



### **GOODBYE CHURCH CARPET!**

Over the next few weeks and several months, you will begin seeing some changes to the main church worship space. On Monday, May 17, we will begin removing the green carpeting from the church. This will be a process of removing the carpet, re-

moving the glue, and then polishing and repairing the hard floors underneath. The sanctuary/altar area is a light colored marble

terrazzo that you can see in the vestibule or under the pews. This in turn will lead to necessary changes in the acoustic tiles in the large window bays overhead, and then painting of the interior of the church later

floor with brown trim, and

the rest of the church is the

in the year. We are excited about bringing back some of the elegant features of the church as originally designed.

### SEND US YOUR CLASS OF 2021 GRADUATES!

www.themadeleine.edu/graduates

We want to recognize all Class of 2021 high school graduates from The Madeleine in our



bulletin this June. Whether she or he went to our parish school or not...we want to

recognize each and every one!

Visit www.themadeleine.edu/graduates If your grad's school is not listed in the menu, enter it in the "other" field.

We need to receive your Graduate's name by June 2 so we can list her or him in our June 6 bulletin. Thank you.

# Sixth Sunday of Easter

THE HEARTBEAT OF TODAY'S GOSPEL and of the second reading is "love." As disciples, we are called to feel this pulse and make our lives beat in rhythm with it. The love commandment that Jesus gives to his disciples (and to us today) depends on God's limitless love for the world. This love is made incarnate and dwells among us in Jesus, the one who is "close to the Father's heart."

# PRAY FOR OUR FAITHFULLY DEPARTED

Larry Mason Nan Kullberg John DeBenedetti Barbel Durrett

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

For those who are ill, or in need of our prayers

Hilda Glasgow Sylvia Manzo Lori Taylor Kathy Gaitan Penny Hanselman Quenton Czuba Gloria O'Brien Peggy Barnett

#### WORSHIP & PRAYER

05/11, Tues	Eddie Berger†
05/12, Weds	John DeBenedetti †
05/13, Thurs	Mike Mangini †
05/14, Fri	Juana Fike †
05/15, Sat	Gerald Delaney †
05/16, Sun. 8:00 am The Madeleine Community	

10:00 am.....Jean Mitchell

#### Calendar This Week

#### SUNDAY, MAY 9

▶ Mother's Day

8:00 am: Mass-Church

**IN-PERSON ONLY** 

10:00 am: Mass-Church

IN-PERSON LIVESTREAM

#### MONDAY, MAY 10

▶ Book Fair in Parish Hall

#### TUESDAY, MAY 11

▶ Book Fair in Parish Hall

8:00 am: Mass-Church

9:00 am: Adoration-Church

#### WEDNESDAY, MAY 12

▶ Book Fair in Parish Hall

8:00 am: Mass-Church

3:00 pm: Music Enrichment (Virtual)

6:30 pm: Pastoral Council-Zoom

7:00 pm: Choir Rehearsal—Zoom & In-person

#### THURSDAY, MAY 13

▶ Book Fair in Parish Hall

2:00 pm: Mass—Church





#### FRIDAY, MAY 14

▶ Book Fair in Parish Hall

8:00 am: Mass-Church

10:30 am: Barbel Durrett Funeral—Church

#### SATURDAY, MAY 15

▶ Book Fair in Parish Hall

5:00 pm: Mass—Church

**IN-PERSON ONLY** 

#### SUNDAY, MAY 16

8:00 am: Mass-Church



10:00 am: Mass—Church





#### SUNDAY, 8:00 AM MASS IS BACK

With more and more people coming back to Masses, Fr. Mike has decided to resume our Sunday 8:00 am Mass.

#### ACCESSING THE MADELEINE IN TIME OF COVID-19

- ▶ •••••• IN-PERSON —Pre-registration is no longer required; max attendance 150 people, COVID safety procedures in place.
- ▶ **LIVESTREAM** —on our YouTube channel every Sunday at 10:00 am, School Masses, and special events:

www.youtube.com/themadeleineparish

> Parish Emails: To sign up, visit

#### PARISH LIFE

#### ORIGINAL OLD CHURCH PEWS FOR ADOPTION

Would you like to adopt one of the original pews from the old church? There are six of them in the balcony of the main church, and we have to make room up there for the choir, choir equipment and other safety upgrades. These pews are more than a hundred years old, and have been in the balcony of the main church for over sixty-five years! If you are interested, please contact James Wurzer at 503-281-5777, extension 118, or jwurzer@themadeleine.edu.

We will be giving them away to parishioners on a first come first serve basis. The pews are large and heavy—there are two that are 10' long, two that are 121/2' long, and two that are 16' long! We will get them down from the balcony, but you will be responsible for picking them up and taking them.

