

THIS WEEK AT HOLY ROSARY

Sunday, 7 September 2014

Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Parish Brunch in honor of Virginia Johnston after the 9 & 11 A.M. Masses

Monday, 8 September 2014

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Knights of Columbus – 6:00 P.M.

Tuesday, 9 September 2014

St. Peter Claver

Rosary Makers – 10:00 A.M.
Exposition Ends – 5:30 P.M.
St. Vincent de Paul – 7:00 P.M.
Confirmation Mass – 7:00 P.M.
Reception following Mass

Wednesday, 10 September 2014

C.L. – 7:00 P.M.

Thursday, 11 September 2014

Cub/Boy Scouts – 7:00 P.M.

Friday, 12 September 2014

Most Holy Name of Mary
Exposition Ends – 5:30 P.M.
T4:12 Teen Fellowship – 7:00 P.M.
Children's Adoration – 8:00 P.M.

Saturday, 13 September 2014

St. John Chrysostom

Dominican Laity – 8:45 A.M.

Sunday, 14 September 2014

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Exaltation of the Cross
Missa Cantata – 11:00 A.M.

CONFIRMATION 2014

Join us on Tuesday evening, September 9, for the Rite of Confirmation with Archbishop Alexander Sample. The Mass begins at 7 P.M., followed by a reception in Siena Hall. Please pray for our 21 parish teens and their sponsors. Registration for next year's class has begun; if you are entering the freshman or sophomore year and wish to be confirmed next fall, register now!

VIRGINIA JOHNSTON'S RETIREMENT PARTY

Parish Brunch, Sunday, September 7, 10 A.M. - 1 P.M.

Please join us after the 9 A.M. and 11 A.M. Masses for a wonderful complimentary brunch put on by Holy Rosary Parish and the Knights of Columbus in honor of our beloved Virginia Johnston. We are sincerely grateful for her years of dedicated service to our parish community.

CONTINUING BIBLE STUDY

Please join us as we continue our Bible study with Jeff Cavins. We completed 12 sessions before summer break and have 10 more to go. It's not too late to join us; newcomers are welcome. Meeting time is every other Tuesday, 6:00 P.M. in Siena Hall starting on September 2. For more info, contact Jane Milton at jcmilton@gmail.com or 503-681-9431.

NEW STAFF MEMBER

The parish staff welcomes a new member this week. Katie Edson has been hired as the Events Coordinator, bringing with her a wealth of knowledge from the food service and catering industry. With Katie, Fr. Dismas, and Br. Andrew Dominic all joining us, we are looking forward to a wonderful year at the parish as we continue to build upon our foundations of liturgy, preaching, education, and community.

RCIA

Is God calling you to the Catholic Church? Perhaps you've been coming to Mass for a while, but are not Catholic. We invite you to look deeper into the richness of Catholicism. Learn more about our beliefs, traditions, and rituals through the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) process. Sessions begin in mid-September. For more information, contact Ken via email at ken@hallenius.org or call 503-803-7277.

WELCOME BR. ANDREW DOMINIC, O.P.!



Holy Rosary Church and Priory is blessed to welcome another student brother—Br. Andrew Dominic Yang, O.P.—for his residency year. Part of the eight years of preparation for life as a Dominican friar, this is a non-academic year that allows the brother

in formation to experience full-time ministry and living in a Dominican community outside the house of studies. Originally from Fullerton, California, Br. Andrew Dominic graduated with a B.A. in Political Science from the University of California, San Diego. He worked in banking before joining the Dominicans in 2011. Having completed a hospital chaplaincy internship this summer, Br. Andrew Dominic arrived on Saturday, August 30, and renewed his vows at the 9:00 A.M. Mass on Sunday, August 31.



HOLY ROSARY CHURCH IS ON FACEBOOK!

Please visit and "like" our page. You will find information and photos related to events in the parish, Archdiocese of Portland, and the Dominican Order. Pictures from the renewal of vows have been posted!

