



# HOLY ROSARY

Church & Dominican Priory

*Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time* | 13 November 2022



## *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  
Wednesdays 7 – 8 PM  
First Friday 7 – 7:30 PM  
Saturday 4 – 5:30 PM  
First Sunday half hour before each Mass

## *Adoration*

Weekdays 12:30 – 2:30 PM  
Wednesdays 7 – 8 PM

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**November 13**

*Young Adult Night*

6:30 PM

**November 14**

*The Literarians*

7:00 PM

Aquinas Hall Fireplace Room

**November 17**

*Drinks with Dominicans*

7:00 PM

Aquinas Hall Fireplace Room

**THIS WEEK AT HOLY ROSARY**

**Sunday, 13 November**

*Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*Dominican Rite: Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost*

Coffee and Doughnuts after morning Masses

Young Adult Night - 6:30 PM

**Monday, 14 November**

*Weekday*

*Dominican Rite: Feria*

CCD - 4:30 PM

Consoling the Heart of Jesus - 6:30 PM

Youth Choir - 6:30 PM

The Literarians - 7:00 PM

**Tuesday, 15 November**

*St. Albert the Great, OP*

RCIA - 7:00 PM

**Wednesday, 16 November**

*St. Gertrude the Great*

*Dominican Rite: Feria*

Aquinas Littles - 10:00 AM

Scouts - 7:00 PM

Knights of Columbus Family Meeting - 8:00 PM

**Thursday, 17 November**

*St. Elizabeth of Hungary*

*Dominican Rite: St. Gregory Thaumaturgus*

Ordinariate Evening Prayer - 6:00 PM

Drinks with Dominicans - 7:00 PM

**Friday, 18 November**

*Dedication of the Basilica of SS. Peter and Paul*

**Saturday, 19 November**

*St. Josaphat*

*Dominican Rite: All Dominican Saints*

St. Nicholas Market - 10:00 AM

OLMHR Builder's Expo - 10:00 AM

Nocturnal Adoration - 7:00 PM

**Sunday, 20 November**

*Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*Dominican Rite: Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost*

Coffee and Doughnuts after morning Masses (in Aquinas Hall!)

St. Nicholas Market - 8:00 AM

Holy Family Chapter Dominican Laity Meeting - 9:00 AM

Chesterton Academy Open House - 2:00 PM

Swing Dancing - 7:00 PM

*Dear Holy Rosary Friends and Families,*

A couple of months ago while having some coffee and donuts in Siena Hall after the 7 AM Mass, a parishioner who had been attending Holy Rosary for twenty years told me he was a parishioner but have not registered. Surprised, I asked him why he had not registered. He countered by asking me to give him some good reasons why he should register in the parish. I gave him three reasons that came to my mind at the time. He found them to be very good reasons and registered the following week. In this week's bulletin, I would like to offer our parishioners five reasons to help you consider registering if you have not registered yet.

Besides simply giving the parish a way to connect with you, here are five tangible and practical reasons to register:

1. When a parishioner comes to seek a letter from the pastor for a recommendation or to be a godparent, a pastor has to give proof that the parishioner is a registered, and active parishioner.
2. If parents would like their children to prepare to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion, or Confirmation, then proof of registration and sacramental participation is required to keep track of such information.
3. When a couple comes seeking to have marriage preparations, most pastors will ask if they or their parents are registered at the parish.
4. When there is a request for use of the Church such as for a wedding or funeral, many churches will have two recommended donation structures: one for visitors and one for registered parishioners.
5. Although not common, I have had to search the registration database to look for the parents of a lost child in a church. In one instance, it was a big family, and the parents accidentally left one of their children at church.

To register at a parish means that we are making that parish our official spiritual home, a place where we have a sense of belonging, spiritual growth, and identity with that parish community. If you are coming to Holy Rosary regularly and feel at home here, I invite you to consider registering at Holy Rosary. Perhaps you are already registered but have recently changed your physical address or phone number, then you can update your information. You can register and update your information online at [holyrosarypdx.org/registration](http://holyrosarypdx.org/registration).

You can also call Katie in the office if you would like to have someone assist you with registering, or updating your information. Holy Rosary church does not share the registration information with any governmental or law enforcement agencies.

In some countries, registering in one's parish is not common practice, and perhaps not necessary because parishioners are considered a part of the parish if they live within the territory of the parish. At Holy Rosary church, many of our parishioners live a long distance away, and our parish boundary is quite small. Registering at Holy Rosary will help us better understand the demographics of the parish, as well as help us in planning for the future needs of the parish.

