

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

FIRST READING: Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37-43 (42ABC)
SECOND READING: Colossians 3:1-4 **GOSPEL:** John 20:1-9

A WORD FROM FATHER KELLY

ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!

“For he is the true Lamb who has taken away the sins of the world; by dying he has destroyed our death, and by rising, restored our life” (words of Preface I of Easter). For 40 days we have sought to prepare our hearts and to overcome sin by penance and charitable works so that this, our celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, might truly assure us that life has been restored and that death is no longer victorious.

Last night, at the Easter Vigil, several people were welcomed into the Catholic Church through Baptism, Confirmation, and First Eucharist. Others, those who were previously baptized in other Christian denominations, were received into full-communion through a profession of faith, and still others received Confirmation and First Eucharist. To them all – CONGRATULATIONS! May you find here a faith-filled community of love, compassion, and joy! Daily may we continue to grow as God’s family, believers in Jesus Christ his Risen Son!

Easter, indeed, is a time of grace and joy as we become more and more aware of how much our God truly does love us... We need 50 days to rejoice and celebrate that love and allow it to become that which guides our daily living. On the night before he died, Jesus Christ washed the feet of his disciples to provide us with an example of how to serve one another. May our love of God manifest itself in service to our sisters and brothers.

A sincere thank you to all who served our parish community to make our Triduum and Easter celebrations the wonderful prayer they should be: the Liturgy Committee, liturgical ministers, musicians and choirs, church decorators, those who prepared the Easter fire and prepared the parish hall, and so many others... I truly thank you for your time and your talent!

As you join your families and friends this day to rejoice in “life restored”, please keep Archbishop-designate Alexander Sample in your prayers as we welcome him to the Archdiocese of Portland and celebrate his Installation as the eleventh Archbishop of Portland in Oregon on Tuesday afternoon.

HAPPY EASTER!

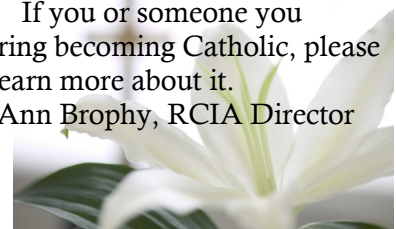
PLEASE WELCOME

OUR NEWLY INITIATED CATHOLICS!

Congratulations and welcome to our parish's 26 newly initiated Catholics who diligently prepared in RCIA this year to come into the full communion of the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil! Our elect (who were baptized at Easter) are: Albert Lara, Lena Ton-Nu, Katelyn Padgett, Whitney Yeaman, Rita Hernandez, Billie Jo Brown, Sarah Ashby, Alejandro Limon, Mily Katty Redondo, Makalya Madden, Kasandra Lara, and Tatiana Barajas. Our candidates (already baptized) are: Stacy Madden, Neal Governor, Cynthia Stanley, Michael Morgan, Lori Roberts, David Awbrey, Jennifer Limon, Erica Bakke-Means, Tanya Lara, Alfredo Gallegos, Maureen Anthony, Lawrence Valdez, Julisa Hernandez, Tomas Hernandez and Ansonni Hernandez.

Thanks also to the RCIA team that taught and mentored them on their journey: catechists Shari Lloyd, Danielle Perone, Jeannette Henault, and RCIA parish sponsors Mary Jo and Bill Anderson, Connie and Scott Smith, and Kent Clinkenbeard, as well as the sponsors invited by the elect and candidates, and hospitality coordinator Kathy Zoll!

Thank you again, Sacred Heart parish, for your prayers and enthusiastic welcome of our newest Catholics! If you or someone you know are considering becoming Catholic, please give me a call to learn more about it. Happy Easter! - Ann Brophy, RCIA Director



Financial Report

Year to date through	3/17/2013	3/18/2012
Offertory received	\$694,761.31	\$663,479.34
Needed for Budget	\$663,207.54	\$679,615.53
Over (Under) Budget	\$31,553.77	(\$16,136.19)

God gives all, then calls us to share. Thank you for sharing!

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY SERVICE

Please join us for our Divine Mercy Service on April 7th at 3:00 p.m. for Benediction and singing the Divine Mercy Chaplet. A reception will follow in the Hall.

"Tell aching mankind to snuggle close to my merciful heart, and I will fill it with peace."

~~ St. Faustina's Diary, 1074



ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASSES BEGIN SOON

"Every baptized Catholic not yet confirmed can - and should - receive the Sacrament of Confirmation." (CCC1306)

If you're a practicing adult Catholic who has received your First Communion but have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation, you may do so through our six-session Adult Confirmation series this spring. You'll then be confirmed on May 12! Class will meet every Thursday, April 4 through May 9, from 5:15 - 6:30 in the Parish Office. Don't miss this opportunity to grow in faith and grace! To register, please contact Ann Brophy at the Parish Office or abrophy@shcs.org.

