



# THIS WEEK AT THE MADELEINE

Furthering the Reign of God, Where All Are Welcome • October 26–27, 2024

## Remembering our beloved dead

The month of November is traditionally the time in the Catholic Church when we remember those who have passed, both in the previous year and before. We will have more in the coming weeks about our table of remembrance and remembrance envelopes, but for now, please plan to save the date for our All Souls Service of Light, below.



### All Souls Service of Light & Vespers

*Sunday, November 3, 6:30 pm • Main Church*

Our beautiful Service of Light is an opportunity to reflect and pray for deceased loved ones. Join us in the Main Church for a contemplative service of music and scripture—and a special candlelight Vespers service. Those attending are encouraged to bring a picture of their deceased for our Table of Remembrance.

### Photos or Memorial Cards

Please bring photos or memorial cards of your deceased family members and friends to place on the Table of Remembrance at Masses in November. Drop them off at the Parish Office, or bring them to Mass. Please include name and phone number on each.

**MASS SCHEDULE:** All Saints Day, November 1—9:00 am (School Mass) and 6:30 pm  
 All Souls Day, November 2—9:00 am

## Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

IN TODAY'S GOSPEL, JESUS ASKS Bartimaeus, What do you want me to do for you? Bartimaeus wanted his sight, and the Lord granted it. Bartimaeus then followed him on the way. As we encounter the Lord in the Eucharist, let us ask him for the courage to not only ask him for what we need but to follow him on the way when he answers.

### Pray for Our Faithfully Departed

- ▶ Mary Clare O'Brien—*Funeral Nov. 9, 11 am*
- ▶ Annie Young                      ▶ Leann Stevenson
- ▶ Paul Killorin

### Prayer Requests

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

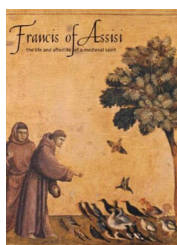
- ▶ Refugio Sanchez              ▶ Judy Anne Yap
- ▶ Kitt & Corinne Jordan      ▶ Christine Gregg
- ▶ Ann & Quenton Czuba      ▶ Jean Mitchell
- ▶ Charli Phipps

### Mass Intentions

- 10/26, Sat . . . . . Robert C. Robins
- 10/27, Sun, 8:00 am The Madeleine Community  
 10:00 am . . . . . Vickie Torrey †
- 10/29, Tues . . . . . Alonzo Lopez †
- 10/30, Weds. . . . . Mikayla Nguyen
- 10/31, Thurs . . . . . Margaret Duggan †
- 11/01, Fri 9:00 am . . The Madeleine Community  
 6:30 pm . . . . . Amos Mattila †
- 11/02, Sat 9:00 am . . . . . Frank Bradley †  
 5:00 pm . . . . . Mary Clare O'Brien †
- 11/03, Sun, 8:00 am The Madeleine Community  
 10:00 am. . . . . Robert Hawkins †

## Book Club News! October 29: Evening with Fr. Bonaventure

Please join us Tuesday evening, Oct 29, 6:00 pm, Fireside Room. Father will be leading the discussion of Francis of Assisi: the Life and Afterlife of a Medieval Saint. You are welcome to attend even if you have not had an opportunity to read the book. Come learn more about this revered saint...a man of many faces,



the founder of a religious order, a romantic hero, mystic, defender of the poor, and promoter of peace. We ask that you bring either an appetizer or dessert to share with the group. To sign up for this event, please contact Gretchen Stevenson: gypsyfrau47@yahoo.com (503-312-6834)

## Send us your Veterans' photos for Veterans Day

Upload to [www.themadeleine.edu/veterans](http://www.themadeleine.edu/veterans) by November 6

Help us honor our military veterans on November 9 & 10 at The Madeleine. Please send us your photos of those in your family who are Military Veterans...living, deceased, retired, active...preferably in uniform. We will have a special slide presentation on our screen during all the Masses that weekend.

We are starting over, so even if you sent one in last year, please re-send this year.