*- Fr. Peter Do, OP*

**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).

**FRIARS & STAFF AT HOLY ROSARY**

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*Parochial Vicar*

Rev. Joseph Selinger, OP

*Parochial Vicar*

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**OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Friday 9:30-12 & 1-4**

**THE ROSARY CENTER: 503-236-8393**

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

**THE ST. MARTIN DE PORRES FOOD PANTRY** provides food assistance to Holy Rosary parishioners as well as our local neighbors in need through the Holy Rosary St. Vincent de Paul Conference. We currently need Laundry Detergent, Dish Soap, and Toilet Paper. Next time you are shopping, please pick up an extra item and drop it in the donation barrel in the front vestibule. We are grateful for your generosity! Questions? [foodpantry@holyroarypdx.org](mailto:foodpantry@holyroarypdx.org)

**THANKSGIVING BASKETS** 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 Thanksgiving baskets for approximately 75 families each year. If you will be donating to this wonderful cause please leave non-perishable food items in the north vestibule of the Church or the parish office from now until Thanksgiving. Cash donations can be put in the Sunday collection or mailed to Holy Rosary Church. Please designate Food Baskets in the memo of your check, payable to Holy Rosary Church. Those who wish to donate frozen turkeys may drop them off at the Rosary Center located across the street from the church at 1331 NE 3rd Ave., Mon- Fri 10 am-5 pm. If you have questions, need a basket or know someone in the parish who needs a basket please call Roberta Powell 503-646-4710.

**THE LITERARIANS BOOK CLUB IS BACK** Join us Monday, November 14 at 7pm in the Fireplace Room of Aquinas Hall to discuss two stories by Leo Tolstoy, "The Death of Ivan Illyich" and "How Much Land Does a Man Need?" Everyone is welcome! Contact [wendymcknight@holyroarypdx.org](mailto:wendymcknight@holyroarypdx.org) to be added to the mailing list.

**ONLINE GIVING** Contact the office if you would like help switching to or setting up online giving - we would be glad to assist you. 503-235-3163 or [office@holyroarypdx.org](mailto:office@holyroarypdx.org).

**JOIN NOCTURNAL ADORATION SOCIETY** members on November 19 from all over the Portland metro area in this time of prayer before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, beginning with the Rosary at 7 PM, then antiphonal prayer and readings until 8:30 PM.

**DRINKS WITH DOMINICANS** November 17 | 7:00 PM  
All are invited to join Fr. Brian Mullady, OP, in the Fireplace Room of Aquinas Hall for the next Drinks with Dominicans, on the topic of *The Three Moral Determinants* - the problem in Western society today is the "dictatorship of relativism" as Pope Benedict described it. In morals this has had the effect of making all morals and rights subjective. The Catholic tradition comes to the rescue with the three moral determinants of good and evil taught by Thomas Aquinas and explained in the Catechism of the Catholic Church. What are they and how do they relate to conscience? RSVP to [office@holyroarypdx.org](mailto:office@holyroarypdx.org)

**YOUNG ADULTS APOLOGETICS** Please join us on Tuesday, November 29th at 7pm in Siena Hall for our Young Adults Apologetics Group. Fr. Joseph will be presenting on the doctrine of purgatory, which will be followed by a discussion period to learn and defend the teachings of the Catholic Church through apologetics.

**ST. NICHOLAS CHRISTMAS TREE** If you are struggling or are aware of any families struggling during this time, please contact [st.nicholaschristmastree@yahoo.com](mailto:st.nicholaschristmastree@yahoo.com). This ministry of Holy Family Chapter of the Dominican Laity helps families and parishioners with Christmas gifts and needs.

**YOUNG ADULT NIGHT** Young adults ages 18-35 are invited to spend time in adoration before the Blessed Sacrament following the 5:30 PM Mass on Sunday, November 13, then gathering in Siena Hall at 7:30 PM for a social.

**LADIES ANNUAL ADVENT BRUNCH** Please join us at 10 AM in Siena Hall on Saturday, November 26 for this beautiful and long-standing tradition, when we enjoy time spent together savoring delicious food, sharing our Advent and Christmas traditions, and taking a moment to relax and prepare for the holy season ahead. Please bring your Advent wreaths and/or candles to be blessed. Advent candles will also be available at the event. Please RSVP with the number of guests and the breakfast dish you'd love to share: [office@holyroarypdx.org](mailto:office@holyroarypdx.org). We look forward to seeing you there!

**THE FEAST OF ST. CECILIA & SPECIAL RECEPTION IN HONOR OF DEAN APPLIGATE** November 22 | 7:00 PM  
This Feast in Honor of the Patron Saint of Music will mark the retirement of Dean Appligate as Director of Music at Holy Rosary Church (1981-2022) and as Director of the annual William Byrd Festival (1998-2022). Music for the service will include Palestrina's *Missa Papae Marcelli* and a festive wine & cheese reception will follow in Aquinas Hall. We hope that many of you will attend this special event in thanksgiving for Dean's many years of service to Holy Rosary and the Roman Catholic Liturgy.



