



# JANUARY 31, 2010

## FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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**MASS INTENTIONS**

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

- 1 Deceased Parishioners of St. Mary's  
Virginia H. Chiles, dec
- 2 Poor Souls in Purgatory  
Thomas Louis Raj, dec
- 3 Margaret Casey  
Barbara Bradshaw
- 4 Fr. John Tuohey  
Sally Ilacad
- 5 Fr. Francis Chun  
Willard Van Engel, dec
- 6 Blanchet House

**Week of January 31**

- Sunday:** Coffee & Donuts after 9am Mass  
Scout Mass 2pm  
High School Confirmation Class 4-5:15pm
- Monday:** School Mass 8:30am  
Consecrated Life Vespers 7pm  
Art of Cinema Series 7pm
- Tuesday:** Praying with the Scriptures 7pm
- Wednesday:** Feast of St. Blaise  
RCIA 7pm
- Thursday:** Adoration & Benediction 6pm
- Friday:** School Closed
- Sunday:** Catholic Schools Mass 9am

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**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR FEBRUARY 7**

Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8  
1 Corinthians 15:1-11  
Luke 5:1-11

**Flu & St. Mary's Cathedral:**

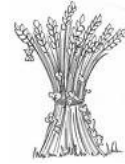
1. The Chalice of Precious Blood will not be offered at the Mass.
2. The Sign of Peace can be offered through a non-contact gesture such as a slight bow.
3. You are encouraged to receive the Eucharist into your hand, rather than on the tongue.
4. Please use prudent judgment on attending Mass if you are stricken with flu symptoms.

Gluten Allergies: For those unable to receive the host due to gluten allergies: Please line up at the short rail in front of the ambo (pulpit) at the "Lamb of God". A Communion Minister will offer the chalice at the beginning of communion.

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**LITURGICAL MINISTERS - FEBRUARY 6 & 7**

**Presiders:**

- Vigil** Fr. George Wolf  
**7:30** Fr. George Wolf  
**9:00** Fr. George Wolf  
**11:00** Fr. George Wolf  
**5:30** Fr. Francis Chun



**Lectors:**

- Vigil** Suzie Santilli, Sr. Rita Vistica  
**7:30** Sydney Clevenger  
**9:00** Catholic Schools Week  
**11:00** Greg Carich, Ilse Wefers  
**5:30** Bill Prendergast, Charles Herdener



**Cantors:**

- Vigil** Tyrene Bada  
**9:00** Tyrene Bada  
**11:00** Cathedral Choir  
**5:30** Contemporary Ensemble



**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

- Vigil** Valarie Marrs, Sue O'Donnell  
**7:30** Sydney Clevenger  
**9:00** Catholic Schools Week  
**11:00** M.Griffin, P. Walter, C. Houghton, R. Houghton  
**5:30** S. Prendergast, Margaret Witt, Kathy Kelly, Tomas Lozano

**Altar Servers:**

- Vigil** Christopher Burpee, Peter Burpee, Cheryl Wayte  
**7:30** Jordan Acree, Jack Clevenger  
**9:00** Tully Bush, Alex Wuilloud, Hank Loennig  
**11:00** Simon Cooney, Jenna Koury, Olivia Langton  
**5:30** Olivia Anderson, Joey Bari, Bella Mercado

**Greeters & Ushers:**

- Vigil** tba  
**9:00** tba  
tba  
**11:00** tba

**Financial Report for January 24**

<b>Regular Households: 1100</b>	<b>Envelopes used: 246</b>
<b>Sunday Envelope Collection:</b>	<b>\$ 8,533</b>
<b>Loose Collection:</b>	<b>\$ 1,640</b>
<b>School Contribution:</b>	<b>\$ 15</b>
<b>TOTAL PARISH:</b>	<b>\$10,188</b>
<b>Haiti Relief: \$10,959.71</b>	
<b>Catholic Communications Campaign: \$25</b>	
<b>Retirement for Religious: \$10</b>	

## ARCHBISHOP'S CATHOLIC APPEAL *Handing On Our Faith*

Next weekend, February 6 & 7 is Commitment Weekend for the 2010 Archbishop's Catholic Appeal. During Mass we will listen to the message from Archbishop Vlazny about the Appeal. If you received a personalized commitment card in the mail, please bring it to Mass with you as we join together to support our Catholic Church. If you did not receive a commitment card in the mail, pledge envelopes will be available during Mass.

This week, please read the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal materials you received in the Parish Bulletin today and prayerfully reflect on the level of commitment you will make next weekend.

The Archbishop's Catholic Appeal provides substantial financial support to essential ministries that support parishes in our Archdiocese. These programs provide education, ministry and a Catholic presence for tens of thousands of people.

When we stop to count our abundant blessings, we're aware of how truly blessed we are. The Archbishop's Catholic Appeal is an invitation to share your blessings and support the Gospel mission here in Western Oregon. A significant pledge to this appeal is a sign that you are a part of the holy people who follow in the footsteps of the faithful throughout the history of scripture. Your pledge is also a sign of your gratitude for God's generous abundance. While we can never outdo God in generosity, we are called to join in the mission of the Gospel as we pour forth the gifts of life, goodness and grace through the sharing of our own blessings from God.

## LITURGIES

**School Mass:** We are invited to join the students, faculty and parents of Cathedral School for Mass this Monday, February 1 at 8:30am celebrating Catholic Schools Week.

**Consecrated Life Vespers:** Religious sisters, brothers and priests will gather with Archbishop Vlazny in the Cathedral to celebrate Vespers at 7pm, Monday, February 1. We are invited to show our support by joining our active and contemplative religious.

