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"Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him." Jn 6:56

Important Notice: Beginning the weekend of May 23-24, we started relaunching our public Masses. We invite each of you to visit our parish website, sacredheartmedford.org to register for Mass (in the hall or church) and for confessions.

The Parish Office (phone 541 779-4661) will continue to be closed to the public until further notice. Consultations or confessions by appointment are still available. Please use voicemail to leave messages and you will be contacted. The Chapel remains open, contact the office for entry code or for any other questions about other ministry closures. Facebook page: [Facebook.com/sacredheartmedford](https://www.facebook.com/sacredheartmedford).

Aviso importante: A partir del fin de semana del 23 al 24 de mayo, comenzamos a relanzar nuestras misas públicas. Invitamos a cada uno de ustedes a visitar nuestra página de web de la parroquia, sacredheartmedford.org para registrarse a la misa (en el salón parroquial o en la iglesia) y para confesarse en la iglesia también.

La Oficina Parroquial (teléfono 541-779-4661) continuará cerrada al público hasta nuevo aviso. Las consultas o confesiones con cita previa están disponibles también. Utilice el correo de voz para dejar mensajes y se le regresará la llamada lo más pronto posible. La Capilla permanece abierta, comuníquese con la oficina para obtener el código de entrada o para cualquier otra pregunta sobre otros cierres ministeriales. Página de Facebook: [Facebook.com/sacredheartmedford](https://www.facebook.com/sacredheartmedford)

8:30AM DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

M. Jun. 15: Angela Buxton
T. Jun. 16: +Eileen Van Dyck
W. Jun. 17: +Jim Walker
Th. Jun. 18: +Eileen Van Dyck
F. Jun. 19: Thaddeus Jadwisiak
S. Jun. 20: +Dolores Harmon

WEEKEND INTENTIONS

Sat. Jun. 20 at 5:30: +Terry Bonacorso
Sun. Jun. 20 at 8:30: Sacred Heart Parish
Sun. Jun. 21 at 12 noon: +Jim Walker
Sun. Jun. 21 at 3:30: +Leonard Tiernan

Please pray for the sick of our parish especially: *Tom Quinowski, Cecelia Rayburn, Linda Erickson, Hindey Moser, Rose Brooks, Lorna Moller, Curt Swift, Tony Sanchez, Mary Schettino, Bill Reilly, Carmen Carr, Cynda Ingrassia, Barbara Albanese, Barbara Hetzel, Frances and Justin Kuchler, DeEtte Marlow, Clarice Neil, Frank Perez, Ilene Roberts, Julie Smith, Jan Sieg, Lupe Martinez, Damon Dudley, Mike Hebert, Nicolas De La Cruz, John & Madeline Kosmatka, Joe & Emily Peterson, Dahely Mariana, Patricia Garcia, Bertha Dellapenta, Lauri Pagnini, Paul Fleming, Emil Knutson, Lorraine and Vicki Harris, Shizuka McCue and Marie Casilio.*
Please pray for the deceased of our parish and their families especially: +Rosemary Alonso.

EVANGELIZATION COLUMN

JUNE 12, 2020

EVANGELIZATION FOR TODAY

(Hallelujah! Public Masses Are Back! And Growing Larger)

In keeping with Christ's "Great Commission" to the Apostles--to make disciples of all nations-- we are now more than half way through a list of 99 Ideas for Evangelization and there is always room to add other thoughts from our parish audience. To contribute your thoughts, please drop off your suggestions at the Parish Office. Also, if you have benefitted from these suggestions let us know. Here we go with three more ideas for this week.

52. During this time of isolation there are many elderly, and others not so elderly, who are lonely and have no real regular contacts. If you know of such a person, please call them on a regular basis. When it is deemed safe try to visit this person, perhaps you could even plan a brief outing or arrange to bring them to Mass. There are many who have not returned to Mass and it would be good to encourage them in maintaining their faith either by attending Mass in person or continuing via video sources.

53. Join a Catholic organization-Knights of Columbus; Catholic Daughters or another group in your parish. You will meet some great people and these friendships will help you in your evangelization efforts when you meet others outside these groups.

