

VISITATION SCHOOL NEWS



Dinner Night Out - The next Dinner Night Out will be at Panda Express, E Baseline & N 19th 2000 Baseline, Cornelius, OR 97113, Sunday, September 23rd, 10:00 am to 11:00 pm. Mention Visitation at time of order. Panda Express will donate 20% to Visitation Catholic School's New Building. *Please bring flyer with you to the restaurant in order for Visitation Catholic School to receive credit*

Secretary Summer Office Hours - Mon-Fri 8 am to 4 pm.

School Supply List - The 2018-19 School Supply List is located in the back of church and in the school office.

Rummage Sale Drop-Off - The next Rummage Sale Drop-off will be on Saturday, September 1st from 7-9 pm behind the Parish Center. We will be taking all items except for: **No Mattresses, No Car seats, No Cribs, No TVs, No non-working small appliances or electronics.** For questions please contact Cristal Vega at 503-583-6711.

Scrip - Scrip is available when the School Office is open and after each weekend Mass. You may email your order to scrip@vcsknights.org and we will call you when your order is ready.

Called to Protect Class -Would You Like To Volunteer? Then you will need to take the called to Protect Class.

FIRST TIME PARENTS VOLUNTEERS

For first time parent volunteers, you are required to watch the Called to Protect Video and complete a background check (\$15 fee, last for 3 years). See the following for dates and times:

Sept. 21st at 12:45 pm, 1:45 pm, Oct. 12 9:45 am, 10:45 am, 12 pm, 1 pm, 2 pm

Please **RSVP** to one of the above classes by emailing our school secretary at secretary@vcsknights.org or 503-357-6990. Thank you!



“Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him. Just as the living Father sent me and I have life because of the Father, so also the one who feeds on me will have life because of me.” — Jn 6:56-57

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AUGUST 19, 2018 TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

VISITATION of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH - VERBOORT

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Sarah Crosby: 503-992-8215

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Parish Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday @ Noon

BAPTISMS: By appointment

MARRIAGES: By appointment, at least six months prior to marriage

NEW FAMILIES: Kindly register by calling the rectory

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:00 am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 4-4:30 pm

or by appointment

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday	August	19	8:00 am	For You and Your Intentions
			10:00 am	Fr. Scott Vandehey † by The Parish
Monday	August	20	8:00 am	Elaine Duyck † by Mary Stadelman
Tuesday	August	21	8:00 am	Donna Smith † by Jim & Dorie Herinckx
Wednesday	August	22	8:00 am	Happy Birthday Jim McCammond † by Carol McCammond and Family
Thursday	August	23	8:00 am	Lavern Joseph Spitz † by Joyce VanDyke
Friday	August	24	8:00 am	Celestine Duris † by Dave & Donna Heesacker
Saturday	August	25	5:00 pm	Theresa Hunker by Al Moreno

Weekday Servers:

August 20th-24th: Volunteers

August 11th & 12th

Your Gift to God

Envelopes & Checks: \$2,253.00

Loose Collection: \$404.01



Weekend Masses For August 25th & 26th

Mass times	5:00 PM - Saturday	8:00 AM - Sunday	10:00 AM - Sunday
Lectors	Linda Oldenburg	Joe Finegan	Nate Wessels
Eucharistic Host Minister	Volunteer	Jennifer Finegan	Cheryl Eckler
Eucharistic Cup Ministers	Traci Nelson Christy Duyck	Laura Nevis Mel Finegan	Dean Hermance Don Vandehey
Ushers	Dave Heesacker Joseph Heesacker	Tom Herinckx Gary Duyck	Andy, Aaron, James, and Francis Duyck
Servers CB= Cross Bearer	Sebastian Lohrer Brooklyn Vandehey	Chris Carlson Carl Carlson	Natalie Williams Andrew Kloplic Lauren Kloplic CB
Music	Karen Jackson		

From the Desk of Fr. Michael

Dear Parishioners,

This past week, two “commentaries” on the meaning of the Beatitudes crossed my desk. One was from Pope Francis in his book entitled, “The Path of Holiness” and the other from Esther Mary Walker in her book entitled, “Beatitudes For Friends of the Aged.

I invite all of you to read on and find out which one (or perhaps, both) you can relate to.

