

# Prince of Peace Parish

Lewiston, Maine

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD  
JANUARY 1, 2012

## Parish Churches

### **Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul**

122 Ash Street, Lewiston

### **Holy Cross Church**

1080 Lisbon Street, Lewiston

### **Holy Family Church**

607 Sabattus Street, Lewiston

## Other Cluster Churches

### **Holy Trinity Church**

67 Frost Hill Avenue, Lisbon Falls

### **Our Lady of the Rosary**

131 High Street, Sabattus

### **St. Francis Mission (summer only)**

Route 202, Greene

### **Roman Catholic Diocese of Portland**

[www.portlanddiocese.org](http://www.portlanddiocese.org)

### **Maine Catholic Radio FM: WXTP – 106.7**

[www.thepresence.fm](http://www.thepresence.fm)

### **Prince of Peace Parish**

[www.princeofpeace.me](http://www.princeofpeace.me)

## Lord's Day Masses

### SATURDAY

**4:00 pm**

Basilica Chapel (French)  
Holy Cross  
Holy Family  
Holy Trinity

**5:30 pm**

Basilica Chapel

**7:00 pm**

Basilica Chapel (Spanish)

### SUNDAY

**7:30 am**

Our Lady of the Rosary

**8:00 am**

Basilica Church (Latin)

**8:30 am**

Holy Cross  
Holy Family

**9:00 am**

Our Lady of the Rosary

**10:00 am**

Basilica Church

**10:30 am**

Holy Trinity

**11:00 am**

Holy Family  
(Children's Liturgy of the Word)

**5:00 pm**

Holy Family  
(Youth & Young Adult)

## PARISH INFORMATION

### Parish Office

16 Ste. Croix Street, Lewiston, ME 04240  
 PO Box 1540, Lewiston, ME 04241-1540  
 Telephone: 207.777.1200 / Fax: 207.786.9223  
[www.princeofpeace.me](http://www.princeofpeace.me) / [PoP@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:PoP@portlanddiocese.org)

### Office Hours

Monday thru Thursday 8:30 am-5:00 pm - CLOSED FRIDAYS



**Rev. Msgr. Marc Caron**  
 Pastor & Rector  
 of the Basilica - Ext. 221



**Fr. Nathan March**  
 Parochial Vicar  
 Ext. 207



**Bro. Irénée Richard, OP**  
 Deacon

|                             |                                      |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Pat Gavula, Ext. 234        | Pastoral Life Coordinator            |
| Gilbert LaPointe, Ext. 213  | Business Manager                     |
| Matt Rochette, Ext. 220     | Outreach Coordinator                 |
| John Rossignol, Ext. 209    | Finance                              |
| Don Smith, Ext. 219         | Director of Faith Formation          |
| Gerald Tanguay              | Maintenance Supervisor               |
| Claire Therriault, Ext. 201 | Receptionist                         |
| Wendy Therrien, Ext. 210    | Office Manager                       |
| Sue Tuttle, Ext. 215        | Bookkeeping / Mount Hope Cemetery    |
| Mike Tyne, Ext. 211         | Pastoral Care of the Sick & Bereaved |
| Scott Vaillancourt          | Director of Music                    |

### Parish Cemetery - Mount Hope Cemetery

Mt. Hope Avenue, Lewiston, ME 04240  
 207-777-1200

[MountHopeCemetery@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:MountHopeCemetery@portlanddiocese.org)

Gates Open: 8:00 am to Sunset 7 Days a Week



### Prince of Peace Parish Library

Location: Basement of the Parish Office  
 Monday thru Thursday - 8:30 am to 5:00 pm  
 After hours by appointment.

Jean Paul Labonte 946-4806 / Mark Labonte 576-4999



### Do you have a family member or friend who is no longer able to come to Mass?

To arrange for a Minister of Communion to bring the Eucharist to them in their private home or Lewiston nursing home, please contact Mike Tyne at the Parish Office at 207-777-1200.

