

St. Thomas Becket, the outpost of the Society of St. Pius X in the Pacific Northwest! With the recent Motu Proprio, Traditionis Custodes, the necessity of the Society has been reaffirmed in 2021 and our priories like St. Thomas Becket. Back in 2007, Pope Benedict XVI stated in his Motu Proprio, Summorum Pontificum, that the Tridentine Mass had never been abrogated. All it did was reaffirm the position of our holy founder, Archbishop Marcel Lefebvre, who in the mid-1970's continued to say this Mass in spite of all threats leveled against him. It took a man of great courage...and sanctity to continue on this path as virtually the whole modern Church was against him. Very few of the clergy supported him; but in spite of this, the Society continued to grow.

In 1988, since there was no guarantee that his Order would be truly protected by the modern Churches authorities, the Archbishop consecrated four bishops to continue to work of the Society, especially in its fight against modernism and liberalism. The attacks on his Fraternity began anew. But the work went onand continued to grow. Our saintly founder would go to his heavenly reward on March 25th, 1991.

In 2007, coming especially from a request of the Society, the Pope liberated the Tridentine Mass for any priest to celebrate, and that it was never abrogated, was also surprisingly confirmed in the document. The Archbishop was vindicated, ever so slightly. The last fourteen years has seen an immense growth of the celebration of this Mass, and also of communities devoted to the Tridentine Mass. It has been especially impressive since the Tridentine Mass does not have the zealous backing of the modern Church- has it not been called the “Extraordinary Form” since 2007?

But there has been a deeper problem which has existed all along- going back to 1965, the problem of Vatican Council II. All those Latin Mass communities have had a serious dilemma of more or less avoiding the issue. The Society of St. Pius X has demanded from the beginning in its fight with modern Rome that the controversial Council texts be re-examined and changed so that there can ONLY be a Catholic interpretation of them. We are still in a stalemate at the present moment. Hopefully, this new attack on the Mass will enlighten people of the real fight that has gone on now for over 55 years! This is where the real fight truly is. It cannot be ignored. It cannot be brushed aside. Silence towards it only continues the problem! More people are beginning to see it, but still there is still only a small number- but growing.

In spite of this new Motu Proprio, the SSPX goes on with its work here in Veneta. From Fr. Eugene Heidt, to its Priors Fr. Lawrence Novak, Fr. Daniel Cooper, Fr. Trevor Burfitt, Fr. John Brucciani, Fr. Stephen Stanich, and now Fr. Shane Pezzutti, our work remains the same, that of saving souls and as our rule says, “Sanctifying the priesthood and everything that surrounds it“. We ask for your continued zealous support of our Order. May we be a light amidst the so much darkness of our times. St. Pius X, pray for us!



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+ Mass Schedule for August 15 th through August 22 nd , 2021, +			
SUN	15 TH	FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY 2 ND COLLECTION FOR THE BUILDING FUND	8:00 AM / 10:30 AM
MON	16 TH	ST JOACHIM, <i>FATHER OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN, CONFESSOR</i>	7:15 AM
TUE	17 TH	ST. HYACINTH, <i>CONFESSOR</i>	7:15 AM
WED	18 TH	FERIAL DAY	7:15 AM
THU	19 TH	ST. JOHN EUDES, <i>CONFESSOR</i>	7:15 AM
FRI	20 TH	ST. BERNARD, <i>ABBOT, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH</i>	7:15 AM
SAT	21 ST	ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL, <i>WIDOW</i>	8:00 AM
SUN	22 ND	XIII SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST	8:00 AM / 10:30 AM 5:00 PM VESPERS & BENEDICTION

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

Today is the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a holy day here in America although this year it happens to fall on a Sunday.

WELCOME

We welcome our new prior Father Shane Pezzutti to Veneta. Father hails from Columbus, Ohio and was ordained in 2010. Father has been stationed in Eastern Europe for the last 10 years. Father Stanich is also still here as he recovers from a bout with COVID. Father will be here for at least one more week.

DONUTS

We will be serving donuts after the Masses today.

***There is an article by Father Stanich
on the backside of the bulletin.***



ST. JOSEPH ALTAR '2021 PERPETUAL LIGHT'. INTENTION FORMS AVAILABLE IN THE VESTIBULE.



DAY	COLLECTION	
AUGUST 1	\$4,212.00	
AUGUST 8	\$3,430.00	
AUGUST 15		
AUGUST 22		
AUGUST 29		
TOTAL	\$7,642.00.00	



Eucharistic Crusade August's Intention

That Christian souls
would shine with purity.

ACADEMY NEWS

There are surely going to be some restrictions placed on schools because of this ongoing pandemic. Even though over 70 percent of the Oregon population is vaccinated, the Governor could not not follow through on her promises of totally opening up the state.

