



Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 30, 2019

St. Elizabeth Catholic Church

CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS COLLECTION - The Catholic Home Missions collection helps diocese in the U.S. and its territories that cannot provide basic pastoral services without outside help. These services include Mass and other sacraments, religious education, and ministry training for priests, deacons, religious sisters, and lay people. Currently, over 40% of dioceses are considered home missions. If you weren't prepared to give this weekend, please take an envelope and put it in the regular collection for the next few weeks. **Make your check payable to St. Elizabeth Church and write "Catholic Home Missions" on the memo line.** Thank you for your generosity!

NEXT WEEKEND IS FOOD SUNDAY: Please bring non-perishable food for the Immaculate Heart Parish Food Bank to help feed the hungry. Also, please support our Simple Supper Collection that funds our bi-monthly dinners for the homeless at Transition Projects.

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.

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE END OF SUMMER PICNIC to be held on September 21st following the Saturday Mass. Seymour the Band will play again this year, so bring your dancing shoes!

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS! There are many ways to get involved and make a difference at St. Elizabeth! 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.

St. ELIZABETH COOKBOOK – Keep those recipes coming! Send your recipes to Angelica Duffy at orduffys@gmail.com or drop them off in the church office. Bon Appetite!!

“Ye are the salt.’ Jesus does not say: ‘You must be the salt.’ It is not for the disciples to decide whether they will be the salt of the earth, for they are so whether they like it or not, they have been made salt by the call they have received. Again, it is: ‘ye *are* the salt,’ not ‘ye *have* the salt.’ By identifying the salt with the apostolic proclamation the Reformers robbed the saying of all its sting. No, the word speaks of their whole existence in so far as it is grounded anew in the call of Christ, that same existence which was the burden of the beatitudes. The call of Christ makes those who responded to it the salt of the earth in their total existence.

Of course, there is another possibility—the salt may lose its savour and cease to be salt at all. It just stops working. Then it is indeed good for nothing but to be thrown away. That is the peculiar quality of salt. Everything else needs to be seasoned with salt, but once the salt has lost its savour, it can never be salt again. Everything else can be saved by salt, however bad it has gone—only salt which loses its savour has no hope of recovery. That is the other side of the picture. That is the judgement which always hangs over the disciple community, whose mission it is to save the world, but which, if it ceases to live up to that mission, is itself irretrievably lost. The call of Jesus Christ means either that we are the salt of the earth, or else we are annihilated; either we follow the call or we are crushed beneath it. There is no question of a second chance.”

(Dietrich Bonhoeffer, *The Cost of Discipleship*, Macmillan, 1959, p. 105)



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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 6th – 7th :

There will be an unscheduled Wine & Cheese on Saturday to celebrate a special event!

9:00 AM – The Sharons (Hunt & Finley)

11:00 AM – Kathy & Rich Sabel

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

Collection Last Weekend: \$3,145.00 Rice Bowl total: \$627.11

Thank you for your generosity !

LITURGICAL READINGS

- Sunday: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time. 1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21/ Psalm 16/
Galatians 5:1, 13-18/ Luke 9:51-62.
- Monday: Genesis 18:16-33/ Psalm 103/ Matthew 8:18-22.
- Tuesday: Genesis 19:15-29/ Psalm 26/ 8:23-27.
- Wed: Saint Thomas (Feast). Ephesians 2:19-22/ Psalm 117/
John 20:24-29.
- Thursday: Independence Day. Genesis 22:1b-19/ Psalm 115/ Matthew 9:1-8.
- Friday: Genesis 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/ Psalm 106/ Matthew 9:9-13.
- Saturday: Genesis 27:1-5, 15-29/ Psalm 135/ Matthew 9:14-17.
- Next Sun: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Isaiah 66:10-14c/ Psalm 66/
Galatians 6:14-18/ Luke 10:1-12, 17-20.