



# HOLY ROSARY

Church & Dominican Priory

Second Sunday of Easter | 7 April 2024



## Mass

Sunday Vigil 5:30 PM Saturday  
Sunday 7 & 9 AM  
11 AM (Dominican Rite: Latin)  
1 & 5:30 PM  
Weekdays 6 AM (Dominican Rite: Latin)  
7 AM, 12 Noon  
First Friday 7:30 PM (Dominican Rite: Latin)  
Saturday 6 AM (Dominican Rite: Latin)  
8 AM

## Confession

Weekdays 11 AM – 12 PM  
First Friday 7 – 7:30 PM  
Saturday 4 – 5:30 PM  
Sunday half hour before each Mass

## Adoration

Weekdays 12:30 – 4 PM

## Divine Office & Devotions

Rosary 11:30 AM Weekdays,  
7:30 AM Saturday, 10:30 AM Sunday  
Lauds 7:35 AM Weekdays  
Vespers 4:30 PM First Saturdays

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## THIS WEEK AT HOLY ROSARY

### Sunday, 7 April

*Second Sunday of Easter*

*Dominican Rite: Low Sunday*

Coffee and Doughnuts after morning Masses

Ignite Your Torch NW Bake Sale

Graduation Meeting – 10:00 AM

Divine Mercy Holy Hour – 3:00 PM

### Monday, 8 April

*The Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

Aquinas Littles – 9:30 AM

Dominican Rite Missa Cantata & Reception – 7:00 PM

### Tuesday, 9 April

*Easter Weekday*

*Dominican Rite: Easter Feria*

Rosary Makers – 10:00 AM

### Wednesday, 10 April

*Easter Weekday*

*Dominican Rite: Easter Feria*

CCD – 4:30 PM

Youth Choir Practice – 6:30 PM

Boy Scouts – 7:00 PM

RCIA – 7:00 PM

### Thursday, 11 April

*St. Stanislaus*

*Dominican Rite: St. Leo the Great*

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd – 10:00 AM

Homeschool Support Meeting – 7:00 PM

St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting – 7:00 PM

### Friday, 12 April

*Easter Weekday*

*Dominican Rite: Easter Feria*

Youth Adoration – 7:00 PM

Youth Movie Night – 8:00 PM

### Saturday, 13 April

*Easter Weekday*

*Dominican Rite: Saturday of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

Ignite Your Torch NW Family Dance – 6:00 PM

### Sunday, 14 April

*Third Sunday of Easter*

*Dominican Rite: Second Sunday after Easter*

Coffee and Doughnuts after morning Masses

Monthly Brunch Potluck after 9:00 AM Mass

*Dear Holy Rosary Friends and Families,*

In his sermon on Easter Sunday, Saint Vincent Ferrer observed that: “Many had risen from the dead to life, both in the Old Testament and in the New, but they did not rise through their own power, but by another’s. Christ, however, rose from the dead to life by his own power and not another’s, as true God.”

More and more, in my experience as a Christian, friar, and cleric, I am struck by the idea that Christianity has a single root from which everything springs: God comes down to us and raises us from death to life—to divine friendship—by His resurrection from the dead through His own power.

God wants all people to be saved and Christ died for everyone. However, we know that only some respond to grace and come to that salvation and others do not.

This is the mystery of divine election and predestination: out of the abundance of His mercy, God gives everyone the necessary graces to be saved. Nonetheless, due to the sins of men, His justice leads Him to only give efficacious grace and final perseverance to some. Father Domingo Báñez O.P. articulated this well.

Why do some receive the gift of these efficacious graces and final perseverance and others do not? We can never know—it has nothing to do with the merits of the person but only the inscrutable will of God: “You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you might go and bear fruit—fruit that will last—and so that whatever you ask in my name the Father will give you.” (John 15:16)

Our salvation and the Church—the Sacrament of Salvation—is completely in God’s capable hands. God is “running the show” and our participation in God’s plan of salvation occurs because God moves us to freely partake by grace. We should not fear our own weakness because we have great hope that God will move us to work out our salvation despite our weaknesses.

Cardinal Désiré-Joseph Mercier once remarked to his seminarians that we should be certain that God will work out our salvation. He says this, not because we can know whether we are in a state of grace or one of the elect, but because Christian hope is such that any doubt as to whether God will bring about our salvation is supremely rash and disrespectful to God. Indeed, Christian hope is salvation already being accomplished.

*Fr. Joseph Selinger, OP*

*Parishioner  
Registration*



*Online Giving*



**DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR** April 7 | 3:00 PM

All are invited to attend this special holy hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Confessions, and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.

**FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION** April 8 | 7:00 PM

Please join us at on April 8 at 7:00 PM for a Missa Cantata according to the Dominican Rite. Cantores in Ecclesia will sing Maurice Durufle’s *Messe “Cum jubilo”* and a reception will follow in Siena Hall.

**YOUTH ADORATION & MOVIE NIGHT** Join us on Friday, April 12 for 7 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament followed by a youth movie night (showing: *The Impossible*) in Siena Hall.