Please upload your photos no later than Wednesday, November 6 to [www.themadeleine.edu/veterans](http://www.themadeleine.edu/veterans)



**Friday, November 1 is All Saints Day.**

**Masses at 9:00 am and 6:30 pm  
 Parish Office Closed**

## Calendar This Week

### Sunday, October 27

8:00 am: Mass—Church  
10:00 am: Mass—Church  **ALSO LIVESTREAMS**  
11:15 am: Laudato Si'—Zoom  
11:15 am: OCIA Class—Fireside Rm

### Monday, October 28

6:30 pm: FA Meeting—Fireside Rm

### Tuesday, October 29

▶ Nourish Our Neighbors—Gr. 1  
8:30 am: Mass—Church  
9:00 am: Adoration—Church  
6:00 pm: Book Club—Fireside Rm

### Wednesday, October 30

8:30 am: Mass—Church  
2:40 pm: Children's Choir—Church  
7:00 pm: Madeleine Choir Rehearsal—Church

### Thursday, October 31

8:30 am: Mass—Church


### Friday, November 1

▶ All Saints Day, Holy Day—Parish Office Closed  
▶ School Noon Dismissal  
9:00 am: All Saints Mass—Church  
5:00 pm: Metropolitan Youth—Old Madeleine Church  
6:30 pm: All Saints Mass—Church

### Saturday, November 2

9:00 am: All Souls Day Mass—Church  
12:00 pm: Lisa Nehar Voice Studio Recital—Old Madeleine Church  
2:00 pm: Baptism Class  
4:00 pm: Confession—Church  
5:00 pm: Mass—Church  
6:00 pm: Delgani String Quartet—Old Madeleine Church

### Sunday, November 3

8:00 am: Mass—Church  
10:00 am: Mass—Church  **ALSO LIVESTREAMS**  
10:00 am: Sacramental Prep—First Reconciliation—Fireside Rm  
11:15 am: OCIA Class  
6:30 pm: Service of Light & Vespers—Church

## Upcoming Events

- ▶ **The Madeleine Auction:** November 16  
[www.themadeleine.edu/auction](http://www.themadeleine.edu/auction)
- ▶ **Madeleine Marketplace:** December 5
- ▶ **Fish Fry:** Friday, April 25
- ▶ **St. Mary Magdalene Day:** July 19

## PARISH LIFE

# A note from Fr. Bonaventure about the upcoming election

Dear Madeleine Family,

I'm actually loath to speak about politics at Mass. I prefer the Church to be a safe place where the hyperbolic anxieties of the election season do not hold sway. With the grace of God, we as a Church can rise above the fray, but I would like to share with you some of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, to inform your political decisions, and, if I may, I would encourage you to make a simple decision and be at peace with it. I've bolded some sections for emphasis:

- ▶ Paragraph 2240: Submission to authority and co-responsibility for the common good make it morally obligatory to pay taxes, **to exercise the right to vote**, and to defend one's country:

Pay to all of them their dues, taxes to whom taxes are due, revenue to whom revenue is due, respect to whom respect is due, honor to whom honor is due.

[Christians] reside in their own nations, but **as resident aliens**. They participate in all things as citizens and endure all things as foreigners.... They obey the established laws and their way of life surpasses the laws.... So noble is the position to which God has assigned them that they are not allowed to desert it.

The Apostle exhorts us to offer prayers and thanksgiving for kings and all who exercise authority, "that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life, godly and respectful in every way."

- ▶ Paragraph 2241: **The more prosperous nations are obliged, to the extent they are able, to welcome the foreigner** in search of the security and the means of livelihood which he cannot find in his country of origin. Public authorities should see to it that the natural right is respected that places a guest under the protection of those who receive him.

As Catholics, our homeland is not this country of the United States. We live here, but we long for our true homeland in heaven. While we are not too tied to this place, we try to make it better. The Catechism continues:

- ▶ Paragraph 2245: **The Church, because of her commission and competence, is not to be confused in any way with the political community**. She is both the sign and the safeguard of the transcendent character of the human person. "**The Church respects and encourages the political freedom and responsibility of the citizen.**"

- ▶ Paragraph 2246: It is a part of the Church's mission "to pass moral judgments even in matters related to politics, whenever the fundamental rights of man or the salvation of souls requires it. The means, the only means, she may use are those which are in accord with the Gospel and the welfare of all men according to the diversity of times and circumstances."

