

Season Of Creation Retreat with Therese Fenzl

September 19 • Reflection, Praise, Gratitude for the Creation Gifts of Summer

I trust Summer has gifted each of us with some special blessings. After 3 of our parishioners share some of their summer gifts, we will have an opportunity to reflect, pray, be present to one another and God in a spirit of gratefulness.

We will have individual reflection time, an opportunity to listen and share our personal summer gifts, a “field trip” around our property, and a closing time of prayer, praise, thanksgiving to our Loving God for the abundance of summer.

- ▶ Place: The Madeleine Fireside Room, Church, and property
- ▶ September 19, 9:30 am—12:30 pm
- ▶ Registration: due by August 30 by email to Therese Fenzl tfenzl@themadeleine.edu
- ▶ Please include name and phone number.



Thank You Fr. Nazario!

Farewell Celebration September 5–6

The Madeleine Parish would like to thank Fr. Nazario Atukunda for his 3 years of service to The Madeleine Parish as a Priest-in-residence. We are also grateful to him for his 12 years of service to the Archdiocese in parishes and in the Archdiocesan Tribunal as a canon lawyer. May God reward you, Father, for your missionary service here in the USA! Fr. Nazario's last weekend of Masses at The Madeleine will be the weekend of September 5th and 6th. Please leave Fr. Nazario a note of thanks with the cards provided in the back of the church.

Daily Mass Time Change: Tuesdays

With Fr. Nazario's departure, our Daily Mass times will be changing as follows:

- ▶ Beginning Tuesday, September 8, daily Mass on Tuesdays will be moved to 2 pm.
- ▶ Adoration will begin at 9 am with simple exposition and extend until Benediction at 1:45 pm. Mass will follow at 2 pm.

The new daily Mass schedule will be:

- ▶ Tuesdays and Thursdays at 2 pm
- ▶ Wednesdays and Fridays at 8:30 am

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

CHRIST'S WORDS IN TODAY'S GOSPEL are puzzling and can seem unfair. Why does it seem that he initially rejects the woman's request to heal her daughter because she is not Jewish? And did Jesus know she would be persistent in her request? Regardless, Jesus is impressed with her great faith and it provides him a “teachable moment” because he heals the woman's daughter, showing that the kingdom of God is indeed for all people.

Pray For Our Faithful Departed

- ▶ Sr. Cecilia Ranger—Funeral Aug. 18, Mary's Woods
- ▶ Griff Marshall—Funeral Sept. 12, 11 am
- ▶ Marc Anthony Gonzales, Jr.—Funeral Sept. 18
- ▶ Sherrill Resch ▶ Frank Galluzzo
- ▶ Deborah (Hulscher) Kneeland

Prayer Requests

For those who are ill or in need of our prayers

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| ▶ Janet Miller | ▶ David Hendrickson |
| ▶ Carol McMenamin | ▶ Kait Skyler |
| ▶ Ruthie Wieber | ▶ Trish Grantham |
| ▶ Julie Masson | ▶ Kitt & Corinne Jordan |
| ▶ Kevin McMenamin | ▶ Ann Czuba |
| ▶ Chris Mealy | ▶ Jean Mitchell |

Mass Intentions

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| 08/15, Sat | Donna Hendrickson † |
| 08/16, Sun 8:00 am | Madeleine Community |
| 10:00 am | Sylvia Manzo † |
| 08/18, Tues | Msgr Tim Murphy |
| 08/19, Weds | Maude Joyce Upton † |
| 08/20, Thurs | James Phillip Lynch † |
| 08/21, Fri | Marie Louise Fisk † |
| 08/22, Sat | Johnny West † |
| 08/23, Sun 8:00 am | Madeleine Community |
| 10:00 am | Brenda Morrill |

Knights of Columbus/Red Cross Blood Drive

The Madeleine Knights of Columbus want your blood! Come join us for our next blood drive in the Parish Hall on August 29. Please note this is a new, later date due to a schedule conflict for the Red Cross. So if you signed up before, you have 2 more weeks to build up that iron.