**NOCTURNAL ADORATION** Join Nocturnal Adoration Society members on April 20 from all over the Portland metro area in this time of prayer before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, beginning with the Rosary at 7:00 PM, then antiphonal prayer and readings until about 8:30 PM.

**THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** will be collecting sippy cups at the vigil and Sunday masses on Divine Mercy Sunday. Please fill your sippy cups up with change and bring them with you on Sunday, April 7th.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL** The Holy Rosary St. Vincent de Paul Conference is available to help our parishioners and our parish neighbors in need. If you need emergency assistance with Rent, Utilities, or Food, or if you are interested in joining us as a volunteer, please contact us at (971)533-8320 or email [hrstvincentdepaul@gmail.com](mailto:hrstvincentdepaul@gmail.com). All inquiries are held in confidence and assistance is provided to anyone in need.

**ST. MARTIN DE PORRES FOOD PANTRY** Parishioners who wish to access the pantry are welcome to do so by contacting Sue Scheese at [foodpantry@holynosarypdx.org](mailto:foodpantry@holynosarypdx.org). Do you wish to help the pantry? Non-perishable food donations are welcome in the office or vestibule, and financial contributions are welcome, payable to Holy Rosary Church, memo "Food Pantry". Right now we could use peanut butter, jam, and canned fruit. Please note we can only accept unopened items before their expiration date.

**THE PROPERTY STEERING COMMITTEE (PSC)** would like to thank you for your participation in our recently completed online survey. We also hope that you were able to attend one of the three town hall meetings conducted in February. It is the PSC's intention to continue parish outreach as we move through the lengthy process of determining the best use of our assets and resources. In an effort to provide better communication, we now have an email address available to field any questions you might have. The PSC can be reached at [property@holynosarypdx.org](mailto:property@holynosarypdx.org).

**"AQUINAS LITTLES" LEARN AND PLAY GROUP** Join other mamas and little ones for a saint/Bible story time, followed by a simple craft, and some play time. We meet on Mondays before daily mass. This is a good way to get kid wiggles out before daily mass. Kids range from 0 - 8, big siblings welcome. Please contact [office@holynosarypdx.org](mailto:office@holynosarypdx.org) to be added to the email list for the group!

**ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION** Join Fr. Joseph for ACE classes two Wednesdays the month in the Fireplace

Room at 7 PM in Aquinas Hall. The next class is April 17. ACE classes are geared for adult Catholics who have been confirmed. Check out the ACE group at [holynosarypdx.flocknote.com](http://holynosarypdx.flocknote.com) to register!

**MONTHLY POTLUCK BRUNCH** Everyone is invited to a monthly community potluck brunch after the 9 am Mass on Sunday, April 14 in Siena Hall, during normal coffee and donuts time. Families are asked to bring a main dish, fruit, side dish, or dessert. Our hope is to grow in community through food and fellowship.

**SENIOR LUNCHEON** All parishioners and friends 60 years and older are invited to join us in Siena Hall on Tuesday, April 23 at 1 PM for the annual Senior Luncheon! RSVP to the office: 503-235-3163 or [office@holynosarypdx.org](mailto:office@holynosarypdx.org).

**SWING DANCING** April 21 | Hey everyone! We are getting the Catholic young adults out on the dance floor with monthly ballroom dancing! Everyone ages 18-35 are welcome to a great opportunity to meet other Catholics from different parishes in the area. We will have basic swing and waltz sessions every month so that everyone will have the opportunity to dance. Join us every third Sunday (some exceptions), 7:00-10:00 PM in Aquinas Hall. Please dress in semi-formal attire, \$3 cover charge at the door.

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY BAKE SALE** on Sunday, April 7 after the morning Masses. Proceeds benefit Holy Rosary youth attending Ignite Your Torch NW.

**CELEBRATE SPRING! ALL-AGES DANCE** We invite everyone to join us for an All-Ages dance on Saturday, April 13, 6-10 pm in Aquinas Hall! Come enjoy an evening full of fun for the entire family! Basic swing dance lessons will be taught. Raffle baskets will be available. Admission: \$5 each or \$30 per family. All proceeds benefit the youth attending the Ignite NW Catholic conference from Holy Rosary.

**THE OLMHR ART/SCIENCE/HISTORY FAIR** will be held on Saturday, April 20th from 9:30am to noon in Siena Hall. The aim of the fair is to provide an opportunity for students of any age to plan and execute a project (an Art, History, or Science topic), then make a presentation to judges who will give constructive feedback. Come present a project and also see what other families have been studying! Please email [homeschool@holynosarypdx.org](mailto:homeschool@holynosarypdx.org) for more information about how to participate or with any questions.

**HOMESCHOOL SUPPORT MEETING** Prospective, new, veteran homeschoolers; all are welcome! Please join us in Siena Hall at 7pm on Thursday, April 11th for a chance to connect with other homeschool parents, discuss homeschool topics, ask questions, and support each other on this incredible journey! ([homeschool@holynosarypdx.org](mailto:homeschool@holynosarypdx.org))

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