



TWENTY - SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

St. Elizabeth Catholic Church

ARE YOU MISSING YOUR COAT? There are four coats that have been hanging in the gathering area for the past several months. Are you missing yours?

TRANSITION PROJECTS NEEDS ADDITIONAL VOLUNTEERS !

St. Elizabeth's long-standing ministry at Transition Projects needs additional volunteers for its **First Sunday of the month meals**. Ideally, we need six people willing to commit to this project. Interested? Contact Jean Horton, jhorton150@comcast.net or Pat Fleck, 503-274-4421 for more details or call Elizabeth in the church office, 503-222-2168.

♥ VOLUNTEER ♥

Looking for ways to become more involved in the St. E community?

LECTORS ♦ EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ♦ USHERS

COFFEE & DONUTS – Need 7 new hosts for 9am and 8 new hosts for 11am
(if we get this number, the commitment should be only twice per year)

WINE & CHEESE – Need hosts for DECEMBER 29TH!

Sign-up in the gathering area or contact Elizabeth in the church office if you can help: 503-222-2168 or ed@stelizabethportland.net.

SEPTEMBER SONG CELEBRATION AT THE GROTTA: JOYFUL

JOYFUL!: 3:00 PM Sunday, September 30th in the Chapel of Mary. Free! More info on the bulletin board.

MARIAN RETREAT SATURDAY, 101st Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima “The Miracle of the Sun,” October 13, 2018 at 8:00 AM. All Marian Groups and the Faithful are invited to attend a Marian Retreat Day at Holy Rosary Church hosted by the Portland Archdiocese Division of The World Apostolate of Fatima. No registration required. A Free Will offering will be accepted. For more information, phone Mary at 503-914-8411, or Norma (en Espanol) 503-807-9956. Please send an email if you are planning to attend: brenda.wafpdx@gmail.com.

ST MATTHEW FALL FESTIVAL: Sunday, October 21st 11 AM – 5:30 PM in Hillsboro. Boutique selling home & holiday décor, quilts, furniture, homemade food & crafts; Carnival; Entertainment & Complete German Dinner featuring Gefullter Schweinebraten & Sauerbraten. More info on the bulletin board.

The authentic way to be Christian is imaged for us in the figure of the crucified Christ. In stretching out his arms on the cross, he opens himself to all humanity. Therefore, universal understanding and acceptance ought to characterize the disciple of Christ.

Joshua failed to recognize the prophetic charism of two men who did not come to the Tent of Meeting. John did not understand that one could expel demons in the name of Jesus without being among the Twelve. Under pretext of orthodoxy, we often tend to identify belonging to Jesus with some elitist option. No one can appropriate the spirit of the Risen One to any confessional, social, or even political position. The gospel stands in judgement against all ecclesiastical provincialism, all claims to monopolize the power of the Spirit which is its source.

The temptation to exclude is no more legitimate within the Church than outside it. In our assemblies, there are so many simple and devout whose religion may seem insufficiently enlightened and whose faith may appear childish. No one has the right to discount or despise them. Much less does a claim to liberty of the Spirit give any one the right to scandalize these simple believers.

CALLING ALL CHOIR DIRECTORS AND CHOIR MEMBERS! Come to a reading session sponsored by OCP. Wednesday, October 3rd at 7:00 PM at OCP, 5536 NE Hassalo St. in Portland. There is no fee, but preregistration is required: 877-271-3786 or outreach@ocp.org.

WHITE MASS for Health Care Workers: Saturday October 27th at 5:30 at St. Mary's Cathedral followed by dinner and a talk by Paul Hruz, MD, PhD: *Gender Dysphoria: Ethical Concerns in Promoting Ideology over Science*. See bulletin board for details.

MARRIAGE REFRESH: Enrich & strengthen your relationship as a couple. Saturday, October 27th 9 AM - 3 PM, Christ the King Parish in Milwaukie. See bulletin board for details.

HOSPITALITY NEXT WEEKEND: October 6th & 7th :
Saturday Wine & Cheese: Karen Lajoy & Alice Herrell
9:00 AM: Cathy & John Dummer 11:00 AM: Garth & Mary Nisbet

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION: \$3,054.00 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 – Friday at 8:30 a.m.

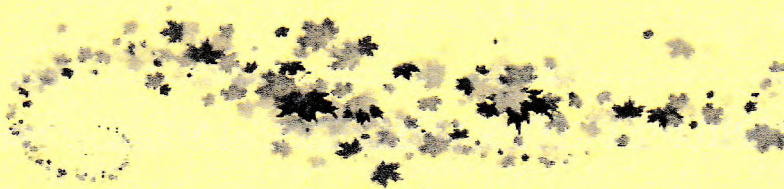
Reconciliation: Saturday at 3:00

PARISH STAFF

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

Elizabeth Duncan, Office Adm.

Monday-Friday 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.



LITURGICAL READINGS

- Today: *Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time.* Numbers 11: 25-29/ Psalm 19/
James 5:1-6/ Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48.
- Monday: Job 1:6-22/ Psalm 17/ Luke 9:46-50.
- Tuesday: Job 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23/Psalm 88/ Matthew 18:1-5, 10.
- Wednesday: Job 9:1-12, 14-16/ Psalm 88/ Luke 9:57-62.
- Thursday: *St. Francis of Assisi (Memorial).* Job 19:21-27/ Psalm 27/ Luke 10:1-12.
- Friday: Job 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5/ Psalm 139/ Luke 10:13-16.
- Saturday: Job 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17/ Psalm 119/ Luke 10:17-24.
- Next Sunday: *Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time.* Genesis 2:18-24/ Psalm 128/
Hebrews 2:9-11/ Mark 10:2-16.