CHILDREN OF MARY

The Society Sisters sponsor a young ladies (teenagers) group dedicated to Our Lady, the Children of Mary. Young girls of the parish who want to especially participate in the spiritual of this group are invited to join. If you have any questions, please see one of the Sisters.

COVID-19 UPDATE

The Governor is now mandating masks again indoors as covid cases have increased in Oregon. Instead of letting nature plays its course, they are perpetuating this pandemic crisis. Let us pray to St. Joseph to watch over our parish and school during this time.

Father Fullerton requests all the priests and faithful of SSPX to pray Novena to the Immaculate Heart

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Father Fullerton is asking you to use the period from the Vigil of the Assumption (August 14) to the Feast of the Immaculate Heart (August 22) to join in praying a special novena asking the Blessed Virgin Mary for the following intentions:

- to protect the work of the Society of Saint Pius X and the re-flowering of Catholic Tradition throughout the world;
- to grant consolation to all of those wounded by the recent motu proprio, wherever they may be;
- to keep all her children safe in an increasingly chaotic and sinister world.

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Consecration to the Immaculate Heart

O Immaculate Heart of Mary, Mother of the Heart of Jesus, Mother and Queen of our household, in order to fulfill Thy ardent desire, we consecrate ourselves to Thee, and we beseech Thee to reign over our family. Reign over each one of us, and teach us how to make the Sacred Heart of Thy Divine Son reign and triumph in us and around us, as He has reigned and triumphed in Thee. (Continued on next page)

GENERAL CHURCH INFORMATION – Check inside bulletin for any changes.

DAILY ROSARY 6:00pm

Tuesdays - 7:00pm followed by
Devotions for Priests

BENEDICTION

Thursdays - 6:00pm
Sundays - See Front Page

WEEKLY CONFESSIONS

Tuesday – 7:30pm
Saturdays – 8:30am
Sundays – 7:15 am / 9:45 am

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS

Mass – 7:15am & 7:00pm
Holy Hour at 6:00pm
the 7:00pm Mass

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

Mass – 8:00am Sung Mass

BLESSING OF RELIGIOUS ARTICLES:

Blessing of religious articles will be on the
3rd Sunday of the Month after the Mass.



CLEANING ROSTER

August 21st – St. Philomena
August 28th – St. Mary Magdalen

ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

Meeting 3rd Tuesday of month at 7:00pm

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

2nd Sunday of the month

ADULT CATECHISM CLASS

Class starts about 10 minutes after Mass

HIGH SCHOOL CATECHISM

Classes are every Wednesday at 7:30pm

EUCCHARISTIC CRUSADE & CHILDREN OF MARY MEETING

Mondays - 3:15pm to 4:00pm

BAPTISMS: To arrange a Baptism please contact
the prior to set up a date and time.

MARRIAGES: Couples considering Marriage must contact
the prior six months before the wedding '*according to church law*'. Details will then be worked out.

EMERGENCY SICK CALLS: Contact: 832-545-4302

	AUGUST 15 TH SUN	AUGUST 22 ND SUN	AUGUST 29 TH SUN	SEPTEMBER 5 TH
MC	G FAWVER	M SAUCEDO	A MCCOY	M BRUHN
TH	A DEMERS	J SAUCEDO	T MCCOY	W ZACH
AC	J MATAISZ	G SHORT	A MCCOY	S ZACH
AC	S GREEN	T ZACH	W MCCOY	D BRUHN
CB	D MATAISZ	A SHORT	M MCCOY	X STAUFFER
TB	N SULLIVAN	I SOLONIKA	J MCCOY	L MAY
TB	A SULLIVAN	B SAUCEDO	S MCCOY	J ALLEN
TB	R SOLONIKA			
TB	P SOLONIKA			

Reign over us, O Beloved Mother, so that we may be Thine both in prosperity and in adversity, in joy and in sorrow, in health and in sickness, in life and in death. O most compassionate Heart of Mary, Queen of Virgins, watch over our souls and our hearts and preserve them from the flood of pride, impurity, and paganism of which Thou hast complained so bitterly. We desire to do reparation for the numerous crimes committed against Jesus and Thee. We call down upon our home, upon the homes of this country and upon those of the entire world, the peace of Christ in justice and charity.

Wherefore we promise to imitate Thy virtues, by the practice of a Christian life, and by frequent and fervent Holy Communion, regardless of human respect. We come with confidence to Thee, O Throne of Grace and Mother of Fair Love; inflame us with the same divine fire that has inflamed Thine own Immaculate Heart. Kindle in our hearts and homes, the love of purity, an ardent zeal for souls, and desire for the holiness of family life. We accept now, all the sacrifices that the Christian life will impose on us and we offer them to the Heart of Jesus, through Thy Immaculate Heart, in a spirit of reparation and of penance. To the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary be love, honor, and glory forever and ever. Amen.