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**15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**July 11, 2021**

# *St. Wenceslaus Church*

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**15<sup>th</sup> Sunday**  
**IN ORDINARY TIME**

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Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. The Twelve drove out many demons, and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.  
- Mk 6:7, 13

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

## MISSION STATEMENT

We, the members of St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church, are a Christian community which God has called to be a visible sign of the living and active person of Jesus Christ.

## MASS SCHEDULES

### *Weekend Masses*

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:30 AM and 11:00 AM

### *Weekday Masses*

Tuesday-Friday 9:00 AM

## PRAYER TIME

Monday: 8:30 AM–12:00 PM

## RECONCILIATION

By appointment, or, until further notice:  
Saturdays, 2:30–3:30 PM in church

## MARRIAGE/BAPTISM

Please contact the parish office.

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8:00 AM-12:00 PM

## BULLETIN DEADLINE

Please submit items to office by Sunday evening of the weekend prior to their desired publication date. Email:  
[office@stwenceslaus-scappoose.com](mailto:office@stwenceslaus-scappoose.com).

## PASTORAL STAFF

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## PARISH HALL RENTALS:

Mya Millager .....See staff info above

## PARISH MINISTRIES

Adult Education Coordinator - G. Klobes ..... Contact the Office  
 Altar Server Coordinator - Joseph Louie..... Contact the Office  
 Catholic in Recovery ..... efol0820@gmail.com  
 ..... Wed. at 6:30 pm; resumes June 16th  
 Coffee & Donuts - Elizabeth Millager..... Contact the Office  
 Knights of Columbus - Andy Robinson ..... Contact the Office  
 Liturgical Minister Scheduling..... Contact the Office  
 EDGE Youth Group (6-8) - Mary Greisen ..... Contact the Office  
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## PASTORAL COUNCIL

David Herr (Chairperson) Aaron Berger Diane Erhardt  
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Jessica Leader (Chairperson) Marty Baldwin  
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## FOCUSED LEADERSHIP TEAM

Fr. Chuck Diane Erhardt Janell Greisen Paul Hayduk

## COLLECTIONS

**Collection information for the week ending July 4th will appear in a future bulletin due to early deadline.**

***Thank you for your continued support during the pandemic.***  
*Your parish's ministries, programs, services, and long-term vitality all depend on your continued investment.*

## MASS INTENTIONS: JULY 10—JULY 17

Sat	10	Vigil Mass	4:30 PM	†Marianne Williams
Sun	11	Sunday	8:30 AM	The Witt Family
			11:00 AM	The Parish
Tues	13	Mass	9:00 AM	Rachel Steidley
Wed	14	Mass	9:00 AM	Ann Ransom & Family
Thur	15	Mass	9:00 AM	†William MacNeill
Fri	16	Mass	9:00 AM	Reese Steidley
Sat	17	Vigil Mass	4:30 PM	†Leo Gil

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING MASS

"Praise God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! He has blessed us in Christ with every blessing which is in heaven, such as the [Holy] Spirit gives us!" (Eph 1:3). Let us all indeed praise the Holy Trinity for the wonder and power of the Mass and for being able to experience it with progressively fewer pandemic-related conditions!

Thanks, everyone who has shown patience, cooperation and understanding as we've navigated through the pandemic these last 15 months. Please note the following important items:

- The Cry Room is now open again. If you bring toys for your little one, please make sure to take them home with you. We will not be placing books, toys, etc. in the Cry Room.
- We are not yet free to offer the Precious Blood for Communion.
- People in the same household may exchange the Sign of Peace through physical contact. Otherwise, we're to continue to offer this greeting without physical contact.**
- Archbishop Sample has discerned that it is time to rescind the dispensation from attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation as of Friday, July 16th.

## 2021 ST. WENCESLAUS CAMPOUT

Calling all campers! The 2021 Annual Parish Campout will be at Big Eddy Park August 13th-15th. Big Eddy Park is a beautiful peaceful facility located on the Nehalem River, less than an hour's drive from Scappoose. To reserve your camping spot, please mail your \$75 campsite fee—made payable to St. Wenceslaus—to: Gwynn Klobes, 32232 EJ Smith Rd., Scappoose, OR 97056. Have questions? Please call Gwynn at 503-341-8810.

## CULTURE OF PRAYER

Pray this adaptation of the Rosary: ***"The Vicariate Rosary"***



"Vicariates" are sets of parishes in geographic regions of varying sizes. We're one of five parishes that make up the Columbia County Vicariate (even though one parish in the Vicariate is in Multnomah County).