**NOVEMBER REGISTRATION DRIVE** It's important for us to recognize you as a part of our parish. Whether you're new or just need to update your information - we have two ways to register or update any changes: 1) We have envelope forms in the pews for basic information. They can be put into the collection plate or dropped off at the office. The office will then call and help you finish the process. 2) Register at [holyroarypdx.org/registration](http://holyroarypdx.org/registration) using the QR code!

**ST. NICHOLAS MARKET**

Explore unique gifts and delicious seasonal treats from local artisans and from your fellow parishioners!

Sat, Nov. 19, 10 - 3 pm  
Sun, Nov 20, 8 - 1 pm

Aquinas Hall



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## **Construction Update and Fundraiser Announcement**

As you probably know, we are in the middle of a construction project to replace our church's heating and cooling system. We thank you for your patience and are happy to report that the project is scheduled to be completed before Thanksgiving. This information update is our effort to be transparent. We want you to know about the decision process and how we intend to pay for this extensive renovation. Along with this, we are excited to announce the first of two planned fundraising events designed to help us address the financial costs of this project.

In 1894, Holy Rosary Church was moved to its present location by a team of horses and much ingenuity. Can you imagine the challenge of making that decision and then actually executing the work? Over the years our church, through the hard work and generosity of the clergy, lay staff and parishioners, has stepped up to not only meet present needs but to "pay forward" for their children and future generations.

### **Our Current Challenge**

In October, after 40 years of service, our heating and cooling system finally quit; and any further repairs would be a waste of valuable funds. As we look back, we are grateful to those who helped fund that HVAC system decades ago...likely, some of your relatives. We also are thankful for the ongoing work of our maintenance team, who help us extend "end of life" systems, making us good stewards of those past investments.

### **What Are We Trying to Accomplish?**

To give you an example, a typical home has a 2 to 3-ton furnace and doesn't need electrical or ductwork to be replaced. A home furnace alone may only be \$10,000, but an entire system could cost up to \$60,000. In the case of Holy Rosary, we needed a 30-ton system! We have a lot of cubic feet. To meet code, including fresh air requirements, this new system would need to be 10 times the size of an entire home revamp and 3 times larger than our now broken system. We also have to renovate our entire electrical and ductwork systems, add an OSHA attic access, and modify roof work. Finally, to gain a permit we added a structural engineer to make sure we didn't damage our infrastructure. All of this, plus we made a commitment to not aesthetically change our historic building.

### **How Did We Make Our Decision?**

While our existing system was still operating, we entered into a request for information (RFI) process to learn from other churches that had successfully completed similar projects. Then we put out a request for proposal (RFP) to find the best partner. Getting competent bidders was difficult, especially, with such a complicated project during a pandemic. Next, we asked our chosen partner to provide a cost plus proposal. In others words, they provided us all of their equipment and labor invoice costs with agreed upon mark-up percentages. This unique agreement allowed us to choose the right company at the right price. After all of the negotiations, we came to a cost of approximately \$400,000. This was approved by Fr. Corwin, the business office, and the Province. Finally, dates were set to ensure the work was completed during the months when heating and cooling needs were minimal.

## **Project Summary**

We had an immediate need of a new HVAC system, and were prepared for that eventuality. We knew our desired solution and found a partner we could trust to successfully complete the project at a competitive price. This “state of the art” heating and cooling system will keep us warm in winter and cool in the summers, even at full capacity. Finally, like our predecessors, we are “paying it forward” for the next generations of parishioners.

## **How Can You Help?**

We’re excited to be offering two fundraisers over the next six months to help us recover at least 10% of the project costs. Fortunately, we’ve been saving some money from your generosity and our rental properties to eliminate the need to borrow money. However, we now need your help to replenish our now depleted funds.

## **Announcing:**

### **“Our Lady of Guadalupe Fundraiser” on Saturday December 10th at 7pm**

Tickets are \$50.00 each and will be available online or at the office. The Knights of Columbus will help us by providing a Mexican themed dinner. There will also be a bar, silent auction and other events. See the office or check the bulletin in coming weeks for more details.

Please help by attending and/or by offering items for the silent auction. There's also an online giving option on our website called "heating and cooling system". We thank you for your ongoing prayers and support.

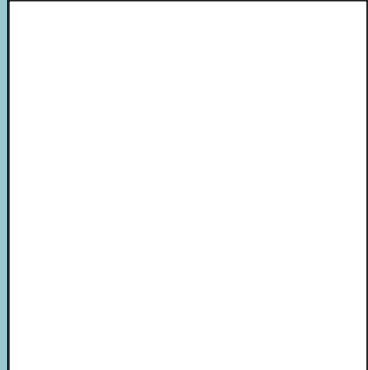
For any questions, call Mark Fisher at the office or you can email me at [markfisher@holyroarypdx.org](mailto:markfisher@holyroarypdx.org).

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