There is a constant need for blood. And, summer's end brings an even greater need. Please use the QR code and register to help save lives. There are also cards with the new date and the QR code at the back of the church or visit www.bit.ly/koc-bd.



American Red Cross



Calendar This Week

16 August • Sunday

8 am: Mass—Church

10:00 am: Mass—Church  **ALSO LIVESTREAMS**

11:15 am: St Vincent DePaul—Fireside Rm

17 August • Monday

1 pm: Church Cleaning Ministry—Church

6:30 pm: FA Meeting—Fireside Rm

18 August • Tuesday

8:30 am: Mass—Church

9 am: Adoration—Church

6:30 pm: Madeleine Book Club—Fireside Rm

19 August • Wednesday

8:30 am: Mass—Church

4 pm: Uniform Pop Up

6 pm: OCIA Meeting—Fireside Rm

20 August • Thursday

2 pm: Mass—Church

6:30 pm: SAC—Library

21 August • Friday

8:30 am: Mass—Church

3:30 pm: Foundations of Faith—Church

22 August • Saturday

9:30 am: Pastoral Council Retreat—Fireside Rm, Courtyard

4 pm: Confession—Church

5 pm: Mass—Church

23 August • Sunday

8 am: Mass—Church

10:00 am: Mass—Church  **ALSO LIVESTREAMS**

Upcoming Events

► **Fr. Nazario Farewell:** September 5–6

► **Oktoberfest:** September 12, 2026

► **Advent Begins:** November 29

► **Madeleine Marketplace:** December 11

► **Lent 2027:** February 10, 2027

► **Easter 2027:** March 28, 2027

PARISH LIFE

Church Cleaning Ministry: Aug. 17 1–3 pm, first & third Monday each month

Your help is needed! Two Mondays a month, our Church Cleaning Ministry gathers to give the church...especially the Altar area...a thorough cleaning. **Church cleaning continues every first and third Monday of the month from 1–3 pm.** August 17 and September 21 are the next two dates. No permanent commitment is expected and plenty of cleaning supplies are provided. Please enter at the side door of the church.

Madeleine Book Club

Would you enjoy opportunities to meet with our enthusiastic readers to share in genial discussion/debate about some very excellent books? If so, you are most cordially invited to join our group! To be added to our email list, please contact our MBC coordinator: Gretchen Stevenson, gypsyfrau47@yahoo.com or 503-312-6834.



Next Laudato Si Circle Gathering is August 30

Is global warming real? Can we do anything about it? Please consider joining one or more of our monthly Laudato Si Gatherings by Zoom for prayer, fellowship, to share good news and practical action plans.

We plan to meet this year after Sunday 10 am Mass at 11:45 pacific on: 8/30, 9/27,

Knight of the Month and His Family—David Spencer

- David B. Spencer
- Years of Knighthood: one
- Occupation: Retired — formerly technical writer at Intel Corporation
- Spouse: Linda W. Spencer. Currently, retired but worked for Portland Public Schools as classroom aide
- Family: Children are Thomas Spencer, 44, west coast technical rep for Fujifilm and Stephen Spencer, 42, Senior Designer at Saatchi & Saatchi.
- Two grandchildren: Robert Spencer in Portland and Kaia Spencer in Los Angeles.
- Why I became a Knight: Fellow parishoner



10/25, 11/29.

For Zoom links, questions, comments or info contact Bill Hunter, williamjhunterjr@gmail.com or text to (502) 419-5705.

OCIA Candidates & Catechumens— What's the Difference?

While you might hear the two terms used interchangeably at times, there is a difference!

Catechumens are those who are not baptized and seeking to become Catholic. They begin their preparation—known as the Pre-Catechumenate—no less than one year before they enter the Catechumenate. They then undergo formation and a series of rites with the parish community before receiving the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist at the Easter Vigil Mass. If you are not baptized and want to know more, reach out to our OCIA team now!

