

July 11, 2021

The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS SCHEDULE

8:15am

5:30pm

RECONCILIATION

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Monday – Friday 8:00-3:30pm

8:15am, 7:00pm

8:45-9:30am

4:00-5:00pm

8:00-4:30pm

8:00-2:00pm

10:00-12:30pm

Mon-Fri

Saturday

Holy Days

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Tues, Wed, Fri

Friday

Wednesday

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH

$KNOW \sim GROW \sim GO$



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GREETINGS FROM FR. DAVE

Okay good people, I need all of you to help out in whom you have not seen back at Mass – and invite inviting parishioners back to Mass! Our numbers are them to return. It's time! gradually increasing and as restrictions have eased it is so good "feeling" the spirit of this community come Fr. Tony introduced himself at all our Masses last alive again. With masks optional this past weekend, the difference in the sound with the dialogues during Mass was hugely noticeable. We will continue to keep the far side sections limited to every other row for seating and masks remain optional throughout the church. Live streaming will continue as well for the quiet during the month of July, which gives us the 5:30pm and 9:30am Masses.

And, I want to urge those who have been away to return! For us as Catholics, worship and discipleship, though very personal, are not private. We need the community of faith to keep us going. Our parish mission statement - KNOW, GROW, GO - is not something that can be done alone; and, frankly, some of our folks have gotten too comfortable watching Mass at home or just drifted away entirely. I urge you to return! And, I urge all of you who are here to be noticing any of your friends or previous "pew-mates"

weekend and is quickly getting immersed into our parish life. Shawn, our summer seminarian, returns this week as well for his final couple weeks with us before returning to the "The Hill". Watch for his weekly video once again. Our school is especially opportunity to do some of our heavier maintenance projects. May all of our teachers get a good rest after this past year!

Blessings to Roman Nguyen and Vincenzo Ronday, who were baptized this weekend!

Last week, funeral services were held for Mary Alice Judy, Olivia Reid, and Gerry Delaney. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION FOR JULY

Social Friendship

We pray that, in social, economic, and political situations of conflict, we may be courageous and passionate architects of dialogue and friendship.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Monday 12th Ex 1:8-14, 22 | Mt 10:34 – 11:1

Tuesday 13th Ex 2:1-15a | Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday 14th Ex 3:1-6, 9-12 | Mt 11:25-27

Thursday 15th Ex 3:13-20 | Mt 11:28-30

Friday 16th Ex 11:10-12:14 | Mt 12:1-8

Saturday 17th Ex 12:37-42 | Mt 12:14-21

Sunday 18th Jer 23:1-6 | Eph 2:13-18 | Mk 6:30-34 Pope Francis 🤣 @Pontifex

Let us ask the Lord, through the intercession of Saints Peter and Paul, to help us be open to His grace, so that we can see, judge and act from the truth and freedom that come from the encounter with Christ.

12:00 AM · Jun 29, 2021

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 2	10 th	Tuesday 13 th		
5:30pm	+Claudia Ditter	8:15am	World Concerns	
Sunday 11 th		Wednesday 14 th		
8:00am	Holy Trinity Parish	8:15am	+Judy Fornia	
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9:30am	+Leon Flores		+Frank Walkiewicz	
11:15am	+Marcella Sicat			
		Thursday 15 th		
Monday 12 th		8:15am	+Maria H. Nguyen	
8:15am	+Regina Mueller			
and		Friday 16 th		
	+Anna Than	8:15am	+Chris Supalla	

The flowers for this weekend are in loving memory of Leon Flores.

BRETT'S TWO CENTS

Hello everyone! A little update for you, and then a little fun.

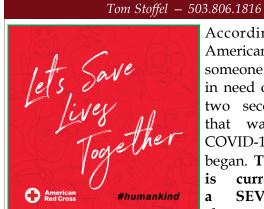
July 1st marked the start of a new fiscal year, and you'll notice that our financial reporting has now changed slightly. As I wrote in an earlier column, our Backpack and Teen Duffel Bag Programs (along with other targeted outreach assistance) will now be funded out of our general Food Closet Ministry account, rather than a separate outreach account as in the past. We've also added the School to our weekly reporting. These changes were made to simplify/streamline our accounting process and better reflect our major funding priorities. I'm happy to answer any questions you might have or listen to any concerns.

