



ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Sept. 11, 2016 – Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



SUNDAY MASS TIMES:

- **8:30AM - Español**
[ROSARIO a las 8:00AM]
- **10:30AM - ENGLISH**
[ROSARY AT 10:10AM]
- **7:00PM - EVENING MASS**
[ROSARY AT 6:40PM]

CONFESSION:

- **SUNDAY: 8:00AM-8:30AM**
- **SUNDAY NIGHT: 6:30PM-7:00PM**

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THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

September 11- September 18

Sun	11	Luke 15:1-32	
		8-8:30 a.m.	Confesiones-SPA
		8:30 a.m.	Misa-SPA
		9:30 a.m.	Hora de Café-SPA
		10:30 a.m.	Mass
		11:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour
		6:30-7 p.m.	Confessions
		7:00 p.m.	Mass
Mon	12	Luke 7:1-10	--No Events
Tue	13	Luke 7:11-17	
		1-3:00 p.m.	Food Pantry
		7:00 p.m.	Baseball Old Timers Meeting
Wed	14	John 3:13-17	
		7 p.m.	RCIA Classes Begin
Thu	15	John 19:25-27	--No Events
Fri	16	Luke 8:1-3	--No Events
Sat	17	Luke 8:4-15	
		4 p.m.	Wedding (Traeger & Butuso)
Sun	18	Luke 16:1-13	
		8-8:30 a.m.	Confesiones-SPA
		8:30 a.m.	Misa-SPA
		9:30 a.m.	Hora de Café-SPA
		10:30 a.m.	Mass
		11:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour
		2:00 p.m.	KKIOR Mass
		6:30-7 p.m.	Confessions
		7:00 p.m.	Mass

- For complete Daily Readings: www.usccb.org
- For a complete St. Patrick's calendar: www.stpatrickpdx.org

MASS INTENTIONS

- 8: 30 – For Jose Perez
 10:30 – For *
 7:00 – For the People of the Parish

JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

“Loneliness and the feeling of being unwanted is the worst, the most terrible poverty of all. One of the greatest diseases is to be nobody to anybody.”
Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta

GOSPEL REFLECTION

SEEKING THE LOST: SCOTT HAHN REFLECTS ON THE 24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

By Scott Hahn, St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology

The episode in today's First Reading has been called "Israel's original sin." Freed from bondage, born as a people of God in the covenant at Sinai, Israel turned aside from His ways, fell to worshipping a golden calf.

Moses implores God's mercy, as Jesus will later intercede for the whole human race, as He still pleads for sinners at God's right hand and through the ministry of the Church.

Israel's sin is the sin of the world. It is your sin and mine. Ransomed from death and made His children in Baptism, we fall prey to the idols of this world. We remain a "stiff-necked people," resisting His will for us like an ox refuses the plowman's yoke (see Jeremiah 7:26).

Like Israel, in our sin we push God away, reject our divine sonship. Once He called us "my people" (see Exodus 3:10; 6:7). But our sin makes us "no people," people He should, in justice, disown (see Deuteronomy 32:21; 1 Peter 2:10).

Yet in His mercy, He is faithful to the covenant He swore by His own self in Jesus. In Jesus, God comes to Israel and to each of us—as a shepherd to seek the lost (see Ezekiel 34:11-16), to carry us back to the heavenly feast, the perpetual heritage promised long ago to Abraham's children.

"Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners," Paul cries in today's Epistle. These are the happiest words the world has ever known. Because of Jesus, as Paul himself can testify, even the blasphemer and persecutor can seek His mercy.

As the sinners do in today's Gospel, we draw near to listen to Him. In this Eucharist, we bring Him the acceptable sacrifice we sing of in today's Psalm—our hearts, humbled and contrite.

In the company of His angels and saints, we rejoice that He has wiped out our offense, celebrate with Him—that we have turned from the evil way that we might live (see Ezekiel 18:23).

11 de Septiembre de 2016—XXIV Domingo Ordinario

INTENCIONES DE LA MISA

8:30 – Por José Pérez

10:30 – Por *

7:00 – Por los Feligreses de la Parroquia

AÑO DE LA MISERICORDIA

“La paz comienza con una sonrisa.”

