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February 28, 2021

The Second Sunday of Lent

MASS SCHEDULE

Mon – Fri	8:15am
Wednesday	2:15pm (school Mass)
Saturday	5:30pm
Sunday	8:00, 9:30, 11:15am
Holy Days	8:15am, 7:00pm

RECONCILIATION

Friday	8:45-9:30am
Saturday	4:00-5:00pm

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GREETINGS FROM FR. DAVE



One of our wonderful Catholic devotions for Lent is the Stations of the Cross. The paintings around the perimeter of our church depict them, beginning with Jesus being condemned to death and continuing all the way to his death on the cross, being removed from the cross, and being laid in the tomb. I have fond memories as a child participating on Friday evenings as we prayed the stations.

Holy Trinity hosts public praying of this devotion on Friday evenings at 7:00pm, led by a different group each week. We have now created an outdoor set of stations as well! It is a 300-yard loop in the far corner of our parking lot across from the Food Closet. You'll go clockwise starting at the lamppost (see below) and make a loop around the grassy area. I invite



you to walk from station to station reflecting on all Jesus has done to unite himself with all of humanity and ultimately to redeem us and bring us HOME.

I also wish to encourage you to take some time this Lent and read the book we are distributing: The Prodigal God. Copies are available in the entry of the church and at the parish office. We will be referring to it in homilies during the season and it does a really insightful job of helping us understand more clearly the rich mercy that is extended to each and every person — and the ways we can resist that mercy. I am praying that each of us will have a fruitful Lent!

Beginning next Sunday, March 7th, we will be adding one outdoor station for distributing Communion at the 9:30am Mass. As you know, that Mass is already being livestreamed, so for those uncomfortable being in the church itself, you may livestream from the parking lot and receive Communion near the front doors of the church.

And, looking ahead to Holy Week: Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter Vigil will all take place at 5:30pm this year (April 1st, 2nd, and 3rd), and will have overflow participants live streaming in the parking lot as we did on Ash Wednesday and Christmas. We will do the same for Easter morning as well, with our regular Sunday schedule of 8:00, 9:30, and 11:15am. Sign-ups to attend in the church will take place in the same way we do our current weekend Masses. Remember a year ago? We were unable to have any of our Holy Week/Easter liturgies publicly. I am so grateful for the progress underway!

We are saddened to announce that longtime parishioner Nilo Madarang has died. Funeral services are TBD. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.

THIS WEEK AT HOLY TRINITY

Sunday, February 28th

- ✦ 12:30-2:00pm, Gym — Youth Ministry
- ✦ 3:00-4:00pm, Church — Religious Ed.

Tuesday, March 2nd

- ✦ 6:30-8:00pm, Cafeteria — RCIA

Wednesday, March 3rd

- ✦ 9:30-11:00am, via Zoom — Wednesday Bible Study
- ✦ 6:00-7:30pm, via Zoom — Grow Group
- ✦ 6:30-8:00pm, Fireside — Young Adult Book Group

Thursday, March 4th

- ✦ 9:00am — USDA Food Box distribution in **Beaverton Foursquare's parking lot**
- ✦ 6:00-7:00pm, Church — Holy Hour of Adoration
- ✦ 6:30-8:00pm, Fireside — Cub Scout Pack 598

Friday, March 5th

- ✦ 9:00-2:00pm, Fireside Parking Lot — Dental Van
- ✦ 9:00am – 10:00pm, Chapel — First Friday Adoration
- ✦ 7:00pm, Church — Stations of the Cross hosted by our Social Justice Ministry (**no Soup Supper prior**)

Saturday, March 6th

- ✦ 4:15am, Chapel — Adoration resumes
- ✦ 8:15am, Church — First Saturday Mass
- ✦ 7:15-8:00pm, via Zoom — HT Zoom Bingo (*email Debbie Gray at debbie.a.m.gray@gmail.com to join in the fun!*)

LENTEN RESOURCES

✦ **Stations of the Cross.** We don't have Soup Suppers this year, but every Friday at 7:00pm we *will* have socially-distanced Stations in the church!