I wish you all a peace-filled, honest, and fruitful election season!

*Fr. Bonaventure*

PS. For further reading, check out the teaching document of the Bishops of the United States on democratic elections: [www.bit.ly/tms-20241027a](http://www.bit.ly/tms-20241027a)



**In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus asks Bartimaeus:** "What do you want me to do for you?" And he answers, "Master, "I want to see." Let us ask Jesus for the grace to "see" our brothers and sisters who are poor and lonely. This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring God's love and mercy to 36 families, providing 775 lbs in pantry donations, \$2,308.00 food gift cards, \$1,662.64 for utility, rent and other bills. God Bless You!

—Lisa Hawkins, (503) 309-7968

## Baptism Preparation Classes

Preparing for your child or godchild's Baptism? Please visit our website at [www.themadeleine.edu/faithformation](http://www.themadeleine.edu/faithformation) for newly updated information about Baptism registration and classes for parents and godparents. Three to four dates for classes are offered each month at a variety of times to accommodate parishioners and their schedules.

A full list of class options through

December is available on the website.

In November we have three classes:

- ▶ Saturday, 11/2, 2:00–3:00 pm
- ▶ Wednesday, 11/13, 3:00–4:00 pm
- ▶ Wednesday, 11/20 7:00–8:00 pm

To register for a class, please email Lauren Craig, [lcraig@themadeleine.edu](mailto:lcraig@themadeleine.edu) or submit a registration form to the Parish Office no later than 48 hours before the class you would like to attend.

## Sacramental Prep 2024-25

Registration for First Penance and First Eucharist is open for the 2024-2025 school year. Classes will be held during the 10:00 am Masses and once class is complete, children will be brought to Mass to join their families in time for the Presentation of Gifts. The schedule and registration form can be found on the parish website at [www.themadeleine.edu/faith-formation](http://www.themadeleine.edu/faith-formation). Email

Rose Horton at [sac-prep@themadeleine.edu](mailto:sac-prep@themadeleine.edu) for more information.

Any children wanting to receive the sacrament of First Communion who are also in need of baptism should submit the First Communion registration form, leaving the baptism date blank for now and email [lcraig@themadeleine.edu](mailto:lcraig@themadeleine.edu) for more information.

## Confirmation Changes + Youth Group Forming

This year, faith formation for 6th-8th grade will look a little different. Confirmation will now be offered every other year to anyone seventh grade and older, starting with classes next year.

This year, The Madeleine is starting a Youth Group that will meet once a month. Our mission is to help our middle schoolers

grow in their faith while building Christ-centered friendships and community. Join us for food, faith, fellowship, and FUN!

Please see The Madeleine website for sign-up information and a full schedule and email Lauren Craig at [lcraig@themadeleine.edu](mailto:lcraig@themadeleine.edu) with any questions.

## Interested in Becoming Catholic?

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is now OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) as determined by the US Conference of Bishops. But the message is the same, ALL are welcome to join our faith community. If you know someone who might be interested in joining the Catholic Church or if you would like to

explore joining the Catholic Church, please let us know. Classes to explore Catholicism are underway. Registration forms are available at [www.themadeleine.edu/faith-formation](http://www.themadeleine.edu/faith-formation) or in the back of the church. For more information contact Donna Mason at [ocia@themadeleine.edu](mailto:ocia@themadeleine.edu)

## Altar Server Recruitment— Please Join Us!

The Madeleine is looking for parish youth who are in at least 3rd grade and who have received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Reconciliation to serve with a dynamic group of Altar Servers.



Whether your child attends The Madeleine School or any other school, all who meet the requirements above are

welcome! It is such a great opportunity to serve Christ, especially at the Lord's table.

The Madeleine is also looking for parents who can assist throughout the year with Altar Server's special masses and training. Please contact Leslie Pfaff or email Christi Bohmbach at The Madeleine Office for more information.