54. Later this summer organize or join a rafting trip with parish families or youth. Take advantage of our great local rivers to socialize with friends.

With new Phase 2 orders from the State, our parish resumed the Mass, with increased allowable capacities at each service. Please continue to preregister for the Masses. To schedule a Mass go to the website: Sacredheartmedford.org or call **541 363-7199**. For special needs or concerns, please contact the Parish Office 541 779-4661. Finally, the Adoration Chapel is available to you 24/7. Blessings.

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WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 14, 2020

SUN 6/14	Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 [12]/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58
MON 6/15	1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7 [2b]/Mt 5:38-42
TUE 6/16	1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16 [cf. 3a]/Mt 5:43-48
WED 6/17	2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Ps 31:20, 21, 24 [25]/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
THR 6/18	Sir 48:1-14/Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7 [12a]/Mt 6:7-15
FRI 6/19	Dt 7:6-11/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 10 [cf. 17]/1 Jn 4:7-16/Mt 11:25-30
SAT 6/20	2 Chr 24:17-25/Ps 1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd [cf. 1]/Lk 2:41-51
SUN 6/21	Jer 20:10-13/Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35 [14c]/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 14, 2020

Sunday:	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ; Flag Day
Friday:	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Saturday:	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary; World Refugee Day
Sunday:	12th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Father's Day



First Communion Masses now rescheduled!!

Due to Corona Virus unfortunately this year's Sacrament Preparation children had their First Communion Mass cancelled in May. We are now able to offer 2 options for these children & their families. The first option is a special First Communion Mass on Saturday August 8th. The second option allows for children & families where this August date is not possible for parents to schedule their child (and each family member) into one of our already scheduled daily or Sunday Masses. Please join us in prayer as these very patient and committed children (& their parents) finally get much closer to receiving this most precious Sacrament "the source & summit of our Catholic faith"! If you are fortunate enough to have one of these First Communion children at a Mass you attend please help us make this as joyful, prayerful and special as possible.

Religious EDUCATION & Sacrament Preparation for 2020 - 2021 I am currently exploring & researching how best to operate our Religious Education & First Reconciliation/First Communion programs for the coming school year. I am looking into a range of approaches and scenarios. I will be looking closely at the Medford School District /Sacred Heart schools guidelines and restrictions so I can best achieve this. So no definitive plans yet but I will provide prompt updates via the Bulletin ; Sacred Heart website (& flocknotes to previously registered parents & children) just as soon I can.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any further questions or concerns. Flocknotes is a church text system that allows me to directly communicate with parents. If you have questions about Flocknotes communication or wish to be added to the parent list please contact me.

Blessings Mary Stallard Ph#541-779-4661 ext: 107 mstallard@shcs.org



FIRST READING

"Not by bread alone does one live,
but by every word that comes forth
from the mouth of the LORD." (Dt 8:3b)



PSALM

Praise the Lord, Jerusalem.
(Ps 147) or Alleluia



SECOND READING

Because the loaf of bread is one,
we, though many, are one body,
for we all partake of the one loaf.
(1 Cor 10:17)



GOSPEL

"For my flesh is true food,
and my blood is true drink.
Whoever eats my flesh and drinks
my blood remains in me
and I in him." (Jn 6:55-56)

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WORSHIP & MEDITATION



GOSPEL MEDITATION

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

It is no wonder that followers of Christ are called the Body of Christ. After all, sharing in the same spiritual food and sacred meal, they become what they eat and reveal the Divine Image. There is so much power for healing in the community of believers. Through the Eucharist, Christ becomes as present in those who have partaken of his Body and Blood as he has the elements themselves. The very presence of God touches the depths of the human soul and visits a part of us that no human being can ever hope to explore. We are God's. The sacred Eucharistic meal is a celebration of intimacy, the reunion of two loves in constant search of and longing for the other.