#### MOTHER'S DAY BABY **BOTTLE DRIVE**

This year we are still doing the annual Baby Bottle Drive for Mother and Child. Mother and Child Education Center appreciates the support of The Madeleine



community in helping their efforts to assist prospective and new parents with their children. Mother and Child provides no-cost pregnancy tests and connects pregnant moms with resources, diapers, baby clothing, maternity clothes, and support.

Baby bottles will be available after the Masses this weekend to collect spare change and donations. Bottles can be returned after the Masses anytime during the month of May.

This year we are adding a virtual component to our efforts because of limited access. To make a donation online, scan the QR code above with your phone. It will take you to a secure donation site.

#### VACCINE OUTREACH **MINISTRY**

If you or a family member need help navigating the COVID vaccine gauntlet, email to vaccine@themadeleine.edu

You can visit our Vaccine Outreach Ministry information page at www.themadeleine.edu/vaccine

#### THE MADELEINE SCHOOL BOOK FAIR

Monday, May 10-Saturday, May 15

This year's Spring Book Fair—with all purchases benefitting our school library will be offered in hybrid form, with three ways for students and families to purchase books:

- ▶In Person—The Book Fair will be set up in the Parish Hall and students will be able to browse and shop during their library time. (Pay using eWallet, explained below.)
- Order Form—There is an order form that parents may fill out for books that the students have put on their wish lists after browsing the Book Fair during their library time. These orders will be filled from the books in our fair and delivered to the classroom to be sent home.
- Online—Families will also have the opportunity to shop online and have the books shipped to their homes as was the case during our Book Fair in December.

#### **How to Pav**

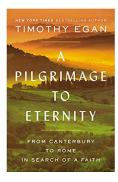
If your student would like to purchase during library time or if you would like to purchase books directly from the Book Fair through our order form, the only method of payment will be through Scholastic's eWallet. We are not able to accept any cash for the Book Fair this year. Credit cards can be used for orders in the Online Scholastic Store.

Details on the book fair can be found at www.themadeleine.edu/bookfair

#### BOOK CLUB NEWS

Are you a bookworm?

Would you enjoy opportunities to meet with other parishioners and friends to share your thoughts about the contents of some very excellent books? If so, we invite you to join us at future discussion



sessions. The book Fr. Mike has selected for May is A Pilgrimage to Eternity, by Timothy Egan. For details and/or to be added to our email list, please contact our MBC Ministry Coordinator: Gretchen Stevenson, gypsyfrau47@yahoo.com or 503-312-6834.



In the Gospel today, Jesus says to us, "This is my commandment: love one another as I have loved you...You are my friends if you do what I command you." By your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you fulfill this commandment.

#### PARISH LIFE

## JOIN OUR NEW CHIME CHOIR

Do you love music? Consider joining our new "Chime Choir" at The Madeleine.

Hand chimes are...

- Accessible to play. Chimes are set up like a musical keyboard. A basic knowledge in musical rhythm or note reading is helpful, but not required.
- A safe alternative to singing during COVID. "Chimers" are assigned one or two individual chimes, which are not
- shared with one another. Because of this, it is easy to be socially distanced. Masks are mandatory.
- ▶ A great family music ministry which will bring much joy and beauty to our liturgies!

For more information on rehearsals and liturgies, please contact Maria Manzo, Director of Music at mmanzo@themadeleine.edu

First installment of the St. Joseph Speaker Series is Wednesday, May 12, 7:00 pm, on Facebook Live at facebook.com/archdpdx

#### THE MONTH OF MARY

Music Notes

If there is one thing that I have learned after 25+ years of Music Ministry, that no matter what is going on in our temporal world, music is and remains constant—it cannot be silenced. A familiar song is

often more than just a catchy tune. Heard again and again, it is an anchor that can lift us up in joy and sorrow, bring comfort to our soul, and help us to pray, think and to experience God in our lives.

That being said, there are certain songs that have become part

of the fabric of our Catholic liturgies and, year in and year out, they help define our worship. For example, no one can fathom a Christmas liturgy without "Silent Night." And what would Easter be without "Jesus Christ is Risen Today." The same can be said for other liturgical seasons and events we experience each year, such as singing the "Litany of the Saints" during the month of November or hearing a chorus of "Morning Has Broken when celebrating Care for Creation.

This month we honor Mary, the mother of God. The idea of honoring Mary can be traced back to the Baroque period, while its roots actually go back as far as the Ancient Greeks. Although it didn't always appear in May, in 1945 Pope Pius XII solidified May as a Marian month; years later, the Second Vatican Council "sealed the deal" when May 31 became the Feast of the Visitation of Mary. In

our present day, the month of Mary often dovetails with the pageantry of May crownings and the tradition of celebrating Mother's Day.