## Weekly Mass Times

### Regular Mass Times:

- Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday . . . . . 8:30 am
- Thursday . . . . . School not in session: 8:30 am
- School in session: 2:00 pm
- Saturday Vigil . . . . . 5:00 pm
- Sunday . . . . . 8:00 am, 10:00 am

**Penance** . . . . . Saturday, 4:00–4:40 pm

**Adoration** . . . . . Tuesdays, 9:00 am–2:00 pm

## Parish Office

**Hours** . . . . . Tuesday–Friday, 9:00 am–3:00 pm

**Phone:** 503-281-5777 . . . . . **Fax:** 503-281-0673

**School Office** . . . . . 503-288-9197

## Parish Staff

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## Sacraments

**Infant Baptism** . . . . . Lauren Craig, ext 116

**First Reconciliation, First Eucharist**—  
Rose Horton . . . [sac-prep@themadeleine.edu](mailto:sac-prep@themadeleine.edu)

**OCIA** (Formerly RCIA)—  
Donna Mason, . . . . . [ocia@themadeleine.edu](mailto:ocia@themadeleine.edu)

**Marriages** . . . . . Fr. Bonaventure, ext 111

**Anointing** (Emergency) . . . . . 971-301-4421

**Funerals**—  
Therese Fenzl . . . . . [tfenzl@themadeleine.edu](mailto:tfenzl@themadeleine.edu)

## Councils & Contacts

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**School Advisory**—Tim Resch . . . 503-984-4607

**Facility Requests**—[themadeleine.edu/facilities](http://themadeleine.edu/facilities)

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**Ministry Schedule**  
[www.themadeleine.edu/minister-schedule](http://www.themadeleine.edu/minister-schedule)

**Bulletin submissions due 5:00 pm Tuesday**  
Email to [bulletin@themadeleine.edu](mailto:bulletin@themadeleine.edu)

# MUSIC AT THE MADELEINE

*Why sing? God gave everyone the gift of song. We sing before we speak.*

Music, especially song, is the most human of the arts. It needs no materials or tools other than the ear and throat – along with mind and heart. When we sing together, we create a community, a communion of sound. The group becomes more than the sum of its parts: It is creating beauty (Alice Parker from her book, “Melodious Accord”).

*Did you know? Children who sing in a choir...*

- Tend to get better grades or improve academically once in a choir.
- Learn developmental skills such as memorization, good homework habits, commitment, and high levels of creativity.
- Learn how to be a “team player”, social skills, and manage emotions.
- Develop self-esteem and confidence.
- Are more likely to participate in sports and other activities.
- Help children engage in their school or church.

*Children who sing in their church choir...*

- Are more likely to stay active in their church as a teen and adult.
- Internalize biblical principles by memorizing faith-based songs they learned as a child.
- Give much value to both children and adults in their worshipping community.

*Adults who sing in a choir...*

- Strengthen feelings of community and social well-being.
- Help regulate their heart beat through group singing.
- Reduce their stress levels and feelings of depression.
- Improve their lung capacity.
- Volunteer more significantly than the general public.
- Become better “team players” and leaders in their outside activities.
- Build confidence in their daily lives.

## Choir opportunities at The Madeleine

*The Madeleine Children’s Choir*

- Open to all children, grades three – five
- Meets on Wednesdays, 2:40 - 3:20 PM in the Main Church Loft
- Sing for Parish masses, Madeleine Marketplace, Special Events & Services throughout the year.

*NEW—Junior Cantor Ensemble at The Madeleine*

- Open to all youth, grades six - twelve
- Meets on Thursdays, 3:15–4:00 pm or as scheduled
- Sing for Parish Masses as scheduled throughout the year
- Build “hands on” singing , confidence, and leadership skills as a Jr. Cantor & Soloist

*The Madeleine Choir*

- Open to all, ages 16 and beyond!
- Meets on Wednesdays, 7:00 – 9:00 PM
- Sing for 10:00 AM Parish Masses and Special Feast Days & liturgies throughout the year

*The Madeleine Chime Choir*

- Open to all, ages 16 and beyond
- Meets on Wednesday, 5:30-6:30 PM as scheduled
- Play for Parish Masses as scheduled
- Experience as an instrumentalist and/or reading rhythms highly encouraged

*To Register or for more information, please contact*

*Dr. Maria Manzo, Director of Music • [mmanzo@themadeleine.edu](mailto:mmanzo@themadeleine.edu) • 503-281-5777, ext. 113*

*Please register by Monday, September 23*

*[themadeleine.edu/site/music-ministry-opportunities/](http://themadeleine.edu/site/music-ministry-opportunities/)*

## Got a Green Thumb? Or interested in learning more about plants?

*Join the newly forming Madeleine Garden Club!*

The school and parish landscape needs our love. Join us on Wednesdays (unless it's pouring rain), after the school morning drop-off this fall to help with or learn about Fall garden maintenance, and help us plan for next year's growing season!