The community of believers receives the power and the presence to touch and heal in the name of the One they have welcomed within. It is now within their grasp to change the way life is lived and to more intentionally put into practice the Beatitudes that the Divine Guest has revealed. We are asked to be like Christ and work to create a world of sufficiency, where the greed of some no longer creates the want of others but where all of God's children can find a home and a place at the table of life. The One who makes a home within calls us to live a life that transforms. We are changed ourselves and now become agents of change for others. We are the Body of Christ. God is with us. We have been nourished.

Sadly, many are afraid to try. We know what we are called to do, but we struggle with feelings of doubt as to whether God really is the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Do our systems have to change? Is it possible that we somehow missed the mark when we put all of our social networks in place and established the business of our lives? Perhaps we have to radically rethink our approach and that can scare us. We might have to give something up or change, and we don't want to. As long as want, injustice, division, prejudice, and scarcity still exist, there is tremendous work for the Body of Christ.

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LITURGICAL LIFE

RESPONDING *to the Call*

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments

The Heart of Stewardship

What else is there to give when one has already given away one's body and one's life? What more can one say or do to demonstrate love for another when all one had has been given to another? This total giving of self to loved ones cannot be trumped by flowery words or material gifts that are fleeting. This is the ultimate in love. This is the love Jesus had for us on the way to his Passion, at the institution of the Holy Eucharist. This is the love he has for us daily in the celebration of the Mass on altars in every church, in every city, in every nation on earth. No one can give more. No one can ask for more. This is the true heart of Christian stewardship.

If you take the time to gaze upon your God in the simplest of forms and begin to reflect on what has actually taken place with bread and wine becoming the presence of the Divine, then you can begin to understand true humility, sacrifice, and love. And when you have the privilege to take that Real Presence into your body at the meal where you are an honored guest, you become one with the One who is the embodiment of stewardship.

Then, you must ask yourself, "How can I even begin to reflect the love that I have encountered at this feast?" The answer is you can begin with the simple actions of the day: where will you go, whom will you meet, and in what work will you partake? Jesus Christ has shown that the greatest gift ever given can be disguised in this world in a piece of bread. By joining your body to his, he can now transform human hearts, not by grand acts, but by everyday acts, by everyday people, practicing Everyday Stewardship.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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Our parish is grateful for your continued support. Thank you!



WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Catholic Life Explained:

Mary and the Saints

Question:

Why do Catholics pray to Mary and the saints?

Answer:

One of the statements of faith we make when we pray the Nicene Creed and the Apostles Creed is that we believe in "the communion of saints." The Catechism of the Catholic Church reminds us that this communion (another word for community) includes all the faithful on earth, the souls in Purgatory, and the blessed women, men, and children who are in heaven. This teaching is grounded in our belief that, through Baptism, we are united with Christ and to one another with bonds that are stronger even than death.

And so from the time of the early Church, Christians have turned to other believers for prayers and assistance, including those who have gone before us, confident that God hears the prayers of all of His children. While we ask the saints (and one another) for prayers and support, we remember that the saints join us in prayer. But it is God who blesses and sanctifies us.

When we think of Mary and the saints in heaven, we have to remember that we can turn to them for intercession and assistance because they were faulted, limited human beings, just like us. This means that they are able to understand our struggles, doubts, fears, joys, and hopes. But as we learn their stories, we can also begin to recognize that they stand out in the history of the Church because they persevered in their commitment to follow Christ. Whether they were ordained, vowed religious, martyrs, husbands, wives, or even children, they show us that holiness is possible. We can not only follow their example but also benefit from their prayerful support.

Our devotion to the saints and gratitude for their witness, prayers, and protection should also be an inspiration for us, especially when we become aware of the needs of others or when others ask us to pray for them. We are called to share the blessings we receive. This is also part of our own journey of growing in holiness.

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HEALTH AND WELLNESS

3 EASY STEPS

To Keeping Yourself & Others Healthy!

We are cautioned to be especially careful during the Coronavirus outbreak. Here are some simple ways to keep sickness away.



Wash Your Hands

Wash your hands for at least 20 seconds using soap and water. If you can't wash your hands, use hand sanitizer frequently.