Okay, now for a little (brain) exercise. Time to shake the lead out:

- 1. Job. Polish. Herb. What is special about these three words?
- 2. What five-letter word becomes shorter when you add two letters to it?
- 3. A sundial has the fewest moving parts of any timepiece. Which has the most?
- 4. Arnold Schwarzenegger has a long one. Michael J. Fox has a short one. Madonna does not use hers. Bill Clinton always uses his. The Pope never uses his. What is it? (*keep it clean, please, Fr. Dave!*)

Erica has the answers buried elsewhere in this bulletin. Have fun!

SUMMER BLOOD DRIVE



According to the American Red Cross, someone in the U.S. is in need of blood every two seconds - and that was before the COVID-19 pandemic began. The Red Cross currently facing is SEVERE blood shortage nationwide

of all blood types, with an emergency need for Type O in particular.

As a special 'thank you' to donors and to help encourage folks to donate, **the Red Cross is giving all individuals who give blood between July 7–31 a \$10 Amazon gift card via email**!

Our Summer Blood Drive is **this Friday**, **July 16**th **from 1:00-6:00pm in Fireside** and there are still *many* timeslots open. Go to <u>redcrossblood.org</u> and enter *HolyTrinityBeaverton* as the sponsor to see the available donation times and sign-up today! Many thanks to our Knights of Columbus for coordinating these life-saving drives.

PARISH FINANCES For the Weekend of July 3-4

Offertory	\$29,452
Food Closet Ministry	\$2,953
HT School	\$35
Additional Gifts	\$3,000

INFORMATION DESK *Marilyn Palma – <u>marilynpalma@comcast.net</u>*

We greatly need more volunteers to staff the desk at our 9:30am and 11:15am Sunday Masses! Serving our parish in this ministry takes a friendly smile, a desire to help folks, and just 15-20 minutes of your time before and after Mass. To learn more, contact Marilyn Palma.

THIS WEEK AT HOLY TRINITY

Wednesday, July 14th

* 7:00-8:30pm, Church – Choir rehearsal

Thursday, July 15th

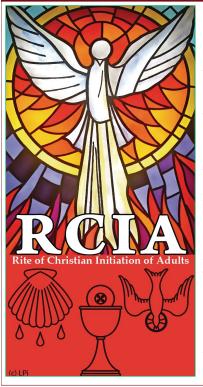
* 6:00-7:00pm, Church – Holy Hour of Adoration

Friday, July 16th

- ✤ 1:00-6:00pm, Fireside Room Blood Drive
- 7:00-8:00pm, via Zoom HT Zoom Bingo (email Debbie at <u>debbie.a.m.gray@gmail.com</u>)

FAITH FORMATION

RCIA Erin Nieves – <u>erin@h-t.org</u>



Are you interested in learning more about the faith and becoming Catholic? Need to complete sacraments? your Are you returning to the Church after being away and need a refresher? (Rite RCIA of Christian Initiation for Adults) begins in September! Email Erin to learn more about taking part in these classes, or visit www.h-t.org/rcia.



Like Jesus's fellow villagers, we risk not recognising him. An abstract and distant god who doesn't get himself involved in situations is more comfortable. God incarnated Himself: humble, tender, hidden, drawing near to us, living the normality of our daily life. #GospelOfTheDay

3:50 AM · Jul 4, 2021

RETROUVAILLE 503.225.9191 – <u>portland@retrouvaille.org</u>

Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-OREGON **IFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES** vaye; French for "rediscovery") is an international marriage ministry program, Catholic in origin, designed to help couples heal and renew their marriages. Are you frustrated or angry with your spouse? Do you argue constantly, or have you just stopped talking altogether? This program has helped tens of thousands of couples experiencing difficulties, disillusionment, and distress in their marriage. It is open to all couples of all or no faith backgrounds. The next Oregon Retrouvaille program begins with a weekend retreat at Mt. Angel Abbey on August 6-8. For confidential information about the program, call or email the contacts above. To register and learn more, go online to https://oregonretrouvaille.com.

FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH: THOUGHTS ON FAITH Erin Nieves – <u>erin@h-t.org</u>

Our continuing call to holiness and conversion. So, after reading that opening statement, what happened next? Did we perk up, sit up metaphorically attentive to what was coming next? Or did our spiritual radar go down so that all we heard was *blah blah*, indicating that we aren't listening?

When I hear words like *holiness* and *conversion*, I listen like it doesn't pertain to me. That's not what scripture tells us. Here from St. Paul to the Ephesians: *"he chose us before the foundation of the world, to be holy and without blemish before him."* How is this possible?

