

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER April 26, 2015

ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY CHURCH

80th ANNUAL ARCHBISHOP'S SEMINARY TEA Wednesday, April 29, 2015 – 3:00 to 7:00 p.m. Portland Golf Club 5900 SW Scholls Ferry Road Tickets \$30 available at the tea or Call Mary Kay Beaudoin, 503-297-2994



<u>CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS</u> – This weekend there will be a second collection for Catholic Home Missions. CHM supports dioceses in the United States and its territories that lack the resources to provide basic pastoral ministry to the populations. Through annual grants, CHM funds catechesis, seminarian education, lay ministry training, Hispanic ministry, and other pastoral programs in needy dioceses. We thank you for supporting this important appeal, which will strengthen the Church at home

FOOD SUNDAY – Next Sunday is Food Sunday. Please bring some non-perishable food for the Immaculate Heart Parish Food Bank to help feed the hungry.

<u>SIMPLE SUPPER COLLECTION</u> will be taken next Sunday for the support of our two monthly dinners at Transition Projects. Baskets for your free will offering are at the entrances to the church.

THE EASTER EDITION OF THE WORD AMONG US is available in the gathering space of church. It contains the Mass readings from Easter through Pentecost along with daily meditations.

CHERISHING CREATION: CALLED TO THE COMMON GOOD

The World Is Changing. Let us Show You How 29th Annual Social Action Summer Institute "The time to find global solutions is running out. We will only be able to find adequate solutions if we act together and in agreement."

Pope Francis

University of Portland July 19-23, 2015 www.archpdx.org/jprespect/SASi.html

<u>26th ANNUAL TOBIN LECTURE</u> - Tuesday, May 12, 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm (6:30 Light Snacks) All Saints Catholic Church, 3847 NE Glisan Street, Portland 97232 Keynote Speaker: Kerry Webster, author of "Mercy in the City: How to feed the hungry, give drink to the thirsty, visit the imprisoned, and keep your day job" and managing editor of America Magazine. Weber, a lay Catholic, explores the Works of Mercy in the real world. Admission is free. Genuine authority realizes that it can exist only in the service of Him who alone has authority. Genuine authority knows that it is bound in the strictest sense by the saying of Jesus: "One is your Master, even Christ; and all ye are brethren" (Matthew 23:8). The Church does not need brilliant personalities but faithful servants of Jesus and the brethren. Not in the former but in the latter is the lack. The Church will place its confidence only in the simple servant of the Word of Jesus Christ because it knows that then it will be guided, not according to human wisdom and human conceit, but by the Word of the Good Shepherd.

(Dietrich Bonhoeffer, Life Together, Harper & Row, 1954, p. 109)

LITURGICAL READINGS

Fourth Sunday of Easter. Acts 4:8-12/ Psalm 118/ 1 John 3:1-2/
John 10:11-18
Acts 11:1-18/ Psalms 42 and 43/ John 10:1-10
Acts 11:19-26/ Psalm 87/ John 10:22-30
Saint Catherine of Sienna. Virgin. Doctor of the Church. Acts 12:24 through 13:5a/
Psalm 67/ John 12:44-50
Saint Pius V, Pope. Acts 13:13-25/ Psalm 89/ John 13:16-20
Saint Joseph the Worker. Acts 13:26-33/ Psalm 2/ John 14:1-6
Saint Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor of the Church. Acts 13:44-52/ Psalm 98/
John 14:7-14
Fifth Sunday of Easter. Acts 9:26-31/ Psalm 22/ 1 John 3:18-24/ John 15:1-8

<u>YOU CAN HELP YOUR MARRIAGE</u> – Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Have you stopped talking to each other? Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times. This program has helped tens of thousands of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on June 12-14, 2015 call 1-503-225-9191 or visit www.helpourmarriage.org.

COLLECTION FOR LAST SUNDAY: \$3,641.00 Thank you.

HOSPITALITY FOR NEXT WEEKEND:

9:00 AM: Maureen and Don Binzer 11:00 AM: Denise and Doug White Please come early. If you cannot fulfill your assignment, please make sure you find a substitute. Thank you. St. Elizabeth of Hungary Church 4112 SW 6th Avenue Drive Portland, OR 97239-4280 (503)222-2168 * FAX (503)274-2438 * <u>www.stelizabethportland.net</u>

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.

Reconciliation: Saturday at 3:00 p.m. <u>Baptism</u> and <u>Anointing of the Sick:</u> Please call the parish office. <u>Marriage:</u> 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

Reflection

"Good Shepherd" Sunday provides an opportunity to reflect upon the care of the Shepherd, who "lays down his life for the sheep," and to critique what we are doing to promote the unity of the Church, so that "there will be one flock, one shepherd." The voice of the Shepherd echoes forth for all. While today has been named "World Day of Prayer for Vocations" - and pray we must for more young people to follow in the footsteps of the Shepherd - we must also pray for and work toward Christian unity. The recognition of Christ's presence in the world is lessened the more the flock is scattered.