✦ **CRS Rice Bowl.** Catholic Relief Services' (CRS) iconic Rice Bowl program is a beloved Lenten tradition. As CRS' Lenten faith-in-action program, it offers opportunities for to engage daily with the spiritual pillars of Lent: prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Download their DIY label from our website and make your own Rice Bowl at home! You can easily donate online as well at h-t.org/lent. There you'll find videos and more resources from CRS, including that DIY label, activities for families, and meatless recipes from around the world to try during Lent.

✦ **Weekly Email Series.** Send an email to parishioner Betty Arrigotti (MA in Counseling, certificate in Spiritual Direction) at betty@arrigotti.com to sign up for her Lenten email series. This year, her series will focus on **grandparenting with grace**.

Find more resources online at h-t.org/lent

PARISH FINANCES

FOR THE WEEKEND OF
FEBRUARY 20-21

Offertory	\$29,534
Food Closet	\$2,464
Backpacks / Duffel Bags	\$1,100
Outreach Assistance	\$100

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Monday 1st

Dn 9:4b-1 | Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday 2nd

Is 1:10, 16-20 | Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday 3rd

Jer 18:18-20 | Mt 20:17-28

Thursday 4th

Jer 17:5- 10 | Lk 16:19-31

Friday 5th

Gn 37:3- 4, 12-13a, 17b-28a
Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday 6th

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20
Lk 15:1- 3, 11-32

Sunday 7th

Ex 20:1-17 | 1 Cor 1:22-25
Jn 2:13-25

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 27th

5:30pm +Perlita Nolasco

Sunday 28th

8:00am +James Rutherford

9:30am +Nancy O'Leary

11:15am Holy Trinity Parish

Monday 1st

8:15am +Rev. Richard Regan, S.J.

Tuesday 2nd

8:15am +Betty Palma

and

+Anna Ben Hoang

Wednesday 3rd

8:15am +Joseph Varkey
Chengamthadathil

2:15pm +Barbara Baltzer Kinyon

Thursday 4th

8:15am +Reid Bamford

Friday 5th

8:15am For the orphans
and
+Peter Buoi Nguyen

Saturday 6th

8:15am +Joseph Buu Van-Dinh

FAITH FORMATION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION | K-5TH GRADE | FIRST COMMUNION
BAPTISM FOR CHILDREN AGES 7+ (RCIC)
Chris Storm – cstorm@htsch.org



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

It was wonderful to see so many of you at our first in-person R.E. gathering last weekend! We will continue to gather weekly on Sundays from 3:00-4:00pm in the church (masked and distanced!) for prayer, activities, and family reflection. We would love to see entire families attend but, at the very least, children must be accompanied by one parent.

FIRST COMMUNION & RCIC

If you have a child who would like to receive First Communion this spring, please mark your calendars for our **kickoff meeting on Sunday, March 21st (sessions at 12:30pm or 3:00pm)**! We will go over our preparation plan and important dates.

We are also gathering names of children age 7 or older who have not yet been baptized and would like to be. Please email Ally (allyr@h-t.org) with your child(ren)'s information and any questions!

FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH: THOUGHTS ON FAITH

Erin Nieves – erin@h-t.org

Lent with Mary, our mother. First, let's pray a familiar prayer, adding something to remind us who Mary is and what we need to remember about her:

*Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, mother of God, **OUR MOTHER**, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen +*

Mary is our mother, too. She loves us and intercedes for us and our world. In her apparitions (times and places she has appeared to us over the centuries) her messages are clear, pointed, and evolving with our world. In general, her messages include the call to *repent* (turn back to God and confess often), *make sacrifices* (like fasting and offering our good works, prayers, and suffering for others), *go to the Eucharist often* (to receive and adore), and *to live good lives*. We should **NOT UNDERESTIMATE** the importance of this request from our Mother!

Mary invites us to pray a daily Rosary. Mary prays it with us! The sheer act of praying this invites us into the life of Jesus, and the rosary we say is an effective and powerful way to pray, inviting Mary's help and assistance in our lives and that of the world. Let's connect more closely to Mary's messages. Here's one you haven't heard of: *Our Lady of Mt. Carmel de Garabandal* (youtube.com/watch?v=k5rdf9Sf9Bs).

Mary, with your intercession, please help us to keep a holy Lent. +

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION FOR FEBRUARY

Violence Against Women

We pray for women who are victims of violence, that they may be protected by society and have their sufferings considered and heeded.

