

THIS WEEK AT HOLY ROSARY

Sunday, 15 November 2015

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

2nd Collection for Catholic Campaign for Human Development
Coffee & Doughnuts after the 7, 9 & 11 AM Masses

Holy Family Dominican Laity – 9:00 AM

Confirmation CCD – 10:00 AM

Highschool CCD – 10:00 AM

Monday, 16 November 2015

K-8 CCD – 4:30 PM

C.L. – 7:00 PM

Children's Choir – 7:00 PM

Dominican Forum – 7:30 PM

Tuesday, 17 November 2015

St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Bible Study – 6:00 PM

RCIA – 7:00 PM

Lecture on Dominican History – 7:30 PM

Wednesday, 18 November 2015

Dedication of the Basilicas of SS. Peter and Paul

Holy Rosary Dominican Laity Council Meeting – 6:30 PM

Thursday, 19 November 2015

World Apostolate of Fatima Meeting – 6:30 PM

Boy Scouts – 7:00 PM

Great Books – 7:30 PM

Friday, 20 November 2015

Little Flowers – 9:30 AM

Blue Knights – 1:00 PM

Saturday, 21 November 2015

Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Nocturnal Adoration – 7:00 PM

Young Adult Dance Class – 7:00 PM

Sunday, 22 November 2015

Christ the King

2nd Collection for the Dominican Mission Appeal

Holy Rosary Dominican Laity – 8:30 AM

Confirmation CCD – 10:00 AM

Highschool CCD – 10:00 AM

THANKSGIVING BASKETS FOR THE NEEDY

The Dominican Laity of Holy Rosary Chapter with the help of the families of Holy Rosary Parish reach out to the needy in our parish and neighborhood with bountiful Thanksgiving baskets for approximately 75 families each year. If you will be donating to this wonderful cause please consider giving items from our list of must-haves when making your contributions. Frozen turkeys are number one on our list of needs. 15 - 20 lbs is a good weight. Baskets would not be complete without these items: stuffing, cranberries, olives, pickles, canned vegetables, frozen pies, whipped topping, butter, gravy, canned fruit, and jello. Donations of cash can be put in the Sunday or weekday collection basket. Food donations may be dropped off in the barrels located in Siena Hall and in the vestibule of the Church. Frozen items may be dropped off in Siena Hall on Sundays, or call Cecelia Hoesly at 503-236-8393. The people we touch by our help have sent cards and letters of thanks over the years and it is to you they truly offer their heartfelt thanks.

NEW HOLY ROSARY EMAIL

The office at Holy Rosary Church is now able to send parish-wide messages right to your inbox! This email list will help keep you up to date on the most important Church info, including:

- Advent & Christmas schedules
 - Lent & Easter schedules
 - Other holiday schedules
 - Upcoming special liturgies
 - Other announcements/messages at the discretion of the pastor
- If you have not yet received an email from the office, but wish to be included on the list, please **send us an email using the new address: holyrosarypdx@parishmail.com**.

ANNUAL ST. NICHOLAS CHRISTMAS TREE

The Holy Family Third Order chapter is preparing its annual St. Nicholas Christmas Tree. This ministry assists parish families over Christmas, with gifts and groceries. If your family would benefit from this ministry, please don't hesitate to email st.nicholaschristmastree@yahoo.com or call 360 281 3734. The only way we can reach new families is by word of mouth, so we need your help! If you are aware of a parish family who could use a little extra help this Christmas, please pass their information on to the email address above.

HIGH SCHOOL SOCIAL

All high school aged kids are welcome to join our Dominican priests for a night of fun. Dinner and game night, with prizes, on **Friday, November 20th** at 6 PM. If interested in joining, please contact Lisa Edson at jmjedson@gmail.com. This event will be at the Edson home in Tigard. Come and bring a friend if you like. Parents are welcome to stay. **Please RSVP**, so I know how much food to make. See you on the 20th!

