

St. Andrew Catholic Church

Iglesia Católica de San Andrés



Rite of Election at St. Mary's Cathedral February 29, 2020. Catechumens, Candidates, Inquirers, Sponsors and RCIA team members.

St. Andrew Welcoming Statement

St. Andrew is a faith community baptized into one body, which honors and celebrates diversity. We welcome and include persons of every color, language, ethnicity, origin, ability, sexual orientation, gender expression, marital status, and life situation.

Parish Mission

St. Andrew Parish recognizes that, as Jesus Christ was sent by God to “bring the good news to the poor, to proclaim liberty to captives, and to the blind new sight, to set the downtrodden free, to proclaim the Lord’s year of favor,” (Luke 4:18)so it is the mission of St. Andrew Parish to be a visible presence of Christ in our culturally and racially diverse neighborhood, rooted in the Gospel and nurtured by liturgy, prayer, and the community of faith. As such we commit ourselves to work with the poor, the powerless, and the oppressed for the liberation of all; to seek justice, compassion, and peace in our lives, community, and world; and to proclaim and celebrate God’s unconditional love for all.

Declaración de bienvenida

La Parroquia de San Andrés es una comunidad bautizada en un cuerpo, que honra y celebra la diversidad. Acogemos a las personas de todos colores, lenguas, razas, orígenes, habilidades, orientación sexual, estado civil y estilos de vida.

Misión Parroquial

La Parroquia de San Andrés reconoce que, así como Jesús fue enviado por Dios “para traer la Buena Nueva a los pobres, para anunciar libertad a los cautivos, y a los ciegos nueva luz. Poner en libertad a los oprimidos y proclamar el año de gracia del Señor,” (San Lucas 4:18) ...También es la misión de la Parroquia de San Andrés, el ser presencia visible de Cristo en nuestra comunidad con diversidad de razas y culturas, enraizada en el Evangelio y alimentada por la liturgia, la oración, y la comunidad de fe. Como iglesia, nos comprometemos a trabajar con los pobres, los desamparados y oprimidos, por la liberación de todos; para buscar justicia, compasión, paz en nuestras vidas, en la comunidad y en el mundo entero, y para proclamar y celebrar el amor incondicional de Dios para todos.

March 8, 2020

Today's Liturgy

Psychology has taught us a great deal about family dynamics and how we have come to be the person we find ourselves to be. We are comprised of such a mixed bag of blessings and obstacles with their graced moments and sinful ones. Think back on the journey of your life and how the many different and varied choices that you made influenced the direction your life. If you didn't go on that first date with your spouse, who would be beside you today? If you chose to be in one place rather than another, what would have happened to the course your life has taken? We are on such a wonderful, exciting journey. What is most incredible and awesome is that we are not alone! God is with us. He inspires, heals, opens doors, and calls us every moment of our lives. The very life we have is due only to Him.

We can all sit down and list adjectives describing who we are. One may find him or herself more artistic than another or quicker with wit. We have unique gifts and talents and have the great gift of free will, which we treasure. Our histories come with more baggage for some and less hurdles for others, but we all have to find our way through the path we are on. However, have you ever given much thought to who you really are? That question has more merit than may at first appear.

We know ourselves as we live out our earthly journey. But do we know our heavenly self? What we know here is only one small part of who God has made us to be. The disciples really thought they knew Jesus until they went up the mountain. We also may think we know our true selves, too. We know that in eternal life we shall not only see God, but become like Him. Who will you be? What surprise do you think God has for you?

Today's Reading / La lectura de hoy

Genesis 12:1-4

Psalms 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22

R: Lord, let your mercy be upon us, as we place our trust in you.

II Timothy 1:8-10

Matthew 17:1-9

Liturgia de hoy

Segundo Domingo de Cuaresma; la semana pasada tentación, y ahora transfiguración. Grandes contrastes que nos llevan a reflexionar en la grandeza de la presencia del Señor entre nosotros. Al resistir la tentación es que llegamos a la transfiguración. Es un juego de armonía de la gracia de Dios en la vida del ser humano. La oración colectiva de la Misa nos ayuda a reflexionar en la maravilla de la Transfiguración: "Señor Dios, que nos mandaste escuchar a tu Hijo muy amado, dignate alimentarnos íntimamente con tu palabra, para que, ya purificada nuestra mirada interior, nos alegremos en la contemplación de tu gloria." Todos hemos sido llamados a la vida y a la luz que brilla en Cristo Transfigurado como lo atestiguan Pedro, Santiago y Juan. La Transfiguración llama a la conversión desde el fondo del corazón.

¿Qué propósito tienes en esta Cuaresma? ¿Dónde debes buscar la conversión? El Evangelio de hoy invita al encuentro con Jesús en la montaña. Si nos fijamos bien y escuchamos con cuidado, notaremos que Jesús nos mostró quien es en realidad en el misterio de la Transfiguración. Por esto Pedro le dice, convencido de la hermosura del resplandor, "Señor, ¡qué bueno sería quedarnos aquí! Si quieres, haremos aquí tres chozas, una para ti, otra para Moisés y otra para Elías." "Quedarnos aquí" pero ¿Dónde estamos? ¿Es bueno el lugar donde estamos para quedarnos? Pidamos en esta Eucaristía que el Espíritu Santo nos ayude a comprender que somos hijos e hijas de Dios y lo que esto significa.

