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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday, English: 4:00 pm vigil Mass Sunday, English: 8:30 am; 10:30 am Sunday, Spanish: 1:00pm 2nd & 4th Sundays, Zomi/Myanmar: 3:30pm

WEEKDAY MASSES English Masses: Monday 7:00 am; Tuesday 6:00 pm Wednesday through Friday 8:00 am Mass in Latin: Saturday 9:00am (Missal-of-1962 Latin)

EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays 8:30am—10:00am in the main church. Eucharistic Exposition questions: Father Ted Prentice x102

PARISH CENTER OFFICE HOURS Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9am-4pm

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Baptism

Infant Baptism Preparation classes are held by appointment during pandemic. Contact Father Ted, x102 or tprentice@archdpdx.org

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) Before Sunday Masses (8-8:15am & 10-10:15am) and before Saturday Vigil Mass (3:30-3:45pm).

Marriage

Please notify Fr. Ted, x 102 or tprentice@archdpdx.org at least six months in advance of desired date.

Anointing of the Sick

For urgent, near-death anointings, call Fr. Ted 503-568-2600. All non-urgent anointings may be arranged by calling or texting Terri 503-730-8281 or email Fr. Ted at tprentice@archdpdx.org

In Case of Death

In the event of a death, Please call or text Father Ted, 503-568-2600 to make arrangements for funeral services at Saint Joseph the Worker *before* setting the schedule with the mortuary.

QUESTIONS

Terri Fessler Boris, Administrative Assistant sjtwadmin@comcast.net 503-761-8710 x101

PARISH STAFF

| Pastor | Rev. Ted Prentice, x102 <u>tprentice@archdpdx.org</u> |
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NOTE: PARISH NEWSLETTER DEADLINE is noon 10-days prior to the Sunday publication date.

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JANUARY 24, 2021 – THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME "TEACH ME YOUR WAYS, O LORD." - Psalm 25

Today, in the gospel of Mark, we are introduced to Jesus as he begins his public ministry. The first words of Jesus call for repentance and conversion of heart. This is the prophetic call linked to the time of fulfillment and transformation. With a sense of urgency, Jesus calls to all who will listen to turn from sin and to believe in the Good News of the mercy, pardon, and love of God. It is this call to the Good News of conversion that Jesus shares with Simon, Andrew, James, and John. Today, Jesus invites each of us to respond with faith and confidence like the apostles. May our response reflect our trust in Jesus to save us from our failings and our sins.

May God – Father, Son, Holy Spirit – abundantly bless you and your families in these coming weeks!

In Christ,

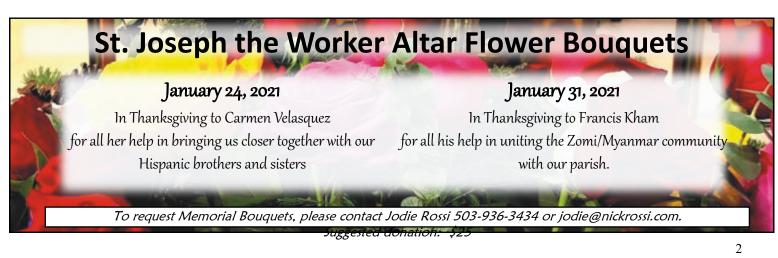
Fr. Ted Prentice, Pastor

MASS REGISTRATION NO LONGER REQUIRED

Based on the most recent guidance from the Office of the Governor, no reservations are required for English-language Masses. Please arrive early; admittance will be first come, first seated. All attending Mass are required to wear a facial covering and to maintain social distancing of six feet between family groups. Thank you for observing COVID-19 protocols while attending Mass here at Saint Joseph the Worker. To see <u>Mass times CLICK</u> <u>HERE</u>.

2020 TAX STATEMENTS MAILED JANUARY 21ST

Anyone who contributed \$250 or over should receive their SJTW tax statement in the mail soon. If you contributed less than \$250 and would like a statement, please call Cathy Keathley at 503-761-8710 x103.



PARISH & OTHER NEWS

2021 CHILDREN/YOUTH FIRST COMMUNION

Saint Joseph the Worker will celebrate First Communion for children and youth of families that participate in the sacramental life of the parish at Masses on the weekend of May 8-9, 2021. Children aged 8 years and older can celebrate their First Communion this year.

