

ST. CHARLES BORROME0 PORTLAND - NOVEMBER 6, 2011



Calendar

Sunday Nov. 6 Mass 8:30 & 11:00 am
 (Wis 6:12-16 Ps 63 1 Mt 25:1-13)
 Spaghetti Dinner 12—6:30 pm

Mon. Nov. 7 Communion Service 8 am

(Wis 1:1-7 Ps 139 Lk 17: 1-6)
 Sewing Ladies 10am Gym

Tue. Nov. 8 Communion Service 8 am

(Wis 2:23—3:9 Ps 34 Lk 177-10)
 Catholic Caucus 1:30 pm PC
 Multi-Cultural Mtg. 5pm PC
 HCAT 7 pm PC

Wed. Nov. 9 Mass 8 AM

(Ez 47:1-2,8-9,2 Ps 46 Jn 2:13-22)
 Holy Hour 8:30 am
 VHS 10 am Gym
 Altar Society Mtg. 1 pm PC
 Flower Committee Mtg. 2:30 pm Rm 3
 SVdeP 6:30 pm PC
 Pastoral Council 7 pm
 AA Mtg. 7:pm Rm15b

Thur. Nov. 10 Mass 8 AM

(Wis 7:22b-8:1 Ps 119 Lk 17:20-25)
 Share the Word 8:45 am PC
 Comm. to sick 9:45 am PC
 Balance Class 1-3pm PC
 Outside Church Doors 7pm PC

Fri. Nov. 11 Mass - 8 am

(Wis 13:1-9 Ps 19 Lk 17:26-37)
 VHS 9 am Gym
 AA Mtg. 7pm Rm. 15b

Sat., Nov. 12 Mass of Anointing of the Sick 11 am

(Wis 18:14-16;19:6-9 Ps 105 Lk 18:1-8)
 SVdeP pantry open 10am -12 pm
 Reconciliation 4 pm
 Vigil mass 5 pm

Next Sunday Nov. 13 Mass 8:30 & 11:00 am

(Prv 31:10-13,19-20,30-31 Ps 128 1 Thes 5:1-6 Mt 25:14-30)
 FF 9:45 am PC
 NurseryOpen 11am Rm15A
 c/r SF
 Blood pressure clinic after mass
 JourneyThruTheMass[®] 12:30pm PC
 AA 6:30 pm Rm15b
 Garden Meeting Gym
 (*** Outside the parish)

Please mark your calendars for the MACG HealthCare Assembly – Dec. 6th 7:00 p.m. at St. Andrew. More information to follow


News in the garden: The next garden meeting will be held November 13, beginning in the gym, time to be announced. We plan to put the garden "to bed" and sample some Jerusalem artichokes that we have been growing in our two raised beds. What would you like to see planted next year? We would love your input

SAVE THE DATE: upcoming events in the parish

- **Nov. 13** Journey thru the Mass 12:30pm PC
- **Nov. 19** Christmas Food Drive to benefit SVdeP
- **Nov. 24** Thanksgiving Day, Mass at 10 am
- **Dec. 06** MACG Health Care Assembly

PRAYERS OF SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Sick: Jenny Bailey (wife of Bill Bailey), Leslie Barbour, Jill Barrowcliff, Ruby Bigoni, Rachel Blalock, Jim Calabrese, Leonardo Campoy Burpoi (brother of Elna Oddy), Jim Carl, Bill Chilton, Dave Dahl, Katakei Dois (son of Marcie Dois), Betty Fettig, Lee Gallet, Anthony (Babe) Galluzzo (father of Angie McKinney), Ronnie Gluth, Martin Hickey, Than Hoang, Wes Jaszkwowiak (brother of Sr. Phyllis), Chuck Keenan, Barbara Keepes, Esther Klein, Rena Lopez, Michael Lynch (son of Ray Lynch), Shirley Lynch, Dorothy McNeill (mother of Jaqui Thomas), Theresa and Chester Miller, Marlene Mosbrucker (sister-in-law of Willilah Mosbrucker), Jennifer Norman, Sheryl Perry, L'orien Reilly, Joseph Rohleder, Bill Schmich (brother of Michael Schmich), Thelma Spence, Bill Trump (brother of Jeff Trump), Flazia Vaz (sister of Fr. Agnelo), Nikole Weir, Judy Winchell, Doris Woolley.
Please pray for these parishioners and all who are ill.

"**WE REMEMBER**" pages to remember our loved ones are in the back of church. Please take a page, write down all of the people you want remembered during the month of November, and put the page in the book. 

FAITH FORMATION

There is no Faith Formation this week due to the Spaghetti Dinner. Classes will resume November 13 with a special project that will continue through Advent. Candles for Advent wreaths will be on sale in the gym after all Masses on November 19-20.

A JOURNEY THROUGH THE NEW MASS

Join us in the church as we talk our way through the new translation of our Mass that will begin on the 1st Sunday of Advent. It should take us about 2 hours to explain what is going on, and to practice saying the new translations together. If we are going to be a praying community we need to know what we are doing and be able to do it well. Sun. afternoon, Nov.13 at 12:30 pm. Sessions led by Fr. Schwab. A light snack will be provided after the 11 am Mass before the session begins.