Hunger in Our World

MEET TRINH: Trinh's family are farmers in Vietnam who have been affected by climate change. What would you do if your source of nutrition was threatened? How can we support those whose livelihoods are vulnerable to weather?

Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

Penitential Rite

The elect go through three scrutinies, one on each of the last three Sundays of Lent, the third, fourth, and fifth Sundays. The candidates for Confirmation and Eucharist have only one scrutiny called the Penitential Rite, which is usually celebrated on the Second Sunday of Lent. As with all the rites for the already baptized, their baptismal status is recognized. They are called to further conversion to continue their preparation so they can complete their initiation at Easter. Their celebration of the sacraments of initiation is to be at a different time from that of the elect, but a combined rite is available for use at pastoral discretion.

Lent: All Parish Book Reading and Discussion

All parishioners are invited to read On Care for Our Common Home Laudato Si', Pope Francis' encyclical letter. We'll have discussion groups in the Community Center from 11 to 12:15 on March 15th (chapters 3-4), and 29th (chapters 5-6).

The Ecojustice team is leading this event and invites you to participate and take action for Lent rather than or in addition to giving something up.

Childcare will be provided in the Oscar Romero Room We'll be showing "The Lorax" movie. Juice and snacks will be provided.

Vacation Bible Camp Volunteers Needed

Vacation Bible Camp has been an integral part of the St. Andrew community for 11 years. It is a week of art, music, spiritual exploration and community building. This program serves youth ages 3-7. We are looking for a core group of volunteers to help with camp and to shape goals and theme for this upcoming summer. If you are interested in volunteering or have questions about the camp please call April Sandoval at 503.3583563 or asandoval@archdpx.org.

Los Clases de ingles de St. Andres/ English Classes

Los clases de ingles de San Andres ahora estan en escuela primaria Dr. Martin Luther King lunes y miercoles de 6-7:30pm, 4906 NE 6th Ave, Portland, OR 97211 salon #120. Miembros de la comunidad de San Andres estan parte de los maestros y alumnos. Todos niveles, idiomas, y familiares - incluso los ninos - estan bienvenidos. Para mas informacion: iconnelly1@pps.net, 207-317-3318 habla espanol.

The St Andrew English classes are now at Dr. Martin Luther King School on Mondays and Wednesdays from 6-7:30 pm, at 4906 NE 6th Ave, Portland, OR 97211, Room #120. St Andrews parishioners are among the teachers and learners. All levels, all languages, and all family members, including children, are welcome! For more information: Ian: iconnelly1@pps.net, 207-317-3318.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul / St. Andrew

Emergency Services Statistics for February, 2020:

200 families (657 individuals) recived food from Emergency Services: 8,648 lbs. of food. We partnered with six families to help with utility bills (\$1281.31) and with 8 families to help with rent (\$3095). Total assistance this month: \$4376.31. 55 volunteers worked a total of 281 hours in February.

Many thanks to all our wonderful volunteers who made the above possible for our community!

All donations to the St. Andrew Conference of St. Vincent de Paul support those in need in our community. Please write checks to St. Vincent de Paul/St. Andrew to ensure your donation goes to emergency services of our parish.

University of Portland (Free Events)

Reading the Bible Disruptively for Gender Justice in an Authoritarian Age

Wednesday, March 18 7:15pm Bauccio Commons
Susanne Scholz, Professor of Old Testament at Southern Methodist University, asks whether gendered Bible readings constitute viable intellectual alternatives to transform contemporary structures of domination. Co-sponsored by Garaventa Center, CAS, Catholic Studies, & Theology

Concert with Bernadette Farrell

Saturday, March 21 at 7pm Chapel of Christ the Teacher
Renowned liturgical musician Bernadette Farrell offers a social justice themed concert of her songs for worship, including beloved favorites such as "Christ, Be Our Light." Co-sponsored by the Garaventa Center, Campus Ministry, and International Education, Diversity & Inclusion.

St. Andrew Senior Ministry

12 Ways to LOVE your Brain:

Some factors affecting our health are out of our control, but there are many healthy habits that we can adopt to support lifelong brain health and function. Learn more about the best ways to LOVE your brain in this fun and interactive class. Get tips from the latest research on brain-healthy nutrition, cognitive activities, the importance of social engagement, and get information for resources in the community. Lead by Washington County Behavioral Health Specialist for Older Adults Kera Magarill, MA.

Monday, March 16th

Presentation begins at 11:00

Lunch (provided - PLEASE RSVP) at 12:00

Brain strengthening games/activities at 1:00

Please RSVP by Weds. March 11th to:
seniorministry@standrewchurch.com

Use Spirituality to Enliven your Ally Skills for Talking about Race

Do you struggle as a white person, to have honest and productive conversations about race with white friends, relatives, neighbors and community members?