JOURNEY TO SANCTITY

Discover the Untold Blessing of true Holiness by participating in Fr. Robert Barrons' spiritual study: *Untold Blessing: Three Paths to Holiness*. We will meet for 90 minutes for 7 weeks beginning on **Monday, April 8th at 1:00 p.m.** in the Parish Hall. Our goal will be to learn more about this journey to sanctity which involves knowing the truth about yourself and allowing God to work through you for the good of His creation. The program will involve watching a weekly DVD presentation by Father Barron and answering / discussing questions found in the corresponding Study Guide and Workbook, which can be purchased at the first class for \$10.00. Please contact Marilyn Gradwell if you are interested or have questions at marilyn@xcsoaring.com or 541-899-7034.

Please bring your bible and Catechism of the Catholic Church.

ARCHBISHOP'S INSTALLATION MASS

The Installation Mass for Archbishop Alexander Sample will be celebrated on Easter Tuesday, April 2, 2013 at 2:00 p.m. at the University of Portland's Chiles Center. The entrance procession will begin at 1:45 p.m., and the Mass is expected to last about 2½ hours. All are invited to attend. Doors to the Chiles Center will open at Noon. Seating for the public will be first-come, first-served. There will be a public reception at the Chiles Center immediately following the Mass. Parking will be limited at the university since school is in session, so please consider using public transportation or carpooling. We are expecting 200 priests, thirty bishops, and one cardinal. The Installation Mass will be live-streamed over the internet, with Fr. Tim Mockaitis and Dina Marie Hale of KBVM serving as commentators. Log on to the diocesan website to view: www.archdpdx.org.

We will provide the live-streaming here in our Church projected on the large screen. Doors will open at 1:15. If you have any questions, please contact Marie Chandler.

PLEASE PRAY for the ill of our parish especially: Denny Ferrin, Richard Goble, Kathy Kim, Marjie Perrine, Genevieve Plante, Eileen Van Dyck, Margaret Welk, Brian Chachere, Rosary Brooks, Margaret Mucha, Vickie Harris, Shizuka McCue, John Preston, Trudy Oman, Mabel Keenan, Margherita La Hue, Jeff Leroy, Lucina Guerrero, Thelma Roberts, Sharon Senske, Marie Casilio, Mary Beveridge, Rita Morrell, Rose Casagrande, Helen Doody, Mickey Ketchum, Marion & Bill Owens, Dick & Beverly Handley, and Calvin & Maria Schwenk.

Please pray for the deceased of our parish.

No 7:00 a.m. Mass April 1 -- 19


8:30 a.m. DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

M. Apr. 1:	+Allison Davis
T. Apr. 2:	+Arnold Paradis
W. Apr. 3:	Craig and Jane Horton
Th. Apr. 4:	+Ruth Taft
Fr. Apr. 5:	+Joe Hohmann
Sat. Apr. 6:	+Genevieve Holcom

Sun. Apr. 7 -- 7:00 a.m. +Gordon Koehler

Sun. Apr. 7 -- 8:30 a.m. Catholic Daughters


**4 Parishioners Extraordinaire
needed for Service Work**



Living the Eucharist
**Needs helping hands to bus
tables and clean up during our Banquet
Sacred Heart Parish Hall**

**Tuesday, April 9, 2013
6:30 to 9:30PM
(for 2 or 3 Hrs.)**

Call Sylvia 541-301-9599 or
BJ 541-772-8292



**PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC
ADORATION**

Could you not keep watch for one hour?
Mk 14: 37 In this Year of Faith please consider committing to a weekly hour of Eucharistic Adoration. To sign up for an hour of Adoration, please call Dan or Sarah 541-582-3717.

ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS

Happy Easter! May the Joy and Peace of the Risen Lord be yours this Holy Season. Looking forward to seeing many of you at the Annual Easter Monday Luncheon at Twin Creeks, April 1.

The next **Evening Meeting** will be April 4th, with a potluck dinner at the home of Louise Gorman. Robin Dickson, from Dogs for the Deaf will be the featured speaker.

Morning Meeting: April 8th, at 11:00. Main entrance will be the Easter Ham. Ladies, bring a dessert or salad to share and your own table service. Election of Officers for 2013-2014 will be held.

Upcoming event in May, will be the **Mother's Day Plant Sale and Tamale Sale**, May 5th after the Masses. More information will be given at the monthly meetings.

