



Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 26, 2026

Weekend & Weekday Mass Schedule:

Saturday, April 25

4:00 pm, Hammond –† Jon Englund (Mary Jean Englund)

Sunday, April 26

8:30 am – † Don Velder (Darlene Story)

10:30 am – Joanne Corcoran (Linda Sitkowski)

Noon – Our Parish Family

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Tuesday, April 28

8:00 am – † Dick & Betty Jensen (Darlene Story)

Wednesday, April 29

8:00 am – † Jan McMahan (Joe & Jean Herman)

8:40 am – 6:00 pm – *Adoration*

5:00 pm – *Confession*

Thursday, April 30

3:00 pm, Hammond – *Mass is cancelled*
(Fr. William will be at training)

Friday, May 1

8:00 am – Thomas & Carl Larkin (Fr. William)

Saturday, May 2

4:00 pm, Hammond –† Jon Englund (Geary & Miller)

Sunday, May 3

8:30 am – † Fr. David Janes (Our Parish)

10:30 am – Our Parish Family

Noon – Frances Farris (Your Family)

♦ Parish Offertory ♦

Sunday, April 19, 2026

Hammond:	755.00
Astoria:	2263.02
Mail:	200.00
Online:	354.50
Total:	\$3,572.52

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†Liturgy: The Work of the Church†

April 26, 2026

We will use the Week 4 schedule:

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

4:00 pm @ Hammond – Debby Bloom

8:30 am – Riley Keown

10:30 am – Dan Sitkowski

Lectors:

4:00 pm @ Hammond – Anita Decker

8:30 am – Ed Johnson

10:30 am – Ellen Kachel-Bewley

Altar Servers:

Noon – Diana Alejo, Aaron Perez Garcia,
Ruth Perez Garcia, Angel Merino Lucas

†Liturgy: The Work of the Church†

May 3, 2026

We will use the Week 1 schedule:

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

4:00 pm @ Hammond – Joyce Hill

8:30 am – Ralph Mansfield

10:30 am – Joyce Hill

Lectors:

4:00 pm @ Hammond – Carol Farris

8:30 am – Dan Zills

10:30 am – Nancy Giasson

Altar Servers:

Noon – Ana Alejo, Gabriel Ortuno Bermudez,
Angel Velasco Uribe, Angel Perez Garcia

Fifth Sunday of Easter

May 3rd, 2026

1st Reading: Acts 6:1-7

2nd Reading: 1 Peter 2:4-9

Gospel: John 14:1-12





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Today, we celebrate “Good Shepherd Sunday” where we reflect on Jesus ‘care and love for us and hear his words, “I came so that they may have life and have it more abundantly.”

By your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you will reveal the love of the “Good Shepherd” to your suffering brothers and sisters.

Pantry needs for the month of April:

Chili, Paper Towels, TP

Food Pantry hours:

TUESDAY's 1PM – 3PM ... FRIDAY's 10AM – NOON

For additional information:

call (503) 325-2007 or email stvdp.astoria@gmail.com

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PRAYER INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER ENTRUSTED TO HIS WORLDWIDE PRAYER NETWORK FOR THE YEAR 2026

April

For priests in crisis.

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.



Welcome to our Parish Family!

¡Bienvenidos a nuestra Familia Parroquial!

♦ Philip Suarez ♦

2026 Parish Directory

I am currently working on an updated copy of our parish directory that will include email addresses. **Please let me know if you have moved, changed your telephone number, or have a new email address by May 15th.** I hope to have the directory ready by the beginning of June.

CDA Baby Shower **Sunday, May 3**

Last year we gave out 67 layettes for mothers in need to Providence Hospital in Seaside, CMH, & Astoria Birthing Center. Each Layette consists of diapers, onesies, one outfit, one large blanket, receiving blankets, burp cloths, & bibs. All items are size “newborn” or “zero to 3 months”.

Thank you for your support in the past and in advance for anything you would like to donate this year.



