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## PASTORAL MINISTRIES

**FINANCE COUNCIL:** Father Akuti, Phillip Curtis, Alicia Ritter, Therese Southwick, David Conway, and Tony Vinciguerra  
**PARISH COUNCIL:** Father Akuti, Steve Bloom, Chris Bloom, Gloria Lyons, Alicia Voss, Michelle Vinciguerra, Gladys Jacobsen, Loretta Schutten, and Paul Erlebach.  
**AMAZING PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM:** Father Akuti, Lauri Conway, Loretta Schutten, Alicia Voss, and Bruce Broswick.  
**HOSPITALITY MINISTRY:** Loretta Schutten, Cynthia Sinn, Theresa Bruneau, Terri Southwick, Chris Bloom, Barbara Rodriguez and Michelle Vinciguerra.  
**CHOIR:** Wayne Schultz, Dorence Cote, Anna Buchanan, Cynthia Sinn, Chris Gant, Diane Gant, and Israel Pozos' group.  
**LECTOR & EM COORDINATOR:** Alicia Voss  
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**CIRCLE OF CARING:** Ethel Pierzynski, Marie Hennessy, Rhoda Degiovanni, Rita Girdner, Yvonne Macrill, and Mary Filker.  
**CHURCH FLOWER DECOR:** Gloria Lyons  
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## St. Mary by the Sea Catholic Church

PO Box 390 275 S Pacific Street Rockaway Beach OR 97136

June 18, 2023

### 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

*We are a loving, supportive, and vibrant Catholic community committed to being a welcoming parish family by spreading the Love of Jesus Christ throughout our community and into the world.*



### THIS WEEKS SCHEDULE

ACTIVITY	MASS INTENTIONS
<b>Saturday June 17</b>	
Vigil Mass 5 pm	Elizabeth Brown Davis and Father Bob Barricks
<b>Sunday June 18</b>	
Mass 8:30 am	Kate Hennessy and Alice Ruhland
Mass 10:30 am	Wayne Schultz
<b>Monday June 19</b>	
No Mass this week – Office is Closed	
<b>Tuesday June 20</b>	
No Mass - Office is Closed	
<b>Wednesday June 21</b>	
No Mass this week – Office is Open	
Celebrate Recovery	5:30 pm
<b>Thursday June 22</b>	
No Mass or Adoration this week	
Office is Open	
Circle of Caring 10 am	
<b>Friday June 23</b>	
Mass 9:30 am	Polly Klingensmith, Colton Zaremba, and Hem Hemachandra

### REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

**A TIME FOR HEALING AND SORROW:** Please pray for Harold Stern, Diane Reed, Ed Seeger, Ethel Pierzynski, Cathy McAllister, Gwen Medina, Mark Wustenberg, Robert Fulks, Ron and Marie Patterson, Al and Dorothy Giacchero, Sharon Cote, Donna Molendyke, Jill Mulvey, and all those who are sick or who need healing. Also pray for Joao Pinto Jr. Julie Moore, Nancy McGillis, Brixton, Pope Emeritus Benedict XV!, Art Pieretti, Marilou Bowman, and all those who have died recently and for those who have asked for our prayers.

**A TIME FOR JOY AND CELEBRATION:** We pray for all those who are celebrating a Birthday, Anniversary, or other special occasion this week. Happy Birthday to Randy Baldock, Theresa Bruneau, Jonathan Gonzalez, and Jacob Rice. Happy 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary to Joann and Tom Felkel.



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## A MESSAGE FROM FATHER AKUTI

The main theme of today's readings is that we are sent, to transform others with the "Good News" of God's love, mercy, forgiveness, and salvation through Jesus His Son.

The first reading gives Israel the good news that the God of Mount Sinai loves and cares for his people. God showed His continuing care for Israel by liberating the people from slavery in Egypt and offered them a relationship in which they would be God's holy nation. Saint Paul reflects on how Jesus in his life, death, and resurrection made manifest God's love and care for mankind. The greatest proof of God's love and care for us is Jesus' willingness to die for mankind and making a new and better relationship with God. Today's Gospel is a reminder from God to each one of us: 'You've received grace and talents from Me freely, and so you have to give without charge through your simple, responsible, sharing lives.'

With this commissioning, his disciples and others began to assume responsibility for the new movement that heralded the Kingdom of God. That new movement was destined to grow with increasing diversity, as it extended beyond the borders of Galilee, into Gentile territory, becoming the Universal Christian Church.

### TAKEAWAY MESSAGES:

1) Be Jesus-Presenters: Jesus continues to be active in our lives through the Bible and the Sacraments. God gives us the Holy Spirit, the One Who teaches and reminds us of all that Jesus has said to us. We are invited to become one with God and Jesus, and to let the Holy Spirit work through us. We are asked to perform the works of Jesus, and through these works to reveal the power and character of God to the world. If we accept this invitation and live it out wholeheartedly, with God's grace people will look at us and say, "Jesus."

2) Be healers in the modern world: People are sick in body as well as mind. As Christians sharing Jesus' mission, we can bring healing and wholeness to people with whom we come across. Although we cannot raise the dead, we can help people to recover interest and a zeal for living. People can be physically alive but dead in many other respects. "Cleansing the lepers" means rehabilitating and bringing back fully into our communities all those who, for one reason or another, are marginalized, rejected, despised, or ostracized on the basis of race/colour, nationality, marital status, religion, or gender. We have to help casting out from people the demons who possess them by means of addictions to alcohol, drugs, pornography, sexual deviations, etc...., first by getting ourselves liberated and then helping others to get liberated from their evil addictions.

## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CONGRATULATIONS TO FATHER AKUTI** whose installation Mass and ceremony will be held on July 21<sup>st</sup> at 1pm. After the installation ceremony we will celebrate our new Pastor with a party in the Parish Hall.

**AMAZING PARISH:** Father Akuti and our Amazing Parish leadership team will be attending a workshop this week. The Amazing Parish program gives busy pastors and their teams the tools they need to transform their parishes—moving from maintenance mode to mission communities that are truly alive! There will be no Mass or Adoration this week from Monday thru Thursday.

**PARISH AND FINANCE COUNCILS:** Interested in getting involved in the Parish? We are in need of a few new people to be on our parish or finance councils, please talk to Father Akuti if you are interested in serving.

**PARISH HALL KITCHEN REMODEL:** We are sorry to report that due to construction delays we need to postpone the reopening at least another week. We will keep you updated as they work to complete this project. Senior Meals will continue the take-out service from the Beach Bite and since Teri is out of town, please call Judi at 360-431-7554 to reserve take-out lunches for next week. And, please continue to pray for the workers and those who are helping make this project a success.

**FUNDRAISER:** We are having the second round of our Winter Survival Fundraiser. Our goal is to raise \$9,500. We will be selling tickets in the back of the church. Tickets are \$20 each or a book for \$100. In the month of July, Cash prizes of \$100 will be given out each Sunday and Saturday, \$50 each Wednesday, \$75 each Friday, \$20 each Monday and Thursday, and on July 4<sup>th</sup> the prize will be \$250. A total of \$1986 will be given out in raffle prizes during July. The odds are Good! So, buy your tickets today and help us meet our fund-raising goal.

## Happy Father's Day

We wish all the Fathers, Grandfathers, Stepfathers and Dads a Blessed Day!

### WEEKLY GIVING REPORT:

Offertory Collection	\$2,335.00
Needy	\$53.00
Maintenance/Building	\$1,718.00
Votive	\$2.00
Survival Fund Raffle	\$2,220.00
Parish gift donation	\$500.00