From a musical perspective, it is

considered obligatory to sing an Ave Maria or two during the month of May. This ancient prayer has been set to music for centuries—as far back as the medieval period. I have my favorites, of course, which include that of Schubert (the one most everyone knows)



—Maria Manzo

#### WEEKLY MASS TIMES Masses: Wednesday ......8:00 am Thursday (School Mass) . . . . . . . . . . 2:00 pm Friday .......8:00 am Saturday Vigil.....5:00 pm Sunday ......8:00 am & 10:00 am Notes: ▶ Pre-registration for in-person Mass attendance no longer required Livestream 10:00 am Sunday and 2:00 pm Thursday at youtube.com/themadeleineparish **Penance** . . . . By appointment; call Parish Office PARISH OFFICE **Hours** . . . . Monday–Friday, 10:00 am–3:00 pm Phone: 503-281-5777 . . . . Fax: 503-281-0673 PARISH STAFF **Rev. Mike Biewend**—Pastor fathermike@themadeleine.edu.....ext. 111 **Deacon Mike O'Mahonev**—Permanent Deacon deaconmike@themadeleine.edu Carol Glasgow—School Principal cglasgow@themadeleine.edu . . 503-288-9197 James Wurzer—Business Manager jwurzer@themadeleine.edu.....ext. 118 **Darlene Maurer**—Pastoral Assistant dmaurer@themadeleine.edu . . . . . ext. 125 **Therese Fenzl**—Director of Spiritual Ministries tfenzl@themadeleine.edu .....ext. 116 Maria Manzo—Director of Music mmanzo@themadeleine.edu . . . . . . ext. 113 Ann Hart-Events Manager ahart@themadeleine.edu Nadia Stickney—Bookkeeper nstickney@themadeleine.edu . . . . . . ext. 119 Mary Prusso—Registration/Special Events mprusso@themadeleine.edu .....ext. 112 Janeen Reilly—Parish Administrator ireilly@themadeleine.edu .....ext. 110 **Terry Silva**—Facilities Support tsilva@themadeleine.edu .....ext. 117 **Rich Hammons**—Director of Communications rhammons@themadeleine.edu. . . . . ext. 129 SACRAMENTS Marriages, Funerals, Anointing of the Sick-Fr. Mike .....ext. 111 **Infant Baptism**—Darlene Maurer . . . . . ext. 125 First Reconciliation, First Eucharist Trisha Mumm ......ext. 127 RCIA-Christi Bohmbach, rcia@themadeleine.edu **Confirmation**—Fr. Mike.....ext. 111 **COUNCILS & CONTACTS** Pastoral Council—Ron Oliver.....503-281-9070 Finance Council—Jim Jones. . . . 503-284-3301 Buildings & Grounds—Erin Couch . . 503-281-9575 School Advisory—Catherine Glavan, 503-875-4679

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**Bulletin submissions due 5:00 pm Tuesday** 

Maintenance Requests—James Wurzer

Email to bulletin@themadeleine.edu

#### CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS CAMPAIGN

Next week our special collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects people with Christ and builds Catholic communities in the United States and developing countries using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the money collected remains to fund local communications efforts.

#### **About our collection**

As you know, we are trying to avoid second collections at The Madeleine. If you added an amount for Second Collections to your stewardship pledge, we thank you. If you did not add an amount, or wish to add an additional donation to this collection, please take an envelope, include a thoughtful amount, and put it in the regular collection basket in the vestibule. You can also make a donation at www.themadeleine.edu/parishgiving If you do, be sure to note "Catholic Communications" on the form as your target for the second collection.

#### MEET OUR NEWEST RECYCLING ADDITIONS

We have added two new recycling items to our growing program. In partnership with Terracycle, you can now recycle Teva brand sandals and all Kroger brand flexible packaging. Kroger brands include Simple Truth, Private Selection, Kroger Brand, Comforts, HemisFares, Luvsome, and Abound. Recycled Teva sandals are cleaned and turned into running tracks, playgrounds, and more, and Kroger packaging finds new life in park benches and picnic tables. See program details at www.themadeleine.edu/terracycle

Questions: Darlene Maurer, dmaurer@themadeleine.edu

#### SPANISH LANGUAGE RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND

The Oregon Retrouvaille community will be holding its first ever Spanish Speaking Retrouvaille Weekend June 4-6, 2021 at Mount Angel Abbey Retreat House in Mount Angel, Oregon.

In compliance with Oregon and facility requirements, a limit of 12 couples can be accommodated. Masks must be worn during the weekend.

