

St. Paul Parish

Established 1839

February 11, 2024 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



1846

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LENTEN RETREAT—Wednesday, March 6 from 7-9pm all are welcome to a Lenten Twilight Talk with Dina Marie Hale of Faith Moments at Our Lady of Peace Retreat House in Beaverton. The theme is: "Behold the Lamb of God." This evening retreat will be a perfect way to enhance your Lenten journey in preparation for Holy Week and the Easter season. Doors open at 6:30pm and a free will offering is appreciated. Come early to browse the Catholic bookstore and gift shop in the retreat house. For more and to RSVP your seat visit: www.dinamarie.org. Our Lady of Peace Retreat House is located at 3600 SW 170th Ave. Beaverton, OR.

Ash Wednesday is February 14th. Although it is not a holy day of obligation, it is a day of fasting and abstinence from meat. Mass will be offered at 7am, 2pm, and 6pm in English. A liturgy of the Word with distribution of Ashes will happen at 7pm in Spanish.

Thank you to all who worked so hard to put together and to participate in and to support our SPPS Auction. Thank you for your generosity of time, talent, and treasure to support the children and make Catholic education possible for them.

Our subscription with FORMED is coming up for renewal. We would like to know if our parishioners are utilizing this valuable tool. Could you please take a minute and email the parish at stpaulparish@stpaultel.com to let us know your thoughts on whether we should continue with FORMED. Thank you.

Friday Soup Supper will continue during Lent. We will gather after the Stations of the Cross on Friday evening, 6:30 pm. If you would like to make a vegetarian or seafood soup, bread or salad, please contact Theresa Wolf at stpaulparish@stpaultel.com or text her at 971-983-9122.

Stations of the Cross English Friday at 6pm, Spanish Fridays at 7:30 pm.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 6:00 PM 9:00 AM Sunday

6:00 PM Tuesday Wed, Thurs, Sat 8:30 AM Friday (School Mass) 2:00 PM

ADORATION

CONFESSION

Tuesday-after Mass until last confession. Friday 8:05-8:20 AM Saturdays 4:00-5:15 PM And by appointment or drop in at the office as Father is available. Parish office: 503-633-4611 sbaier@archdpdx.org

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Mass Intentions for February 11-18, 2024

2/11	Sun	9:00 AM	People of the Parish
2/12	Mon	NO MASS	
2/13	Tue	6:00 PM	+ Eunice Elliott
2/14	Wed	7:00 AM	
		2:00 PM	
		6:00 PM	
2/15	Thu	8:30 AM	
2/16	Fri	2:00 PM	
2/17	Sat	8:30 AM	
		6:00 PM	
2/18	Sun	9:00 AM	People of the Parish

Collections:
February 4, 2024
\$3,266.61
Catholic Communication
Campaign
\$115.00

f you would like something included in the bulletin please suggest it by noon on Tuesday.
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Service to the Parish, February 2024

	Lector	Ushers/Greeters	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat. 6PM	Susan Coleman	Al Kaufmann	February 4 —Dan Mullen
		Dan Keeley	February 11 —Arianna Campos
Sun. 9AM	John Pohlschneider	Todd Koch	February 18—Julia Fieger
		Rick Zielinski	February 25—Nancy Buyserie

February 3	Sue Coleman	Lesli Hiller	
February 10	Stephanie McKillip	Veronica Hockett	
February 17	Anne Wylie	Karren Pohlschneider	*Lent—no flowers
February 24	Liz McCarthy	Andrea Britten	*Lent—no flowers

Altar Servers

Saturday 2/3 6:00 pm	Cecilia & Delilah	Sunday 2/4 9:00 am	Allie S., Addie G., Jennifer A
Saturday 2/10 6:00 pm	Hadley & Skyler	Sunday 2/11 9:00 am	Jack Counts; Sienna & Sofia M.
Saturday 2/17 6:00 pm	Nolan K., Makaela L.	Sunday 2/18 9:00 am	Isaiah H.; Joe & Franny P.
Saturday 2/24 6:00 pm	Cy & Rita C.	Sunday 2/25 9:00 am	Max, Landry & Evy M.

From the desk of Father Baier...

Brothers and Sisters,

On my heart this weekend in Gary, the owner of the St. Paul Market who has been missing for a couple of days now and for his family. Please join me in praying for both Gary and his family that God will be with them in this difficult time as they search for his whereabouts.

Today's scripture discusses leprosy. People with leprosy were outcasts of society and considered unclean. Who are the societal outcasts of my community? What might I do to show genuine concern for them: The societal outcasts can be those who are on the margins, those with anger, those with mental illness, those who are socially awkward, the unemployed, the homeless, those with addictions, those with special needs, those in the LGBTQ+ community, those who don't meet our definition of normal. God brings healing to leprosy, he brings healing to those on the margins. If Jesus cares for those on the margins, so should we. Caring does not mean accepting addiction, accepting sin, accepting violence as okay, but it does mean having a loving concern for those on the margins and seeking to bring them God's healing.

Where do I need to say to Jesus in my own life, "You can make me clean."?

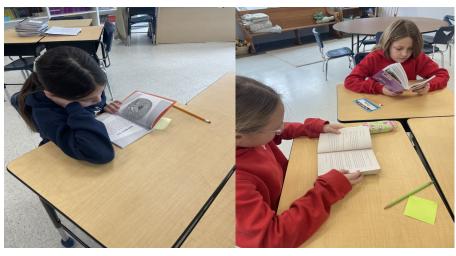
Blessings,

Fr. Scott Baier

SPPS Spotlight

The 3rd-8th graders are working hard in Language Arts this year! We have been working on novel units, writing units, and doing independent book reports across the grades.

Specifically, the 8th grade class read and studied a novel unit on the book, Long Walk to Water, by Linda Sue Park. This book is a true story about the water crisis and civil war in South Sudan. Students are using their faith and community outreach skills to brain-



storm ideas on how to raise money for the "Water for South Sudan" nonprofit organization now that they have read the book. This organization provides clean water to communities in Africa.

3rd through 5th grade students are working on their public speaking and presenting skills, among other skills, by creating book reports. They are reading books that interest them, and presenting these books in a book report such as setting maps, collages, letters, and other formats. They then present their project to the class! They then take comprehension tests on their books to receive class prizes.

Keep up the great work, language arts students! We are proud of you!

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM, MARRIAGE, ANOINTING OF THE SICK, FUNERAL

PARISH PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor Father Scott Baier
Sec/Bookkeeper Theresa Wolf
Finance Council Bryan Hockett, Chair
Pastoral Council Andrea Britten, Chair
Development Laurie Nicklous

ST PAUL PAROCHIAL SCHOOL

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ST. PAUL PAROCHIAL SCHOOL OFFICE

Welcome to St. Paul Parish. We extend our hearts and hands in Christian fellowship to you here celebrating with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God you are with us. To become part of our parish family, or if you have updated information, please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket or mail to the Parish Office.

Name:				
Mailing Address:				
Email Address:			Phoi	ne:
O New Parishioner	O New Address	O New Phone	O Visitor	O I would like Father to call me