

Our Savior is Born!

Furthering the Reign of God, Where All Are Welcome • January 1-2, 2022

NEW YEAR'S EVE RETREAT RESCHEDULED

January 15, 8 am-12:30 pm • Old Church and St. Catherine Room

Therese Fenzl, Darlene Maurer, and Marilyn Robb invite you to a morning of reflection as we thank God for all that has been gifted in 2021 and ask God's blessing on all that will unfold in 2022. We will begin with Mass in the Old Church at 8:00 am. We will reflect and share faith on the first 3 rungs of a *Ladder to the Light* by Steven Charleston. There will be

presentations, time for prayer, journaling, and faith sharing. Please let me know if you plan on attending so that I can provide enough of the materials I am creating. Send your name, email and phone number to tfenzl@themadeleine.edu

Registration closes on January 10, 2022. —Therese Fenzl, tfenzl@themadeleine.edu

THE MADELEINE SCHOOL 2022–23 OPEN HOUSE AND ADMISSIONS

Open House and Tours: Sunday, January 30, 11:30 am-1:30 pm Priority registration for parishioners through January 31, 4:00 pm

It's that time of year again...time to start thinking about school enrollment for Fall 2022. We invite all interested parents and guardians and their children to come visit the school, and learn more about our commitment to providing an academically excellent and faith-filled education for the children of our community.

Spread the word to your friends and neighbors and tell them to give our principal, Carol Glasgow, a call for more information about our school.

▶ Open House and Tours will be held on Sunday, January 30 right after Mass until 1:30 pm.



New this year...all teachers will be in their classrooms to meet prospective new parents and students!

Priority registration is offered for registered parishioners at The Madeleine until January 31, 4:00 pm.

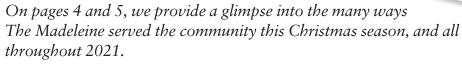
To receive in-parish tuition rates, families must be registered and active in the parish for at least 6 months prior to enrollment.

Financial aid available. Please contact the school office for details.

Visit www.themadeleine.edu/admissions, for more information, or contact Carol Glasgow, cglasgow@themadeleine.edu or 503-288-9197.

SEASONS OF SERVICE SNAPSHOTS OF 2021

If you missed it at Christmas, we're re-running our Season in Service photo spread. In 2021, even though we were not all back to in-person service, our community still heeded the call.





Mary, Mother of God

TODAY'S FEAST FOCUSES on the role of Mary in the wonderful miracle of the Incarnation. She was closest to all that happened, and it was she who came to know that God is here with, for and among us. As we celebrate this Solemnity of Mary as the Mother of God, we, too, pause to ponder. What does it mean to be the Mother of God? What does this title say about Mary? About God? About us? And about the church that gave her this title? We begin this new year with fascinating questions.

Feast of the Epiphany

January 2

EPIPHANY IS AN ANCIENT, global celebration of Christ among us. It reveals that Jesus did not come for a privileged few. He came to the whole world, to people who saw, heard and understood. We are not so much brought to Christ through institutions as by the powerful witness of those who — like the magi — have encountered him. Even today.

PRAY FOR OUR FAITHFULLY DEPARTED

Elaine Garrow

Nilsa Nippolt

PRAYER REQUESTS

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

Patrick Jasper Chad Garvens Faye Marchant Shirley Hughey-Smith John Endres Annie Young Bill Rooney

WORSHIP & PRAYER

01/04, Tues	Fr. Frank Campbell †
01/05, Weds	Fr. Rick Sirianni
01/06, Thurs	Fr. E.B. Painter †
01/07, Fri	Virgina Bleeg †
01/08, Sat	Mary Moreland †
01/09, Sun. 8:00 am The Madeleine Community	
10:00 am	Bruce Dufour †

Calendar This Week

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2

▶ Feast of the Epiphany

8:00 am: Mass-Church **IN-PERSON ONLY**

10:00 am: Mass-Church



MONDAY, JANUARY 3

▶ No School; Parish Office Closed

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4

School Resumes

8:00 am: Mass-Church

9:00 am: Adoration-Church

7:00 pm: Knights of Columbus—Fireside Rm

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5

8:00 am: Mass-Church

7:00 pm: Madeleine Choir Rehearsal

7:00 pm: Safety and Security

THURSDAY, JANUARY 6

2:00 pm: Mass-Church





FRIDAY, JANUARY 7, 2022

▶ Free Dress for Canned Food

8:00 am: Mass-Church

SATURDAY, JANUARY 8

5:00 pm: -Church

IN-PERSON ONLY

SUNDAY, JANUARY 9

8:00 am: Mass——Church



9:00 am: RCIA-St. Catherine Rm.

