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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

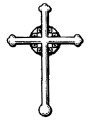
Daily Masses:  
7:30 AM & 5:30 PM

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



# ⊕ OCTOBER 15, 2017

## TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### MASS INTENTIONS

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

16 Maureen Connolly

Souls in Purgatory

17 Earle M. Chiles, dec

Michael Ferguson

18 Msgr. Brennan & Fr. Furlow

Mary Goodrich, dec

19 Lucy & Mark Eklund

Margaret Ferguson, dec

20 Marcie Vlazny, dec

Albert Nickels

21 Blanchet House



### **A WORD FROM THE PASTOR**

By now most of you have received your packets with information about our Cathedral Project and our capital campaign. You have also seen the conceptual drawings done by Hacker Architects. These digital renderings give some idea of the remodel of our Cathedral Center and the courtyard, though these drawings are very preliminary. A working committee has been meeting with Hacker to refine our ideas and to decide the best use and placement of the various meeting rooms, classrooms, chapel, large hall, and commons. Most spaces are designated “multi-purpose” so that their use can be shared by as many parishioners and groups as possible. While the building may seem large, as soon as one situates a classroom or two, with the necessary closets, cabinets, storage areas, hallways, and bathrooms, the usable space quickly diminishes. The large hall, with a kitchen, will take up almost the entire second floor, while a portion of the third floor must be opened to the beams (looking up from the second-floor hall) to reduce the claustrophobic effect of a low ceiling. All things considered, we will try to incorporate as many usable spaces as we can, given the limitations of our four walls.

With that in mind, some have suggested that we tear down the building and start over—a practical consideration that oftentimes saves money. We continue to look at this suggestion, but we don’t think such a drastic move would win approval either from the parish or from the city’s landmarks commission. We live in the Alphabet Historic District, and, as such, there are restrictions on design. Fortunately, the Cathedral Center is a handsome, classic, century-old masonry building. It needs a seismic upgrade, and just about everything else internally; but externally, we can work with it.

It is now time to consider a pledge to our capital campaign, over a five-year period, that will help bring our dreams to fruition. More important to me than the amount of the pledge is broad participation and ownership on the part of the parish—as well as from our friends beyond the parish. In the past few months I have heard from many people who cherish the cathedral as the place where they were baptized, where their parents were married, where their grandparents had their funeral. Our cathedral is both a parish church and everyone’s church—the mother church of the Archdiocese of Portland. We are proud of our cathedral and our Catholic heritage, which extends back to the 1840’s, when the Oregon Territory became a “vicariate-apostolic” (forerunner of a diocese). My hope is that a renovated Cathedral Center, with a “welcome commons,” will raise the profile of our Catholic presence in Portland and give us a beautiful space to gather, to socialize, to study, and to pray.

But we need your help. We need everyone’s help. In the next couple of weeks we will be asking you to make a pledge to our capital campaign. I will preach on the campaign next Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>. The following Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, is parish Commitment Sunday. We can make our goal. We can realize our dreams. Thank you!

Msgr. Patrick S. Brennan

### Week of October 15

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

**Monday:** Alpha 6:30pm

**Wednesday:** School Mass 8:30am  
RCIA 7pm

### Financial Report for October 8

**Regular Households: 800**

**Envelopes used: 133**

**E-Giving: 104**

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>%Difference</u>
<b>Sunday Envelope:</b>	\$ 6,298		
<b>E-Giving:</b>	\$ 3,821		
<b>Loose Collection:</b>	\$ 2,408		
<b>Assumption:</b>	\$ 20		
<b>TOTAL PARISH:</b>	\$12,547	\$16,394	-23%
<b>Fiscal Year to Date:</b>	\$226,530	\$245,910	-8%

**Social Services: \$210**

**School: \$143**

**Cathedral Choir: \$20**

**Cathedral Bells: \$45**

**Sunday School of Rel: \$40**

*We are grateful for your contributions to Cathedral!*



### **CELEBRATIONS IN OUR PARISH THIS PAST WEEK**

#### Baptisms:

Mason Charles Moore

Mia Wilson

## WORSHIP ✦ PRAYER ✦ FAITH FORMATION

**School Mass:** We are invited to join the students, faculty and parents for Mass on Wednesday, October 18 at 8:30am .

**Baptismal Preparation for Parents of Infants:** The next session will be on Thursday, October 19 at 7 pm in the Upper Cathedral Center. Enter from 17th Street.

