



HOLY ROSARY

Church & Dominican Priory

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time | 18 June 2023



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 – 4:30 PM

Priory

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THIS WEEK AT HOLY ROSARY

Sunday, 18 June

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dominican Rite: Third Sunday after Pentecost

Coffee and Doughnuts after morning Masses

Dominican Laity Holy Family Chapter Meeting – 9:00 AM

Monday, 19 June

Weekday

Dominican Rite: Feria

Tuesday, 20 June

Weekday

Dominican Rite: Feria

Wednesday, 21 June

Weekday

Dominican Rite: Feria

Aquinas Littles – 10:00 AM

Thursday, 22 June

SS. John Fisher & Thomas More

Dominican Rite: Feria

Ordinariate Evening Prayer – 6:00 PM

The Literarians – 7:00 PM

Friday, 23 June

Weekday

Dominican Rite: Vigil of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Saturday, 24 June

The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Reader/Usher Breakfast – 8:30 AM

Sunday, 25 June

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dominican Rite: Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Coffee and Doughnuts after morning Masses

Annulment Presentation – 10:00 AM

Dear Holy Rosary Friends and Families,

When we moderns think of the core of a person, we usually think of the mind or the brain. Our viewpoint reflects how much we are still influenced by the philosophies of the 17th and 18th centuries which viewed the human being as a disembodied “*res cogitans*”—a “thinking thing”—and everything else (including our bodies) as a “*res extensa*”—a thing physically extended in space.

The biblical viewpoint presents the core of a person in a way that better reflects our embodied existence. According to the viewpoint of the Bible, the core of a person is not the mind or the brain but the heart.

The Bible is not talking about the physical heart but the heart as a symbol of the emotional and intellectual core of a person. We speak about “pouring out our heart to another.” On Valentine’s Day, despite being a clever money-grab for Hallmark, people give cards with hearts on them to signify their love for others.

The heart symbolizes a person’s emotional center but also the center of their values and ideals. The heart is not the place of unmoderated emotions, but those feelings attuned by our rational nature that we freely command and thereby communicate our love.

The heart is also the place that lovers desire to penetrate to reach a perfect unity with another; lovers desire to make their hearts like one heart. We have here symbol of our capacity for profound personal communion with those whom we love.

Although a union of hearts has a romantic connotation, it need not always have this connotation. When our Lord says: “Blessed are the pure in heart for they will see God.” (Matthew 5:8) he highlights the goal of the spiritual life: free your heart from the impurity of sin so that through it you may see God’s face. Friends share their hearts to such a degree that they could be said to have one heart. Such a union occurs through the mutual indwelling with each other that the love of friendship accomplishes. So too for the other loves based, not only on a shared human nature, but also on closer familial bonds.

Mothers and fathers keep their children in their heart and vice-versa. Siblings keep each other in their heart. They share a certain familial similarity that draws out their love for each other in a greater intensity.

If the human heart is such a sublime and august reality, embodying the personal core and root of self-communication through love, then we strain to contemplate the grandeur of the Sacred and Immaculate Hearts. These two hearts, although they be two, are more profoundly one heart than

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any other heart. Our Lady dwells within the Sacred Heart of our Lord by seeing its goodness through the unmatched purity of her Immaculate Heart. Her heart is so self-expressing that it could hardly stay within itself but instead transcends outwards to dwell in the heart of her Son, in which her heart obtains its identity and dignity.

Moreover, the Sacred Heart of Our Lord dwells within the Immaculate Heart. The sun-like rays of the Sacred Heart—the flaming radiance of the Holy Spirit—makes the Heart of Mary immaculate and self-effacing to such a degree that no heart could be further outside itself to dwell in the heart of another nor could any heart dwell so profoundly in any greater heart.

The mutual recognition of the unity of the two hearts—Sacred and Immaculate—encompasses the entire persons of Our Lord and His mother and vice-versa. Here Mary enjoys the most perfect friendship possible to a human being.

Devotion to the Sacred and Immaculate hearts provides us an opportunity for our hardened hearts to melt. With a softened heart we can come outside of ourselves to dwell in that one heart formed of the union between the Sacred and Immaculate hearts. Furthermore, the melting of our hearts enables that one heart to penetrate our heart and thus dwell in it. We thereby are able to enjoy a unity between our heart and that one heart, formed of the union between the Sacred and Immaculate Heart.

- Fr. Joseph Selinger, OP

ST. MARTIN DE PORRES FOOD PANTRY

Parishioners who wish to access the pantry are welcome to do so by contacting Sue Scheese at foodpantry@holyroarypdx.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". Thanks to you, we have a nice stock of chili, spaghetti sauce, and fruit. Now we are looking for jam, canned soup, and canned tuna or chicken!

"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 Wednesdays 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@holyroarypdx.org to be added to the email list for the group!

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. All inquiries are held in confidence and assistance is provided to anyone in need.

ANNULMENT PRESENTATION

June 25 | 10:00 AM

On Sunday, June 25 at 10 AM in the Siena Hall classrooms, Thomas Sundaram, a canon lawyer for the Archdiocese of Portland, will be giving a presentation on annulments with a period of question and answer to follow.

MASS OF THANKSGIVING

Soon-to-be Fr. John Paul Tomassi, a Holy Rosary parishioner who was ordained a priest in the Archdiocese of Seattle on June 3, will celebrate a First Mass of Thanksgiving at the 9 AM Mass at Holy Rosary on Sunday, June 18. He will be giving his first priestly blessings after Mass and a reception will follow in Siena Hall. Join us in congratulating him!

LITERARIANS BOOK CLUB

June 22 | 7:00 PM

Join us in reading *The Warden* by Anthony Trollope. We'll discuss the book on June 22 at 7pm in the Fireplace Room of Aquinas Hall. For more information or to be added to our email list, contact wendymcknight@holyroarypdx.org.

ALL USHERS AND READERS are invited to gather for breakfast and discussion with Fr. Peter Do, OP, on Saturday, June 24th after the 8AM Mass. Current ushers and readers, along with men interested in being ushers or readers, will meet to discuss protocols and ways to improve the ministries. This meeting will begin in the church after Mass, then proceed to the Fireplace Room of Aquinas Hall for breakfast. Please call the parish office at 503-253-3163 or email office@holyroarypdx.org to register.

JOIN US for public recitation of the Rosary at 11:30 AM Monday through Friday, at 7:30 AM on Saturdays, and (new!) 10:30 AM on Sundays.

FEAST OF SS. PETER AND PAUL

June 29 | 7:00 PM

All are invited to attend a Missa Cantata according to the Dominican Rite in honor of the feast of SS. Peter and Paul on Thursday, June 29 at 7:00 PM. Cantores in Ecclesia will sing Victoria's *Missa O quam gloriosum* and a wine and cheese reception will follow in Siena Hall.

INDEPENDENCE DAY SCHEDULE

Tuesday, July 4

Parish Office Closed

6:00 AM Dominican Rite Low Mass 10:00 AM Mass

No 7:00 AM or 12:00 PM Mass

No Confessions or Exposition

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