

**MASS INTENTIONS (\$10.00)
September 13th—18th**

Tuesday	9/13	8:30am	
Wednesday	9/14	8:30am	
Thursday	9/15	8:30am	
Friday	9/16	8:30am	
Saturday	9/17	5:00pm	
Sunday	9/18	8:00am	
		10:00am	For the Parish

PRAYER REQUESTS

James Brown, Patricia Lightner, Barbara Cowlin, Pam Curnutt, Sandy Byers, Pauline Thompson, Chris Arnis, Bernard Offley, Debbie Medeiros, Leon Frappier, Ronald Schaumberg, Geneva Burwell, Leo Carina, Bill Jauron, Marie Anderson, Joey Bates, Sue Marble, Geri Noble, Jean Ann Adenau, Patty Lowe, Dick Wall, Lloyd Ebert, JoAnn Evans, Rodney Mann, Esperanza (Tita) Montero, Jim Fery, Ted Hile, Craig Chabala, and Gloria Saylor.

From 2016/2017, July 1st through June 30th 2017 we need \$3,885 weekly. This does not include Religious Education, Youth Ministry personnel, which could account for \$16,000 or more. Also this does not include Capital Campaign.

<u>Weekly need</u>	\$ 3,885.00
<u>Collection</u> September 3rd/4th	\$ 3,177.00
	\$ - 708.00

Thank you for generous support

Please remember your weekly contributions throughout the summer as our expenses do continue.

Thank you

<u>Attendance</u>	Aug. 3rd/4th	5:00pm	60
		8:00am	54
		10:00am	110

24st Sunday in Ordinary Time

“The Pharisees and scribes began to complain, saying, “This man welcomes sinners and eats with them.”” Jesus knew these self-righteous religious leaders were complaining. And he knew they needed to learn a lesson. So, in addition to giving a lived example of welcoming the company of “tax collectors and sinners,” Jesus also directly taught the skeptics about the importance of welcoming those who have been lost. Today's Gospel gives a powerhouse lineup of three parables that all teach a similar message: rejoice over the lost sheep, rejoice over the lost coin, and rejoice over the return of the lost son.

The theme can be summarized in the simple directive: rejoice don't reject. When someone who isn't part of the “fold” appears in church, this is cause for rejoicing! It should not be cause for gossip, sideways glances, or nervous whispers about what to do or say. Rather a genuine smile and word of welcome would be in order at the very least, and a heartfelt invitation to join the community would be totally appropriate.

Too often we become complacent about our Christian company. We get used to seeing the same people every Sunday and forget about the “lost” men and women who are outside the bounds of our comfort zone. Jesus gives us the image of an active shepherd who goes “after the lost one until he finds it,” and a diligent widow who will “sweep the house, searching carefully” until she finds her coin. He tells us of a father who “ran to his son, embraced and kissed him,” in spite of the separation they had faced. We too are called to take initiative in seeking out those who are lost, and to rejoice heartily when they finally do come back home.

Cycles of Faith

Visitors

Welcome to St. Frederic's! We extend our hands and hearts in Christian fellowship to you. If you wish to be a registered member, please pick up a registration form in the vestibule. You may drop it by the office or mail it to us. Visit our website at stfredericchurch.org.

BULLETIN DEADLINE Information for the September 24th/25th bulletin needs to be emailed or brought in to the office by Friday, September 16th.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

Readings for the week of September 11th 2016

Sunday: Ex 32:7-11, 13-14/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19/1 Tm 1:12-17/Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10

Monday: 1 Cor 5:1-8/Ps 5:5-7, 12/Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100:1-5/Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday: Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1-2, 34-38/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17

Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 28/Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Friday: 1 Cor 15:12-20/Ps 17:1, 6-8, 15/Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/Ps 56:10-14/Lk 8:4-15

Next Sunday: Am 8:4-7/Ps 113:1-2, 4-8/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13/Tm 1:12-17/Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10

MARRIED COUPLES

Jesus is the way, the truth and the life. Let Jesus be the Lord and Savior of your life and marriage. Strengthen, renew, and rekindle your marriage sacrament by attending a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends** on August 27th - 29th at Our Lady of Peace Retreat Center in Beaverton, Oregon or November 11th - 13th at Mt. Angel Abbey. For more information call 503-853-2758 or apply on-line at www.rediscoverthespark.org. Additional dates and locations are listed on-line.

Religious Ed Classes

Parent Orientation for Pre-k through 6th grade will be in Rm. 5 after the 10am mass.

Classes for pre-k through 6th grade begin Sept. 18th from 11am to 12pm in the Parish Center.

Jr. High and High School Classes begin this weekend, Sunday evening from 6pm to 8pm in the Parish Center.

Bazaar Workshops

September 13th & 27th 9am—12pm in Buccini Hall. All women are welcome! Please come join us.

St. Vincent de Paul

Thank you for previous donations! Our food closet is near empty as we have had a lot of requests for food.

Items still needed include: Cereals, Soups, Chili, Spaghetti Sauce, Jello/Pudding, Canned Fruit and Veggies, Pasta, Rice, Beans (dry and canned), Jam/Jelly, and Packaged Entrees.

Christmas Bazaar Surprise Package Booth Remember the Women's Surprise packages. We could use "like new" items and Christmas wrap and bows. Thank you and God Bless.

BAZAAR JAMS AND JELLIES: Our Ladies are getting ready to make Jams and Jellies for our annual Christmas Bazaar December 3rd. They are in need of **8 oz. canning jars**.



St. Frederic's 4th Annual Fall Festival & Pumpkin Patch

6 weeks away!!

Saturday, October 8th from 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 9th from 10:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Mat Penziol will be leading a quick class on the City requirements for handling food. It is very important that you attend (even though some of you may already work in food places) so that everyone knows what to expect with your food booth.

Eddie Martinez will be discussing the details of the beer garden which is new this year to the festival.

We will also discuss the games. You will learn what they are, how they are played, and what is needed. It will give you the opportunity to sign up to help.

VOLUNTEER – Please volunteer to help with the festival. We need help to set up, tear down, or games.

DONATIONS – If you would like to make a donation to the festival, Hallie Pumkin is available at each mass or for larger monetary donations, you can drop off or mail it to the parish office and get a tax donation receipt. Auction items can also be dropped off at the office or if you need, we can make arrangements to pick up your item.

The committee cannot do this alone. Now is the time to give back to your parish. **To make this fundraiser a success, we need your help!** To help with the festival, call the office 503-397-0148 or call Carmen McMahon 503-397-2791 or send an email to carmen@oregonhill.com.

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