The **May meeting** will be held Saturday, May 11, at Horton Plaza featuring a buffet lunch for \$12. Both Evening Group and Morning Group will attend for the Installation of Officers.



**2013 ARCHBISHOP'S CATHOLIC APPEAL
UPDATE**

Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2013 Archbishop's Catholic Appeal. 382 Sacred Heart Parish households (24%) have pledged \$52,071 which is 70% towards our goal of \$74,454.

Every gift means so much! If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment card located in the back of the Church and return it to the Office in the coming days. We would like 100% participation in showing our support of the Archbishop and our Catholic Church in western Oregon.

**Thank you Advertiser of the Week
HEARTHSTONE Rehabilitation Center**

Please thank our Advertisers with your patronage.

To place an ad call Jack Wallich at
1-800-867-0660. Thank you.

**SACRED HEART PARISH PICNIC
SAVE THE DATE! SATURDAY, JULY 13**

11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Fitchner-Mainwaring Park, Medford
Food, Games, Fun!

Contact: Melanie Bonagofski 541-779-4454
to be part of the planning team.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS – SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Catholic Daughters will hold an evening meeting AND our morning meeting. Monday, April 1st at 6:30 p.m. in the hall Don Hogge will be our guest speaker. He will talk about St. Rita's Retreat Center. Yes, there is a wonderful Catholic Retreat Center in our area! Please bring a light snack to share. Plus we will meet Tuesday, April 2nd Don will again speak about St. Rita's. We gather in the church at 8:00 a.m. for the Rosary, followed by the 8:30 a.m. Mass, then to the hall for a light snack. Please bring something to share. Coffee and tea will be available. Our meeting will start at 9:30 a.m. All women of the parish are invited to attend, come meet with women of the parish. We gather to support each other spiritually in prayer and fellowship.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Please come and join us for Sunday morning Religious Education Classes 9:50 a.m. until 11:15 a.m. Preschool through 5th Grade. Find out why it is “So Cool to be Catholic”!!!

On Sunday March 17th we were delighted to have our own Father Kelly come to our Sunday morning Assembly to bless our Catechists.

Please take the time to thank a Catechist. I have been sincerely blessed this year to have an awesome and very dedicated group of catechists who have freely given of their faith, time and talents. Without these very special people in our parish Sacred Heart would not have this crucial Religious education program for our children.

Catechists & Student Helpers to thank are...

Preschool

(Catechists) Nacole McGivney; Kacey Kanahale; Edna Rodriguez; Paella Ruelas
(Student Helpers) Anthony Bock; Avery Nuckols; Antonio Rocha

Kindergarten

Emma Jantzer & Leyna Garcia

Year 1

Betty Rochon & Amanda Long



Year 2

Linda Filardi & Shannon Hagler
(Student Helper) Bailey Nuckols

Year 3

Renee Rostel; Denette Sellers & Claire Bock
(Student Helper) Jacob Cannon

Year 4/5

Patrick Rochon & Marlene Nuckols
So remember to Thank one or all of these great people!!!!



CLASSES RESUME SUNDAY APRIL 7TH

Vacation Bible School -- June 24th to June 28th
Save those dates!!! This Year's theme will be “Kingdom Rock” and of course we will be including Saint Francis in honor of our new Pope on our daily Saint days.

Wishing everyone a Happy and Holy Easter.



NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

If your child is in fourth grade or older and has received their First Communion, they are eligible to attend the upcoming altar server training! Training will be held in the church on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, 5:30-6:30 on April 16, 18, 23, 25, 30 and May 2. For more information or to register your child, please call Ann Brophy at the parish office or abrophy@shcs.org.

YOUTH NEWS

Edge and Life Teen will not meet March 24 and March 31. We will meet again April 7.

CONFIRMATION

The April 3 Confirmation Class has been canceled. Confirmation meets again on April 17.



COFFEE AND DONUTS offered after the 7 & 8:30

Sunday Masses - hosted by:

April 7th - Sacred Heart School
April 14th - Knights of Columbus Breakfast
April 21st - Catholic Daughters
April 28th - Paul Stancel & John Meenaghan



SACRED HEART SCHOOL NEWS

Registration in full swing! Open enrollment has begun for the coming year. If you are a new family who is interested in scheduling a tour, please contact the office. We would love to share the great things Sacred Heart Catholic School has to offer! Also, please come to our **Academic Showcase and Science Fair on Thursday, May 2nd**. Thank you!

Please Help! Annual Fund Drive Update:

So far we have brought in **\$15,435.00** toward our **\$25,000.00** goal for the year. **100% participation** will put us in better standing to receive grants. Thank you for your continued support!

