portland Chapter of Young Catholic Professionals invites young adults in their 20s and 30s to a Panel Discussion on the Virtue of Generosity on Tuesday, April 9th, from 7:00 – 9:00 PM at Christ the King Catholic Church in Milwaukie. The panelists are: Fr. Todd Molinari, Vicar for Clergy at the Archdiocese of Portland, Alex Nelson, Entrepreneur & Archdiocesan Director of Stewardship, and Tracy Thorne, a Licensed Acupuncturist & Private Practice Owner. To learn more please contact info@ycpportland.org.

Catholic Friendship Group - Fr. Joshua Clifton - catholicfriendshipgroup@outlook.com

Catholic Friendship Group is for single Catholics ages 40 to 60 throughout the Archdiocese of Portland who are looking to grow in faith and fellowship. We meet every other week from 7PM-8:30pm at St. Birgitta's, 11820 NW St. Helens Rd. More info & our 2024 slate of topics at www.catholicfriendshipgroup.com. April 12th will be a social and game night. And the topic for April 26th is "Development of Dogma."

Is God Calling You to be a Sister? Join the Daughters of Charity SEARCH & SERVE RETREAT- a religious vocation discernment week in the BAY AREA--May 22 – 27, 2024! SEARCH your heart. EXPLORE your future. SERVE those living in Poverty with Sisters. STAY with Sisters. Contact Sr. Lisa Laguna, D.C. Srllaguna@doc1633.org Daughters-Of-Charity.com/retreats/

Camp Howard Summer Registration is Open!

Attending camp, experiencing open-air fellowship, and engaging in exciting activities with friends are sure to be highlights of your summer. Your family can create new memories at our Family Camp weekend (June 27 - 30).

Adults, interested in going to camp? Save \$500 off your camper's fees and enjoy volunteering for a week in a gorgeous natural setting. We are also hiring camp summer staff. Visit cyocamphoward.org to register and learn more about camp sessions, summer staff positions, and volunteer opportunities.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS THE SICK AND THOSE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS:

Raemarie Arrigotti, Dennis Berry (Joan Danna), Gloria Bigej, Rose Boyd, Kim Crittelli, Ron Etzel (Bev Parscale's brother), Nancy Fiorante, Sue Unfred Hays (Helen Unfred's daughter), William Hill, Joe and Jake Hoffart, Pam Hren, RuthAnn Kessler, Harold LeBlanc (Friend of the Middendorff's), Jen Lanning (Lynne & Ron's DIL), Debbi Livesay (Judy Caruso's relative), Pam (friend of Lisa Hodge), Daryl Phillippi, Paul Rager, Nigel Rogers, Bill & Alice Rose, Angela Schmitz (Friend of the Millers), Todd Small (Bev Parscale's cousin), Debbie Smeraglio, Tommi & Steather Smith (Judy Caruso's sister and brother-in-law) Dave Standley (Shalee Stacey's Father), Michael Tanda (Judy Caruso's relative), Michelle Whiteaker, Jim Wieland, Ron Zaraza, Kory Zimmerman

Ministry Schedule for the weekend of April 13th & April 14th

Greeters	Carol Miner & Nancy Peters	Addy & Josh Huss
Lectors	Sondra Ruckwardt	Marcy Huss
Cups	Laura Mae McCuin & Carol Pomante	Joyce LaBarre & Carol Middendorff
Altar Server	Char Parr	Mark Pavlakovich
Ushers	Hyginus Igwe & Joe Rivelli	2 NEEDED
Coffee & Donuts	NA	Lisa & Dale Hodge
Sacristan	Florence Dezeix	Mark Pavlakovich

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