### PRINCE OF PEACE PARISH REGISTRATION / UPDATE FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ New Registration      \_\_\_\_ Change of Address

\_\_\_\_ Want Envelopes      \_\_\_\_ Moving out of Parish

Complete form and drop in collection basket or mail to:  
 Prince of Peace Parish, P.O. Box 1540, Lewiston, ME 04241-1540

To temporarily stop envelopes while you are away:

Departure: \_\_\_\_\_ Return: \_\_\_\_\_

## DIOCESAN INFORMATION

### Roman Catholic Diocese of Portland

[www.portlanddiocese.org](http://www.portlanddiocese.org)  
 510 Ocean Avenue, Portland, ME 04104  
 PO Box 11559, Portland, ME 04104  
 Telephone: 207.773.6471 / Fax: 207.773.0182



### St. Peter's Cemetery

Switzerland Road, Lewiston, ME 04240

207-782-8721

[gerard.raymond@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:gerard.raymond@portlanddiocese.org)

Cemetery Gates Open: 7:00 am to Sunset 7 Days a Week

### St. Dominic Academy

The Diocesan Pre-K - 12 School of Maine  
 "Where Integrity, Community, and Excellence Thrive"

Grades Pre-K - 6: 17 Baird Avenue, Lewiston

207-783-9323

Grades 7-12: 121 Gracelawn Road, Auburn

207-782-6911

"A PROUD PAST, AN EXCITING FUTURE"



### 106.7 THE PRESENCE

The Presence is heard at 106.7 FM in Greater Portland & Lewiston-Auburn, on line at [www.thepresence.fm](http://www.thepresence.fm) and on smartphones through the Tune In app.



St. Martin de Porres

### St. Martin de Porres Residence, Inc.

23 Bartlett Street, Lewiston, ME 04240

P.O. Box 7227, Lewiston, ME 04243-7227

Adult Homeless Residence for Men & Women  
 Contact with shelter is by referral only.

207-786-4690

## BULLETIN SUBMISSION DEADLINES

|                           |                             |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>Bulletin Date</b>      | <b>Submission Deadline</b>  |
| <b>Sunday, January 15</b> | <b>Thursday, January 5</b>  |
| <b>Sunday, January 22</b> | <b>Thursday, January 12</b> |

E-mail submissions to: [PoP@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:PoP@portlanddiocese.org)

### Sacramental Information - Contact Parish Office

- Baptismal preparation and scheduling.
- To learn about the Catholic faith/Rite of Christian initiation.
- Religious education for children and young adults with disabilities (SPRED).
- Marriage preparation: Please schedule an appointment at least 6 months before the wedding.
- Sacrament of the Sick: In case of an emergency, please note that a priest is on call at both hospitals.
- Homebound or hospitalized parishioners who wish to receive the sacraments or be visited.



Dear Parishioners:

**Happy New Year!** We take this opportunity to wish each other all the best in the coming year. We pray for the blessings of health and happiness for all those who are dear to us. The turning of the year reminds us all the degree to which we are blessed by God in many ways. We are grateful to God for all these blessings.

Many thanks to everyone who donated for **Christmas flowers** in memory of loved ones. The response was very, very strong. This allows us to meet all the many expenses that come with preparing our churches for all the Christmas celebrations we had.

Also many thanks to those who donated to Fr. Marc Boisvert's orphanage in **Haiti**. What a beautiful Christmas gift the parish was able to make to the children being served there! You will find a financial report of that effort in this bulletin. Your generosity is being multiplied nine times thanks the generosity of a charitable foundation. This will make an incredible impact for good, especially for those children who lost both parents in the earthquake in January, 2010. Thank you.

You may have noticed television ads running in the last few weeks. They are entitled **"Catholics Come Home."** They are being shown on a national basis thanks to the generosity of a Catholic charitable foundation. It is expected that millions of people in every state will see these ads over the next few weeks. I hope that the ads will touch the hearts of some of the people living in our community and that they will want to know more about following Jesus. As part of this effort, you will receive an invitation card at the end of Mass next weekend. You are encourage to hand on this invitation card to someone who is not practicing the faith or who has no faith. It is an easy way to encourage them to meet Christ in the Catholic Church.