Santa Madre Teresa de Calcuta

REFLEXIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

BUSCANDO A LOS PERDIDOS: SCOTT HAHN REFLEJA SOBRE EL 24º DOMINGO DE TIEMPO ORDINARIO

Por Scott Hahn, St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology

El episodio de la primera lectura del domingo ha sido llamado “el pecado original de Israel”. Liberado de la esclavitud, nacido como pueblo de Dios en la Alianza del Sinaí, Israel se apartó de sus caminos y cayó al adorar un becerro de oro.

Moisés implora la misericordia de Dios, como Jesús intercederá después por toda la raza humana; como ahora, sentado a la derecha del Padre, aboga por los pecadores mediante el ministerio de la Iglesia.

El pecado de Israel es el pecado del mundo. Es tu pecado y el mío. Aunque hemos sido rescatados de la muerte y convertidos en sus hijos por el Bautismo, caemos en las trampas de los ídolos de este mundo. Seguimos siendo un pueblo “de dura cerviz” que se resiste a su Voluntad, como un buey rechaza la yunta del labrador (cfr. Jr 7,26).

Como Israel, en nuestro pecado intentamos alejar a Dios, rechazamos nuestra filiación divina. Antes, Él nos había llamado “mi pueblo” (cfr. Ex 3,10; 6,7). Pero nuestro pecado nos hace “no pueblo”, pueblo que Él en justicia debería repudiar (cfr. Dt 32,21; 1Pe 2,10).

Sin embargo Dios, por su misericordia, es fiel a la alianza que juró por Sí mismo en Jesús. En Él, Dios viene a Israel y a cada uno de nosotros, como pastor que busca los que se han perdido (cfr. Ez 34,11-16), para conducirnos de vuelta al banquete celestial, a la herencia perpetua prometida mucho tiempo atrás a los hijos de Abraham.

“Cristo Jesús vino al mundo para salvar a los pecadores”, grita Pablo en la epístola del domingo. Esas son las palabras más felices que el mundo ha conocido jamás. Por Jesús, como Pablo mismo testimonia, incluso el blasfemo y persecutor pueden buscar misericordia.

Como los pecadores del Evangelio de esta semana, nos acercamos a Jesús para escucharle. En esta Eucaristía le traemos el sacrificio agradable del que cantamos en el salmo de hoy: nuestro corazón contrito y humillado.

En la compañía de sus ángeles y santos, nos alegramos porque ha borrado nuestras ofensas; celebramos con Él que hemos regresado del camino malvado para que pudiéramos vivir (cfr. Ez 18,23).



NOTICIAS Y ANUNCIOS DE LA PARROQUIA

OBRAS DE MISERICORDIA

¿Se siente como que quiere dar y no sabes cómo?

Vienen a unirse a obras de misericordia, cada dos martes que salir a las calles de Portland, dar chocolate caliente o limonada y conectar con nuestros hermanos en Cristo que viven en las calles. Personas capacitadas llevan los pequeños grupos que salen.

"Cuanto hicisteis a uno de los menos de estos hermanos y hermanas de la mina, lo hicieron por mí." -Mt25 : 40

Fechas: 5 de julio, 19 de julio, el 2 de agosto, 16 de agosto, 30 de agosto, 13 de septiembre

Hora: 7: 20-9pm

El registro es necesario: Regístrate en el enlace de e-letter

Tipo de ropa: simple

OBJETOS PERDIDOS

En una semana estaremos limpiando nuestra caja de objetos perdidos. Todas las cosas (chamarras, juguetes, joyería, etc.) que no sean reclamados serán donadas. Para reclamar un objeto, favor de venir a la oficina o llamarnos. Gracias.

LISTA DE VIVERES PARA LA DESPENSA

Cereal	Atún
Lentejas, Garbanzos en grano	Ravioles enlatados
Sopas y guisados enlatados	Fruta enlatada

Llevar los artículos al pasillo de la entrada a la iglesia antes de la **Próxima Distribución:**

Martes, 4 de octubre

Las donaciones de dinero/cheques que se echan en la caja de latón "poor box" van para la Despensa.

Para mas información, llamar a: Lois: 503-477-9083, Martha: 503-716-8594 (ESP) o Linda: 503-888-5715.

¡Muchas gracias por su generosidad!

