

# ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO PORTLAND



## Calendar

### Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Ez 2:2-5 Ps 123 2 Cor 12:7-10 Mk 6:1-6a)

**Masses 8:30 and 11 a.m.**

NO coffee and rolls

Pump School- 2-4:30 pm gym

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

(Gn 28:10-22a Ps 91 Mt 9:18-26)

Altar Soc.Crafts 10 a.m. PC

Pump School- 8am -4:30pm gym

Tue: **Mass 8 a.m.** (Gn 32:23-33 Ps 17 Mt 9:32-38)

Holy Hour 8:30 a.m.

Pump School 8am -4:30pm gym

Wed: **Mass 8 a.m.**

(Gn 41:55-57;42:5-7a, 17-24a Ps33 M 10:1-7t)

Pump School 8-4:30 gym

Staff mtg. 9 am PC

Obesity survey-5:30 pm Ainsworth United Church of Christ

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

Thur: **Mass 8 am** (Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29;45:1-5)

Share the Word 8:45 a.m. PC

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

Pump School 8-4:30 gym

Fri : **Mass 8 am.** (Gn 46:1-7,28-30 Ps 37 Mt 10:16-23)

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

Sat. **No morning mass**

(Gn 49:29-32;50:15-26a Ps 105 Mt 10:24-33)

Altar Society Church clean up 10 am

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

**Reconciliation 4-4:30 p.m.**

**Vigil Mass 5 p.m.**

Blood Pressure Clinic after mass -office

Next Sunday : **Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

(Am 7:12-15 Ps 85 Eph 1:3-14 Mk 6:7-13)

Masses 8:30 and 11 a.m.

Coffee and rolls RCIA

Blood Pressure Clinic after masses- office

\* indicates outside of parish

### PRAYERS OF SPECIAL INTENTIONS

**Sick:** Jill Barrowcliff, Joan Bruneau, Harold Klein, Bill Schmich, Harriet and Larry Strand, Toni Baker, Pat Turner, Scott Brown, John and Dolores Nielsen, Hoi Tran, Lee Gallet, Debra Hanson, Sally Gennett, Ivan Hamling, Shirley Lynch, Rosalie Hayward, Tony Mapapalangi and Clara LeBrun.

Death: Edwin Fahnbulleh family member of the Smith-Buani family.

Please pray for these parishioners

**CHURCH CLEANING DAY:** July 11 at 10 a.m. is church cleaning day—come one come all. Lots of people showed up last month and we were done in no time.

THANKS AGAIN FOR ALL YOUR HELP.

Thank you to everyone for your care, concern, cards, calls and prayers during my illness. It really helps.

Ginger O'Harrow

### ST. CHARLES ST. VINCENT dePAUL:

This week the St. Charles St. Vincent dePaul Conference helped provide food to 34 families for a total of 206 adults and children, We also helped 2 clients to pay their utility bills, thus avoiding shut off and 1 client with their rent.

Please check your shelves for boxed cereal, cookies, canned fruits and top ramen. You can bring these much needed items to the Pantry (open hours, Saturday 11am- 1pm) or place the items in the SVDP Food Box by the main entrance to the church.!

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

We often celebrate our independence on the 4th of July with BBQ's and fireworks. We would also like to celebrate and thank you for helping us do our SVDP Ministry. Without the generous support of the St. Charles Parish ( in the form of prayer, food and/or cash,) the independence and freedom of our clients from poverty would not be possible.

**YOUTH MINISTRY COORDINATOR:** We are seeking a part time (approx. 16 hrs. per week) Youth Ministry Coordinator to begin work this summer. Applicant needs to be an active, confirmed Catholic, have experience working with youth, with strong organizational skills. Also important in this position is the ability to relate to a variety of people.

If you are interested in this position, please contact Joan Winchester 503 281 6461 or email [joanw@stcharlespdx.org](mailto:joanw@stcharlespdx.org) for information regarding the interview process.

**WORLD VISION:** Please see the resource board at the main entrance of the church for the detailed information of the resources provided through the Faith Formation Lenten Outreach Program. Thank you to all who contributed to this worthy outreach.

**HUMANITY IN PERSPECTIVE:** What is Humanity in Perspective? HIP is a 2 semester college course for adults who do not have a college degree and who face financial barriers to continuing their education. The course is offered by the Oregon Council for the Humanities and is taught by Reed College professors. HIP is completely free: college credit, books, bus tickets and child care are provided at no charge. Class meets twice weekly from 7-9 p.m. in downtown Portland beginning Sept 17. You need to apply by July 24 if interested and applications are in the parish office.

