



# **Fourth Sunday of Lent** **Sunday, March 22, 2020**

## **This Week's Mass Intentions:**

### **Saturday, March 21**

✠ Bob & Jan Gannaway (Debby Bloom)

### **Sunday, March 22: Fourth Sunday of Lent**

✠ Theresa Lorange (Helen Dessen)

Shea Lund (Yolie Turner)

Our Parish Family

### **Tuesday, March 24**

Holy Souls in Purgatory

### **Wednesday, March 25**

✠ Mike & ✠ Rosalind Minkoff (Dolla Farmer)

**9:00 am ~ 6:00pm** – Adoration, <10

**5:00 pm** – Reconciliation

### **Thursday, March 26**

✠ Sr. Lawdean Lamberger (Kitty Munro)

### **Friday, March 27**

✠ Joel Guzman (Goicochea Family)

### **Saturday, March 28**

Gwen & Richard Angstrom (Debby Bloom)

### **Sunday, March 29: Fifth Sunday of Lent**

✠ Theresa Lorange (Helen Dessen)

Shea Lund (Yolie Turner)

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**\*\*Fr. William is celebrating private Mass and praying for you. He will also pray the Mass Intentions above. If you have any prayer requests, you can email them to Fr. William at [frwilliam@stmaryastoria.com](mailto:frwilliam@stmaryastoria.com)\*\***

## *✠ Parish Offertory ✠*

**March 15, 2020**

Hammond:	\$ 846.02
Astoria:	\$ 1,325.25
Online Giving	\$ 750.00
Mail:	\$ 100.00
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$ 3,021.27</b>
 SVDP, Portland Council:	 \$ 575.17

**Thank you for your donations!**

St. Mary, Star of the Sea  
St. Francis de Sales Mission  
1465 Grand Ave  
Astoria, OR 97103  
503-325-3671

## **Saturday, March 21: Hammond Mission**

The Church will be open from 3:30 -4:30 pm this Saturday, for personal prayers, the Rosary, Stations of the Cross, etc., while observing the recommended gathering number of <10 people. Reconciliation with Fr. William will also be available.

## **Fifth Sunday of Lent** **March 29, 2020**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Ezekiel 37:12-14

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** Romans 8:8-11

**Gospel:** John 11:1-45

**EASTER FLOWER OFFERING UPDATE:**  
Thank you to everyone who has made a donation towards flowers for Easter. Due to the cancellation of Masses on Easter, we will use the current donations to purchase flowers for a different day and I will include an insert regarding the names of your loved ones. More details to come at a later date.



## **PRAY THE CHAPLET OF MERCY**

Please, let us all join together in our own homes to pray the Chaplet of Mercy **each and every Friday at 3:00 pm.**

“It is not we alone who pray, nor do we pray by our own strength; nor is it our own indigence we have to give. It is Jesus who prays in us. It is by his infinite merits that we pray, it is of his infinite treasure, his inexhaustible satisfaction.

Prayer can reach where the pen fails to go. He who is faithful in prayer will serve God with fervor. Lord help me love you in the way you deserve to be loved ...

Love is a gift, a gift I earnestly beg for each of one of you, so dearly loved by our Lord ... Let us pray for each other very earnestly ... and beg Jesus with great entreaty to increase our love.”

*Saint Katherine Drexel*



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## **Masses are cancelled:**

St. Mary, Star of the Sea and St. Francis de Sales Mission Masses are cancelled **through April 14th.**

All Parish/Lenten activities (Stations & Soup Dinners, and Wednesdays Prayer & Reflections), Parish Penance Service on 3/26, and Religious Education classes for youth and adults are cancelled too.

## **Las misas están canceladas:**

Las misas en Santa María, Estrella del Mar y San Francisco de Sales la Misión están canceladas **hasta el 14 de abril.**

Todas las actividades de la Parroquia/actividades de la cuaresma (Vía Crucis y Cenas de Sopa, y Los miércoles Oración y Reflexiones), servicio de penitencia parroquial el 3/26, y las clases de educación religiosa para jóvenes y adultos también están canceladas.

## **STAY CONNECTED...**

- The USCCB has posted some excellent resources for in-home prayer and engagement, including links to online Masses, daily readings, prayers, spiritual tips and ideas:  
<https://catholiccurrent.org/covid19/>
- For livestreamed Masses, go to:  
<https://archdpdx.org/live-masses> or  
<https://www.wordonfire.org/daily-mass/>
- Sunday Mar 22: Adoration from 8:30-9:30 am, 10:45 – Noon and from 5-8 pm (with the Knights of Columbus), while observing the recommended gathering number of <10 people.

Please know that Fr. William and the parish staff are praying and thinking of you during this difficult time!

## **You can still support the parish!**

For those of you who that have asked, you may still support the parish by mailing in your donations, dropping it by the office/mail slot or by going to our website and following the steps below. We know that this involves taking an extra step to support the operating of the church, but we really appreciate your efforts and stewardship. Please let us know if you have any questions.

We look forward to seeing everyone in person when Masses begin again.  
God Bless!



## **Signing up for Online Giving is as easy as . . .**

1. Visit your church website at:

[www.stmaryastoria.com](http://www.stmaryastoria.com)

2. Click on the Online Giving link →

3. Create your account



## **† In Remembrance †**

Mary Dolores Layton

*-Please keep Mary and her family in your prayers-*

## **PLEASE NOTE:**

Information from the parish is subject to change as we receive updates from the Archdiocese of Portland.

# *IV Domingo de Cuaresma*

## *Domingo, 22 de marzo del 2020*

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### **¡Aún puedes apoyar a la parroquia!**

Por favor, sepa que el Padre William y el personal de la parroquia están orando y pensando en usted durante este momento difícil.

Para aquellos de ustedes que han estado preguntado, aún pueden apoyar a la parroquia enviando por correo sus donaciones o visitando nuestro sitio web. Sabemos que esto envuelve dar un paso extra más para apoyar a la iglesia, pero realmente apreciamos su apoyo y esfuerzos. Por favor, háganos saber si tiene alguna pregunta.

Esperamos ver a todos en persona cuando las Misas comiencen de nuevo.  
¡Dios los bendiga!



### **MANTENGANSE UNIDOS...**

- La USCCB ha publicado algunos recursos excelentes para la oración y el compromiso en el hogar, incluyendo enlaces a misas en línea, lecturas diarias, oraciones, consejos espirituales e ideas: <https://catholiccurrent.org/covid19/>
- Para misas transmitidas en vivo, vaya a: <https://archdpdx.org/live-masses> o <https://www.wordonfire.org/daily-mass/>
- También los animamos a orar en vuestros hogares el rosario a las 7:00 todas las tardes y el Vía Crucis a las 6:00 de la tarde los viernes.
- El Domingo a la 1:00 de la tarde también estaremos rezando el rosario.

#### **POR FAVOR NOTA:**

La información de la parroquia está sujeta a cambios a medida que recibimos actualizaciones de la Arquidiócesis de Portland.