9:00 am: Confirmation Class—Fireside Rm

10:00 am: Church



PARISH OFFICE CLOSURES

Over the Christmas/New Year holiday time, the Parish Office will be closed as follows:

Monday, January 3

ACCESSING THE MADELEINE IN TIME OF COVID

Mass livestreams: www.youtube.com/themadeleineparish

Care for our Common Home Laudato

GREEN TIPS FOR A MORE SUSTAINABLE LIFESTYLE

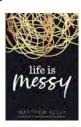
It's time once again for New Year's resolutions. Quite a noble time, really, when we look ahead to ways we can improve ourselves. Since we are people of faith, it is easy to see the world with an optimistic outlook and bring the light of God into darker areas.

Have you thought about embracing a resolution related to the environment this year? Perhaps there is something you haven't been able to muster the courage to tackle or change. This is the perfect opportunity to put it on your to-do list. It could be recycling, composting, or buying organic vegetables or environmentally-friendly household cleaning products. It could also be about your garden or bicycle, saving water or simply turning out the lights.

PARISH LIFE

PICK UP YOUR COPY OF LIFE IS MESSY, OUR GIFT THIS CHRISTMAS

If you did not pick one up leaving our Christmas Masses, please pick up Matthew Kelly's Life is Messy, as a gift from the parish (one per family please). From the liner



- "Life isn't a color-within-the-lines exercise. It's a wild and outrageous invitation full of uncertain outcomes. Sometimes it is beautifully rational, at other times it lacks all logic. What appears to be a step back today, may turn out to be the first marvelous step forward ten years from now.
- "The mess of life is both inevitable and unexpected. It is filled with delightful mysteries and frustrating predicaments, indescribable joy and heart-wrenching suffering."

Eniov!

HELP FOR MARRIED **COUPLES**

You give your heart and soul to everything you do, between your work and your family. Are you giving your heart and soul to your marriage? Sometimes the distance between a husband and a wife can seem so wide that it cannot be repaired. Retrouvaille is a marriage program designed to bring couples closer together. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on January 21-23, 2022, call 1-503-225-9191 or email portland@retrouvaille.org or visit www.helpourmarriage.org



MADELEINE BOOK CLUB WISHES YOU A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

MBC joyfully invites parishioners and friends to join our book club community.

Please contact:

Gretchen Stevenson, MBC Coordinator 503-312-6834, gypsyfrau47@yahoo.com

Our January book selection is: Last Bus to Wisdom By Ivan Doig.



WE WERE UNABLE TO HOLD OUR 10TH ANNUAL MARDI GRAS CELEBRATION LAST YEAR, BUT PLEASE MARK THE **CALENDAR FOR OUR 2022 EVENT!** MORE INFORMATION TO COME.

FOOD AND FUN FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY, AND WELCOME FELLOWSHIP FOR THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY. ONE LAST **FLING BEFORE WE BEGIN LENT!**



Today we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany, where the Magi find the newborn king and offer him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. In the spirit of the Magi, please put your gifts in the St. Vincent de Paul Barrel, in the vestibule, so that comfort and peace can once again be given to a newborn child.

Readers: Our previous source of weekly liturgical inserts has ceased publication. Until we can find a new source of such information, we will include these articles from LTP. Thanks for your understanding.

January 1

MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

January 1 is New Year's Day to most of the world, but in the Catholic Church, it is also the Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God. This is a relatively new title for the day. Older Catholics will remember that we used to call January 1 the Feast of the Circumcision.