*Happy Easter from
Sacred Heart Catholic School!*

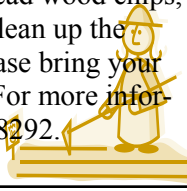


THE CHURCH LOOKS BEAUTIFUL!

Many thanks to BJ Buxton and crew for making our church so beautiful on Easter Sunday and during the Easter Season with lovely flowers and special touches. We are the happy and grateful beneficiaries of their many hours of careful planning and work, and thank them for the special Easter beauty we enjoy today and in the coming weeks.

WEDNESDAYS -- COME WEED

Wednesday weeders will continue to meet weekly at 9:30 in the morning to weed, spread wood chips, remove dead plants and generally clean up the landscaping around the church. Please bring your own hand tools, gloves and water. For more information call BJ Buxton @ 541-772-8292.



PATRICIANS - CATHOLIC DISCUSSION

Patricians will meet Monday, April 15th at 9:30 a.m. in the Parish Hall.

Topic is Vatican II Documents - Chapter III The Hierarchical structure of the Church, with special reference to the Episcopate. Father Carmelo is our Spiritual Director.

MEN'S ACTS RETREAT: MAY 9 -- 12

The ACTS team of Southern Oregon will be directing their next ACTS retreat beginning Thursday May 9th and ending Sunday morning, May 12th at St. Rite's retreat center in Gold Hill. This is a experience not to be missed. Registration forms are in the entry way of the church or call Don Senestraro @ 541-488-1013

CATHOLIC SENTINEL NEWS: Pick up a Sentinel this weekend. The Triduum and Easter coincide with the naming of a new pope and the arrival of western Oregon's new archbishop. See photos of Pope Francis and read reports on his talks, homilies and inspiring decisions.

A 32-page insert introduces Catholics to Archbishop Alexander Sample, including family photos and stories about a day in his life, his thoughts on young Catholics and his hopes for inviting the people of Oregon to consider the enthralling story of Jesus.

In other news, a Catholic teacher says he was dismissed because of his faith activities. As always, catch up on parish news and letters to the editor. Take a Sentinel!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS
2424 N. Pacific Hwy. 541-772-3828

Volunteers are needed:

One Saturday a month to check in "DENTAL VAN" clients

Volunteers are also needed:

In the Thrift Store

In the Kitchen

Please call: 541-772-3828 (Ext. 7)



JOB OPENING

Part-time Bookkeeper for Parish Office of Our Lady of the Mountain Catholic Church

Specific job skills include understanding of general bookkeeping principles and payroll tax laws; proficiency with PC software (including QuickBooks), spreadsheet, word processing, accounting, and ADP payroll; excellent organizational skills and communication skills, and a high level of accuracy and attention to detail with ability to maintain confidentiality.

Required education and/or experience: A.A. degree or equivalent in Accounting or Bookkeeping and/or three to five years' experience in accounting environment; two to four years' experience in parish or other entity preferred, along with knowledge and understanding of church organization and operational procedures. Full benefits and competitive compensation. Submit resumes on line at olmop@mind.net or mailed to OLM Parish Office, 987 Hillview Drive, Ashland, OR 97520. Applications may be picked up at the parish office or mailed upon request via email or phone at 541-482-1146.

YARD SALE FOR MAGDALENE HOME!

Time to clear out all those unwanted items and drop them off at Magdalene Home! Your donations will bring in revenue for our Resident Emergency Fund, which directly benefits our girls and babies. Baby items, clothing, toys, games, small kitchen appliances, etc. No large furniture items, please.

Questions? Call Caroline, 541-601-7655. Mark your calendars for April 5th & 6th and visit the sale at 3452 Karges Way (take N. Phoenix, W on Calle Vista, L on Sterling Pt Dr, L on Karges Way, last hse on R). Thank you.

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Kelly Vandehey, Pastor, ext 103
Rev. Benjamin Tapia, Parochial Vicar, ext 104
Rev. Carmelo Mifsud, Retired
Deacon Ron Filardi
Marie Chandler, Director of Administration, ext 101
Ann Brophy, Pastoral Associate, ext 105
Mary Stallard, Religious Education Coordinator, ext 107
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Sr. Guadalupe Carrillo

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PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Please call Dan or Sarah Rice (541-582-3717)

www.sacredheartmedford.org

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday: 7:00 a.m.
Monday to Saturday: 8:30 a.m.
Saturday Vigil: 5:30 p.m.



Sunday (English)

7:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m.
10:15 a.m. St. Joseph, Jacksonville
-- 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month
12:00 noon
5:00 p.m.

Sunday (Spanish)

10:15 a.m.
1:30 p.m.

***Parish Office Hours Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Closed - 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. for lunch. The Office will be closed Easter Monday.***