God bless,

Msgr. Marc Caron, Pastor

**MEMORIAL OPPORTUNITY**

Offer a copy of the new English Missal for Mass in memory of a loved one. The donation per book is \$75 or \$100 depending on the edition you select. You can examine the three different editions in the parish office at 16 Ste. Croix Street, Monday through Thursday, 8:30 am to 5:00 pm. A dedicatory inscription in each book will indicate the loved one you wish to remember and the party who made the donation in their memory. These books will be used at every Mass in our churches for years to come. The memorial inscriptions in each book are another way of remembering our faithful departed.

**Parish Support**

Totals for the Weekend of December 24/25 will be reported in next week's Bulletin due to the New Year's Day publishing deadline.



**Fuel and Snow Removal Second Collection Weekend of January 7/8**

The Fuel and Snow Removal Second Collection is next weekend, January 7/8. Thank you for your continued generous assistance with our heating and snow removal bills.

**NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK**

January 9-14, 2012

The week of January 9-14 is National Vocation Awareness Week. It begins with the feast of the Baptism of the Lord on Sunday, January 8. You are invited to renew your baptismal commitment and to pray for a strengthening of all vocations.

**Prayer for Vocations**

God of Love,  
You call us to live in your love through the grace of our baptism.

Bless us with the courage to carry out the mission of Jesus.  
Grant us open and generous hearts to see the needs of others and to respond with compassion.

May the Church be blest with women and men who are dedicated to you through marriage, the single life, the diaconate, priesthood, and the consecrated life.

It is in Christ and through Christ that we offer ourselves to you now and forever. Amen.



Like us on **Facebook**

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**PRINCE OF PEACE PARISH IS NOW ON BOTH TWITTER AND FACEBOOK.**

Did you know that you can now follow Prince of Peace Parish on Twitter and Facebook? We encourage you to follow us as an effective way of keeping up with important news and events regarding our parish. You can follow Prince of Peace on Facebook and Twitter by clicking on the icons on our website, [www.princeofpeace.me](http://www.princeofpeace.me). We encourage responsible and appropriate use of social networking.

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED**

Monday, January 2  
in observance of New Year's Day



**Weekday Masses - Basilica Chapel**

Basilica Chapel is open for prayer 7:00 am - 5:00 pm Monday - Friday.

**MONDAY, JANUARY 2**

7:00 am Fernand "Pete" Lessard by his wife Jeanne & family

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 3**

7:00 am Fr. Larry Laplante by his family

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4**

7:00 am Juliette & Mark Dostie by the family

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 5**

7:00 am Reggie Parent by Carmelle Laplante

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 6**

7:00 am Jesse J. Thomas by Ken Akerley

**Mass is celebrated at 9:30 am Monday - Friday in the d'Youville Pavilion Chapel. The Chapel is accessible from the main lobby of d'Youville Pavilion.**

*The following Masses will be said in private by retired or parish priests at the Holy Family Rectory Chapel during the week beginning Sunday, January 1, 2012:*

- John & Sarah Chisholm by Bruce & Mora LePage
- Carla Brown by Thomas & Veronica Hattrup
- In honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help for my daughter, Gloria, by Lorraine Levesque
- Richard P. Gagnon by his wife Lily
- Regina Perron by Mr. & Mrs. Gerard Roy
- Souls in Purgatory by Mr. & Mrs. Patrick Chasse
- Joan Cloutier by her family
- Mr. Paul Caron by Paul & Fern Colon
- Mr. & Mrs. Langelier & Simone Albert by Therese Blessed Mother for a favor obtained by Patrick Chasse
- Carla Brown by the Segovia family
- H&S** Sandy & Ed Supik by William Lawson
- H&S** Doris Matthews by her family
- In honor of Our Lady of Sorrows for the Souls in Purgatory by Lorraine Levesque



**H&S** represents a Mass or an intention for the health and salvation of a living person.

**Sanctuary candles burn this week in memory of:**

- Basilica Chapel:** H&S Doris Matthews for her health intentions
- Holy Family Church:** Roland Michel by Bernice & Susan Michel
- Holy Cross Church:** Larry Brillant by his daughter Marie
- Holy Cross Chapel:** Dominic Roux by his wife, Lou & sons Ron & Mike
- Holy Cross Chapel:** Robert LeClair Jr. by his family