Circumcision may not seem like much to have a feast about, but the day commemorated an event in the life of Jesus, just as we have days for his Conception, Birth, Presentation in the Temple, Baptism, Transfiguration, Death, and Resurrection. Luke specifically mentions the circumcision of Jesus (2:21). It took place, according to the custom, on the eighth day after his birth. That is why the feast commemorating the event fell on the eighth day of Christmas. It just happened to be New Year's Day. The same passage from Luke says Jesus then received his name.

That is why the old calendar celebrated the Most Holy Name of Jesus on the Sunday between the Feasts of the Circumcision and the Epiphany. If no Sunday intervened, the feast occurred on January 2. It is now an optional memorial on January 3.

In present times, the Gospel passage for January 1 still refers to the circumcision, but the new title for the feast seems to have another verse in mind, Luke 2:19. There we hear that Mary treasured all the things that happened and the words that were said and pondered them in her heart. On the octave day of the birth of Jesus, we celebrate Mary, who bore him.

On January 1, we are also expected to pray for world peace. In the United States, this day is a holyday of obligation unless it falls on a Monday or a Saturday.

January 2

FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY

On many calendars, Epiphany falls on January 6, but the Catholic Church in the United States celebrates it on whatever date Sunday falls during the week of January 2.

Epiphany means "manifestation," and it celebrates the day that the infant Jesus revealed his divinity to the Magi. Traditionally, this event is connected with two others from the Gospels: the Baptism of Jesus and the Wedding at Cana. In all these events, the mystery of Christ became more manifest. The Magi, coming from the East, signify that gentile nations—not just Jewish nations—were coming to recognize Jesus as the savior of the world.

The Bible does not indicate on what day the magi visited—nor, for that matter, on what day Jesus was born. January 6 was probably chosen for this observance as an alternative for early Christians living in a culture where

pagans already commemorated the birth of a sun god on the same day.

The day, the twelfth day of Christmas, gave rise to a host of customs, as well as a popular Christmas carol. The biblical event is so important that the Catholic Church lists Epiphany among the solemnities that may be designated holydays of obligation. Episcopal conferences determine local holydays, and in the United States, January 6 was never included. In any country where Epiphany is not a holyday of obligation, the observance moves to a Sunday so that it may be celebrated by the entire Catholic community.

The transfer of Epiphany to a Sunday has the disadvantage of dividing the celebration among various Christian Churches of the world, but the advantage of helping the entire Catholic community proclaim and celebrate the meaning of coming of Christ.

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WEEKLY MASS TIMES
Masses:
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 8:00 am
Thursday (During school) 2:00 pm
Saturday Vigil
Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am
Notes:
► Livestream 10:00 am Sunday and 2:00 pm Thursday at youtube.com/themadeleineparish
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The Madeleine in Service, 2021







The Madeleine Conference of St. Vincent de Paul

The Madeleine Conference of St. Vincent de Paul filled Christmas Boxes with more than 2,100 pounds of food (including 50 turkey breasts) for 95 people, including 46 children who received Christmas gifts as well. Thank you to everyone who contributed, including during the collection at our Thanksgiving Mass.







The Haitian Project

After a 1-year hiatus due to you-know-what, The Haitian Project Garage Sale made a triumphant return in July. The Parish Hall, Fireside Room, 5th Grade room and Commons were stuffed to the gills with an extra year's worth of "treasures," and thousands of people came to shop.













Around the Parish

Service ministries came back gradually this year, and even with COVID restrictions in place, our community was on the job

- ➤ **Knights of Columbus**—Busy all year, shown here assembling the tent for Madeleine School students to eat their lunches under during COVID protocol times.
- ➤ **Giving Tree** Again this year, our community provided Christmas gifts for Children of Incarcerated Parents, a program of Northwest Family Services.
- ▶ **Electronic Recycling**—After a year hiatus, our E-Waste Recycling event collected tons of items this spring.
- ▶ **COVID Vaccine Clinic**—In partnership with Providence Health, The Madeleine hosted two vaccine clinics. Folks lined up to the school parking lot to "get the jab"; more than 700 doses were administered.

Faith Formation Ministries—getting back together



Our Faith Formation Ministries began the year physically distanced, often on Zoom. then in the spring our First Communicants received their sacraments in multiple Masses. RCIA Zoomed through to a spring Sacrament at Easter Vigil. This winter, our Confirmation Class is able to meet...carefully...in person.