No commitment or experience necessary! If you can't make it on Wednesdays but want to be involved, give Julie Kupers a call and we

can help you find another time to get your hands dirty.

This is a fun way to get to be in nature AND earn volunteer hours! Snacks and drinks provided.

For more info, contact Julie Kupers 720-936-5635, or just show up on Wednesday morning between 8:15-10:30!

## Celebrate the 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope! The Madeleine Pilgrimage to Italy

*Spiritual Director: Fr. Bonaventure*

*• Group Leaders: Maria Manzo & Michael Kissinger*

*Tentative dates:*

*September 18–28, 2025*

Celebrate the Catholic Church's 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope with a Madeleine Pilgrimage to Italy! Join pilgrims from all over the world in this special year of graces and prayer as we experience the rich tapestry of faith and culture that Italy has to offer. Immerse yourself in prayer and reflection in the beautiful medieval town of Assisi, birthplace of Saint Francis and Saint Claire. Travel along the Adriatic to San Giovanni Rotondo for a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to celebrate the Feast of St. Padre Pio at his Holy Shrine. From there, see the sights and sounds of the Eternal City—Rome—the heart of the Jubilee year Pilgrimage. Attend a Papal Audience at the Vatican and visit the holy sites and historical monuments that are the spiritual center of our faith and the foundation of Western civilization. Throw a coin in the Trevi Fountain before bidding "Arrivederci, Roma."

### Optional Extension to Medjugorje and Dubrovnik

*Tentative dates: September 28–  
October 4, 2025*

We are also planning an extension for pilgrims to the village of Medjugorje, in Bosnia-Herzegovina. Since 1981, thousands of pilgrims each year have flocked to the site of the alleged ongoing apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary. On September 19, 2024, the Vatican granted an official "nihil obstat" (no objection) to the spiritual experiences at Medjugorje. Travel from Medjugorje to the beautiful medieval port city of Dubrovnik, Croatia. Called the "Pearl of the Adriatic" for its immense beauty, the predominantly Catholic city of Dubrovnik is dedicated to St. Blaise, its Patron Saint.

*More details, including pricing, to come soon.*

*Questions or to express interest, contact Maria Manzo,  
mmanzo@themadeleine.edu*

## MEDJUGORJE EVENING OF PRAYER



FR. ZVONIMIR PAVICIC

Pastor of St. James Catholic Church in Medjugorje  
Visits the **United States** for Medjugorje Evenings

## MILWAUKIE, OREGON



**Thursday,  
October 31st, 2024**



**St. John the Baptist  
Catholic Church**

10955 SE 25th Avenue  
Milwaukie, OR 97222

Parish Hall  
5:00 p.m. Center Mir Medjugorje Monthly  
Prayer Group Meeting (**Online**)

In Church  
5:45 Confessions Start  
6:00 Multilingual Rosary  
6:40 Fr. Zvonimir Talk  
7:15 Holy Mass, Vigil of All Saints  
8:15 Adoration



For More Information, visit [CenterForPeaceWest.com](https://www.CenterForPeaceWest.com)



## RECYCLING PROGRAMS 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.



### KROGER FLEXIBLE PLASTICS

All Kroger brand flexible plastic packaging can now be accepted. Includes Private Selection and Simple Truth brands as well.



### HAIR CARE APPLIANCES AND TOOLS

All types and brands of hair care tools and appliances, including hair dryers, straightening irons, curling irons, thermal brushes and mini tools.



### SWIFFER REFILLS

Swiffer only brands of Sweeper™ Dry, Wet, and XL Refills, WetJet Refills™, and Duster™ Refills.