**Lord's Day Masses**

**Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 7**

4:00 pm (French) Fernande Rodrique by the family (1st Anniversary)

5:30 pm Marcelle Comeau by Paul & Helen Lauziere

7:00 pm (Spanish) For the People of Prince of Peace Parish

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 8**

8:00 am (Latin) Rena Bérubé by her parents Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Berube

10:00 am Robert B. Clark by his family & friends

**Holy Cross Church**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 7**

4:00 pm Muriel Berube by the family

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 8**

8:30 am Jeannette Laliberte by the estate

**Holy Family Church**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 7**

4:00 pm Simone Albert by her sister Therese Langelier (1st Anniversary)

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 8**

8:30 am Robert Laplante by Mr. & Mrs. Jason Laplante & grandchildren Xavier & Zoe (1st Anniversary)

11:00 am Christiane Veilleux by her family (1st Anniversary)

5:00 pm Yvonne Brisson by Mr. & Mrs. Roger Gagnon, Claire Gagnon, Rachel Turgeon & Mr. & Mrs. Paul Turgeon

**Oak Park Apartments**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 7**

4:00 pm Germaine Paradis by daughter Muguette Landry



**Pray the Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

- ✠ Basilica Chapel at 6:30 am Monday through Friday.
- ✠ Holy Cross Rivier Adoration Chapel at 10:00 am Monday through Saturday and 6:30 pm on Monday.
- ✠ Holy Cross Church at 3:30 pm Saturday.
- ✠ Holy Family Church at 7:45 am and 10:30 am Sunday.



**To Request a Mass Intention or Sanctuary Candle**

Please come in person to the Parish Office at 16 Ste. Croix Street, Lewiston, during regular office hours (Monday through Thursday, 8:30 am to 5:00 pm, except holidays) to request a Mass intention or sanctuary candle. The Parish Office is the **only** location where these requests are accepted.

The Masses requested at 16 Ste. Croix Street can be celebrated at the Basilica Church or Chapel, Holy Cross Church, Holy Family Church, or Rectory Chapel. The usual offering for a Mass intention is \$10.

The sanctuary candles requested at 16 Ste. Croix Street can be burned at the Basilica Church or Chapel, Holy Cross Church, Holy Cross Rivier Chapel, or Holy Family Church. The offering for a 7-day candle is \$10.



**OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

Maurice Laurendeau  
Monique Giard  
Olivette Beaudette  
Rachel McNally

**CONFESSIONS**

**Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation**



|            |         |                    |
|------------|---------|--------------------|
| Wednesdays | 4:00 pm | Basilica Chapel    |
| Fridays    | 4:00 pm | Basilica Chapel    |
| Saturdays  | 3:00 pm | Basilica Chapel    |
|            |         | Holy Cross Church  |
|            |         | Holy Family Church |



**Readings for the Week of January 1, 2012**

Sunday: Nm 6:22-27/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21  
 Monday: 1 Jn 2:22-28/Jn 1:19-28  
 Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:29--3:6/Jn 1:29-34  
 Wednesday: 1 Jn 3:7-10/Jn 1:35-42  
 Thursday: 1 Jn 3:11-21/Jn 1:43-51  
 Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13/Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-38 or 3:23, 31-34, 36, 38  
 Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21/Jn 2:1-11  
 Next Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

*The shepherds went in haste to Bethlehem and found Mary and Joseph, and the infant lying in the manger. When they saw this, they made known the message that had been told them about this child. — Lk 2:16-17*

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT  
HOLY CROSS RIVIER CHAPEL**

|           |                           |
|-----------|---------------------------|
| Sunday    | 2:00 pm- 9:00 pm          |
| Monday    | 8:00 am- 11:00 pm         |
| Tuesday   | 8:00 am- 11:00 pm         |
| Wednesday | 8:00 am- 11:00 pm         |
| Thursday  | 8:00 am - 11:59 pm        |
| Friday    | 12:00 midnight - 11:59 pm |
| Saturday  | 12:00 midnight - 3:00 pm  |