Children's Choir

This fall saw the resurgence of The Madeleine Children's Choir, who made their debut performance during Advent this year. What a delight it was to hear their lovely voices! We look forward to many more performances in the upcoming year!









The Madeleine School in Service

Our Madeleine School students were busy in service this year. There are so many great causes represented, but some include placemats created for **Meals on Wheels**, Santa's Sock Drive for **Blanchet House** (more than 570 pairs collected), Legos and Grady's Toy Drive for **Randall Children's Hospital** (13,000 pieces collected), Halloween Free Dress Day donations for **Oregon Humane Society** (\$575 raised), extra Halloween candy collected for **Ronald McDonald House** (5 huge bins!). So many more, but this was just a sampling that we had photos for.

Of special note was the creation of the CLEAN Club. Students in this Catholic Leadership Environmental Action Network club meet weekly to discuss things we can all do to protect our climate and environment. In addition to their weekly meetings, members of the club participated in a Community Cleanup Event in November.









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The Madeleine Hall

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The Fireside Room

On its own, The Fireside Room is a warm, cozy space for meetings, talks, recitals and small banquets. It seamlessly pairs with The Madeleine Hall for larger events or as a social area or silent auction space.

The Old Church

After undergoing a thoughtfully spectacular \$4.1 million renovation, **The Old Church at The Madeleine** is available for events from 20 to 200 people in a breathtaking, historic setting. This beautiful space offers brand-new convenience and comfort with an historic 1911 aesthetic.

St. Catherine Room

This beautiful fellowship room, regaled with historically restored stained glass, is ideal for meetings, seminars or combined with The Old Church for larger events. Includes a sink, long counter space and refrigerator/freezer with ice maker.

From wedding receptions and retreats to auctions, recitals and fundraisers, our versatile spaces—all air conditioned—are beautiful, cost effective and include ample amenities to make your event truly special.

Contact Ann Hart, Events Manager ahart@themadeleine.edu or call the Parish Office at 503-281-5777

Care for our Common Home Laudato Si-

RECYCLING PROGRAMS EXPANDED AT THE MADELEINE

Marked collection bins in the breezeway facing 23rd Ave.

The Madeleine's Laudato Si' Circle and Care for Creation Ministry have joined with U. S. based recycler, Terracycle, to offer our parish, school, and community opportunities to responsibly recycle specific items (primarily plastics) not generally handled at curbside. Terracycle has added more manufacturers to its program, and in turn, we have expanded our recycling offerings. Here is a current listing of what we are collecting. Please keep this in mind:

- ▶ Do not include garbage or items not specifically mentioned in the descriptions.
- ▶ Empty containers of contents. No need to wash first;* ensure packaging is dry.





STYROFOAM AND POLYSTYRENE

We have identified a local recycler of Styrofoam and Polystyrene (anything marked #6 like block packaging, meat trays, and to-go containers). *Please thoroughly wash and dry food containers

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All Late July® snack packaging as seen in these examples. Limited to Late July brand only.



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All brands of empty writing instruments, glue sticks, water-color dispensers, highlighters, paint sets, and flexible packaging.



METAL-BASED COOKWARE AND CUTLERY

All brands of metal-based cookware, bakeware and cutlery (nonstick Aluminum, Stainless Steel, Carbon Steel,



Cast Iron). Please maks sure items are thoroughly clean and dry.

HAIR AND SKIN CARE/COSMETICS

All brands. Hair care packaging (bottles/caps of shampoo and conditioner, hair gel tubes/caps, hair spray triggers, hair paste caps). Skin care packaging (lipbalm tubes/caps, soap



dispensers/tubes, bottles/caps of body wash and lotion dispensers). Cosmetics packaging (lipstick cases, lip gloss tubes, mascara tubes, eye shadow cases, eye/lip liner pencils, foundation packaging, powder cases).

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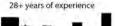
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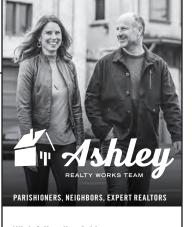
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