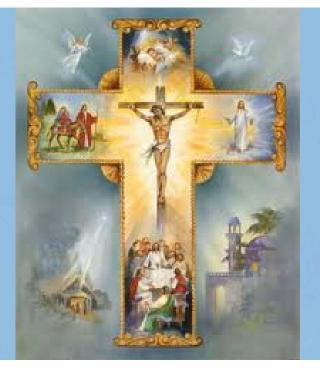


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The Exaltation of The Holy Cross
September 14, 2025



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# **WEEKLY HOLY MASS SCHEDULE**

Weekdays 8:00am Thursday, 6:00pm (Spanish)

Weekends First Saturday 8:00am Saturday Vigil 5:00pm Sunday 8:00am and 10:00am Noon (Spanish)

Confessions Thursday 4:00pm-5:30pm Saturday 3:00pm-4:30pm or by appointment

## **ROSARY**

Rosary recited before all weekday and First Saturday Masses at 7:25am. Respect for Life Rosary recited on the 22nd of each month

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# September 14, 2025, The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

First Reading: Numbers 21:4b-9

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38

Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11

Gospel: John 3:13-17: For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might

not perish but might have eternal life.

#### **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, September 13
5pm +Pat Carpenter

Sunday, September 14
8am All Parishioners
10am +Luke Aufmuth
Noon +Jesus & Trinidad Castaneda

Monday, September 15 8am St. Vincent de Paul Volunteers 8am JoAnn & Roger Rau

> Tuesday, September 16 8am Michael Palmer

Wednesday, September 17
8am JoAnn Rau
10am +Laurel Minder

Thursday, September 18
8am +Linda Bolf
6pm +Guadalupe Gutierrez &
Isauro Saldana

Friday, September 19 8am All Souls in Purgatory

#### Week of September 7, 2025

Offertory Collected \$10,687.00
Building Fund \$645.00
Building Fund Total \$466,462.00
Weekly Need \$15,750.00
New Mortgage Balance is \$869,351.61
"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace."

1 Peter 4:10



40 Days for Life 2025 Fall Campaign
Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup> through Sunday,
November 2nd
40 Days for Life is a Peaceful and Prayerful (along
with fasting) presence
in front of Planned Parenthood.

Sign up on the Central Oregon Right to Life website:
CentralOregonRighttoLife.Org
Contact:

40 Days for Life in Bend, Oregon: Organized by Central Oregon Right to Life
E-mail: 40DaysforLifeinBendOregon@Gmail.com
Phone: (541) 306-5531

#### Semana del Septiembre 7 de 2025

Ofertorio recaudado \$10,687.00 Fondo de deudas \$645.00 Total recaudado de Deuda \$466,462.00 Necesidad Semanal \$15,750.00 El saldo de la nueva hipoteca es de \$869,351.61

"Según cada uno haya recibido un don, utilícelo para servirse unos a otros como buenos administradores de la variada gracia de Dios". 1 Pedro 4:10

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# **Donuts & Coffee!**

Please join us for Donuts and Coffee after 8 & 10am Mass in the Side Vestibule. on September 14th & 28<sup>th</sup>.

# St. Thomas Bible Study

Bible study starts in September!
Daytime: Weds, Sept 24<sup>th</sup> at 930am
Evenings: Thursday Sept 25<sup>th</sup> at 7pm
Pick up a flyer for information to sign up!

Festival St. Thomas

Hispanic Ministry Fundraiser- this Sunday,

September 14<sup>th</sup> from 9am-3pm.

"Kermes" is a fundraiser with many types of food for sale. Half of the proceeds will go to the Building Fund and half will go to the Hispanic Ministry Fund. Go early to get some delicious food, last year was so successful they sold out!!

## St. Thomas Book Club



Pope Francis Hope; The Autobiography
Discussion Date: September 16th
at 630pm in the Church
Side Vestibule.

Questions: Contact Joe at 503-887-2939

# WorldWide MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

In today's first reading the Israelites lost patience. Renew your patience with your spouse by attending the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on;

December 12-14, 2025 in Beaverton, Oregon.

To apply for your WWME Experience or search other dates go to rediscoverthespark.org. For information about WWME call 503-704-0836 or by email at reservations@rediscoverthespark.org

# St. Thomas Student Choir



Calling all students - The choir is open to students 3<sup>rd</sup> grade thru 12<sup>th</sup> grade!! Practice Time: Tuesdays 4:30-5:15

Place: St. Thomas, in the Church First Meeting: Tuesday, September 16<sup>th</sup> -All parents and students attend 1<sup>st</sup> meeting

This choir will be singing at the 10am Mass every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday.

Any Questions: Please email Suzanne at jsyeakey@gmail.com



# St. Thomas Religious

Enrollment

# **DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS 9/18/25**

It's time to register for Religious Education classes for the 2025-2026 year! This year ALL classes will be held on Wednesdays beginning October 1st. Please pick up a registration form located on the table in the church. We are looking forward to an awesome year!

- Faith Formation Wednesdays 3:30-5pm
   Kindergarten-5th grade
- Sacrament Classes- Wednesdays (1st Holy Communion, Confirmation) 4-5 pm
  - To be eligible for sacrament classes, students need to have completed a full year of Faith Formation last year OR attended a Catholic School last year.
- Youth Group- 6th grade-12th grade-Wednesdays 6:00-7:20pm

#### **VOLUNTEERS WANTED:**

We are recruiting volunteers to help with Religious Education K-5<sup>th</sup> and Youth Group this year.

If you love our faith, enjoy kids and are curious about volunteering, please give Rocio a call @ 541-923-3390 ext. 208.



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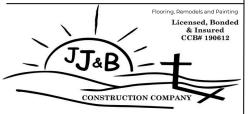
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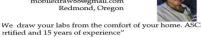
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