First, through our on-going conversion which continues to need to happen throughout our lifetime. Why does this need to happen continually? Because we sin! We are all sinners, but Jesus has given us a remedy. Confession, or reconciliation, or as St. Paul says to the Ephesians, "*In Him, we have redemption by His blood, the forgiveness of transgressions.*" Transgressions equals sin! So, friends, go to confession! I say this for myself as well as for all who are reading this.

What happens when we go and receive? "The riches of His grace that he lavished upon us"! We should say" lavishes (present tense) because it happens every time we receive this sacrament. Then sub the words forgiveness and grace for the word sacrament because it tells us what it is that we receive. And then we are converted once again to continue being formed in the likeness and image of Jesus, the God who created us. In the Eucharistic prayer we hear that we (all those who participate and receive) are called to be a living sacrament ourselves.

And then? *Become a sacrament that we share with everyone we encounter!* Something to consider and aspire to on these beautiful summer days. Have a great and *HOLY* week everybody! +

YOUTH MINISTRY | 6-12TH GRADE Nick Krautscheid – 971.282.6173 – <u>nkrautscheid@htsch.org</u>

It's Summertime!

Keep an eye on our website for our schedule of gatherings and activities.



MINISTRY NEWS

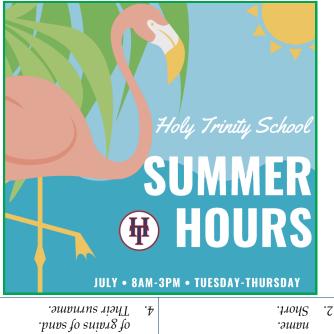
SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY Eileen Sleva – <u>eileen.sleva@gmail.com</u>

Thank you to everyone who participated in our survey! Overwhelmingly, homelessness and racial inequity are concerns for our parishioners. We are looking for ways to become more informed on these issues and opportunities to provide assistance. We will be in touch with those who responded with contact information and will also provide more information on future programs in this column for everyone interested.

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY Gloria Bernard – 503.799.4496 – <u>globernard2@gmail.com</u>

First passed in 1976, the Hyde Amendment (contained in the annual federal appropriations legislation) prohibits federal funding of abortions except in the case of rape, incest, or to save the life of the mother. There continues to be an increased push to eliminate this provision, despite bipartisan support for not using taxpayer dollars to fund abortions for nearly half a century.

As Catholics, we are called to follow Jesus' teachings in all aspects of our lives, including our participation in public and civic life. Pope St. John Paul II wrote that "we need to bring the Gospel of life to the heart of every man and woman and to make it penetrate every part of society" (*Evangelium vitae* 80). Let us build a culture that upholds the dignity of every human person! We encourage you to learn more via the USCCB at www.respectlife.org/no-taxpayer-abortion.



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FOOD CLOSET MINISTRY

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HOLY TRINITY FOOD CLOSET IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROVIDER.

NUMBER OF PEOPLE SERVED						
Food Closet		Backpack Program				
Last Week	259	Last Week	N/A			
Since January 1st	7,601	School Year	2,403			

Attention all home gardeners! If you have excess fruits and vegetables and need a place to donate, please keep the pantry in mind. Our clients love having a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables. Last week we had two separate donations of cherries on the same day and they were a huge hit. You can donate on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 10:00-12:30pm.

As the weeks go on I am starting to meet more clients and volunteers. Last week, I met a gentleman that was baptized here at Holy Trinity "many years ago" (his words), and ask if we needed more volunteers. He said, "I see the work you are doing and I would love to contribute." It warms my heart knowing that we as a volunteer team are showing so much love that our clients want to join in on the ministry. I have also had the pleasure of meeting more volunteers that were active prior to COVID and I am grateful for all the support.

We are still running the pantry as a drive-thru process. It is a very efficient process and we are able to help more families in a shorter amount of time. If you are interested in learning more about the process, please reach out!

Below is a reminder in case you missed it last week, on the Beaverton School District's Summer Meal Program. Learn more online at <u>www.beaverton.k12.or.us/</u> <u>departments/nutrition-services/meals</u>.



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1,900 SCHOOL KIDS SERVE EDUCATE from Washington County don't have a place to sleep.* 12,000 FOOD INSECURITY Beaverton residents aren't sure if they can put food on the table.* **VOLUNTEER** DONATE A center connecting those in our community struggling with hunger, homelessness, and poverty to local resources so they can make a lasting change for the better.

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