Don't Touch Your Face

Especially around the eyes, nose and mouth. If you must sneeze, use a tissue or your arm.



Keep Your Distance

Practice social distancing during this epidemic and stay away from large groups. Instead, call, email or check up on family and friends using social media.

*"I am the living
bread that came
down from heaven;
whoever eats this
bread will live
forever; and the
bread that I will give
is my flesh for the life
of the world..."*

*"For my flesh is
true food, and my
blood is true drink.
Whoever eats my
flesh and drinks
my blood remains
in me and I in him."*

- Jn 6:51, 55-56

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14 de junio de 2020

El Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo

El Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo es un signo de unidad y es un alimento salvífico. Muy diferente al pan que bajaba del cielo para alimentar a los hebreos por su paso en el desierto. Quien come el Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo vivirá para siempre. *“Yo soy el pan vivo que ha bajado del cielo. El que coma de este pan vivirá para siempre”*. (Juan 6:51). Las lecturas de hoy invitan al creyente a despertar a este hermoso regalo de Jesús en la Eucaristía. Apreciar su presencia viva al recibirlo sabiendo que es el único medio indispensable de participación de lo divino. No cabe la menor duda, lo necesitamos para la jornada de fe.

“Ver que diariamente se humilla, como cuando desde el trono real descendió al seno de la Virgen; diariamente viene a nosotros. Él mismo en humilde apariencia; diariamente desciende del seno del Padre hasta el altar en manos del sacerdote. Y como mostró a los santos apóstoles en carne verdadera, así también ahora se nos muestra a nosotros en el pan consagrado. Y lo mismo que ellos, con la vista corporal, veían solamente carne; pero, con los ojos que contemplan espiritualmente, creían que Él era Dios. Así también nosotros, al ver con los ojos corporales el pan y el vino, veamos y creamos firmemente que es su santísimo cuerpo y sangre vivos y verdaderos”. (Francisco y Clara de Asís Admoniciones 1,16-21). La generosidad de Dios no tiene límite en la Eucaristía, por lo tanto, cabe la siguiente pregunta. Si comulgo frecuentemente, ¿Cómo es mi generosidad para con los demás?

¡Las Misas de Primera Comunión han sido reprogramadas!!

Debido al Corona Virus, por desgracia, la Preparación sacramental de este año, fue cancelada y la Misa de Primera Comunión en mayo también. Ahora podemos ofrecer 2 opciones para estos niños y sus familias.

- La primera opción es una misa especial de primera comunión el sábado 18 de julio o 1 de agosto.
- La segunda opción permite a los niños y familias si esta fecha de julio o agosto no es posible para los padres programar a su hijo (y a cada miembro de la familia) en una de nuestras misas diarias o dominicales ya programadas.

Por favor, únase a nosotros en la oración, ya que estos niños muy pacientes y comprometidos (y sus padres) finalmente se acercan mucho más a recibir este santísimo sacramento "la fuente y la cumbre de nuestra fe católica"!

EDUCACIÓN Religiosa ' & Preparación sacramental para 2020 – 2021

Actualmente estoy explorando e investigando la mejor manera de operar nuestros programas de Educación Religiosa y Primera Reconciliación/Primera Comunión para el próximo año escolar. Estoy investigando una serie de enfoques y escenarios. Estaré mirando de cerca las pautas y restricciones de las escuelas del Distrito Escolar de Medford /Sagrado Corazón para que pueda lograr esto mejor.

Así que no hay planes definitivos todavía, pero voy a proporcionar actualizaciones rápidas a través del Bole-
tín; Sitio web del Sagrado Corazón (y flocknotes a padres e hijos previamente registrados) tan pronto como pueda. No duden en ponerse en contacto conmigo si tiene más preguntas o inquietudes. Flocknotes es un sistema de texto de la iglesia que me permite comunicarme directamente con los padres. Si tiene preguntas sobre la comunicación de Flocknotes o desea ser agregado a la lista de padres, póngase en contacto conmigo. Bendiciones **Mary Stallard Ph.541-779-4661 ext: 107 mstallard@shcs.org**

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