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SPAGHETTI DINNER OCT. 16, 2011

Plan to join fellow parishioners at the Spaghetti Dinner from Noon to 6 p.m. this Sunday, October 16. It's the parish's only big fund raiser for the year. Tickets remain the same price as last year! Beat inflation and enjoy a great dinner. The spaghetti sauce is the parish's secret recipe, made from fresh herbs and choice spices, with sausages made to order from the White family's traditional formula.

If you'd like to volunteer to help at the dinner, please sign up in the vestibules of the church. We need help in all phases of the dinner from cooking to serving to clean up. (We hear that there is a special indulgence granted to people who volunteer as dish washers and kitchen clean-up workers!)

DESSERTS NEEDED FOR SPAGHETTI DINNER

Please bring in your favorite Store-Bought or Home-Made Desserts for the **Spaghetti Dinner ~ Sunday, October 16th**. You may drop off your desserts before mass & during the dinner!

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

The Living: Marlene Mosbrucker, John Hamilton, Cheryl Fraley, Dee Spike, Fredia McPeak, June Lagler, Rita Glazebrook, Shannon Lusby, Bill Benson, Amabile R. Zorich, Mary Cox, Dorothy Brightbill, Francis Montani, Cheryl Perry, Lucille Hunt, Marie Carter, Millie Gomoll, Vera Saxton, Cheryl Trimpler, Lucille Dole, Joanne Scabery, David & Lisa Marie Lecce-Borders, Jean Cotterell, Jack & Marge Curtis, Cindy Daugherty, Dan Duncan, Jeannette Gwynn, Evelyn Mertz, Lou Schmiedescamp, Dolores Waterman, Geraldine Wirfs, Clarence Young, Maria Neukamm, Anna Rose Allais, Ludell Lindeman

YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

Total Offertory for 10/03/11.....\$ 7,032.63
Average Weekly Offertory 2011--12.....\$ 7,787.72
Average Weekly Budgeted 2011--12.....\$ 8,307.12
"Average Weekly Offertory" is based on a total of 15 weeks. The "Average Weekly Budgeted" is based on the total 2011-12 Fiscal Year Offertory Budget divided by 52 weeks.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Oct 17	Monday	
7:30 am	Communion Service.....	Chapel
9:00 am	ACCW Board Meeting.....	Psc-Main
Oct 18	Tuesday	
7:30 am	Mass.....	Church
6:30 pm	School Advisory Council.....	Library
7:00 pm	Prayer Group.....	Psc-1
Oct 19	Wednesday	
7:30 am	Mass.....	Church
7:00 pm	Baptism Prep Classes.....	Psc-1
Oct 20	Thursday	
7:30 am	Mass.....	Church
6:30 pm	Pastoral Council Meeting.....	Psc-Main
Oct 21	Friday	
8:30 am	School Mass.....	Church
Oct 22	Saturday	
7:35 am	Rosary.....	Church
8:00 am	Mass.....	Church
4:00 pm	Confessions	Church
5:00 pm	Mass.....	Church
Oct 23	Sunday	
9:00 am	Mass	Church
10:00 am	Coffee and Doughnuts	Psc
10:00 am	R/E Classes.....	School
11:30 am	Mass	Church
12:30 pm	Coffee and Doughnuts	Psc

Sisters of the Holy Child Jesus

Join us and reconnect with the Sisters of the Holy Child Jesus. Were you taught by the Sisters of the Holy Child Jesus (SHCJ) at St. Rose, St. Charles, St. Rita, Holy Family or Holy Child Academy? The Sisters are hosting an Appreciation Mass and Reception at St. Rose Church in Portland on Sunday, October 23, 2011 at 12:15 p.m. We welcome the opportunity to reconnect and reminisce with former students, teachers, and friends. If you were taught by the SHCJ, please join us on October 23! RSVP to Sandy Lovascio at slovascio@shcj.org or call 610-626-1400 x301. To learn more about the Sisters of the Holy Child Jesus, visit our website at www.shcj.org/american.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

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

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL News

The food item for the month of **October** is **Chili**. **Envelopes are available in the pews if you prefer to donate cash.**

Donations of soap, shampoo, etc., may be placed in the white bin at the entrance to the church. Please put food donations in the wooden barrel.

St. Vincent de Paul can use **calendars** in several programs. Please donate by placing 2012 calendars in the white plastic bin at the entrance to the church.

For more information, call Shasta Hatter at 503-253-7566.

XYZ SENIORS

CASINO BUS Thursday, November 17, 2011. Gather in St. Therese parking lot @ 8:30 a.m. Bus will leave @ 9:00 a.m. Cost: \$5.00 each. BINGO on Bus. Sign Up Soon & Don't Be Late!

St Joseph the Worker, located at 2310 SE 148th Ave., is having their annual craft and bake sale on Sat. Nov 5th from 10-6. Baked goods, craft items, and lunch available.

SAVE THE DATE – School Fundraiser

St. Therese School is having a fundraiser weekend at **Sweet Tomatoes** – Clackamas on **Oct 21-23 from 11:00am – 8:00pm**. Come have dinner and beverage and St. Therese Parents Club gets 20%! Buy scrip and help us earn even more! Watch for flyer and more details. For more info call Cristina Gwynn 503-254-8488.

St. Therese Womens Association Upcoming Event:



30th Annual Holiday Bazaar

November 4, 2011 5-8 pm

Sparkling Champagne, Evening
Snacks and Lasagna

November 5, 2011 9am-4pm

Luncheon Delights

Many Talented Craftsmen, Baked Goods Sale,
Wonderful raffle, Used Books, CD and DVD corner

NEEDED ITEMS FOR THE BAZAAR:

St. Monica's Guild needs your new or used books, CDs and DVDs for the book sale at the Church Christmas Bazaar. Items can be dropped off at the Parish Office now until November 3rd.

Baked Goods (Bring to Parish Office, November 3rd **AND** the MPC Nov 4th after 3:00pm, Nov 5th 9-Noon)

Clothing Needed

The members of the St. James Small Faith Community are collecting adult men and women's clothing for two agencies that serve the homeless and hungry in the Portland area: The Downtown Chapel and the Francis Center. Please place your new or gently used items in the large tub in the main vestibule of the church. For more details or if you need items picked up, call Gabriella Maertens at 503 254-5161. Donation receipts are available upon request.

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