**GUARDIANS NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING HOURS:**

|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| Sunday    | 4:00 pm                                       |
| Tuesday   | 9:00 am, 12:00 noon & 6:00 pm                 |
| Wednesday | 11:00 am, 5:00 pm & 7:00 pm                   |
| Friday    | 3:00 am, 4:00 am, 5:00 am, 4:00 pm & 10:00 pm |
| Saturday  | 1:00 pm (2 people)                            |



**“Come and behold him, born the King of angels;  
O come let us adore him, Christ, the Lord!”**

**Storm Policy:** If Lewiston schools are closed due to inclement weather, Adoration will be closed until 4:00 pm or, if at that time conditions warrant further evaluation, Adoration Coordinators will decide when Adoration will resume. Adoration will also be canceled for the duration of any parking ban in Lewiston.

For more information or to sign up for an hour, call:  
Connie 784-2180, Margaret 783-0534 or Veronica 784-6317

The Baird Street Chapel door is locked at 10:00 pm.  
To access adoration after 10:00 pm, ring the outside doorbell.

**“María guardaba todas estas cosas y las meditaba en su corazón.”  
~ Lucas 2, 16-21**

La lectura de hoy habla de los pastores humildes que fueron en búsqueda del niño recién nacido que fue anunciado a ellos por los ángeles. Los pastores de esos tiempos pasaban muchas adversidades y alienación y seguramente algunas veces se habían preguntado, “¿Dónde está Dios?”. Ellos fueron los primeros en recibir la Palabra y contemplaron el nacimiento con entusiasmo incomparable. La actitud de María también es un modelo de la contemplación para nosotros. Ella guardaba todo lo sucedido en su corazón, y seguramente todos estos acontecimientos guardados la alentaban en los momentos difíciles de su vida. Todos nosotros somos, de alguna manera, buscadores de Dios y el camino de nuestra peregrinación tiene sus altos y sus bajos. Algunas veces podemos tener preguntas o dudas sobre la presencia de Dios, pero con nuestro bautismo, estamos incorporados en una comunidad que apoya nuestra búsqueda con sus oraciones y fe. El Dios que buscamos nos promete estar con nosotros en nuestra búsqueda.

- ✠ Si reflexiono un momento acerca del Niño Dios, ¿qué me revela del amor que Dios siente por nosotros?
- ✠ Cómo busco yo a Dios en mi vida? ¿Soy capaz de encontrar a Dios en todas las cosas?

Misa en Español: Todos los sábados a las 7:00 pm en la Capilla de Saints Peter and Paul (Entrada por Bartlett Street).

Catequesis para Niños: Todos los sábados 10:00 am en la Iglesia St. Philip, Auburn.

Para consultas: Rosario Starratt 207-312-4716



**LIFE TEEN** Life Teen meets Sundays from 6:00-7:30 pm at Holy Family Church Hall immediately after the 5:00 pm Youth/Young Adult Mass. Dinner is provided each week. Everyone in Grades 9-12 is invited to attend.

Life Teen Schedule

1/1 **NO MEETING - Happy New Year!**

1/8 **Entombed: The Death of Christ**

1/14 (Sat.) **Hands Around the Capitol & Youth Rally - Augusta**

1/15 **NO MEETING**

**EDGE** EDGE meets Sundays from 6:00-7:30 pm at Holy Family Church Hall immediately after the 5:00 pm Youth/Young Adult Mass. Dinner is provided each week. Everyone in Grades 6-8 is invited to attend.