### LATE JULY® SNACKS

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



### GILLETTE® AND VENUS RAZORS AND RAZOR BLADES

All brands of blades and razors (systems and disposable units, and replaceable-blade cartridge units), rigid plastic packaging, and flexible plastic bag packaging.



### ORAL CARE PRODUCTS

All brands of used or empty oral care products, including toothpaste tubes, tooth brushes, and dental floss containers.



### FABRIC CARE PRODUCTS & PACKAGING

From Tide, Gain, Downy, NBD and Dreft, including plastic components (dispensing cup, bag, nozzle, nozzle clip), and plastic packaging wrap, flexible plastic bags, rigid plastic tubs and lids, and Tide To Go pen.



### AIR CARE PRODUCTS AND PACKAGING AND MR. CLEAN DEEP CLEANING MIST

All brands of air and home cartridges, air and home care plugs, air and home care trigger heads, and air and home care plastic and film packaging. No aerosol containers. Remove as much of remaining product as possible.



### USED SOCKS (ALL BRANDS)

Used clean socks only; pairs and singles are accepted. Not meant for new sock donations. No stockings, tights, or pantyhose.



### REDYPER DISPOSABLE DIAPERS (Offsite subscription service)

Subscription service for purchasing and recycling Redyper brand disposable diapers through Terracycle

Details on all programs at [www.themadeleine.edu/terracycle](http://www.themadeleine.edu/terracycle)

**Pope Francis' Encyclical  
"Dilexit Nos" released**

Pope Francis released his latest encyclical, *Dilexit Nos (He Loved Us)*, this week. To quote, "In the presence of the heart of Christ, I ask the Lord to have mercy on this suffering world. May He pour out the treasures of his love, so that our world may regain the most important and necessary thing of all: its heart." You can download the encyclical at [www.bit.ly/tms-20241027](http://www.bit.ly/tms-20241027)

**40 Days for Life Fall Campaign**

*Ends Nov 3, 8 AM-2 PM*

It's not too late to join others for 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion! The campaign is outside the Lilith Clinic late-term abortion facility located at 511 SW 10th Avenue, Portland. Please join us in prayer and witness. You can make a difference! For more info, contact Therese at 503-997-1884/<https://www.40daysforlife.com/portlandor>.

Days/Times Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, from 8 AM to 2PM.

- ▶ **Pregnancy Help:** To help pregnant moms in our own community, please go to: [www.olparish.com/love-others/#Respect-Life](http://www.olparish.com/love-others/#Respect-Life) click on "Pregnancy Services" or call Sharon at 503-313-3689.
- ▶ **Healing After Abortion:** If you are suffering after abortion, experience a Rachel's Vineyard healing weekend sponsored by Project Aurora. Call or text Karen 541-350-8126 or email [Info@project-aurora.org](mailto:Info@project-aurora.org) for more information.

*Upcoming Events in the Archdiocese*

- ▶ 11/2 The St. Pius X Knights of Columbus would like to invite you, your family, and friends to join every first Saturday of the month after the 8:15 AM Mass in the main church hall to honor our Blessed Mother Mary and seek her intercession by praying the Rosary to end abortion, protect the unborn, uphold dignity of all human life from conception to natural death, and advance world peace and justice. Following the Rosary we will pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.
- ▶ 11/9 Pro-Life Rosary at Planned Parenthood, 14601 SE Division Street, Portland at 10:30 AM. There will be an interdenominational prayer service following the rosary. Parking is available at St. Joseph the Worker, 2310 SE 148th Avenue. If questions, call Jerry 503-260-8995.

**Women's Coffee Club**

Just in time! Join us for a lively conversation: Setting Boundaries – A Tool for Managing Holiday Stress facilitated by fellow parishioner, Mary Geary, on Monday, November 11th from 10:00 to 11:30 am. Meetings are upstairs in the Madeleine Old Church gathering space. Access doors are on NE 23rd. Signs will be posted. **Due to security, doors will be unlocked only from 9:30 to 10:15 am.** Once inside, it's easy access to the elevator. As always, treats and coffee for all!

Have a question or need a ride, contact Jody McDonald 360-870-5470.