YOUTH MINISTRY 6-12TH GRADE


Nick Krautscheid – 971.282.6173
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Join us on Sundays at 12:30pm in the school gym for fun activities, prayer, and small groups! All 6th – 12th graders welcome.



Check out our website (h-t.org/htym) for more information.

follow us on instagram!

 : @holytrinity.ym

MINISTRY NEWS

SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY

Eileen Sleva – eileen.sleva@gmail.com



One out of every 10 people worldwide don't have enough to eat. This Lent, CRS Rice Bowl takes us to three countries – Madagascar, El Salvador, and Timor-Leste – to see how hunger and malnutrition affect our human family and how

we can make a lasting, positive difference in their lives.

The season of Lent gives us a wonderful opportunity to reflect and make room in our hearts to welcome the stranger. Matthew's Gospel invites us to remember that we are responsible for helping all our sisters and brothers, even those who are strangers to us. When we do this, we care for Christ. Through prayer, we encounter Jesus, who is present in the face of every member of our human family.

What can you do to support the hungry in your community and around the world? Visit h-t.org/lent#ricebowl to begin your Lenten journey with CRS!

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

Gloria Bernard – 503.579.2562 – globernard2@gmail.com



40 Days for Life Spring Campaign: Feb. 17 – Mar. 28

Prayer Vigil at Beaverton Planned Parenthood (12220 SW 1st St.) on Monday – Saturday, 7:00am to 7:00pm. Learn more at www.40daysforlife.com/beaverton.

What do you have to do to be part of 40 Days for Life?

- ✧ Be peaceful and prayerful
- ✧ Do you have to talk to anyone? No
- ✧ Do you have to hold a sign? Nope
- ✧ Pray on the sidewalk, in your car or at home
- ✧ Hand out gift bags with resources (if you'd like)
- ✧ Consider fasting for mothers and unborn babies

Upcoming Events in the Archdiocese

3/7, 11:00am – Prayer vigil at St. Andre Bessette (601 W Burnside St.) for the victims of and an end to human trafficking. *Masks & distancing required.*

4/16-18 – Rachel's Vineyard Retreat; go online to project-aurora.org to register and learn more.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Al Schmitt – 503.641.1842 – communityoutreach@h-t.org
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NUMBER OF PEOPLE SERVED

Food Closet		Backpacks	
Last Week	347	Last Week	95
Since January 1st	2,488	School Year	1,290

In last week's column I talked about how no one person or organization can tackle some of the big issues alone, but that together we can have a significant impact. This past week I experienced two examples of that I thought I would share.

The first comes from a brief conversation I had with someone who was getting a food box from our Thursday distribution at Beaverton Foursquare. As we were loading, the passenger wanted us to know what it meant to her to be able to receive this food. She told us it was the difference between being able to eat rather than going hungry. She was thrilled when we told her we would be there at least through the end of March. A great example of government, churches and volunteers all working in unison to address one huge problem: hunger. The impact is meaningful.

The second example started with a phone call I received one morning. A man called to ask if we would be able to accept some non-perishable food donations that his daughter had gotten. Turns out, for the last three years she asked for birthday presents to be in the form of food donations, which they had taken to the Food Bank. Since the Food Bank is not currently accepting donations like this, would we take them? Absolutely! A short time later, dad and his 9-year-old daughter arrived with 700 pounds of food! Turns out, her party was canceled because of the snow and ice so she decided to put up a sign in the yard and all of the neighbors pitched in. She has already learned the strength of collaboration.

Several of you have asked me if there is anything that you can do to help the new Beaverton Resource Center. We are currently looking for volunteers to help answer phones, emails, etc. While these volunteers are needed within the building, we have a strict COVID policy that is enforced. Starting in March we will be open Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9:00-1:00pm. If you would like to help please go to beavertonresourcecenter.org and click on the **Volunteer tab** to complete the application. You can also either call or email me with any questions you might have. Thanks for your support!



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We're finding unique ways to keep up school spirit, infuse joy into the everyday, and build community. Last week, we celebrated National Decade Day! This is always a fun day to see what young children think of each decade. We had plenty of hippies, a handful of Greasers, and many side ponytails!



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