In August, Dr. David Campt, a dialogue teacher who founded the Ally Conversation Toolkit, and St. Andrew member Angela Kremer taught a workshop to help white racial justice allies have more effective encounters with racism skeptics and Angela is now offering to facilitate follow up sessions. Racism skeptics are people who don't think racism is real or still an issue and many white people know family members or others who fit this and St. Andrew members share a commitment to use their voice and listening for healing. Learn concrete skills for using your own racial background as a tool to advance racial equity over the next three months on Sundays 11 to 1 PM at St Andrews. Three 2 hour follow up sessions on **March 8th and 29th and April 19th.** (Workbook \$30 and sliding scale fee \$20 - \$80 for series) Register: angelahkremer@gmail.com or 503-890-3071. No one will be turned away for lack of funds. Practice partners will be used to build St Andrew racial justice ally community.

For more info about Dr. David Campt <https://www.whiteallytoolkit.com/>
St. Andrew organizer Angela Kremer @ (503)-890-3071 or angelahkremer@gmail.com.

Birthdays this Week

Today: Zachary Brown and Sergio Martinez.

This Week: Edna Hicks, Marilyn Fleming, Beth Skrypzak, Patrick Elijah, Karrie Hicks, Mario Navarrete Ramirez, Abla Langlidja, Maggie Gibson, Jim Leggett, Jennifer Larkin, Michele Interian, Celeste Grover, Adah Crandall, Mark Kirchmeier, Atty Zschau, Jorge Hernandez-Ruiz, Angela Barco, Blanca Orozco, Dionte Allen, Sylvar Hillary, Grace Perez, Maria Interian, Paula Mendoza, Florence Gerber, Damon Williams, Carol Adkisson and Diego Martinez-Griffin.



Ministerio Hispano

Bautizos: Preparación pre-bautismal es cada segundo martes de mes a las 7pm. Y los bautizos son cada último domingo del mes (excepto durante cuaresma y navidad). Llame a Diana al 503-281-4429 ext 0 para registrarse.

Quinceañeras: Se realizan cada tercer sábado del mes. Tienen que ser miembros de la parroquia y tener la primera comunión hecha. Llame a Diana al 503-281-4429 ext. 7 para registrarse y confirmar la fecha.

Bodas: Comunicarse directamente con Padre David al 503-281-4429 ext 1.

Primera Comunión: Habrá registraciones durante los domingos del mes de septiembre. Las clases inician en el mes de octubre durante los domingos a la hora de la misa 12:30 pm. Tiene que ser miembro registrado de San Andrés para poder registrar a sus hijos.

Anniversaries this Week

This Week: Sara Jacob and Jose Lucas Jacob

Reconciliation Chapel

Before Vatican II the Sacrament of Reconciliation, at that time called the Sacrament of Penance, or confession, was associated with a small dark room where the penitent maintained anonymity. The priest also could not be seen, and the two spoke to one another through a screen. Since Vatican II churches have incorporated larger rooms known as reconciliation chapels where the priest and penitent can sit together, share Scripture and celebrate the sacrament, now known as reconciliation. This provides more of an opportunity for the penitent to ask questions. Our chapel is located in the daily Mass chapel and the sacrament of Penance is celebrated every Saturday at 5:00 PM.

Pancake Dinner

The Pancake Dinner was a delicious success. We want to thank you for supporting our effort to raise funds for youth events and our retreat. We are also grateful for the parents, the youth, and Jessica Chapman for all their time and efforts preparing the feast.

Simone Weil Catholic Worker House

Ongoing needs:
-Funds are needed to help provide housing and services on a monthly basis.
Donate through GooglePay at SimoneWeilHouse@gmail.com
-trac phone for guest use
-used lap top computer for current guests use
-common food items such as coffee, eggs, peanut butter, olive oil, milk and alternative milks

Hispanic Youth Group CCJPDX

Todos los viernes 7:00 PM
Alex Bautista
503.314.4844

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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Eucharist: 9:30 am (English), 12:30 pm (Spanish)
Weekday Eucharist: 9:00 am (Tuesday-Friday)
Reconciliation: 4:30- 5:00 pm Saturday
Mayan Community Mass in Spanish and Kanhoval
First Saturday of each month, 5:30 pm bilingual

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SERVICIOS

La Misa Domingo: 9:30 am (Inglés), 12:30 pm (Español)
La Misa Diaria: 9:00 am (martes-viernes)
Confesiones: 4:30- 5:00 pm los sábados
Primer Sábado del mes, misa bilingue Maya Kanhoval y Español a las 5:30 pm

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● PARISH EMAILS:

If you wish to receive emails from St. Andrew Church with information about events, special announcements, important reminders etc. please send your name and email to ouroffice@standrewchurch.com. New parishioners are added to this list when they register.

● BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:

To ensure timely printing and delivery of bulletins, announcements for Sunday's bulletin must be received by 5 PM on the prior Friday (9 days before the publish Sunday. Send your announcements to standrewpdxbulletin@gmail.com