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## Liturgical Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass:  
5:30 PM Congregational Singing

Sunday Masses:  
7:30 AM  
9:00 AM Congregational Singing  
11:00 AM Cathedral Choir  
5:30 PM Contemporary Ensemble

Daily Masses:  
7:30 AM & 5:30 PM

Reconciliation (Confession):  
Saturday 4:00 PM-5:15 PM  
Other times by appointment.



# ✠ OCTOBER 8, 2017 ✠

## TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Oct 7:30am & 5:30pm**

**9 Communion Service**

**Jose Victor Fernandez Perez, dec**

**10 Emily Lightner, dec  
The Victims in Las Vegas**

**11 Marcie Vlazny, dec  
Charles Donahe, dec**

**12 Parishioners of St. Mary's  
Frances Turrish Swigert, dec**

**13 Virginia H. Chiles, dec  
Mary Vranizan, dec**

**14 Blanchet House**



**A WORD FROM THE PASTOR**

We are always looking for new liturgical ministers, and I encourage you to volunteer. A liturgical minister is someone who assists us at liturgy—the Mass, or other sacraments. These ministers include lectors, extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist, altar servers, cantors, choir members, musicians, ushers, greeters (hospitality), sacristans, and those who prepare our liturgical environment.

I am old enough to remember a time when the word *ministry* was limited to clerics. This goes back to the Council of Trent (1545-63). In reaction to the Protestant Reformers, who emphasized a ministry of the word and a commonality between clergy and laity, the Catholic Counterreformation defended the *clerical* ministries of minor orders, subdiaconate, diaconate, and priesthood. Everything (except perhaps altar servers, and this was men only) that took place in the sanctuary was done by clerics. This is not to say that there was no “ministry” by lay people. There were many religious orders, of men and women, and various lay organizations, who served the Church in healthcare, education, spiritual direction, missionary work, and care for the poor.

The great watershed for lay ministry is Vatican II. The Council had provided very fertile soil, and good fertilizer, to produce an abundant crop. Two groundbreaking theological principles provided the catalyst that spurred the growth of lay ministry, both in the Church and without. The first is the universal call to holiness. The second is that lay people, because of their baptism and confirmation, share in the priestly, prophetic, and shepherding offices of Christ. Thus, according to their state in life, they have a unique role to play in the mission of the Church. In short, the apostolate of the laity is fundamental to the Church’s life and mission.

The universal call to holiness is spelled out in *Lumen Gentium*, where it says that “the forms and tasks of life are many but there is one holiness, which is cultivated by all who are led by God’s Spirit” (41). Whether baptized, professed, or ordained, we are all called to holiness and to discipleship. This discipleship leads to ministry. The *Decree on the Apostolate of Lay People* says this: “Lay people, too, sharing in the priestly, prophetic, and kingly office of Christ, play their part in the mission of the whole people of God in the Church and in the world” (2).

I was ordained in 1977 and assigned to St. Therese Parish in NE Portland. It was there that I first witnessed lay readers, Holy Communion in the hand, extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist, and the wine offered to the congregation. I remember my excitement, and the excitement of the lay people who assumed this ministry, especially the Eucharistic ministers. Some cried as they offered the body and the blood to their families and friends. Now, we need your help at St. Mary’s Cathedral. Won’t you offer your services for the good of our parish? I can assure you, the blessings you will receive are many—and we will benefit, too.

Msgr. Patrick S. Brennan

**Week of October 8**

**Sunday: Family Mass 9am  
Coffee And Donuts after 9am Mass**

**Monday: Alpha 6:30pm**

**Wednesday: Blessing of the Pets at School 3:25pm  
RCIA 7pm**

**Financial Report for October 1**

**Regular Households: 800                  Envelopes used: 124  
E-Giving: 81**

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>%Difference</u>
<b>Sunday Envelope:</b>	\$ 9,318		
<b>E-Giving:</b>	\$ 5,536		
<b><u>Loose Collection:</u></b>	<u>\$ 2,382</u>		
<b>TOTAL PARISH:</b>	\$17,236	\$16,394	+5%
<b>Fiscal Year to Date:</b>	\$213,983	\$229,516	-7%

**Social Services: \$477                  School: \$1,897  
Sunday Sch. Of Rel.: \$15          Adult Formation: \$5  
Hurricane Relief: \$ 320**

*We are grateful for your contributions to Cathedral!*

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a charitable bequest to  
St. Mary’s Cathedral*



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**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR OCT 15**

**Isaiah 25:6-10a; Philippians 4:12-14,19-20;  
Matthew 22:1-14**

## WORSHIP ✱ PRAYER ✱ FAITH FORMATION

**School Mass:** We are invited to join the students, faculty and parents for Mass on Wednesday, October 11 at 8:30am.

**Does your family have a beloved pet?** Let's get them blessed! Bring your dog, cat, bunny or anything else to school pick up on Wednesday, October 11 at 3:25pm. Msgr Pat will bless all Cathedral family pets in the school parking lot. Simply park in the church lot and bring your little buddy over. Leashes and cages appreciated! Hope to see you there.