Candidates are those who were baptized Christian but not Catholic and are seeking to come into Full Communion with the Catholic Church. They participate in formation to discern and learn more of the specific teachings of the Catholic faith while also participating in the life of the parish. Candidates can come into the Church as soon as they are ready, during any season. If you're baptized and believe you need to wait until next Easter to come into the Church, you may be mistaken! Reach out to our team to learn more.

Unbaptized? Baptized and want to become Catholic? Baptized Catholic and missing sacraments? Contact Lauren Craig at lcraig@themadeleine.edu for more information.

and knight Dan LaGrand suggested it. I liked the idea of joining a men's group and helping out



The Gospel today announces that the kingdom and salvation are for all people. It is our persistent calling out to Jesus and our faith that count, for Jesus always responds. With love for your neighbors who have nothing, look around your house to see what furniture, household items and clothing you no longer use and donate it to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store, located at 17108 SE Powell, Portland, Or (503) 744-7533

Lisa Hawkins, (503) 309-7968 • **Emergency Services Client phone: (503) 235-8431**

In Memoriam

THE MADELEINE FAMILY REMEMBERS

Sr. Cecilia Ranger

Funeral Mass • Aug. 18, 11:00 am • Chapel of the Holy Names

A Funeral Mass will be celebrated for Sister Cecilia Ranger on Monday, August 18, 11:00 am at Chapel of the Holy Names at Marylhurst.

Sister Cecilia A. Ranger, SNJM, 96, died on August 5 in Lake Oswego. Mass of Resurrection is Tuesday, August 18, 11 am, Chapel of the Holy Names, Marylhurst, Oregon.

She was born in Fergus Falls, Minnesota, oldest of the seven children of Theodore and Elizabeth Burnett Ranger. She graduated from Sherwood (Oregon) High School, working a year before starting at Marylhurst College. With a deep interest in religious life, Cecilia entered the Sisters' Novitiate in 1949, eventually receiving the religious name Sister Mary Sheila.

Sister Cecilia's ministry career spanned teaching, spiritual formation, SNJM community service, and academic leadership. After fifteen years in SNJM high schools, she became novice director and later vocation director for the Sisters.

In the mid-1970s, she was director of the Christian Spirituality Center at Marylhurst College, then spent five years at St. Mary's Seminary and University in Baltimore as a professor, spiritual director and advisor while earning her Ph.D. in biblical studies.

After returning to Oregon, she taught at Mt. Angel Seminary until 1986, when she was selected Provincial of the Holy Names Sisters in Oregon. During this time, she facilitated the first phases of development for Mary's Woods at Marylhurst, a continuing care retirement community established by the Sisters on their Marylhurst property.

Upon completing her term, Sister Cecilia joined the Marylhurst University faculty as chair of the Religious Studies Department. There, she developed a



graduate Theology program with an emphasis on pastoral ministry and interfaith dialogue. She later served on the University's Board of Trustees.

Sister Cecilia served on staff at The Madeleine from 2012 through 2015. In addition to providing religious education and spiritual direction to members of the community, she wrote a weekly column, Theology Corner, for our parish bulletin. In 2018, she edited these columns into a book, *Everyday God, Reflections on Liturgy and Life*.

In recent years, Sister Cecilia was an active member of the Mary's Woods community, where she was a friend to many and continued to teach, write, and lead workshops on theology and spirituality. She will be remembered as a woman dedicated to the mission of the Holy Names Sisters and as a woman of deep faith.

A Holy Names Sister for 75 years, Cecilia is survived by her brothers, Patrick and Bruce Ranger, her nephews, nieces and cousins and her religious community. Remembrances may be made to Sisters of the Holy Names, PO Box 398, Marylhurst, OR 97036 or online at www.snjmusontario.org/donate..

Weekly Mass Times

Regular Mass Times:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 8:30 am
Thursday 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

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