**Solo Seniors**

Are you single and over age 55? SOLO SENIORS is a Catholic-based social organization, for single men and women over age 55 in the greater Portland area. It primarily provides social and recreational programs in a safe and friendly environment for its members. For more information or a copy of our monthly newsletter, call Donna Dubinski at 503-246-6536.

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# THE MADELEINE MARKETPLACE










*Holiday Bazaar & Christmas Tree Lighting*  
**DECEMBER 5 2:00 – 8:00 PM**

**Madeleine Marketplace Call for Vendors**

*Register at [www.themadeleine.edu/marketplace](http://www.themadeleine.edu/marketplace)*

Our annual Madeleine Marketplace Holiday Bazaar is Thursday, December 5, 2024. The one-day Marketplace opens at 2 pm and closes at 8 pm, taking place in The Madeleine Parish Hall and Fireside Room. Hundreds of parents, kids, parishioners and community members get a kick start on their Christmas shopping, buy hostess gifts for holiday entertaining, and much more. The evening's festive atmosphere is embellished with our annual Christmas tree lighting.

Food and drink are available for purchase as well as kids crafts, gingerbread house contest, caroling and pictures with Santa.

**Vendor FAQ (full information on our website):**

- ▶ **Prices:** See [www.themadeleine.edu/marketplace](http://www.themadeleine.edu/marketplace) for vendor prices
- ▶ **Booth setup** for Regular and Bring-your-Own Table vendors begins at 1:00 pm on December 5
- ▶ The event ends at 8 pm.
- ▶ Table positions will be assigned.
- ▶ **Regular Vendors:** We have 8' rectangular tables & 60" round tables.
- ▶ **Bring your own table:** For an additional charge, you can bring your own custom table up to a maximum of 10' x 8'.
- ▶ The Marketplace organizers retain the right to refuse vendors if the products are not appropriate. (Please no cannabis products or any images or objects that are not child friendly.) If it is determined that your products are not appropriate for this event your table fee will be refunded.
- ▶ **Youth/Child Vendors:** We are pleased to offer Madeleine School and Parish youth/children an opportunity to sell their own student-made crafts/wares.

Questions? Contact Julie Kupers at [jkupers@themadeleine.edu](mailto:jkupers@themadeleine.edu)



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# The Madeleine School Auction











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## YOUR HELP MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

Underwriting is an opportunity to help us cover the expenses associated with our auction. This event is a great evening of community and fundraising, there are many expenses incurred to make it happen. Some of these include venue rental, catering, software expense, and auctioneer fees. With help from our sponsors and underwriters, our goal is to have costs covered by the night of our event. If we accomplish this then all the revenue from auction night goes directly to benefit our school - our students, teachers, and staff!

We would be so grateful for your support in this way. We have a few different levels of support and different ways we can recognize your contribution to our school. Thank you for considering this important opportunity. If you have any questions, please reach out to us at [auction@themadeleine.edu](mailto:auction@themadeleine.edu).

### There are two ways to participate in underwriting:

To pay with a credit card, visit our auction site and choose your level of support.

To pay by check, mail or drop off this form and payment at: The Madeleine School, Attn: Auction, 3240 NE 23rd Ave, Portland OR 97212

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# ALL SAINTS

# ALL SOULS



## *We Are Called to Holiness of Life*

For centuries prior to Vatican Council II (1962–65), the common understanding of saints identified those men and women whom the Church had singled out as exemplary Christians and whose names had been listed in the official list of saints. They had been “canonized” and were privileged with the official title of *Saint*.

But the Bishops gathered at Vatican II recognized that through our baptism, each of us was called to be holy (1 Cor 1:2) so we are all meant to be holy women and men—saints. “All the faithful of Christ of whatever rank or status are called to the fullness of the Christian life and to the perfection of charity. By this holiness a more human way of life is promoted even in this earthly society” (*Dogmatic Constitution on the Church*, #40).