- Blessed are the poor in spirit. “Wealth ensures nothing. Luke invites us to live a plain and austere life, sharing with those most in need.”
- Blessed are the meek. “If we regard the faults and limitations of others with tenderness and meekness...we can actually help them.”
- Blessed are those who mourn. “Knowing how to mourn with others: that is holiness.”
- Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness. “True justice comes about in people’s lives when they themselves are just in their decisions; it is expressed in their pursuit of justice for the poor and the weak.”
- Blessed are the merciful. “Mercy has two aspects. It involves giving, helping and serving others, but it also includes forgiveness and understanding.”
- Blessed are the pure of heart. “There can be no love without works of love. The Lord expects a commitment to our brothers and sisters that comes from the heart.”
~Pope Francis
- Blessed are they who understand my faltering step and palsied hand.
- Blessed are they who know that my ears today may strain to catch the things you say.
- Blessed are they who know I’m at a loss at times to find the strength to carry the Cross.
- Blessed are they with a cheery smile who stop to chat for a little while.
- Blessed are they who make it known that I’m loved, respected and not alone.
- Blessed are they who ease the days on my journey home in loving ways.
~Ester Mary Walker

Have a Blessed Week!

~Fr. Michael

Replacement School

Our current commitment to \$5,201,132. We have raised \$138,586 of the \$200,000 matching fund.

Replacement School Progress Cam. We now have available on www.vcsknights.org a live camera link to view the progress of the construction. Join us to watch the build!

Always seeking heavenly blessings and intercession, please join me in praying the Prayer of St. Michael the Archangel to ward off distractions that may keep us from completing the goal at hand.

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.

Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;

and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host by the Divine Power of God -

thrust into hell, Satan and all the evil spirits,

who prowl throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

New School Bricks For Sale

Did you attend Visitation Catholic School? What about your children or grandchildren? Or perhaps you have celebrated a wedding or baptism here? Would you like to leave a lasting imprint for the future generations of Visitation Catholic School children? Visitation Catholic School is building a new school and you can help!

We are selling commemorative bricks that will complete the plaza leading to the entrance. Purchase a brick to honor your children or grandchildren, commemorate loved ones, or mark a special event in your life. We are offering two different sizes of brick, and if you would like to make your brick even more special, you can choose from one of 4 different graphics for an additional cost.

Ordering Instructions: Order online at www.vcsknights.org or fill out a form located in the back of church and return to Visitation Catholic School office. Questions? Email bricks@vcsknights.org or call 503-357-6990 for help!

Baked Goods Booth For The Verboort Dinner

What is still needed: Jars for jam/jelly as well as pickled goods. 8-9 inch disposable pie tins. Thank you! ~Lorrina Tunnell 503-341-0538

St. Francis of Assisi School has three part time openings:

1. Certified teacher for middle school Science classes, M-F, Noon-3:30pm
2. After school care person who can work with a variety of ages, K-8, M-F, 3pm to 6pm.
3. Instructional Assistant for primary grades, K-4, M-F, 9am to Noon

Please contact Diane Ramsperger, principal at 503-324-2182 or can send inquiries and resume to: sfa.royschool@gmail.com

Priest Travel Dates

Fr. Roberto will be gone July 27-August 13, August 29-September 12.

Fr. Juan Jose will be gone August 23-24.

FORMED.ORG

We have renewed our subscription to FORMED.ORG a Catholic on Demand Educational and Faith Formation Resources that can be accessed on your smart phone, tablet, laptop, and smart TV.

Catholic programs in the form of audiobooks, videos, podcasts, and programs can be accessed for FREE.

If you have not enjoyed this FREE Catholic resource, please go online to www.formed.organd select "Enter code" link. Input the Parish Code: **HWNN8P** and create your own personal login and password.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Fr. Michael.

FORMED.ORG Pick of the Month

Fr. Michael recommends in preparation of the Solemnity of the Assumption to watch "The Bible and the Virgin Mary: Journey through Scripture." There are 12 lessons on the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Fr. Juan Jose's recommends "Life for Life". Movie on the life of St. Maximilian Kolbe, whose memorial we observe this month (August 14) Ignatius Press

HS Youth Group Kick-off Retreat

To Kick off the New Year, Friday, September 7 thru Sunday, September 9, all teens are invited to join us at Camp Tillikum in Gaston for our Kick-off Retreat. The cost is \$50. Please contact Traci Vanaken-Nelson to register or e-mail: youthgrouptraci@gmail.com.

Congratulations!

Hailey Smith, child of Todd Smith and Roxanne Hurst, baptized August 18, 2018.

Harold Meeuwsen Funeral Services

Thursday, August 23, 10:30 am Rosary, 11:00 am Mass with reception to follow at Visitation. Please keep the Meeuwsen family in your prayers.

Fr. Scott Vandehey Funeral Services

Friday, August 24, 2018

7:00pm Prayer Vigil and Viewing at Visitation Church

Saturday, August 25, 2018

10:00am Rosary at Visitation Church

10:30am Funeral Mass with Archbishop Sample presiding

Reception following in the parish hall

Meeting

Finance Meeting on Thursday, August 23rd, 6 pm at the Convent.