

## OUR PARISH

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School Principal ..... Sr. Kathy Cordes, SHCJ  
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## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES:

If you would like to join the Parish Liturgical Ministries, Eucharistic Ministers and Servers contact: Steve Jones (503-256-5850 x105);  
Lectors, Bob Cornell (leave message at 503-256-5850).

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

**The Living:** Arden Manning, Elsie Farrow, Stephanie Johnson, David Durrin, Marina Gomez, Judy Dwyer, Dennis Becker, Rosemary Elliott, Mary Ennis, Roy Routledge, Thomas Fahey, Reynaldo Tingzon, John Hamilton, Dee Spike, June Lagler, Shannon Lusby, Bill Benson, Amabile R. Zorich, Mary Cox, Dorothy Brightbill, Francis Montani, Cheryl Perry, Millie Gomoll, Vera Saxton, Cheryl Trimpler, Lucille Dole, Joanne Scabery, Jean Cotterell, Jack & Marge Curtis, Cindy Daugherty, Dan Duncan, Evelyn Mertz, Lou Schmiedescamp, Geraldine Wirfs, Clarence Young, Maria Neukamm

## YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

Total Offertory for 1/22/11 ..... \$ 5,454.30  
Average Weekly Offertory 2011-11 ..... \$ 8,314.70  
Average Weekly Budgeted 2011-12 ..\$ 8,307.12  
"Average Weekly Offertory" is based on 30 weeks.  
The "Average Weekly Budgeted" is based on the total 2011-12 Fiscal Year Offertory Budget divided by 52 weeks.

## SPECIAL EVENTSSpecial Events of the WEEK:week

<b>Jan 30</b>	<b>Monday</b>
<b>Jan 31</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>
<b>Feb 1</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>
6:00 pm	WA Board Meeting..... PSC
<b>Feb 2</b>	<b>Thursday</b>
6:30 pm	Bible Study ..... PSC
<b>Feb 3</b>	<b>Friday</b>
8:30 am	School Mass..... Church
<b>Feb 4</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
<b>Feb 5</b>	<b>Sunday</b>

## Holy Hour

Reminder-First Thursday Holy Hour February 2, After 7:30 Mass, 8-9am. Time is a valuable gift from God. Spend some of it thanking and praising him. Please join us in the Chapel.

## ST THERESE 2012 AUCTION NEWS:

Join us for the St. Therese Annual Auction, March 3, 2012 at the Portland Airport Embassy Suites Hotel. The theme is Denim & Diamonds, and the tickets are \$50. Please contact the school office to reserve your seats at (503) 253-9400

## FRANCISCAN SISTERS LUNCHEON:

Reservations for the 33rd Annual Valentine Luncheon at the Franciscan Sisters of the Eucharist Villa in Bridal Veil are underway. The Valentine Salad Luncheon is February 11, 2012 with two seating's, 11:00 am or 1:00 pm Reservations are required. Call 503-760-8220 between 9:00 am and 4:00 pm Limited to 130 per seating; free will donation benefits the Sister's works and projects. Thank you.



## **XYZ's:**

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### **XYZ FEBRUARY 8, 2012 CRAB DINNER**

@ 6:00 pm Cost: \$15.00 per person. The price of Crab has gone up this year. **Please Reserve and prepay early.** Arrive between 5:00-5:45pm to sign in & visit.

### **XYZ BOARD MEETING FEB 6TH @ 10:30 am In the Parish Office Conference Room**

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### **ACTIVITIES AROUND THE VICARIATE:**

Watch the "SUPER BOWL" on a Big Screen T.V. Please join the Knights and fellow parishioners at St. Joseph the Worker in watching the "SUPER BOWL" in the Social Room, Sunday February 5<sup>th</sup>, @ 1:00pm. \$20.00 admission gets you a Full Course Steak Dinner, 3 drinks (Beer, Wine, Soda), tons of munchies and great conversation. For tickets, or more information, call Bob (503) 912-0670, or Ed (503) 804-3950.

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### **DAY for CONSECRATED LIFE:**

In celebration of a Day of Consecrated Life, Archbishop John G. Vlazny invites parishioners to join him, and those living in consecrated life, to a vespers services at St. Mary's Cathedral, Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm. Reception to follow.

### **PREPARE for LENT!**

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#### **Day of Recollection Retreat**

"Mother of Divine Grace: Imitating the Virtues of God." Father Vincent Kelber will lead this retreat day at Holy Rosary Church, Portland, OR. The Retreat Day begins on Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup> with 7:30 am Rosary, followed by 8:00 am Mass (Breakfast is included). Father Kelber will lead the Day of Recollection and deepen our holiness with the focus on our Blessed Mother's Divine Grace while inspiring us to live and model the virtues of The Holy Trinity. Everyone is welcome! The retreat day will include the movie "Stay on Mission," Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 3:00 pm, followed by a Benediction to close this introspective Day of Recollection. Questions? Contact [info@wafpdx.org](mailto:info@wafpdx.org), or Brenda Schwartz: 503-784-8039.

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### **ST. VINCENT DE PAUL News**

The item of the month for January is Macaroni-and-Cheese. All donations of canned/boxed food, toiletries, or money are welcome.

The next meeting of St Vincent de Paul will be on Wednesday, February 8, at 6:45 pm in the PSC.

### **ST. Vincent De Paul also needs volunteers on Wednesday mornings from 9:45am to 10:30am for help stocking shelves.**

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### **CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2012**

Is January 29<sup>th</sup> -February 5<sup>th</sup>. The Theme is "Catholic Schools - Faith. Academics. Service." This is a perfect time to see if Catholic Education is a good fit for your family. Open Houses are planned for St. Therese School for February 10<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am, February 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm, February 26<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am and March 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm. The choice to send your child to a Catholic school can make a difference in their life. We have a fully accredited academic program which exceeds state requirements, before and after school care, a hot lunch program and specialty classes such as Spanish, PE, Technology, Humanities and Fine Arts (choir, strings, band, guitar, hand bells choir and private music lessons). Our principal, Sr. Kathy Cordes, shcj, has worked hard over the last seven years to build a strong and diverse educational program. She is the only religious principal working in the Archdiocese of Portland. Come to an Open House or call 503-253-9400 for questions or to schedule a private tour.

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### **KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS**

Interested in becoming a Knight of Columbus? Any practicing Catholic male, 18 years of age or older, is invited to join the Knights of Columbus. As Knights, we support Fr. Steve, Sr. Kathy, and the mission of St. Therese. To learn how to become a Knight, please call William Keller at (503) 970-5706.

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