**Parish Religious Education Program:** Please sign up for the sacramental preparation of your children: First Reconciliation and First Communion. Registration forms are at the Cathedral entrances. For more information, please contact Stephanie Fisher-Hunt at 503.292.5679, cell: 503.890.2413 or email : [stephaniefh60@gmail.com](mailto:stephaniefh60@gmail.com).

**High School Confirmation:** We will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation for high school students in Spring 2018. Registration is open for all high school students who wish to be confirmed. Call or email the parish office for a registration packet. Registration will close on January 1, 2018. The first class will be held on Sunday, January 21. No registrations will be accepted at that time. Welcome to all high school candidates for Confirmation!

**Children's Liturgy for Toddlers:** Starting October 22nd, St. Mary's Cathedral will offer a Children's Liturgy at the 9am mass for kids who can walk but are not yet old enough to go to the traditional Children's Liturgy. We ask that toddlers are accompanied by an adult. Songs, art and listening to the message of the Gospel will all be a part of this fun program for kids. We hope to see you there! If you have any questions, please email [crystal.gassert@gmail.com](mailto:crystal.gassert@gmail.com).

**Altar Server Training:** Any student, grades 4 and up, who is interested in becoming an altar server is asked to fill out an online registration form at the church website. Please click on Altar Servers under the Ministries tab. Training will be **Monday, October 23 or Monday, October 30**. The sessions are from 6:30-8pm in the Cathedral. Students only need attend one session. Parents are encouraged to stay for the training.

**2017 Seminarian Appeal.** This weekend, October 7 and 8, there will be a special collection in support of our diocesan seminarians; that is, seminarians studying for the Archdiocese of Portland. Seminary education for our students costs up to \$2M annually. Please be as generous as your means allow. Your support is greatly appreciated. Thank you!



**Got Questions About Life?** You're Invited! Mondays at 6:30pm, in St. Joseph Hall, you will have the chance to explore the Christian faith, ask questions and share your point of view. Alpha is a series of sessions exploring the Christian faith, typically run over eleven weeks. Each talk looks at a different question about faith and is designed to create conversation. Everyone is welcome!

## CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

**Join us for our "Celebrate Cathedral School"** yearly fundraising event on October 28 at The Racquet Club, 1853 SW Highland Rd. Watch for more details to come!

## SOCIAL SERVICES

We are collecting new makeup pouches of the same size and style that often come as free gifts when purchasing makeup at a department store. They are filled with essential items and distributed to the women we serve. We would love to have any you can spare! They can be brought to the sacristy after Mass or dropped in the hallway between the Church and office. Thank you!

## OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

**Mater Dei Radio - KBVM 88.3 FM** will broadcast its Fall Sharathon 2017 from October 9 through the 13th. Help them in "Building a Bridge of Mercy" by tuning in for a variety of special guests, inspiring conversion stories, special gifts, and an opportunity for you to support the region's only Catholic Radio station. Find out more about Fall Sharathon 2017 at [MaterDeiRadio.com](http://MaterDeiRadio.com) or call 1-888-823-5286.

**In the new Catholic Sentinel:** Meet a trio of religious sisters and biological sisters who've spent their lives teaching Oregon's youth. Read about the Archdiocese's first Blue Mass to honor first responders. Join the debate about whether or not to regulate artificial intelligence. Discover the progress being made in the fight against Parkinson's disease. To see more stories go to [catholic sentinel.org](http://catholic sentinel.org)

## Thinking about becoming Catholic?

If you are considering Baptism; or, if you are baptized, considering full initiation; or, if you are Catholic but with little Catholic connection . . . please join us Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the Upper Cathedral Center. To register, call Paulette Peynet, Director of RCIA, at 503-319-3303.

