



Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 7, 2019

St. Elizabeth Catholic Church

CONGRATULATIONS TO LAUREL AND BRUCE !

After knowing each other for a mere 50 years, our music director, Laurel Freeborg and her beau, Bruce Kremhelmer decided to plunge into wedded bliss! Laurel and Bruce were married in a quiet ceremony at St Elizabeth on Friday. To celebrate, they're hosting a special wine & cheese this Saturday evening! We wish the newlyweds all the very best as they begin their life together as husband and wife. *Mozel tov you kids!*



IT'S FOOD SUNDAY! Our baskets are out for Simple Supper (which funds the bimonthly meals at Transition Projects) and the big basket for food donations to Immaculate Heart Parish's food bank. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS COLLECTION - Thank you for your generosity last week. We collected nearly \$1,500! We will continue to collect your contributions over the next several weeks. Please make your check payable to St. Elizabeth Church and write "Catholic Home Missions" on the memo line.

July – Sept 1st SCHEDULES FOR EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS & READERS were published by email last week. Hard copies of the schedules are available in the gathering area. If you're having any problems with the new scheduling program, call Elizabeth in the church office.

CPR & AED CLASSES WITH KEVIN SHANDERS: Kevin, a Battalion Chief at Pdx Fire & Rescue, has generously offered to teach a CPR/AED class on **SATURDAY, JULY 27TH** at 9:00 in the church. This is a great class! Everyone who is physically able should learn these life-saving tools.

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS! WE NEED YOUR HELP! There are many ways to get involved and make a difference at St. Elizabeth! Some of these ministries are getting a bit lean in the volunteer department and can use your help. Consider any of the following activities: Hosts for Coffee & Donuts and Wine & Cheese; Church Linens could use some help; Eucharistic Ministers, Hospital Ministers, Transition Projects bimonthly dinners; Greeters; Readers. If you are interested in getting involved or finding out more information, sign up in the gathering area or call Elizabeth in the church office, 503-222-2168.

In Luke's gospel the mission of the seventy-two disciples takes on a double significance. On the one hand, it demonstrates that the proclamation of the kingdom is not the exclusive task of the Twelve. On the other hand, for the Jews of Jesus' time, the number 72 functioned as a symbol for the total number of the Gentile nations. It is not by chance that at various times on his way up to Jerusalem, Jesus preached salvation of the Gentiles.

The seventy-two disciples confidently set out to conquer the world. We get a glimpse here of the driving force of Christian preaching inspired by the experience of the wind of Pentecost. Paradoxically, the most stable element in Christianity is the command always to go forward.

The goal of apostolic ministry consists not in seeking its own success but in preparing people for a personal encounter with Christ. The missionaries are but precursors. It is for Christ that they labor. To pray is to call upon the immeasurable scope of his power in us who believe" (Eph 1:19).

FR. JIM GALLUZZO'S SPECIAL SUMMER ART SALE BENEFITTING

HOMELESS KIDS. Many Portlanders have a soft spot for Fr. Jim Galluzzo; here's a way you can support him and Portland's homeless kids. Fr. Jim G is teaming up with a local company to provide backpacks filled with school supplies and clothing for homeless children. The company will provide the backpacks and has offered to match the proceeds from the sale of Fr. Jim G's beautiful works of art at his July show. The money will fund school supplies and clothing the kids will need for the upcoming school year. Please come and participate in this special opportunity to help our local children. **Saturday, July 13th 1-4pm • Sunday, July 14th 11-4pm** at 1314 NW Irving Apt. 512.

JESUIT VOLUNTEER ENCORPS is currently accepting applications for 2019-2020! JV EnCorps, a program of JVC Northwest, facilitates rewarding opportunities for service, community and spiritual formation for adults 50 and older who are committed to social and ecological justice. During their ten months of volunteer service, participants meet monthly for fellowship, reflection and to explore the values of community, spirituality, simple living and social and ecological justice. Their values arise from the Ignatian Spirituality and JV EnCorps is an inclusive and ecumenical community. **Priority application deadline is August 31st. Opening Retreat in September.** For more information: JVEnCorps@jvcnorthwest.org or www.jvencorps.org.

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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.



HOSPITALITY FOR NEXT WEEKEND – July 13th – 14th :

WOW! Another W&C! Hosts- Newbies Kathy & Rich Sabel.

9:00 AM – John & Cathy Dummer

11:00 AM – Jana Davis & Alice Fay

Please come early. If you cannot fulfill your assignment, please make sure you find a substitute. Thank you!

Collection Last Weekend: \$3,812.00 Catholic Home Missions: \$1,494.00

Thank you for your generosity !

LITURGICAL READINGS

Sunday: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Isaiah 66:10-14c/ Psalm 66/
Galatians 6:14-18/ Luke 10:1-12, 17-20.
Monday: Genesis 28:10-22a/ Psalm 91/ Matthew 9:18-26.
Tuesday: Genesis 32:23-33/ Psalm 17/ Matthew 9:32-38.
Wed: Genesis 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/ Psalm 33/ Matthew 10:1-7.
Thursday: St. Benedict, Abbot (Memorial). Genesis 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/
Psalm 105/ Matthew 10:7-15.
Friday: Genesis 46:1-7, 28-30/ Psalm 37/ Matthew 10:16-23.
Saturday: Genesis 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/ Psalm 105/ Matthew 10:24-33.
Next Sun: Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Deuteronomy 30:10-14/
Psalm 69/ Colossians 1:15-20/ Luke 10:25-37.