

**FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – February 7, 2021**

DAILY SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS	REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS	PARISH INFORMATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS	
<p><b>Saturday February 6</b>                      Mass 5:00 pm                      Int. Max Ferry on his Birthday</p>	<p><b>A Time for Healing and Sorrow:</b>                      Please pray for John Burke, Teresita Smith, Harold Stern and all those who are sick or who need healing. Also pray for those who have died recently, and pray for those who have asked for our prayers.</p>	<p><b>RCIA: The Rite of Sending</b> will be performed on Sunday, February 14<sup>th</sup>. This Rite affords the parish the opportunity to express its approval, to rejoice in the decision to receive the sacraments of initiation and to assure the Catechumens and Candidates of the community's care and support.</p>	
<p><b>Sunday February 7</b>                      Mass 8:30 am                      Int. John Burke                      Mass 10:30 am                      Int. Teresita Smith</p>	<p><b>A Time for Joy and Celebration:</b>                      We pray for all those who are celebrating a special occasion this week. Happy Birthday to Yvonne Mackrill, Judi Hanson, and Ryan Kinstedt.</p>	<p><b>LENT:</b> In planning for Lent, we will have Mass at 11am on Ash Wednesday, and a service in the evening at 5pm for those who could not make it to Mass but want to pray and receive the ashes. Starting the 19<sup>th</sup> we will have Stations of the Cross every Friday at 5pm here in the Parish Hall.</p>	
<p><b>Monday February 8</b>                      Mass 9:30 am                      Int. Denise Harrington and Steven Lahtinen on their Birthday</p>	<p><b>Daily Prayer:</b> Please pray each day for peace and healing in our families, home, and country. And, continue to pray for all the workers who are repairing and restoring the Church.</p>	<p><b>CHURCH RESTORATION UPDATE:</b> All Masses are being held in the Parish Hall as we continue the repairs and restoration. The work continues and is moving along nicely. The cleaning and sealing of the ceiling and walls is almost finished and all the pews are in the process of being restored at another location. We are still on track to be finished by March 23<sup>rd</sup>. So we should be back in the church for Easter.</p>	
<p><b>Tuesday February 9</b>                      No public Mass and Office is Closed</p>		<p><b>SPECIAL COLLECTION:</b> Next weekend, we will have a collection for The Church in Central and Eastern Europe. This collection supports pastoral care, catechesis, building renovations, and seminary formation in more than 25 countries. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this important work.</p>	
<p><b>Wednesday February 10</b>                      Mass 11:00 am                      Int. + Lily Bay                      Celebrate Recovery 5:30 pm</p>			
<p><b>Thursday February 11</b>                      Mass 9:30 am                      Int. Doris Matthews                      Circle of Caring 10:30 am                      RCIA Class 6:00 pm</p>	<p><b>COVID-19 UPDATE:</b> Because of the risk, the general dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass is still in place. Signing up to attend Mass is not required at this time but we are still following the guidelines of wearing a mask and maintaining social distancing.</p>	<p><b>PARISH STAFF:</b>  <b>Administrator:</b> Father Mariano Escano                      mescano@archdpdx.org 503-842-6647  <b>Parochial Vicar:</b> Father Macdonald Akuti                      padreakuti@gmail.com 424-410-0097  <b>Parish Secretary:</b> Doris Matthews                      stmarys1927doris@gmail.com 503-355-2661</p>	
<p><b>Friday February 12</b>                      Mass 9:30 am                      Int. Harold Stern</p>		<p><b>CONTACT INFO:</b>                      Parish office is open:                      Mon, Wed, and Fri from 9AM until 3PM                      Parish website:                      stmarybythesea.com                      Parish email:                      stmarys1927@gmail.com</p>	