For more information please contact the community at portland@retrouvaille.org

# In Memorial

#### THE MADELEINE FAMILY REMEMBERS

# JOHN DEBENEDETTI

A Funeral Mass was celebrated for longtime parishioner John DeBenedetti on Saturday at The Madeleine.

John Albert DeBenedetti, 85, passed away peacefully on Thursday, April 29, 2021.

He was born in Portland, Oregon, to Joseph and Elva DeBenedetti, early owners of F.H. Steinbart Co.

He attended Benson High School, class of 1952. Following graduation from the University of Portland, he began his career as an accountant.

He was blessed with a large and loving family. He celebrated 58 years of marriage to the love of his life, MaryKay DeBenedetti.

An expert and pioneer in the craft beer making industry, together with his wife, John was owner of F.H. Steinbart Co., the nation's oldest home brewing and wine making supply company, located in S.E. Portland for 103 years.

An avid and competitive sail boat racing enthusiast, John's passion for sailing began while participating in the Sea Scouts at age 13. Known as Father Lightning, John was a charter member of the Vancouver Lake Sailing Club (VLSC), and enjoyed fostering an interest in sailing in others.

A devout Catholic his entire life, and member of the St. Mary Magdalene Parish, John served as President of



the Parents Club for several years. He worked tirelessly as a volunteer in support of Maddie's Cart to feed the hungry.

He is survived by his wife MaryKay, five children, five grandchildren, and his sisters, Arlene, Harvey, and Judy DeBenedetti. He will be greatly missed for his humorous, silly side, and remembered for his love of the Oregon Coast and enjoying a good game of Bocci Ball.

A celebration of his life and sharing of stories is planned for an outdoor location in Portland this summer.

Please pray for John, his family and all the faithfully departed from The Madeleine

# NORTHWEST FAMILY SERVICES PROGRAMS

Northwest Family Services will present Mother-Daughter and Father-Son Adolescent Development Programs on Sunday, May 16, 2021 from 3-5 pm.

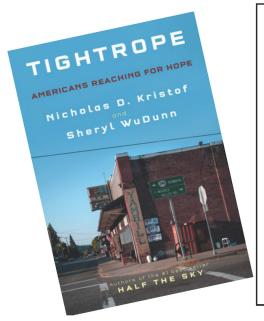
The Mother-Daughter Program, for girls ages 9–12 and

their mother/guardian and the Father-Son Program, for boys ages 10-13 and their father/guardian, will be offered online via Zoom or in person at St. Edward Catholic



Church, 5303 River Rd. N, Keizer OR. These programs help families prepare for the physical, emotional, and social changes that adolescents can expect to experience in the years to come. COVID-19 health and

safety protocols will be followed. \$10 per family per program; pre-registration at www. nwfs.org/md-fs by May 12, 2021 is required. Info: service@nwfs.org



# **UP AHEAD IN JUNE**

An Evening with NY Times
Columnist
Nicholas Kristof
Conversation and Questions on
Poverty
What are our moral imperatives?
June 7th, 7:00 pm
A Virtual Zoom Event

# HELP US GET READY! Opportunities for Input!

A reading of "Tightrope" raises profound questions for each of us. Join one or more of our May evening Zoom preparatory sessions. Help us develop questions and themes that offer an opportunity for a deep, meaningful and transformative conversation.

**Monday, May 10th and/or May 17th, 7:00 pm -** Join us for either or both facilitated Zoom discussions, share your thoughts and help us develop key questions inspired by the Interfaith Alliance's commitment to delve deep into the root causes of poverty.

If interested in participating in any of these May opportunities, **please email Dave Albertine, davea51@gmail.com.**He will send you the Zoom link information.





# The Sixth Sunday of Easter

MAY 9, 2021

## Happy Mother's Day!

We wish all our mothers a happy and healthy Mother's Day!

Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your Church.
Bless our mother.
Let the example of her faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, her family, may honor her always with a spirit of profound respect.
Grant this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.



#### Our Lady of Fatima

We celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima on May 13.



Mary appeared to three peasant children near Fatima, Portugal, six times between May 13 and October 13, 1917, and asked for prayers for world peace and an end to World War I, for sinners, and for the conversion of Russia. She entrusted the children with three secrets, regarding devotion to her Immaculate Heart, a vision of hell, and a "bishop in white" shot by soldiers firing bullets and arrows. Many connect the third secret to the attempted assassination of Blessed Pope John Paul II on May 13, 1981, and the pope thanked Mary for guiding the bullet and saving him. At the Vatican, Pope Francis has stood before the statue of Our Lady from the Fatima shrine and formally entrusted the world to Mary.





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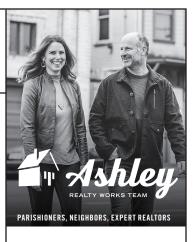
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