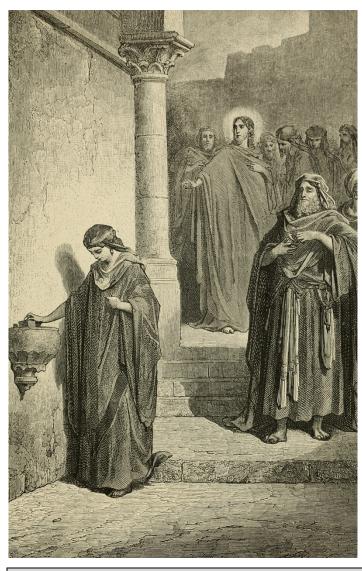


# Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time | 7 November 2021



## Mass

Sunday Vigil 5:30 PM Saturday

Sunday 7, 9, & 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

First Sunday half hour before each Mass

Adoration

Weekdays 12:30 – 2:30 PM

Wednesdays 7 - 8 PM

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### November 10

Altar Server Refresher
Church
5:00 PM

### November 11

Death, Dying & Beyond:

A Practical Discussion of End of Life

Siena Hall

7:00 PM

#### November 12

Death, Dying & Beyond: Youth Adoration + Social

A Practical Discussion of End of Life 7:00 PM

#### THIS WEEK AT HOLY ROSARY

#### Sunday, 7 November

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Dominican Rite: Fifth Resumed Sunday after Epiphany Coffee and Doughnuts after morning Masses

#### Monday, 8 November

Anniversary of Deceased Dominican Brothers & Sisters Dominican Rite: Ferial Day Rosary Makers - 10:00 AM

Gr. 1-9 CCD - 4:15 PM

Knights of Columbus Meeting - 7:00 PM Tuesday, 9 November

> Dedication of the Lateran Basilica ACE & RCIA - 7:00 PM

Young Catholic Professionals - 9:00 PM

#### Wednesday, 10 November

St. Leo the Great

Dominican Rite: Ferial Day

Altar Server Refresher - 5:00 PM

Wednesday Night Adoration - 7:00 PM

Scouts - 7:00 PM

#### Thursday, 11 November

St. Martin of Tours

Death, Dying, & Beyond Talk - 7:00 PM

#### Friday, 12 November

St. Josaphat

Dominican Rite: All Dominican Saints

Youth Adoration + Social - 7:00 PM

#### Saturday, 13 November

St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

Dominican Rite: Anniversary of Deceased OP Brothers & Sisters

Lay Carmelite Meeting - 8:00 AM

#### Sunday, 14 November

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dominican Rite: Sixth Resumed Sunday after Epiphany Coffee and Doughnuts after morning Masses

Young Adult Night - 6:30 PM

### FRIARS & STAFF AT HOLY ROSARY

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### Dear Parishioners:

This past week we celebrated the Solemnity of All Saints on Monday (November 1st). It is a Holy Day of Obligation. As is the custom of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB), whenever a Holy Day of Obligation that isn't Christmas or the Immaculate Conception falls on either Monday or Saturday, then the precept to attend Mass on that day is abrogated (i.e., the faithful are not required to assist at Mass on those days). Why the Bishops agreed to this is confounding since they decreed it only in 1992. While it might have made sense in an era prior to good transportation options, it seems merely to capitulate to a tendency of laziness on the part of both the clergy and the faithful.

We here at Holy Rosary have been emphasizing that if the faithful are capable of attending Mass, then they should do so, even if the day is not obligatory. During the week, we typically have four options for Mass on Holy Days. In the case of Monday, there were Masses at 6:00a, 7:00a, noon, and 7:00p. In all of our Masses, there was a noticeable uptick in attendance, so much so that we had to employ more resources to account for the swell in numbers.

This is good news indeed. For while law gives us guidelines in what we ought to do, our intentionality should never be because of the law, but because of the thinking behind the law. Both Moses and Jesus stated emphatically that God is to be the focus of our attention and love. Assisting at Mass is the primary way of doing this. What message do we convey when we are relieved that we "don't have to go to Mass"? It's akin to saying that we don't need to see our loved ones because we don't have to. It just isn't done.

When we come to Mass simply because we want to be in the presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist, or to worship the God who loves us, then we've transitioned to a new level of Faith. The graces that flow are immeasurable.

May God bless you all,

- Fr. Corwin Low, OP

#### ALTAR SERVER REFRESHER WITH TERRY

**TRAUSCH** All previously trained youth altar servers must come and refresh their skills with Terry Trausch on Wednesday, November 10 at 5 PM. He will run through the serving of our typical Sunday Ordinary Form Masses, as well as the additional solemnity of the 9 AM Sunday Mass. This session will also cover how to set up and serve a Holy Hour with Exposition and Benediction.

