

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL



Sunday, October 11th
28th Sunday of Ordinary Time



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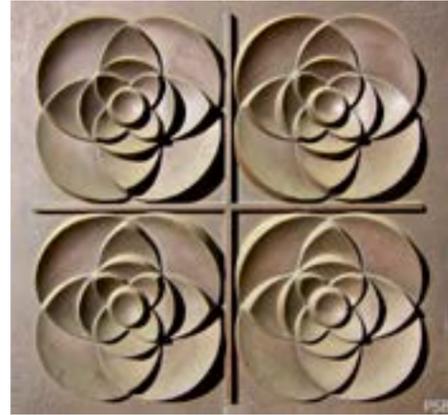




ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION



Welcome to St. Mary's Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception



Since its dedication in 1926, St. Mary's Cathedral has stood as the mother church of the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon. The cathedral belongs to the 400,000 Catholics of the archdiocese and serves as a place of ceremony and celebration for those who come here. The cathedral is also a parish church, and as such it is home to its parishioners and a welcoming place for all visitors. You may have noticed the beautiful rose design on our doors as you came in. This rose represents Mary, Our Blessed Mother, as well as Portland, the City of Roses.

All Are Welcome!

Please Consider a Charitable Bequest to St. Mary's Cathedral in your estate planning.

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St. Mary's Cathedral Parish Mission

St. Mary's Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception is a community of Christians in the Roman Catholic Tradition. Inspired by the Holy Spirit, and through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we continue the mission of Jesus Christ through liturgy, prayer, education and service toward our neighbor. As the cathedral of the Archdiocese of Portland, and as a parish community, we offer hospitality to all visitors, celebrate archdiocesan events and witness the joy of the Gospel to the City of Portland.



A WORD FROM THE PASTOR



The World Health Organization has designated 2020 as the "Year of the Nurse," marking 200 years since the birth of Florence Nightingale, who established the principles of modern nursing and hospital sanitation. I might not have noticed this "Year of the Nurse" if I hadn't been the recipient of excellent nursing care during a recent short stay at Good Samaritan Hospital. Let me give you some background.

On Sunday, September 27th, a little past midnight, I woke up in a cold sweat, and I felt my heart racing. I thought I had a fever; and, given the Covid-19 pandemic, I wanted to take my temperature. Getting out of bed, I passed out and collapsed on the floor of my bedroom in the rectory. When I came to, I couldn't move. Feeling sick, I did my best to get into the bathroom. I passed out again and woke up on the bathroom floor. At this point, I knew my situation was serious and that I had to contact someone.

But here's the problem. I couldn't just call 911. The rectory is like a fortress at night, and the paramedics would not be able to get in. Nor would they know where to find me (this is a big rectory). I was able to drag myself to my upstairs office where I left my cell phone. I called our business manager, Jennifer Overbay (who lives in the Pearl), and told her to call 911. She would make sure the medics could get in and find me. Still nauseous, I crawled back to the bathroom and passed out again. I woke with the paramedics in my room. They got me into a wheelchair, and we were off to the emergency room at Good Samaritan, where I was admitted into the hospital.

The diagnosis was acute blood anemia. As the doctor put it, my blood level was so low I was "running on fumes." The hospital stay was to find out why my blood level was low and to stabilize it. This involved an endoscopy to take a look inside. I won't go into any more detail, but they kept me in the hospital two days to determine the cause and to put me on a path to recovery. When I was released, I stayed with my sister and brother-in-law in Beaverton for a few days. I returned to the parish on Friday evening.

In this episode I learned three things: 1) why I had not felt good for the past six months, 2) that self-care of the pastor is a necessary first step in pastoring a parish (remember the instruction on the airplane, "put your own mask on first") and 3) the necessity of drawing up an emergency plan for the rectory.

And that brings me back to the nurses. I learned once again (I had one previous hospital stay) that nurses are at the very heart of professional medical care. And I mean CARE. I had my needs met at every turn, all day and every day. Nurses never seem to tire, never grow impatient, smile at the most unpleasant duties, and are present at a moment's notice. When I call nursing a vocation, I mean it: a call from God to serve rather than to be served. And they do! I want to thank every nurse, male and female, at Good Sam who helped me through a tough time. Yes, I enjoyed my stay. Let's hear it for nurses!

Msgr. Patrick S. Brennan

Monsignor Patrick Brennan is a native Oregonian who attended high school and college at Mount Angel Seminary (1965-1973). He studied theology at the North American College and the Gregorian University in Rome (1973-1977; 1979-1980). He later studied Canon Law at The Catholic University of America (1983-1985). Msgr. Brennan was ordained in 1977 and has held a number of positions in the archdiocese: president-rector of Mount Angel Seminary, Vicar for Clergy, and presently, Judicial Vicar. He was appointed pastor of St. Mary's Cathedral in 2011. His interests include Scripture, travel, architecture, photography, and swimming.



PARISH LIFE



CATHEDRAL SCHOOL



October Mass Intentions

- 12 5:30pm: In Memory of Tom Rask
- 13 7:30am: In Memory of Trudy Lieb
5:30pm: Annette Lewis
- 14 7:30am: Kathie Cooper
5:30pm: In Memory of Raymond Wong
- 15 7:30am: For our Country
5:30pm: In Memory of Bob Simmons
- 16 7:30am: Younkyoung Oh
5:30pm: The Parishioners of Cathedral
- 17 7:30am: Blanchet House

This Week at Cathedral

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:30pm
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11am Mass

The 11am Sunday morning Mass will no longer be livestreamed on a regular basis. We invite you to join Msgr. Brennan in person for any Sunday Mass. Please click here for [Mass reservations](#).

