

# ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO PORTLAND



## Calendar

### Today 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Dn 12:1-3 Ps 16 Heb 10:11-14, 18 Mk 13:24-32)

Masses 8:30 and 11 a.m.

C/R Liturgy ministry

Precat. mtg. -9:45 am Rm 12

Advent In service- 12:15 p.m.

FF 9:45 am

Liturgy of the Word for Children 11 a.m.

Annual Parish Appeal

AA mtg. 7-9 Rm 15b

### Mon: Communion Service 8 a.m.

(1 mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63 Ps 119 Lk 18:35-43)

Sewing ladies- 10-2 gym

Laidlaw Center in use 7-9 p.m.

Spaghetti Dinner mtg.- 7 p.m. PC

### Tue: Mass at 8 a.m. (2Mc 6:18-31 Ps 3 Lk 19:1-10)

Holy hour 8:30 a.m.

RDM mtg. 7 p.m. PC

### Wed: Mass at 8 a.m. (2Mc 7:1, 20-31 Ps 17 Lk 19:11-28)

Vicariate mtg. 9:45 a.m. \*

Staff mtg. 1 p.m. PC

Admin. Council mtg. 7 p.m. PC

AA mtg. 7:30 p.m. Rm 15b

### Thur: Mass 8 am (1 Mc 2:15-29 Ps 50 Lk 19:41-44)

Share the Word 8:45 a.m. PC

Communion to the Sick 9:45 a.m. PC

Bible Study—Prophets 7 pm PC

### Fri: Mass 8 am. (Mc 4:36-37, 52-59 Ps 1 Chr 29 Lk 19:45-48)

Archdiocesan Pastoral Assembly at \* St. Pius

AA mtg. 7:30 p.m. Rm 15b

### Sat. NO morning mass (1Mc 6:1-13 Ps 9 Lk 20:27-40)

St. Vincent dePaul St. Charles Pantry open 11-1pm

Reconciliation 4-4:30 p.m.

**Vigil Mass 5 p.m.**

Blood Pressure Clinic— Parish office after mass

Archdiocesan Pastoral Assembly at \* St. Pius

Parish Center in use 12-3

### Next Sunday: CHRIST THE KING

(Dn 7:13-14 Ps 93 Rv 1:5-8 Jn 18:33b-37)

Masses 8:30 and 11 a.m.

C/R school families (Westhead, White, and Wilson)

Blood Pressure clinic-parish office after masses

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

Rite of Welcome 11 a.m.

Confirmation session 12:15 p.m. PC

Flower meeting 12:15 p.m. Rm 3

Advent Wreath making

\* indicates outside of parish

**RAFFLE DONORS** -We wish to acknowledge and thank all those who donated raffle prizes for our Spaghetti Dinner: **AAA OF OREGON; AMALFI'S ITALIAN RESTAURANT; BEAUMONT MARKET; BLACKBIRD WINE SHOP; FLYING PIE PIZZA; MILO'S CITY CAFÉ; NEPO 42; PITTOCK MANSION; SOLUNA GRILL; and SAFEWAY.**

**HELP!** We are interested in knowing who, if anyone, has taken CPR training. We would like to have a list of people who might be called on in an emergency situation during church. Please call the office with any names 503 281-6461. Thank you.

## PRAYERS OF SPECIAL INTENTIONS

**Sick:** Jill Barrowcliff, Joan Bruneau, Harold Klein, Harriet and Larry Strand, Scott Brown, Lee Gallet, Debra Hanson, Shirley Lynch, Tom Smith, Bob Jones, Bill Chilton, Martin Hickey, Ted Peterschmidt, Pat Kern, Evelyn Masterson, Chuck Keenan, Loretta Karons, Raevyn Rasheed, Rita Dirks, MaryLynn Pierce, and Mary Ellen Schmich mother of Michael Schmich.

**Death:** James Applington father of Joanna Haney and Isabelle Freeland sister of Leo Smith.

Please pray for these parishioners.



During the past week the St. Charles St. Vincent dePaul helped 10 families for a total of 31 people helped.

In our food pantry we could use sugar, coffee, dish soap and any left over Halloween candy you may have left.

The St. Charles Conference just completed their annual report and we wish to thank everyone who served with their time, treasure and talent to help serve those in need.

We helped 6,493 people with clothing and 95,023 lbs. of food (value \$1.50 per lb. \$142,434). Assisted with 63 rent calls, and 44 utility calls for a combined value of \$17,491. Hours of service 11,313. We are blessed to have such a vital and active conference.

Please remember that as we start into the Holiday Season, there will be many opportunities for those who wish to volunteer with Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Thank you for your continued support. It is most appreciated by your SVDP and the people of the community that we help.

If you are interested in volunteering in our ministry contact Toni Schimming at [tonischimming@msn.com](mailto:tonischimming@msn.com) or 503 522 6316.

**LADIES NITE OUT:** Hello ladies, thanks to the generosity of Jo Martens, we are finally having another Ladies Night Out this month— **Nov. 17 at 6 p.m.** at the **Alameda Brew Co.** 4765 NE Fremont. We certainly hope that you can join us. We are long overdue to catch up with one another. Just so you know, the restaurant is going to add 18% gratuity to our bill due to the size of our group. They also will only give us one ticket so please either bring cash or a debit card. Please RSVP to MaryLynn Pierce (503 284 2097) so that we can let the restaurant know how many women to expect.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Olin Mills will be helping us with a new Parish Directory in January. Please save the last week of January to have your pictures taken.