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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:**

It is not easy to be God's prophet. Often people turn a deaf ear to the truth, especially when the one speaking is someone they live and work with or when you are that prophet. Why should they listen to you? You become discouraged and feel like giving up. But the Spirit stands you on your feet and gives you courage to try again. Whether the people listen or not, at least they will know that there has been a prophet among them.

Paul understood how it felt to be mocked by the proud and arrogant. He had to keep his eyes on the Lord, knowing that the power of Christ would enable him to be strong when he was weak. He was confident that God's grace would be sufficient for him. Jesus also endured derision. Why should anyone listen to him — he was only a carpenter! His mother and relatives were their neighbors! Jesus knew that a prophet was never accepted by his own. Since those he knew and loved lacked faith, Jesus could work no miracle among his own people. Without faith, it was impossible to see the sacred in their midst.

***Have I proclaimed the gospel of peace today? Am I able to maintain hope in times of discouragement and opposition?***

**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!

This Gospel story tells us how Jesus goes to Nazareth with his disciples. When the Sabbath came, he began to teach in the synagogue, and many were amazed at what he said. And they asked, "Where did he get all this knowledge? What kind of wisdom has been given to him? What mighty things has he done with his hands? Isn't he just a carpenter, the son of Mary and Joseph?" And they didn't like him. Because of this, he wasn't able to perform any "mighty deeds" there, but did cure a few people by laying hands on them. He was surprised at their lack of faith.

***Would Jesus be amazed at the lack of faith in your home? Why or why not? What can you do to strengthen your faith?***

**ST. CHARLES ANNUAL CAMPOUT:** It is time to start planning for the parish campout. The dates to mark down on your calendar are Aug 14, 15, 16 at Oxbow Park. An outdoor mass is planned for Saturday Aug 15 at 7:30 pm. Come for the whole weekend, come for a day or just stop by to visit and have a bite in the great outdoors.

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT**

	each week	YTD
Sac. Giv. needed	11,400.00	296,400.00
Sac Giv. <b>(6/21 and 28 2009)</b>	<b>6,478.00</b>	<b>216,415.00</b>
(after 52 weeks)	- 4,922.00	- 79,985.00

We need an average of \$5700.00 each weekend to meet the 2008-09 budgeted offertory income. We need an average of \$9043.00 each weekend to meet the 2008-09 total budgeted income. The additional \$3374.00 needed weekly comes from rentals, fundraisers, and other income. **Thank you for sharing your time, treasure and talents with your parish family as God's faithful stewards!**

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

AJ Asche, Lindsay Jaszkwiaik and Adam and Michelle Sterling

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

**ECONOMIC JUSTICE FOR ALL:** A Catholic Framework for Economic Life (A statement of the US Bishops) As followers of Jesus Christ and participants in a powerful economy, Catholics in the US are called to work for greater economic justice in the face of persistent poverty and growing income gaps in the US and around the world. We urge Catholics to use the following ethical framework for economic life as principles for reflection, criteria for judgment and direction for action. These principles are drawn directly from Catholic teaching on economic life. In the following weeks we will publish principles established by the US Bishops:

10. The global economy has moral dimensions and human consequences. Decisions on investment, trade, aid, and development should protect human life and promote human rights, especially for those most in need wherever they might live on this globe.

**IN THE LARGER COMMUNITY:**

**URBAN LEAGUE OF PORTLAND:** Do you know someone that needs help with the television change? Check on your friends, neighbors, family and church members to see if their televisions are working. The Urban League continues to be available to help you —determine what needs to be done—order coupons—create a plan to get it done. 503 280 2600.

**CAMP HOWARD:** offers a weekend Volleyball camp for girls ages 9-14. Camp runs from July 10-12. Register on line with a \$50 deposit at [WWW.CYOCAMPHOWARD.ORG](http://WWW.CYOCAMPHOWARD.ORG) for \$170 including transportation, food and lodging.

**METROPOLITAN CATHOLIC FELLOWSHIP:** is holding their 8th annual Welcome to Summer BBQ. Young adults of the Portland Metro area will be gathering in NW Portland at 5 pm on July 11 for a bbq with live music and dancing. Information call 503 201 3356.

**UNIVERSITY OF PORTLAND:** 3rd Annual President's Invitational Golf Tournament, Aug 14 at Pumpkin Ridge Golf Course. For information contact 503 943-7395.

**SOARING SPIRITS LOSS FOUNDATION:** Conference on widowhood July 17-19 at San Diego Marriott Hotel. For information [www.sslf.org](http://www.sslf.org) or 877 671 4071 x 706.