THANKSGIVING SCHEDULE, Thursday 11/26 - Friday 11/27

- 10 AM Mass only
- Church open 9 AM to Noon
- No 7 AM or Noon Mass
- No Confessions
- No Exposition
- Parish Office closed

CCD FOOD DRIVE

Our Monday afternoon CCD classes will be collecting canned and boxed food for the parish Thanksgiving Baskets. Notices went home with students last week, but in case you haven't received one, the collection days will be November 2, 9 and 16. Please be generous! Thank you.

PHILOSOPHY NIGHT

November 19 at St. Stephen's

Join Fr. Eric Andersen for a discussion on the book "The End of Time: A Meditation on the Philosophy of History" by Josef Pieper. Thursday, November 19 from 7-9 PM in the Parish Hall at St. Stephen's. 1112 SE 41st Ave. Portland. "This book was written to throw light on an ancient question that has vexed and tormented many. What is the nature of 'The End' toward which, even now, the world and men are moving?" (back cover notes). No reading is required ahead of time, nor is prior attendance necessary to enjoy our discussion. The book is available in book form and on Kindle through Ignatius Press and amazon.com.

DRINKS WITH DOMINICANS

Monday, November 30, at 7 PM

(young adults in their 20s & 30s)

Green Dragon Bistro & Pub

928 SE 9th Ave, Portland, OR 97214

The Trinity: Christianity's Ultimate Mystery

The Holy Trinity is the most mysterious and most sublime mystery of the Christian faith. Yet since God created us in His own image and likeness, there has to be something in ourselves that reflect this mystery. Come and we shall try to figure out what this is over a tankard of beer.

Speaker: Fr. Gerald Buckley, O.P.

I am enjoying my third assignment to Holy Rosary in Portland. This time it is in blessed retirement. Throughout my many years as a Dominican I graduated from St. Albert's College in Oakland and the Angelicum University in Rome, taught theology at Dominican College and St. Mary's College, both in California, was the first Dominican Newman chaplain at the University of Oregon and Arizona State, and spent a lot of time preaching throughout the US.

COME AND SEE DISCERNMENT WEEKEND

Single Catholic men in their 20s and 30s are invited to attend a Come and See Discernment Weekend at St. Albert the Great Priory, our Dominican house of studies in Oakland, California. Since our first one on November 6-8 is already full, we have added a second one: November 20-22. Don't miss this great opportunity to pray, learn about Dominican life, and meet our student brothers, novices, and their formators. Space is limited! To register, contact Fr. Stephen Maria Lopez, O.P., Director of Vocations, at vocations@opwest.org or 510-638-8722.

CONCERT IN HONOR OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Sunday, Nov. 22, 2:30 PM, at St. Mary's Cathedral, NW Portland. One performance only in Portland of "Il Poverello" – Music for St. Francis of Assisi by the Rose Ensemble (St. Paul, Minn.). This joyful program will lift your spirits with hymns and spiritual songs and light-hearted readings about or written by St. Francis himself. Presented by Cappella Romana. Tickets and info at cappellaromana.org or 503-236-8202.

LECTURE ON DOMINICAN HISTORY

Tuesday, November 17, 7:30 PM

Join Fr. Gabriel in Siena Hall this Tuesday for a livestream lecture entitled *New Perspectives on Early Lay Dominicans: Our Changing Understanding of the Black Penitents and Dominican Third Order in the Middle Ages*. Fr. Augustine Thompson, O.P., Professor of History at DSPT, will explain our evolving understanding of early lay Dominicans. Fr. Augustine has written extensively on the religious life of lay people in Medieval Italy and is the author of the best-selling "Francis of Assisi: A New Biography." This lecture is part of our celebration of the 800th Jubilee Year of the Order of Preachers.



Ladies Advent Brunch

November 28, 9:00 – 11:30 AM in Siena Hall

We are looking forward to seeing old friends and making new ones as we share food, conversation, and family traditions. Grandmothers, mothers, aunts, sisters, daughters and friends from communion age and up are welcome to attend. You are invited to bring your Advent Wreath to be blessed.

Please RSVP to Katie Edson at katherine.edson@gmail.com with the numbers of guests from your family and the breakfast dish you will bring to share.