ALTAR SERVING: A TALK BY FR. CORWIN AND **TERRY TRAUSCH** All young men of the parish ages 10-17 (servers and non-servers alike) and their parents are requested to attend a talk presented by Fr. Corwin Low and Terry Trausch on the topic of altar serving: what it is, what it means, and why we do it. Join us on Saturday, November 20th in Siena Hall at 10 AM!

NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING WITH TERRY

**TRAUSCH** Young men ages 10-17 who are interested in serving at the altar are invited to be trained by Terry Trausch at Holy Rosary this December. The series will begin Wednesday, December 15, 7-9 PM in Siena Hall, Thursday, December 16, 7-19 PM in Siena Hall, Friday, December 17, 7-9 PM in the sacristy, and 9 AM-5 PM in the church on Saturday, December 18, with the new servers serving the 5:30 PM Vigil Mass. Please email office@holyrosarypdx.org to register or with questions.

**DEATH, DYING, AND BEYOND: A PRACTICAL DISCUSSION ON END OF LIFE** All are invited to the first in a series of talks by Fr. Corwin Low, OP on Catholic end of life topics. The first talk will take place in Siena Hall on Thursday, November 11 at 7:00 PM.

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

**DRINKS WITH DOMINICANS** November 18 | 7:00 PM Join Fr. Gabriel Mosher, OP at the University Club of Portland 1225 SW 6th Ave, Portland, 97204 for a discussion of *Incarnate Prayer: The Importance of the Body in the Worship of God.* Please RSVP to office@holyrosarypdx.org to reserve a space!

#### HOLY ROSARY'S ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Founded to help lay members grow in holiness through works of charity, the Society of St Vincent de Paul (SVdP) at Holy Rosary is planning to relaunch and is looking for volunteers. No work of charity is foreign to SVdP and the works of the society include any form of help that alleviates suffering and promotes human dignity. If you're interested in learning more, please contact the office at office@holyrosarypdx.org.

**SUBSTITUTE CCD TEACHERS** Help is needed during our Monday afternoon CCD program. Ideally, each teacher is assigned a substitute for the year. If you are able to assist in this way, please contact Janine Applegate at janine@holyrosarypdx.org or 503-235-3163.

#### THANKSGIVING BASKETS FOR THE NEEDY 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 bountiful 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. All funds will be used to purchase food at the best prices we can find. Those who wish to donate frozen turkeys may drop them off at the Rosary Center, Monday-

Friday 10 am - 5 pm. If you have questions, need a basket or know someone in the parish who needs a basket please call Cecelia Hoesly at 503-236-8393 or 971-506-5117.

**CCD THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE** Non-perishable donations for the Thanksgiving Baskets will be collected during class on November 8th and 15th. Please be generous!

**YOUTH ADORATION + SOCIAL** Join us on Friday, November 12 for 7 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament followed by a pizza social in Siena Hall.

**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 14, then gathering in Siena Hall at 7:30 PM for a social.

**VETERAN'S DAY** Please note that the office will be closed on Thursday, November 11 in observance of Veteran's Day; however, the liturgical schedule will remain the same.

**THANKSGIVING SCHEDULE** On Thursday, November 25 and on Friday, November 26, Mass will be offered at 6 AM and 10 AM only. There will be no confession or adoration on either day, and the parish office will be closed. The friars and staff wish you and your families a blessed Thanksgiving!

LADIES ANNUAL ADVENT BRUNCH Please join us at 10 AM in Siena Hall on Saturday, November 27 for this beautiful and long-standing tradition, started by Marlene Toffler, 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. Fr. Corwin will join in to present a talk on the season of Advent. Please bring your Advent wreaths and/or candles to be blessed by our priests. Advent candles will also be available at the event. Please RSVP with the number of guests you wish to bring and the breakfast dish you'd love to share: office@holyrosarypdx.org. We look forward to seeing you there!

MIRACULOUS MEDAL ENROLLMENT Those who would like to be enrolled in the Miraculous Medal are invited to do so after the 8:00 AM Mass on Saturday, November 27. Medals will be provided, but you are welcome to bring your own.

YOUNG ADULTS IN THEIR 20S AND 30S are invited to join the Portland Chapter of Young Catholic Professionals for our Executive Speaker Series happening in Siena Hall on Tuesday, November 9 at 7 PM. Patricia Mackie is a Licensed Professional Counselor. As a mom of 5, Patricia balances her first and main vocation as wife and mother with her professional calling as a counselor who owns her own private practice. She specializes in women's issues and marriage and family life. Patricia has listened to God's calling which at times has called her to leave her professional aspirations to the side while focusing on her family only to have Him renew her call in ways she could never have imagined.



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