To prepare for First Communion, all children and youth together with parents/guardians must attend sacramental preparation class each Sunday at 11:45-12:45 beginning on February 21 and concluding on May 2. First Communion Sacramental Preparation classes will take place in the school basement and families will be socially distanced during the classes.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- A. Parents/guardians please email Father Ted (tprentice@archdpdx.org) or text him at (503-568-2600) with the names of your children and youth who will be participating in the First Communion Sacramental Preparation classes BY SUNDAY FEBRUARY 14.
- B. Parents/guardians please provide copies of the Baptismal Certificates for your children/youth to Father Ted PRIOR TO SUNDAY FEBRUARY 21.

For questions, contact Father Ted by email or text.

FOR THESE WE PRAY

PLEASE KEEP THE FOLLOWING PARISHIONERS, FAMILY, AND FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please Pray for the Living...

The Akin Family Cathy Alexander Joseph Ashenbrenner Mike Bledsoe Lori DeFir Craig Dulay Bev Granado Pauline Edwards Laura Heidt Greg Lough Jake Mary Blanchette Morrison & Family Jean O'Neill Louise Phillips Angela & Josh Rice Joel Rivera Charles Robrecht Angela Schillereff Ralph & Genny Schwartz Carla Dulay SpellIman Ed Starrett Elise & Helima White

Please Pray for the Souls of...

Nadine Chapman (12/24/20) Cassandra Kipp (12/18/20)

APPLICATIONS FOR 2021 ARMSTRONG SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE

The Armstrong Scholarship for St. Joseph the Worker Foundation is now receiving applications from parish high school seniors who plan on attending a higher education or trade school starting the fall of 2021.

The foundation was established by the Mastroieni Family of our parish in 2013 to recognize high school seniors for their significant parish involvement during their school years. Since its inception, a total of 24 parish families have been the recipients of the scholarship.

You may acquire an application by contacting Terri Boris at the office

sjtwadmin@comcast.net or by contacting the scholarship administrator, David Mastroieni at ddmconsulting@msn.com. Applications are due no later than Thursday, March 18, 2021 to the attention of Father Ted Prentice, pastor, at the parish office. Successful applicants will be announced in June.

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 24, 2021

| SUN 1/24 | Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [4a]/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20 |
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| MON 1/25 | Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Mk 16:15-18 |
| TUE 1/26 | 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10 [3]/Mk 3:31-35 |
| WED 1/27 | Heb 10:11-18/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 4:1-20 |
| THR 1/28 | Heb 10:19-25/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Mk 4:21-25 |
| FRI 1/29 | Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40 [39a]/Mk 4:26-34 |
| SAT 1/30 | Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75 [cf. 68]/Mk 4:35-41 |
| SUN 1/31 | Dt 18:15-20/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9 [8]/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28 |

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 24, 2021

| Sunday: | 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time |
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| Monday: | The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle |
| Tuesday: | Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops |
| Wednesday: | St. Angela Merici, Virgin |
| Thursday: | St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church |
| Saturday: | BVM |
| Sunday: | 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week |

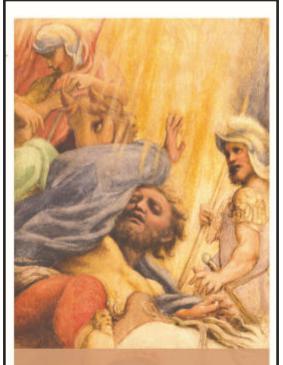
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READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 31, 2021

| SUN 1/31 | Dt 18:15-20/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9 [8]/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28 |
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| MON 2/01 | Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24 [25]/Mk 5:1-20 |
| TUE 2/02 | Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10 [8]/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32 |
| WED 2/03 | Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a [cf. 17]/Mk 6:1-6 |
| THR 2/04 | Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 9, 10-11 [cf. 10]/ Mk 6:7-13 |
| FRI 2/05 | Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc [1a]/Mk 6:14-29 |
| SAT 2/06 | Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Mk 6:30-34 |
| SUN 2/07 | Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 3a]/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39 |

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 31, 2021

| Sunday: | 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week |
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| Tuesday: | The Presentation of the Lord; World Day for Consecrated Life |
| Wednesday: | St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr; St. Ansgar, Bishop |
| Friday: | St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr |
| Saturday: | St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs |
| Sunday: | 5 th Sunday in Ordinary Time |
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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING ST. JOSEPH CHILDREN BAPTIZED IN OCTOBER, NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER, 2020

Alexa Yaneli Barrios Cisneros David Contreras-Morales Maya Del Villar Myla Del Villar Kimberly Maria Francisco Dwayne Lara Tatiana Marie Tapla Lara Margaret Cingsiantawi Mung

May you be blessed with the abundance of the Holy Spirit in your lives.