CCD

Classes begin soon, so please register now for the 2014-15 academic year. We have a great line up of teachers, and look forward to another successful year of religious education for the children of the parish. This fall, we welcome Paula Foster, who has assisted with our kindergarten class for several years and now will be teach first grade, and Roy Friend, who is new to the program and has agreed to take on the fourth grade teaching spot. Retiring from "active duty" after many years of generous and faithful service to our CCD program are Linda Wolf and Lisa Ludwikoski. If you would like to sign up as a substitute on Monday afternoons, grades K-8, or for either of the Sunday high school classes, please contact the office.

HIGH SCHOOL CCD

St. Peter calls us to "Always be prepared to make a defense to anyone who calls you to account for the hope that is in you, yet do it with gentleness and reverence." (1 Peter 3:15, RSV-CE). This fall, we will be offering a course aimed at preparing our youth to do just that. Based on the *Beginning Apologetics* books from San Juan Catholic Seminars, the course will be taught by Suchi Myjak on Sunday mornings between the 9 and 11 am Masses. Post-Confirmation high-school students are invited to join the class and learn how to respond to Protestants, atheists, and others who question their beliefs, and present the Catholic perspective on major issues based on Scripture and history. In addition to the Bible, we will be studying excerpts from the writings of the Church Fathers and the Catechism related to each topic. We will also practice answering typical objections and learn about resources to find answers. It is our hope that this course will enrich students' understanding of their faith, enabling them to defend it ably and charitably.

CATHOLIC WOMEN REJOICE CONFERENCE

Come join us for a day of fellowship and friendship! All are welcome at the Catholic Women Rejoice conference on September 27 at St. Joseph's church in Vancouver, WA. This one day event starts with Mass at 10:30 and features speakers Teresa Tomeo, Danielle Bean, and Lisa Hendey. Breakfast and lunch will be provided, and Catholic vendors will display homemade artisan products. Visit www.catholicwomenrejoice.com to register or get more information. You can also contact parishioner Gabriela Karl at 503-290-4768 with questions.

ROSARY CONFRATERNITY

You are invited to join the Rosary Confraternity, a group of men and women who are devoted to the mission of the Dominican Order. By praying this "sword of justice", they pray the rosary three times a week. You may already be a member of the Confraternity by your own life of prayer! Join in the benefits of the Dominican Order and the Confraternity! Visit our website at www.rosary-center.org
- Fr. Isaiah Mary Molano, OP



WOMEN'S SILENT RETREAT

September 26 – 28, 2014

Retreat Master: Fr. Stephen Maria Lopez, O.P.

Theme: "*Mary, Our Model of Discipleship*"

Our Lady of Peace Retreat

3600 SW 170th Ave, Beaverton

\$150 for the weekend

The retreat begins with Dinner on Friday and concludes midday Sunday. To register or for more information, call 503-649-7127; email: sisters@olpretreat.org; or visit our website at www.olpretreat.org



OPENING MASS WITH BISHOP PETER SMITH

Saturday, September 27, 8:00 A.M.

St. Rose of Lima

2727 NE 54th Ave.

Portland 97213

Following Mass:

Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy with Rev. John Boyle at Planned Parenthood, 3727 NE M.L.K Jr. Blvd. For more information, contact: Therese Ruesink 503-997-1884 or ruesinktherese@comcast.net



RELIQUARIES

Holy Rosary Church possesses a number of sacred relics. On certain feast days some are brought out for veneration by the faithful. The most common of these are those of the Holy Cross, St. Dominic, and the Veil of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is possible because these particular relics are contained in reliquaries made for the veneration of the faithful at the altar rail. Recently more relics have been offered to the parish, under the condition that the relics will be venerated publicly. With these additions, our relics may include the crown of thorns, St. Thomas Aquinas, St. Vincent Ferrer, St. Pius X, St. Therese, St. Vincent de Paul, St. Rita, and others). As of yet these relics have no reliquaries and remain for the most part hidden. If you are interested in helping fund worthy housing for the Saints of God please consider making a donation. Thank you to those who have already given.

MARRIAGE BANNS

Megan Alexandra Gadda and Anthony Nicholis Buell, September 13, 2014

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