Thank you to Caley Tapfer who has agreed to be the chair for the new directory, and she will need volunteers to help with the different phases and process when the time comes.

Keep watching the bulletin for further details.

NOVEMBER 15, 2009

THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:**

In a time of persecution, Daniel gave hope to a troubled community, reassuring them that God would vindicate and deliver them. "Keep me safe, O God," the psalmist prayed. God's servants would escape their tormentors and arise to "shine brightly" like the stars of the firmament. They would be shown the path to a joy-filled life in God's presence.

In the reign of God, Jesus Christ rules triumphantly, continuing his high priestly work of interceding for a suffering humanity. Through his Passion, death and resurrection, Christ's work has been completed, yet we await its fulfillment. When will this happen? What will be the sign that everything will be accomplished? We need not engage in futile speculation but instead continue working for the coming of God's reign. Like the faithful servants in Daniel, the Son of Man will come with great power and glory at the appointed time. The exact day or hour is not part of divine revelation. We rely on Jesus' assurance that though the heavens and earth will pass away, his word will stand firm forever.

***How does my service advance the coming of God's reign? What frustrates this goal?***

**FAMILY FAITH SHARING:** We encourage parents to reflect on these questions at home each week with their children and family. Start talking. Share your faith!

In today's Gospel, Jesus says that His words will not pass away.

***Think of some of the words of Jesus. What are some of your favorite things that Jesus said? Why do you think Jesus' words will last forever? What is so important about them?***

***When you talk to other people like your family or friends, do you use some of Jesus' words? How can you help other people learn what Jesus told us?***

**RECONCILIATION SERIES:** Fr. Schwab will be leading a reflection on the Sacrament of Reconciliation three Sundays during Advent, **Dec. 6, 13, and 20th** at 9:45 a.m. –10:45 a.m. in the Parish Center. All are invited to attend.

**PARISH NURSE MINISTRY:**

We wish to welcome our University of Portland nursing students: Catherine Chamberlain and Chelsea Johns. These students will be with us until Dec. 11th.

Last Sunday, the students worked with the Faith Formation middle school students with the importance of calcium and a good breakfast— as well as a graphic display of sugar and fat content in donuts. Their posters and display will be in the gym on Sunday, Nov. 22. Please stop by and take a look.

**ADVENT WREATHS:** Advent wreath materials will be available on **Nov. 22** in the gym after both masses. Wreath forms and candles will be for sale for a nominal fee and greens and prayers to accompany your wreath are free.

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT**

Nov 8 week 19

Sacrificial giving \$ 3,907.00

**Thank you for sharing your time, treasure and talents with your parish family as God's faithful stewards!**

**OUR FATHER:** Starting with the 1st Sunday of Advent (Nov 29), I will be standing with the congregation, rather than up at the altar, separated from everyone, during the saying (singing) of the Our Father. That way we are most visibly all praying the prayer together.

Fr. Schwab

**PRAYER CORNER FOR FAMILY MEMBERS SERVING IN IRAQ, AFGHANISTAN OR OTHER AREAS OF CONFLICT:**

AJ Asche, John Jaszowski, Randy Shelton and Cpl. Donlon McGovern.

For a daily prayer for peace in Iraq: [www.prayercentral.net](http://www.prayercentral.net)

**WE REMEMBER BOOK:** During the month of November the church remembers those who have gone before us.

Pages for the We Remember Book are at the entrances of the church. You may take as many as you want and fill them out and put them in the We Remember Book which is at the back of the church.

**FOR YOUNG ADULTS:** IPJC Justice Café will host its 2nd gathering, Nov. 18, 7-8:15 pm at Palio Espresso and Dessert House, 1996 SE Ladd Ave. Topic will be Human Trafficking. Join a growing national movement of young adults acting for justice. Call Molly Cullen at St. Ignatius for information 503 777 1491 x227.

**SENIOR LUNCHEON: SAVE THE DATE! Dec. 2, 11:30 a.m. Mark your calendars now and watch for more details and sign up sheets.**

**IN THE LARGER COMMUNITY:**

**SACRED HEART-**Gervais, Or.: BBQ Chicken Dinner 485 - 7th St. Gervais 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Adults \$10, children \$6.00. Visit the "Sweet Shoppe & Country Store" also. Questions 503 982 9141.

**ST. MARY'S ACADEMY:** Basketball Clinic for Elementary and Middle School girls. Contact 503 228-8306 for more information.

**OUR LADY OF PEACE RETREAT HOUSE:** 2010 Silent Auction & Wine Tasting Feb 5, 2010 from 4 p.m.—8:30 p.m. \$35.00 per person. To purchase tickets by mail 3600 SW 170th Ave. Beaverton 97006.

**OUR LADY OF SORROWS:** SE 52nd & Woodstock An evening with 2 very talented local musicians, Michael Allen Harrison and Julianne Johnson, Nov 20, at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$15 general admission and \$25 preferred seating. Information 503 775 6731.

**HOLY ROSARY PARISH:** Holidays in the City Bazaar- Nov 21 from 9 a.m. –8p.m. and Nov 22 from 7:30 am-5:30 p.m. Dinner served after 5:30 mass on Saturday. Details 503 235-3163.

**CANDLE LIGHTING MEMORIAL SERVICE:** Dec. 6 at 2 pm Zeller Chapel of the Roses 2107 NE Broadway followed by a reception. Please contact Zellers to RSVP 503 287 1155. Light a candle of Love