THANK YOU

Our family would like to thank all for extending their love and prayers for Harold. We shall live on with your love and prayers.
 Esther Klein & family.

PRAYER CORNER FOR OUR SERVICE MEMBERS SERVING IN IRAQ, AFGHANISTAN OR OTHER AREAS OF CONFLICT:

Kerry Lynch (granddaughter of Bob & Ginger O'Harrow)
 Randy Shelton II (grand nephew of Sr. Phyllis)
 Matthew Spady (grandson of Marjorie Fuscus)

ST. VINCENT de PAUL

This week the St Charles SVDP Conference helped provide food to 46 families for a total of 151 adults and children. If the little goblins and ghouls didn't take ALL of your Halloween candy – please donate it to our Pantry! On a healthier note, we could also use canned soups and vegetable and boxes of cereal!

You can place all of these needed items in the SVDP Food Box by the main entrance door to the Church.

Are you available to deliver a Holiday Food Box from SC SVDP to a local family? Delivery day will be on 12/17 or sometime during 12/18 to 12/22!

Pencil us into your calendar and more info will be coming your way soon!



FAMILY FAITH SHARING Matthew 35:1-13

There are only three Sundays left in our Church year. The gospels for each of these three Sundays comes from Jesus' last teachings before he suffered, died, and rose from the dead. Each of these is about the necessity of being ready for God to enter into our lives and what we can do to be ready. Today, in the Gospel of Matthew, we hear about five people who were prepared and five people who were not.

What kinds of things do you do in your family to prepare when special people are coming to your house? What do you do to make people feel welcome when they come to your house? This could be grandparents, aunts & uncles, cousins, playmates, or grown-up friends. What kinds of things can you do to be prepared for Jesus to come to your house at any time?

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

God's wisdom is found by those who diligently seek her. Every moment, every person, every place can be an opportunity for God's wisdom to be revealed. Paul says that divine wisdom is embodied in Christ, who will make his appearance at the end of time. Because Christ has been raised, we will also be raised to new life. We should console one another with this good news. It is the wisdom on which our faith depends.

Jesus contrasts the wise and foolish in the story of 10 bridesmaids who go out to welcome the bridegroom in the dead of night. Their lamps will light their way, but some of them were unprepared; they neglected to take the oil needed to keep their lamps lit. When the bridegroom appeared, it was too late.

No one can borrow another person's grace. We are given time to prepare ourselves for Christ's coming, but eventually time will run out. Then when we plea for the master to open heaven's door, we will hear him pronounce the dreadful verdict: "I do not know you."

For reflection: In what ways do I seek God's wisdom? How the Lord made his appearance known to me today?

THANK YOU!

A big thank you to Don Bryans for the new basketball rims

IN THE LARGER COMMUNITY

AHS Parents Club fundraising event at Papa Murphy's Tale N Bake Pizza, Thurs., Nov 20, 4pm—9pm

Michael Harrison Concert at Our Lady of Sorrows Community Church at SE 52nd and Woodstock. Nov 18, at 7pm, \$15 general admission and \$25 for preferred seating.

Annual Charity Craft Sale. Oregon Catholic Daughters of America will have the craft sale from 9am to 7pm on Sat., Nov. 12 at St. John's the Apostle Catholic Church, 417 Washington St., Oregon City

"Mother & Child" 40th Anniversary

Please join Mother & Child as we give thanks to God and celebrate 40 YEARS of welcoming and nurturing babies. St. Mary's Cathedral, 131 NW 7th, from 2 to 5pm on Sunday, Nov 3

Many St. Charles parishioners have played important roles as Board members, as Volunteers and especially as Supporters during these 40 years. We thank you all and ask that you join us as we celebrate 40 years of delivering love to moms & babies. Ample Free Parking. Refreshments. Music. Raffle Prizes. Visit with other supporters. Meet the Moms & Babies whose lives have been blessed. Info 503.249.5801 Email momchildPDX@gmail.com

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THE GOSPEL OUTSIDE THE CHURCH DOORS

What have the Popes said about the Gospel teachings of Jesus that affect the world that we live in? Classes on the Social Gospel of the church on the Thursdays, Nov. 10 and 17th from 7pm to 9pm in the Parish Center Sessions led by Fr. Schwab

ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS

The regular monthly meeting of the Altar Society will be on Wednesday, November 9th at 1:00pm. Also the Bake and Treasure sale will be coming up on the 3rd and 4th of December, with set-up on December 2nd. We will be needing to plan for that at our meeting this month.

Our hostesses for this month's meeting are Eula Vidan and Mary Pendergast with Carlene Suminski leading us in prayer.

Hope to see you all there.

HISTORY DISPLAY

While enjoying the spaghetti dinner take time to view the archival history display in the Emerson Street entry. Pictures and various trivia related to the history of the Church and school are displayed. Have a walk down memory lane!

The 8th grade graduation pictures are still on display in the Parish Office Entry.

Names and corrections are always appreciated. Contact Jeanne Allen, 503-287-3487 or the Parish office, 503-281-6461.

ST. CHARLES
61ST ANNUAL
SPAGHETTI DINNER

Today,
Sunday, November 6th
Noon—6:30pm

50/50 Raffle will be held during the dinner the price will be \$5 a ticket or 5 for \$20.