**Adoration** will follow the 5:30pm Mass on Thursday, February 4 and close with Benediction at 6:30pm.

**Prayer Service for Victims of Human Trafficking & Slavery:** A prayer service for victims will be on Monday, February 8 from 6:30-8pm at St. Mary's Cathedral. This is the feast day of St. Josephine Bakhita. Pope John Paul II said that in St. Josephine, "We find a shining advocate of genuine emancipation. The history of her life inspires not passive acceptance but the firm resolve to work effectively to free girls and women from oppression and violence, and to return them to their dignity in the full exercise of their rights." Please join us for readings, reflections and music.

## FAITH FORMATION

**Praying with the Scriptures:** Rev. Ray Carey, Ph.D., will present *Some Women of Faith in the New Testament* at 7pm on Tuesday, February 2 inside the church at St. Mary's Cathedral. There is no need to register and no fee. Feel free to come to one or all of our sessions. For a complete listing, please pick up a program schedule at the doors of St. Mary's Cathedral or go to our website.



## OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

**The New Ministry Schedules** for February through April are available. If you were not sent a schedule via email, please contact the office with a current email address or email: maryjo@maryscathedral.org with a viable address. You may still pick up a schedule outside the sacristy.

**Art of Cinema Series** hosted by Fr. Francis Chun. The first of the film series will begin on Monday, February 1. The first movie in our series is *Spring, Summer, Fall, Winter, Spring (Korea)*, about a baby boy left at a Zen monastery in the middle of a lake. He becomes a monk, falls in love, leaves and then returns to the monastery. His life journey is full of spiritual lessons. Rent and view this movie at home before coming to our discussion in the Lower Cathedral Center from 7-9pm.

*God Speaks to Us through the Art of Cinema,  
Grasping His Lessons  
Every artist is somehow inspired (breathed upon)  
by the Holy Spirit, the Creative Breath of God*

## CHRISTIAN SERVICE

**Pandemonium!!!** As part of our ongoing support of Catholic Charities Refugee Resettlement Program, we are conducting a pot and pan drive. We appreciate any donation of new or gently used cookware. Please place all contributions in the large brown basket in the vestibule. Call Gail Kingsley at 503.241.2521 if you have questions.

## ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

**Catholic Schools Week, January 31 to February 5:** This week we celebrate Catholic Schools Week. The theme for the week is *Catholic Schools: Dividends for Life*. This theme is particularly fitting because it underscores the long-standing tradition of Catholic education to instill in students the faith, knowledge, morals and discipline that will enable them to fulfill their future roles in life. Now, more than ever, a Catholic education is truly an investment in the future that is worth the consideration of every family.

Please join us at the 9am Mass on Sunday, February 7 as the school children celebrate the conclusion of Catholic Schools Week. Coffee and donuts will be served after Mass in the school courtyard. Auction projects made by the students will also be on display.

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**PARISH STAFF:**

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**ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL PARISH SCHOOL:**

503-275-9370 Web site: [cathedral-or.org](http://cathedral-or.org)

Cathedral Parish participates with the Westside Perpetual Adoration Chapel located in the Lower Cathedral Center. For more information, please call Craig Casey 503-246-9616 or Paul Dean 503-345-2667.

**LITURGIES (MASSES):**

**SATURDAY VIGIL:**

5:30pm Congregational Singing

**SUNDAY MASSES:**

7:30am

9am Congregational Singing

11am Cathedral Choir

5:30pm Contemporary Ensemble

**DAILY MASSES:**

7:30am and 5:30pm

**MORNING PRAYER:**

7:00am (Except Sunday)

**BAPTISM: Infant & Adults:** Please contact the Parish Office.

**MARRIAGE:** Call the Parish Office. Preferably six months in advance from your wedding date.

**RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS):**

**SATURDAY:** 4-5:15pm.

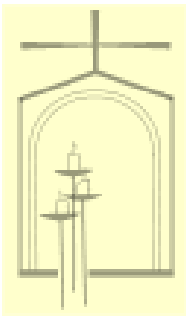
Other times by appointment.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Celebrate this healing sacrament before your scheduled surgery or hospital stay. Call the Parish Office.

**HOLY ORDERS:** Please contact Fr. Kelly Vandehey, Vocation Office, 503-233-8368.

**NEW TO PARISH:** We extend a warm welcome to new parishioners. Registration forms are in the book racks by church entrance.

**BULLETIN NOTICES:** Must be submitted by 5pm Tuesday to the Parish Office.



## REVOLUTIONARY LOVE

As hard as it was for the people of Jesus' native place to accept, the fact is that he was a prophet, no less a prophet than Jeremiah.

Just as Jeremiah had been warned that *they will fight against you, but not prevail over you*, so the people *rose up and expelled Jesus from the town. But he went straight through their midst and walked away.*

The message of Jesus and the prophets before him was *to love all men as God loves them*. The reason why they ran into problems is that so many people do not want to hear about *love for one another even as God has loved us*.

The love that Jesus preached *is not snobbish*, so it includes the filthy poor and the stinking homeless.

*It does not brood over injuries*, so it asks not how we can get even with this criminal but how we can help restore this human being.

*It does not rejoice in what is wrong*, so it causes us to react strongly against all forms of injustice and oppression.

This is revolutionary love.

*Prophecies will cease*. One day the talk about love will end, and the kingdom of love will become a reality. Of that there is no doubt.

The only question is about who, in the meantime, will *be filled with indignation* as the prophet of love, and who will be walking with the prophet through the midst of the crowd.

-Gerald Darring