



**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**OCTOBER 14, 2012**

**ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY CHURCH**

**FIRST COMMUNION AND RECONCILIATION** - Classes will begin soon. If you would like to enroll your child, please sign up in the gathering space at the back of the church or call the parish office at 503-222-2168.

**A JOYFUL WELCOME** to the newest member of the Christian community, Dixon Joseph Brent, who will be baptized this Saturday, October 13, 2012. We offer our prayers and best wishes to his parents, Austin and Elizabeth Brent.

**NEXT SUNDAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY.** United with the Catholics of the world at the Table of the Lord, we recommit ourselves to our vocation, through Baptism, to be "missionaries of faith." Our prayers and Eucharistic celebration next Sunday are directed in a special way toward our brothers and sisters throughout the world who are waiting to hear the joyous "Good News" of Jesus. Through our financial gifts, offered in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, we become partners with missionaries who proclaim the Gospel and offer help and hope to the poor in mission countries.

**THE CHRISTIAN FOUNDATION FOR CHILDREN AND AGING AND FR. JERRY MORGAN** are very appreciative of the warm and generous welcome which was given to them this past weekend. Because of your generosity there are now 41 more children and three aging who will be thanking God for inspiring someone to help provide some basic life necessities and helping them to begin building a path out of poverty. You, the sponsor, will be receiving a letter of thanks from your sponsored child/aging in about 2 months. For those parishioners who were not able to be present this past weekend, you may still sponsor a child/aging by going on-line to [CFCAUSA.ORG](http://CFCAUSA.ORG). Thank you.

*Thank you so much for your prayers, cards, expressions of sympathy and kindness in remembering my mother and my sister, Rosemary.*

*God bless you,*

*Sister Ruth Fishburn, OSF*

**COFFEE AND DONUTS** -A wonderful couple who has been serving coffee and donuts after 9:00 a.m. Mass recently retired from the Hospitality Committee. Would you like to help in this ministry? It's a great way to get to better know your fellow parishioners. The commitment is for about four Sundays a year. If interested, please call the parish office.

**OPEN HOUSE**

October 14: St. Mary's Academy, 1615 SW Fifth Avenue, Portland	1:00 - 4:00 pm
October 21: La Salle Catholic College Prep, 11999 SE Fuller, Portland	1:00 - 4:00 pm
October 28: Jesuit High School, 9000 SW Beaverton Hillsdale Hwy., Portland	1:00 - 4:00 pm
November 4: Central Catholic High School, 2401 SE Stark, Portland	1:00 - 4:00 pm

"Good Teacher, what must I do to share in everlasting life?" The anonymous man of today's gospel expresses the ageless human hunger for life. He stands for all of us.

This man takes it for granted that eternal life is the fruit of a virtuous existence. He has always observed the commandments. He is unwittingly in a good position to be saved. But this man is still lacking something. It might even be said that he is lacking everything. We have given nothing to God if we are not ready to give it all. The love of Christ calls us to a total gift which is concretized in the call, "Come, follow me." This is a question neither of morality nor of asceticism, but of commitment to Jesus. It is no longer a question of "doing more," of distinguishing "precept" from "counsel." To follow Christ means all or nothing, your money or your life.

### LITURGICAL READINGS

Today:	<u>Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> , Wisdom 7:7-11/ Psalm 90/ Hebrews 4:12-13/ Mark 10:17-30 or 10:17-27
Monday:	Galatians 4:22-24, 26-27, 31 through 5:1/ Psalm 113/ Luke 11:29-32
Tuesday:	Galatians 5:1-6/ Psalm 119/ Luke 11:37-41
Wednesday:	Galatians 5:18-25/ Psalm 1/ Luke 11:42-46
Thursday:	<u>St. Luke, Evangelist</u> , 2 Timothy 4:10-17b/ Psalm 145/ Luke 10:1-9
Friday:	Ephesians 1:11-14/ Psalm 33/ Luke 12:1-7
Saturday:	Ephesians 1:15-23/ Psalm 8/ Luke 12:8-12
Next Sunday:	<u>Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> , Isaiah 53:10-11/ Psalm 33/ Hebrews 4:14-16/ Mark 10:35-45

**THE OPEN DOORS CAMPAIGN** - St. Andre' Bessette Catholic Church will celebrate the public launch of *THE OPEN DOORS CAMPAIGN* on Wednesday, October 17th. This ambitious \$2.1 million endeavor will allow our community to further expand and strengthen the services that offer *HOSPITALITY, HEALING & HOPE* to our neighbors who live without homes and struggle with poverty in Old Town, Chinatown & Downtown Portland.

5:00 pm - Evening Mass at Saint Andre' Bessette

5:30 pm - Doors Open at Backspace Café'

6:00 pm - Announcement of Public Launch

7:30 pm - Close of the evening

Contact Development Office at 503-228-0746 x117 or [development@saintandrechurch.org](mailto:development@saintandrechurch.org)

**COLLECTION FOR LAST SUNDAY:** \$4,739.25 **SIMPLE SUPPER:** \$206.20 Thank you.

### **HOSPITALITY FOR NEXT WEEKEND:**

9:00 AM: Patty Frahler and Bob Bentley 11:00 AM: The Nisbet Family

If you cannot fulfill your assignment, please make sure you find a substitute. Thank you.

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### SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: 8:30 a.m.

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Reconciliation: Saturday at 3:00 p.m.

Baptism and Anointing of the Sick: Please call the parish office.

Marriage: Six months' notice required.

### PARISH STAFF

Rev. James M. Kolb, C.S.P., Pastor

Joan Enright, Secretary - 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., Monday-Friday

Interested in joining St. Elizabeth Parish? Give us a call. 503-222-2168

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Just as in the lifetime of Jesus, so especially in His Eucharistic presence, He forgives us our sins by leading us through His Spirit into a new realization of our sonship with Him of the Heavenly Father. He removes the illusions under which we live and perceive ourselves, God and others. And in that infusion of deeper faith, hope and love, we find deep healing of body, soul and spirit. We touch Him, the Divine Physician, and He touches us. His divine life pours into us, bringing us a new share in His eternal life.