Msgr. Pat's Vlog: Msgr. Pat has been posting a daily vlog (video blog) "In Time of Virus" at <https://monsignorpat.com/index.html>. Join him for a 3 minute reflection of the day.

World Mission Sunday: We are Baptized and Sent! Next week, October 17 & 18 is World Mission Sunday, in a special Extraordinary Missionary Month. We are called through our baptism to be part of the Church's missionary efforts, through prayer, self-sacrifice and support of missionary vocations through material aid. Remembering that we are baptized and sent as a Universal Church of Christ on mission in the world, we can... PRAY for the Church's worldwide missionary work OFFER financial HELP and CHARITY through The Society for the Propagation of the Faith for vulnerable communities throughout Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands. To donate go to maryscathedral.com, click on donate now.

Financial Report for October 4, 2020

WeShare		142
Envelopes		36
Sunday Envelope	\$	2,642
Loose	\$	353
WeShare	\$	11,720
Total Parish	\$	14,715
School	\$	394
Social Services	\$	115
Adult Faith	\$	5
Sunday School of Religion	\$	5

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WeShare (Online Giving): We need your help to keep our parish operating! Please give via WeShare maryscathedral.weshareonline.org and sign up for recurring donations.

Join Our Mailing List: E-mail Jennifer at joverbay@cathedralpdx.org to be added to our mailing list. We want to stay in touch with you.

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CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

We are thrilled to welcome our new art teacher, Mrs. Nicole Selis!

Mrs. Selis attended Catholic schools in her native Chicago before attending the University of Illinois at Chicago, where she received her degree in Architecture with a minor in Art History. She received her master's degree in design from Domus Academy in Milan, Italy. She has worked for Wieden + Kennedy and as a freelance designer/artist. She is the mother of four children, and is excited to work with our students this year.

In addition to providing weekly art lessons for our daycare students, Mrs. Selis sends home a project every week for our digital learners to complete at home.

Cathedral School is accepting applications for all grades for the 2021 - 2022 school year. Go to www.cathedral-or.org to apply today!

28TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 11, 2020

Entrance Antiphon

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.

Opening Hymn

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy, Whose trust, ever childlike, no cares can destroy, Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray, Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith, Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe, Be there at our labors, and give us, we pray, Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm, Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm, Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray, Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, only begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

First Reading Is 25:6-10a

On this mountain the LORD of hosts will provide for all peoples a feast of rich food and choice wines,

juicy, rich food and pure, choice wines. On this mountain he will destroy the veil that veils all peoples, the web that is woven over all nations; he will destroy death forever. The Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from every face; the reproach of his people he will remove from the whole earth; for the LORD has spoken. On that day it will be said: "Behold our God, to whom we looked to save us! This is the LORD for whom we looked; let us rejoice and be glad that he has saved us!" For the hand of the LORD will rest on this mountain.

Responsorial:

I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

Second Reading Phil 4:12-14, 19-20

Brothers and sisters: I know how to live in humble circumstances; I know also how to live with abundance. In every circumstance and in all things I have learned the secret of being well fed and of going hungry, of living in abundance and of being in need. I can do all things in him who strengthens me. Still, it was kind of you to share in my distress.

My God will fully supply whatever you need, in accord with his glorious riches in Christ Jesus. To our God and Father, glory forever and ever. Amen.

Gospel Mt 22:1-14 or [Mt 22:1-10]

[Jesus again in reply spoke to the chief priests and elders of the people in parables, saying, "The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son. He dispatched his servants to summon the invited guests to the feast, but they refused to come. A second time he sent other servants, saying, "Tell those invited: "Behold, I have prepared my banquet, my calves and fattened cattle are killed, and everything is ready; come to the feast." Some ignored the invitation and went away, one to his farm, another to his business. The rest laid hold of his servants, mistreated them, and killed them. The king was enraged and sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his servants, "The feast is ready, but those who were invited were not worthy to come.

Go out, therefore, into the main roads and invite to the feast whomever you find.' The servants went out into the streets and gathered all they found, bad and good alike, and the hall was filled with guests.] But when the king came in to meet the guests, he saw a man there not dressed in a wedding garment. The king said to him, 'My friend, how is it that you came in here without a wedding garment?' But he was reduced to silence. Then the king said to his attendants, 'Bind his hands and feet, and cast him into the darkness outside, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth.' Many are invited, but few are chosen."

Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

At the words that follow, up to and including and became man, all bow

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Offertory/Communion Hymn

O Lord, I am not worthy That thou should'st come to me; But speak the word of comfort, My spirit healed shall be.

And humbly I'll receive thee, The Bridegroom of my soul, no more by sin to grieve thee Or fly thy sweet control.

Increase my faith, dear Jesus, In thy real presence here, And make me feel most deeply that thou to me art near.

Communion Antiphon

The rich suffer want and go hungry, but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

Closing Hymn

Praise my soul, the King of heaven; To his feet thy tribute bring; Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, Evermore his praises sing: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise the everlasting King.

Praise him for his grace and favor To his children in distress; Praise him still the same as ever, Slow to chide and swift to bless: Alleluia! Alleluia! Glorious in his faithfulness.

Angels, help us to adore him; You behold him face to face; Sun and moon, bow down before him, In his holy dwelling place. Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace.



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