



Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 1, 2019

St. Elizabeth Catholic Church

This weekend, we extend a warm welcome to two priests who are helping us out during Fr. Jim's vacation:

Welcome Fr. Eugene Smith, from the Grotto, who is celebrating the Saturday Vigil Mass and

Welcome back Fr. Bruce Cwielowski, Chaplain at Providence Hospital, who is celebrating Sunday Masses.

Thank you both for being with us this weekend!

It's the First Sunday of the month and our baskets are out for **SIMPLE SUPPER** and the **FOOD PANTRY** at Immaculate Hear Parish. Please be generous!!

MORNING MASS should resume on Friday, September 6th provided Fr. Jim's plane gets in on time.

READERS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: New Schedules have been emailed. There are paper copies available in the gathering area. Thank you for your service!

PARISH PICNIC: The picnic is only three weeks away!
Sign-up sheets are out for set-up (we need muscle for moving tables and chairs!), setting out and providing food, and the always popular "clean-up crew" (you get to graze on leftovers while you work)! Please sign-up to help however you can. The picnic will begin following 4pm Mass on Saturday, September 21st. Music will be provided by St. E's very own Oompah Band followed by Seymour, so be sure to bring your dancing shoes. A good time is guaranteed for all!



GOLF ANYONE ??? This year's golf scramble is scheduled for October 6th at Redtail Golf Center in Beaverton. Additional details will be forthcoming as the date approaches. All skill levels and ages are welcome! Join the fun and sign up to play!

LADIES RETREAT - September 7, 2019, 9am to noon, in Francis Hall at St. Anthony's Parish in Tigard. Join Fr. John Henderson as he encourages women to reflect upon the many hats we wear and how our Lord empowers us to wear those hats with greater clarity and purpose. A continental breakfast will be served from 8:45 - 9:00 am. RSVP to Toni Stotts: 503-475-3817 or toni.stotts@comcast.net.

At the banquet of life, we do not hesitate to elbow other people out of the way to get the best places. But Jesus shows us how different this is from the kingdom. To enter his reign, we must be humble. Gospel humility is not a religious sado-masochism by self-hatred or obsequiousness. Assertiveness and humility are not mutually exclusive. They both require that we be true to our dignity as images of God. Jesus, who was in the form of God left the first place to take the last. That is why "God exalted him" (Phil. 2:6-9).

In a second meal image, we find another warning against clever calculation. Our invitation list must include those that have no means to repay us. Christ, who is found in these least ones (Matthew 25:31-46), will return the invitation in the banquet of the kingdom.

THE HOLY SHROUD OF TURIN: The Beaverton Vicariate is sponsoring "The Holy Shroud of Turin" presented by Dr. John Jackson and Ms. Rebecca Jackson, on Friday, September 27th and Saturday, September 28th. The program will address physical, archeological, cultural and biblical evidence surrounding the shroud. Dr. Jackson holds a PhD in physics and led the team of 40 scientists during the historic Shroud of Turin Research Project in Turin Italy in 1978. Ms. Jackson is an expert researcher on First Century Jewish cultural and religious evidence of the Shroud of Turin and deputy director of the Shroud of Turin Research Center in Colorado Springs. Tickets are available online at Eventbrite.com; cost is \$16 for both nights. Call 971-329-8421 for more information.

The **NW CATHOLIC COUNSELING CENTER** offers the following workshops and groups this fall:

From the Depths of Grief and Loss: A Workshop of Understanding – Saturday, Sept 14th 10:00am - Noon.

Trauma Echoes: Surviving and Thriving – Saturday, Oct 5th, 1:00pm - 3:00pm.

Boundary Skills for Healthier Selves – Saturday, November 2nd, 1:00pm - 3:00pm.

Caregivers Support Group – Wednesdays, Sept 18th through November 20th, 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm.

2Have & 2Hold Marriage Preparation – Saturday, October 19th, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm.

Learn more and sign up at nwcounseling.org/workshops and nwcounseling.org/supportgroups.



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Have and fun and safe



HOSPITALITY FOR NEXT WEEKEND – September 7th & 8th :

Saturday Wine & Cheese – MacLean, Hamilton & McDonough Families

9:00 AM – Liam & Antoinette Roberts

11:00 AM – Need Volunteer! Please call Elizabeth in the church office if you can help.
Please come early. If you cannot fulfill your assignment, please make sure you find a substitute. Thank you!

Collections Last Weekend: \$3,866.00 Thank you for your generosity !

LITURGICAL READINGS

- Sunday: Twenty-second Sunday on Ordinary Time. Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/ Psalm 68/
Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a/ Luke 14:1, 7-14.
- Monday: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18/ Psalm 96/ Luke 4:16-30.
- Tuesday: St. Gregory the Great, Pope & Doctor of the Church (Memorial).
1Thessalonians 5:1-6, 9-11/ Psalm 27/Luke 4:31-37.
- Wed: Colossians 1:1-8/ Psalm 52/ Luke 4:38-44.
- Thursday: Colossians 1:9-14/ Psalm 98/ Luke 5:1-11.
- Friday: Colossians 1:15-20/ Psalm 100/ Luke 5:33-39.
- Saturday: Colossians 1:21-23/Psalm 54/ Luke 6:1-5.
- Next Sun: Twenty-third Sunday on Ordinary Time. Wisdom 9:13-18b/ Psalm 90/
Philemon 9-10, 12-17/Luke 14:25-33.