ESCUCHE LAS HOMILIAS DE LOS DOMINGOS

Visitando nuestra página web:

www.stpatrickpdx.org y escuche homilías y mensajes pasados, boletines parroquiales del domingo, breve información de los Sacramentos (debe llamar a la oficina para más información), y los horarios de las Misas y confesiones.

NOTICIAS Y ANUNCIOS FUERA DE LA PARROQUIA

ENCUENTROS DE NOVIOS

El Encuentro de Novios es una experiencia de preparación matrimonial profunda y personal. Las parejas de novios están invitadas a un retiro de fin de semana. El fin de semana consiste en una serie de presentaciones. Para más detalles y para registrarse, visite www.pdxfamilife.org/engaged-encounter o mande un correo electrónico a jespinoza@archdpdx.org o llame al 503-330-0576

NUESTRO ANUNCIANTE DE LA SEMANA ES:

Los Jalapeños Restaurante Mexicano

¡Muchas gracias por su apoyo hacia nuestro boletín parroquial!

¡Nosotros estamos muy agradecidos por el apoyo de nuestros anunciantes del boletín! Para anunciar su negocio, por favor contacte a

Tom Ott, de Catholic Printery—503-650-6347

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORKS OF MERCY

Are you feeling like you want to give and don't know how? Come join Works of Mercy, every other Tuesday we go out to the streets of Portland, give hot chocolate or lemonade and connect with our fellow brothers in Christ that live out in the streets. Trained people lead the small groups that go out.

"Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." –Mt25:40

Dates: July 5, July 19, August 2, August 16, August 30, Sept 13

Time:7:20-9pm

Registration is required: Sign up on the e-letter link

Dress: Simple

LITURGICAL CLARIFICATION

"Some parishioners have asked me to clarify what the proper position is after the Lamb of God, when the priest is holding the Body of Christ ("Behold, the Lamb of God..."). Questions have arisen since many people kneel at that time. The norm and default position in the Archdiocese of Portland for that moment is to remain standing. This is what is recommended to do for the sake of unity in the assembly. However, being aware that kneeling at that time of the Eucharist is the norm in many dioceses in the U. S. and the world, I would not object to parishioners who choose to kneel. I do want to clarify that the default position is standing, and that you should not feel out of place if you remain in that position, even though some folks do kneel."

Fr. Lucas Laborde



ST. JOHN SOCIETY FALL FUNDRAISING BANQUET

Thursday, September 29th, 2016, 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

@ the Melody Ballroom in Portland, OR. Join us for a great evening in support of the ministry of the St. John Society. For more information and individual registration, go to www.socsj.org/banquetUS/. For table

sponsorship, contact Fr. Lucas or Sara Zeck (development@socsj.org).

LOST AND FOUND

We will be cleaning out our lost and found box in one week. All items (coats, toys, jewelry, etc.) that are unclaimed will be donated. To claim an item, please stop by the office or call us. Thank You.

OUTSIDE THE PARISH NEWS

ART CLASSES FOR CHILDREN

Starting this fall in September, Darren Cools, a parishioner at St. Patrick's and an independent illustrator and designer, will be offering private art lessons to children and adults beginning at grade 3. To learn more, please email: darrencools@gmail.com

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING CLASS SERIES

Northwest Family Services is pleased to offer their Fall 2016 series for learning Natural Family Planning through their SymptoPro Fertility Education program. NFP can be used to avoid pregnancy, achieve pregnancy, or to understand cycle health! One-time class fee of \$110 includes lifetime support. To register visit: www.symptopro.org or contact Lauren Fuller at lfuller@nwfs.org. This series will take place at Northwest Family Services (6200 SE King Rd., Portland, OR 97222 on September 6th, 20th, and October 4th, 2016 from 7-9 p.m.

WEEWEND RETREAT FOR HEALING AFTER ABORTION

A scheduled weekday Rachel's Vineyard Retreat will take place on Tuesday October 25 to Thursday October 27. This retreat is for anyone impacted by abortion. Lodging, meals, and materials are included for the cost of \$200. Financial assistance is available. For information, contact Lori at Project Aurora 541-942-2861 or projectaurora@aol.com. Websites: www.ProjectAurora.org and www.RachelsVineyard.org.

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