Do you have a devotion to the Rosary? Well, every now and then when you pray one, make it a ***"Vicariate Rosary"*** by dedicating one decade to each of the five parishes in our vicariate:

- ◆ St. Wenceslaus
- ◆ St. Birgitta, in the Lintton neighborhood of Portland
- ◆ St. Frederic, in Saint Helens
- ◆ Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, in Rainier
- ◆ St. Mary's, in Vernonia

Even if you don't have a devotion to reciting the Rosary regularly, consider this as an occasional way to contribute to our parish's vitality and our culture of prayer!

## FAITH FORMATION

### PRE-SCHOOL THROUGH 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

Happy summer everyone! Classes are over for the year! The Faith Formation office will be closed June 20th–August 19th. You'll have access to registration information for the 2021–2022 Faith Formation year in late August.

**Coordinator of Religious Education, Wanda Van Ortwick.**

**Office Hours, 9:30 AM-3 PM on Wednesdays & Thursdays—and by appointment. Contact Wanda at 503-543-2110 Ext. 207**

## RETRouvaille

Retrouvaille is a marriage ministry program designed to help couples heal and renew their marriages.

In marriage, communication is more than just talking. At some point, did you stop sharing about the things that were important to you? Did your spouse? Improving a marriage takes time and a conscious effort to learn about your spouse. Growing closer in a marriage does not happen automatically. Retrouvaille is a marriage program dedicated to helping couples grow closer and develop a stronger bond. You give your heart and soul to everything you do, between your work and your family. Are you giving your heart and soul to your marriage? Sometimes the distance between a husband and a wife can seem so wide that it cannot be repaired. Retrouvaille is a marriage program designed to bring couples closer together.

For confidential information or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on **August 6-8, 2021** call 503-225-9191, email [portland@retrouvaille.org](mailto:portland@retrouvaille.org) or visit [www.helpourmarriage.org](http://www.helpourmarriage.org).

## VOLUNTEERS - SOFTWARE UPGRADE

Praesidium & Armatus, the companies we use for background checks and the Archdiocese's annual training for volunteers, are going through major software upgrades this month. You will receive an email at **8am (PT) July 14th. This is not spam** and will require you to click a link to finish setting up a password for your account. If you are a current volunteer and do not receive the invite, please contact their support team at (800) 743-6354 or [support@praesidiuminc.com](mailto:support@praesidiuminc.com). Invite sample message:

From address: [DoNotReply@Praesidiuminc.com](mailto:DoNotReply@Praesidiuminc.com)

Subject Line: Praesidium Academy Invite

You've been invited to access online abuse prevention training in Praesidium Academy. Get started by accepting the invite below.

*\*\*Message will also be in Spanish\*\**

### Learner Onboarding

After users click "accept invite" from the invite email, users will be asked to create and confirm a new password. Users will then be asked to complete a three-question onboarding survey and then will be able to access their learner dashboard. As soon as you access the dashboard, you will have the opportunity to take a guided tour of Praesidium Academy.

Please contact Janell with any questions or concerns.

## DAILY MASS UPDATE

We will not be able to provide daily Mass Tuesday, July 20th - Friday, July 23rd as Fr. Chuck is on vacation and we were unable to get coverage from another priest.

## FROM OUR BULLETIN PUBLISHER

### The Lighter Side

#### Marriage and Coffee

Shortly after tying the knot, a young married couple started arguing over who should make the coffee. Being a good Christian woman, the wife went to the scriptures for her answer. She said that the Bible specifically stated that men should be the ones to make the coffee.

Puzzled, the husband asked her where in the Bible it said that. Very confidently, the wife opened up her Bible and said, "It's right here — HEBREWS."

#### The Kindergartener

A Kindergarten teacher was observing her classroom as the children drew pictures. The teacher would occasionally walk around and see each child's artwork. As she approached one little girl who was working especially hard, she asked what the drawing was.

The little girl told her: "I'm drawing God!"

"But sweetie," the teacher replied, "no one actually knows what God looks like."

Automatically, the little girl continued drawing and said, "well, they certainly will in a minute!"

#### No Pushing

A little girl, dressed in her Sunday best, was running as fast as she could, trying not to be late for Bible class. As she ran, she prayed, "Dear Lord, please don't let me be late! Dear Lord, please don't let me be late!" As she was running and praying, she tripped on a curb and fell, getting her clothes dirty and tearing her dress. She got up, brushed herself off, and started running again. As she ran, she once again began to pray, "Dear Lord, please don't let me be late ... But please don't shove me either!"

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