While at first we might think that this was a new teaching, we now realize that it was an attempt to re-emphasize the ancient mentality of the earli-

est Christians. From its very beginning, the Church understood the Body of Christ to encompass all baptized persons, both the living and the dead. Christ’s kingdom transcends time and space, and not even death can sever the relationship that the faithful have in Christ. All are united in a mystical communion with Christ (the “communion of saints” that we affirm whenever we proclaim the Creed at Mass) by virtue of baptism (1 Cor 6:11). St. Paul often addresses those to whom he writes as “holy ones” (saints) to designate all baptized Christians (see Rom 1:7, 15:25; 2 Cor 1:1; Eph 1:1; Phil 1:1).

And in fact the call to be holy in God’s covenant community goes back even further to the Old Testament to God’s instruction to Moses on Mt. Sinai to “Speak to the whole Israelite community and tell them: Be holy, for I, the LORD your God, am holy” (Lev 19:2). Thus being in a relationship with God obliges us at its most basic level to be holy, to be saints.



## All Saints' Day November 1

This feast, honoring all the saints of the Church, known and unknown, provides an opportunity to reflect on our personal call to holiness and to celebrate the exemplary faithfulness of holy men and women of every place and time, whose lives and deeds continue to inspire us. It was given this date to counter a pagan feast held to appease the dangerous evil spirits associated with the coming of winter and darkness whose customs still linger today in our celebration of Halloween (meaning All Hallows' [= Holy Ones, Saints] Eve).

## All Souls Day November 2

This feast remembers the many nameless and forgotten persons like our deceased family and friends who led us to Christ and into the communion of his mystical Body. It purposefully follows All Saints' Day to shift our focus from the recognized saints to ordinary people, especially those who might need our prayers. From the earliest times, Christians prayed for the dead and many monasteries adopted the tradition of remembering all the faithful departed. Eventually this custom spread throughout Europe and was included into the Church's liturgical calendar.

## HONORING SAINTS IN THE EARLY CHURCH

Honoring saints began in the early Church by remembering the martyrs who by their courageous witness had imitated Jesus' faithfulness to God's ways even to death. Local churches kept a record of their own martyrs and each year set aside certain days to remember and celebrate their "birthdays," the dates of death when they were "born" into eternal life.

Their practice is illustrated today in the First Eucharistic Prayer of our Mass, which was the standard prayer adopted in the eighth century liturgical renewal of the Holy Roman Emperor Charlemagne. After Mary and the apostles, the prayer recalls the men and women martyrs of the first three centuries, "Linus, Cletus, Clement, Sixtus, Cornelius, Lawrence, Chrysogonus, John and Paul, Cosmos and Damian, Ignatius, Alexander, Marcellinus, Peter, Felicity, Perpetua, Agatha, Lucy, Agnes, Cecilia, Anastasia and all the saints." By the fourth century many parts of the Church had set aside special days to remember not only their distinguished martyrs but also "confessors" (those who had witnessed and been punished for their faith but did not die), virgins and those whose example was especially helpful for becoming better Christians.

The many local lists of these exemplary saints grew and soon included persons from all walks of life—popes and bishops, clergy, religious and laity, men, women, and children (e.g., the holy Innocents Dec 28), single and married. Finally in 1583 they were collected into a single book called the *Roman Martyrology*, the official list of saints venerated by the Church arranged according to the calendar. Additions to the list are made when new saints are officially beatified and canonized and the days for their memorial are determined.



## PRAYING TO THE SAINTS

From the earliest times, Christians believed that members of the Christian community, though separated by death but now alive in Christ, were still able to help one another. "Being more closely united to Christ, those who dwell in heaven fix the whole Church more firmly in holiness. They do not cease to intercede with the Father for us, as they proffer the merits which they acquired on earth through the one mediator between God and humanity, Christ Jesus. So by their fraternal concern is our weakness greatly helped" (*Dogmatic Constitution on the Church, #49*). Thus the importance of the saints as intercessors for us with God became more popular.

The identification of saints as mediators with God introduces their role as patron saints, that is, one to whom we can go when we have specific needs that require help. Saints are designated as patrons or special advocates for nations, churches, places, crafts, activities, jobs, classes, clans, families, illnesses, causes, etc. Most patrons have been so designated as the result of popular devotion and long-standing custom. The Church has officially designated rather few patrons, and most patron designations, especially more recent ones, are unofficial.



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