The Catholic Daughters will be holding a bake sale on Sunday, May 3rd after all Masses

The Knights of Columbus will be serving breakfast Sunday, May 3rd after the 8:30 and 10:30 Masses



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Catholic Daughters Scholarships



Scholarship applications are available in the parish office for high school seniors. The completed forms need to be returned to the office by Tuesday, May 27th and will be awarded on “Senior Sunday”. Please address any questions to Margie Jones: (425) 760-3683

Knights of Columbus Scholarships



Knights of Columbus Council #1307 will be providing scholarships to our graduating seniors to help with college expenses. Scholarship applications are available in the parish office. The deadline for scholarship applications is May 20th. For more information contact Grand Knight Ray Prom, promray58@gmail.com

Sunday Connection

Sunday, April 26, 2026

Gospel Reading

John 10:1-10

Jesus is the gate for his sheep.

Family Connection

Even though we have less experience with sheep and shepherds today in our society, we can still identify strongly with the image of Jesus as the Good Shepherd and as the gate for the sheep. Psalm 23 remains a popular and favorite psalm for prayer. In the image of the Good Shepherd, we know ourselves to be protected and cared for by a loving God.

As your family gathers, ask what each person knows about sheep and shepherds. Recall that shepherds and sheep have a close relationship. Sheep will only follow their own shepherd; they recognize his voice and will not follow a stranger. The shepherd's job is to protect his sheep. In some ways, the relationship between the shepherd and his sheep is like that of a parent and child. Read together this Sunday's Gospel, John 10:1-10. Talk about how Jesus tells us that he is the gate for the sheep. The sheep enter the protection of the sheepfold through the gate. In Jesus we find protection and abundant life. Conclude by thanking Jesus for being our Good Shepherd and by praying today's psalm, Psalm 23.

<https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/fourth-sunday-of-easter-cycle-a-sunday-connection/>



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3:30 pm Confession
4:00 pm Mass

WEEKDAY MASS

3:00 pm Thursday

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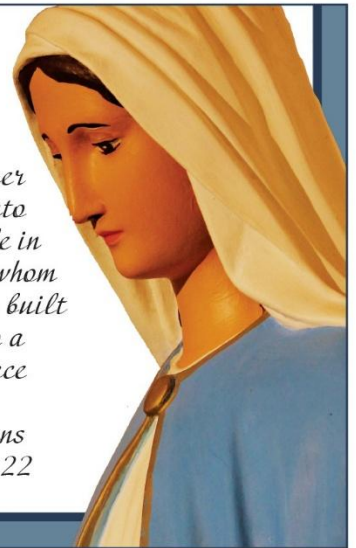
First Saturday 3:00 pm

WELCOME!

Our Mission is to build a Roman Catholic faith community. As a sacramental people, we foster the spiritual growth and attend to the social needs of all through prayer, liturgy, education and service.

"In him the whole building is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together into a dwelling place for God."

*~Ephesians
2:21-22*



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SACRAMENTS

**PENANCE/
RECONCILIATION:**

St. Mary:
Wednesday 5:00 pm
First Tuesday 8:40 am
or by appt.

St. Francis:
Saturday 3:30 pm

**CALL THE PARISH
FOR THE FOLLOWING:**

Baptism: You must be registered and active members in the parish for a minimum of 6 months and a Baptism preparation class is required.

Anointing of the Sick: Any Catholic can receive this Sacrament. If you or someone you know is hospitalized, homebound, or having a major medical procedure, please call the parish office.

Marriage: Notification is needed at least 6 months prior to your prospective wedding date. Also, to receive information about the marriage prep process and engaged weekends.

**EVANGELIZATION
& ADULT FAITH
FORMATION**

OCIA: Have you ever been interested in learning the Catholic faith, prayer life, and liturgical celebrations? Or, are you Catholic (active or inactive) and thinking about strengthening your faith? Please join Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA). Call the parish office for more information.

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