**"Come to me . . . and I will refresh you" (Mt 11:28)**

DESCRIPTION OF LITURGICAL MINISTRIES  
ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

HOSPITALITY

GREETERS welcome people at the doors of the cathedral. Greeters hand out worship aids; ask parishioners to carry up the gifts; and hand out bulletins and copies of *The Catholic Sentinel* at the end of Mass. Training is on the job. Families are welcome to act as greeters.

USHERS seat people as needed; take up the collection of the day; and ensure the security of the congregation during services. Training is on the job. Young people who are at least sixteen years of age may act as ushers.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

LECTORS proclaim the Word of God at Mass. Training for new lectors is held at a time which is convenient to them. Experienced lectors meet as needed for prayer and continuing education. Young people who are at least sixteen years of age, and confirmed, may act as lectors.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION distribute Communion at Mass. Ministers of the bread and ministers of the cup are needed. Training for new ministers is held at a time convenient to them. Young people who are at least sixteen years of age, and confirmed, may act as extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion.

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Volunteers are needed to help with Sunday classes leading to First Reconciliation and First Holy Eucharist. Training is provided. For information, please call Stephanie Fisher-Hunt at 503.292.5679, or email her at [stephaniefh60@gmail.com](mailto:stephaniefh60@gmail.com).

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION  
REGISTRATION FOR LITURGICAL MINISTERS

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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Are you a registered member of this parish?    \_\_\_ Yes    \_\_\_ No

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I wish to volunteer as:  
\_\_\_\_\_ Greeter    \_\_\_\_\_ Usher    \_\_\_\_\_ Lector  
\_\_\_\_\_ Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

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For Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Have you received the Sacrament of Confirmation in the Catholic Church?  
\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

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**Mass Time Preference (s):**

\_\_\_ Saturday Vigil 5:30 pm

\_\_\_ Sunday 11:00 am

\_\_\_ Sunday 7:30 am

\_\_\_ Sunday 5:30 pm

\_\_\_ Sunday 9:00 am

\_\_\_ Daily Mass 7:30 am (Days \_\_\_\_\_)

\_\_\_ Daily Mass 5:30pm (Days \_\_\_\_\_)

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**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to volunteer for the Sunday Religious Education Program.

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**AGREEMENT**

*I agree to:*

Receive initial and formative training in the ministry as provided by the parish  
Faithfully serve as scheduled or find a commissioned substitute  
Regularly attend Sunday Mass and participate in the Sacraments  
Live in accordance with the teachings and values of the Catholic Church  
Support the mission and vision of St. Mary's Cathedral as an engaged parishioner

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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**LITURGICAL MINISTERS - OCT 14 & 15**

**Presiders:**

<b>Vigil</b>	Fr. Jon Buffington	<b>11:00</b>	Fr. Jon Buffington
<b>7:30</b>	Msgr. Patrick Brennan		
<b>9:00</b>	Fr. Jon Buffington	<b>5:30</b>	Msgr. Patrick Brennan

**Lectors:**

<b>Vigil</b>	Suzi Santilli, XXX
<b>7:30</b>	Sydney Clevenger
<b>9:00</b>	Matt Bordonaro, Hayden Thomas
<b>11:00</b>	Greg Carich, Andy Beck
<b>5:30</b>	Tom Eiden, Anne Yoo

**Greeters & Ushers:**

<b>Vigil</b>	Virginia Ryan
<b>9:00</b>	Longaker Family
<b>11:00</b>	Thomas Brook, John Pigott Chris O'Brien

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

<b>Vigil</b>	Barbara Brainard, XXX Henry Arriaga, Betty Donnelly, XXX
<b>7:30</b>	Sydney Clevenger, Todd Houser, Jim Larkins
<b>9:00</b>	Eileen Boyd, Valarie Marrs, Fernanda DeClercq Joe Schafbuch, Nikki Schafbuch, Liesl Nebel
<b>11:00</b>	Esneda Patton, Julie McCarthy, Debbie Paynter Mary Ganji, Dohky J-Karchaei, Sarah Westenberg, Joan Townsend
<b>5:30</b>	Amy Brown, Barbara Brown, David Pfaff Dorene Kemp, Kelsey McGinnis, Jim Peck

**Altar Servers:**

<b>Vigil</b>	Luci Rosetti, Alison Buchholz, Harper Buchholz
<b>7:30</b>	Steele Clevenger, Gus Clevenger
<b>9:00</b>	Amelia Rawlinson, Maura O'Scannlain, Aiden O'Scannlain
<b>11:00</b>	Grace Kurilo, Henry Kurilo, Claudie Mutati
<b>5:30</b>	Ben Morich, Will Morich, Matthias Kreutzer

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