**Thinking about becoming Catholic?** Contact Paulette Peynet at 503.319.3303. Catholic Inquiry meets at 7pm on Wednesdays in the Upper Cathedral Center.

**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.

**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



**Celebrate Cathedral** on October 28 at 6pm, the Racquet Club, 1853 SW Highland Road, Portland. Celebrate Cathedral School and celebrate our community with cocktails, hors d'oeuvres, music and dancing. To purchase tickets go online to [www.cathedral-or.org](http://www.cathedral-or.org).

Deck your halls this holiday season with the help of the Cathedral School Parents' Association! Order forms will be available soon for our **Annual Wreath and Poinsettia sale**. Pickup is scheduled for November 27th. Contact Erin at [herrick-erin@gmail.com](mailto:herrick-erin@gmail.com) with questions.



## 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

**St. André Bessette** is in need of men's and women's clothing, especially shoes, pants/jeans. *New* socks and underwear (for men & women) are also greatly appreciated. Please deliver your donations to the Cathedral office or contact Leslie Bentley 503.227.5981 for pick up. Thank you!



They are also in need of blankets, backpacks, towels and washcloths, shaving cream, razors, soap and shampoo.

### **Are you looking for a class, retreat or event to attend?**

Check out the following websites:

Archdiocese of Portland: [archdpx.org](http://archdpx.org)

Franciscan Spiritual Center: [francisspctr.com](http://francisspctr.com)

Mount Angel Abbey: [mountangelabbey.org](http://mountangelabbey.org)

Our Lady of Peace Retreat House: [olpretreat.org](http://olpretreat.org)

Office of Life, Peace & Justice: [justiceandpeace@archdpx.org](mailto:justiceandpeace@archdpx.org)

### **Ireland & Scotland Pilgrimage with Msgr. Brennan:**

September 19 to October 5, 2018 (sixteen days). For more information, please contact Carol Stahl at OCP Pilgrimages, 1.800.LITURGY or email Carol at [carol@ocp.org](mailto:carol@ocp.org).

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS - OCT 21 & 22**

**Presiders:**

**Vigil** Fr. Timothy Furlow      **11:00** Msgr. Patrick Brennan  
**7:30** Fr. Timothy Furlow  
**9:00** Msgr. Patrick Brennan      **5:30** Fr. Timothy Furlow

**Lectors:**

**Vigil** Betty Donnelly, Joe Bianco  
**7:30** Martha Pelster  
**9:00** Liesl Nebel, Lloyd Heller  
**11:00** Thomas Mannix, Paul Langton  
**5:30** Maureen Romero, Michele Mariana

**Greeters & Ushers:**

**Vigil** XXX  
**9:00** Susan Hartwell  
**11:00** Thomas Brook, Sr. Connie Furseth,  
Gary Townsend

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

**Vigil** Karen Knight, Suzie Santilli  
Janet Satterlee, Mimi Bushman, XXX  
**7:30** Martha Pelster, Todd Adkisson, Mary White  
**9:00** Fernanda DeClercq, Michelle Vranizan, Daryl Smith  
Steve Mattheisen, Sara Mattheisen, Helen Heller  
**11:00** Sarah Westenberg, Donne Merriman, Sandy Simmons  
Marilyn Griffin, Cerise Joe, Ann Wehrley,  
Gina Shapard  
**5:30** Fhretscya Youmans, Shawn Youmans, Jim Peck  
Neill McAuliffe, Daniel Hseih, Amy Brown

**Altar Servers:**

**Vigil** XXX  
**7:30** XXX, XXX  
**9:00** Isabella Lazzara, Chloe Heller, Peter Bocci  
**11:00** Ruben Yoder, Eva Molloy, Alexi Molly  
**5:30** Claudie Mutati, Jimmy Mercado, Fernando Martinez

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