EDGE Schedule

1/1 **NO MEETING - Happy New Year!**

1/8 **Issue Night: Abortion**

1/14 (Sat.) **Hands Around the Capitol & Youth Rally - Augusta**

1/15 **NO MEETING**

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



**HANDS AROUND THE CAPITOL  
YOUTH RALLY 2012 - Augusta  
Saturday, January 14, 2012  
For 6th-12th Graders**

10:00 am Mass with Bishop Malone  
11:00 am Maine Right to Life Rally  
12:15 pm March to the Capitol  
1:00-4:00 pm Youth Rally

FMI: Matt Rochette or Don Smith 777-1200

**PLEASE JOIN US!  
HANDS AROUND THE CAPITOL  
SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 2012  
AUGUSTA  
39TH ANNIVERSARY OF ROE V. WADE**

The Maine Right to Life Committee will hold its annual Hands Around the Capitol Rally and March on Saturday, January 14, at St. Michael's Gym, 56 Sewall Street in Augusta. This event is where we publicly recognize and mourn the Supreme Court decision of *Roe v. Wade*, while providing an intense impact on those who witness our solemn march. This year marks the 39th Memorial of *Roe v. Wade*. Since *Roe v. Wade* was enacted, over 54 MILLION innocent, precious babies have been aborted in our nation.

Maine Right to Life Committee  
P.O. Box 257, Auburn, ME 04212 (207) 782-0101  
e-mail: [mrlc@MaineRightToLife.com](mailto:mrlc@MaineRightToLife.com)  
website: [www.MaineRightToLife.com](http://www.MaineRightToLife.com)



**Holy Cross Knights of Columbus Bean Supper  
Saturday, January 7 - 4:00-6:00 pm  
Holy Cross Church Hall**

Thank you to everyone who supported our December bean supper. Congratulations to David Linehan who won the 50/50 raffle (\$93.50) and Al Audet who won the two complimentary Bean Supper tickets! Prices are \$8 for adults and \$4 ages 12 and under. Bring a friend and bring a smile! We also have take out!



**JINGLE JANGLE CARD CLUB  
STARTING AGAIN IN JANUARY!**

Adults, all ages, are welcome to come to the Holy Cross Senior Hall to learn a new card game Monday afternoons from 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm starting January 9. Just bring a deck of cards, \$2.50 (\$2.00 in dimes and 50¢ in quarters), a beverage (no alcohol), many friends, and (most important) a great big SMILE!

FMI: Simonne Paul 784-7322

**JOIN THE PARISH 300 CLUB!**

The \$1,000 winner of the 300 Club for December was Jackie Deschesnes with No. 237. Congratulations, Jackie!

The 300 Club was begun several years ago by the Holy Cross Seniors. Everyone is eligible to participate. When the full quota of 300 members is reached, the Club is able to pay the monthly winner \$1,000 and make a donation of \$500 to the parish in that month.

The cost to join is \$30 for six months or \$60 per year. If you are interested in joining, please call Carmelle Laplante at 782-9508. Your participation is greatly appreciated.



The St. Ann Sodality of the Holy Family Church-Prince of Peace Parish wish to THANK all of the parishioners for their generous donations for the Giving Tree. It was truly an overwhelming response! Bless you all for such generosity and thoughtfulness.

The Holy Cross Social Justice and Peace Commission and Knights of Columbus Council 12,652 would like to thank all the parishioners for their generosity this Christmas Season. We were able to provide Christmas gifts to 95 families.

**Fundraiser for Fr. Marc Boisvert's Orphanage in Haiti**

Thank you to all who participated in the fundraiser for Fr. Marc Boisvert's orphanage, Free the Kids! We were able to raise a total of \$8,200.14, which will provide their clinic with \$82,001.40 of much needed medical supplies. Thank you for your generosity!!



**Sunday, January 1**

|          |                                |                         |
|----------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 9:00 am  | Children's Choir Rehearsal     | Basilica Small Hall     |
| 9:15 am  | 10:00 am Choir Rehearsal       | Basilica                |
| 9:45 am  | Faith Formation                | NO CLASSES              |
| 11:00 am | Children's Liturgy of the Word | HF Hall                 |
| 11:00 am | Faith Formation                | Basilica DCR & SSPP Rm. |
| 4:00 pm  | 5:00 pm Mass Choir Rehearsal   | HF                      |
| 6:00 pm  | Life Teen/EDGE                 | NO MEETINGS             |

**Monday, January 2**

|         |                     |               |
|---------|---------------------|---------------|
| 6:00 pm | Faith Formation     | NO CLASSES    |
| 6:00 pm | HC Choir Practice   | HC            |
| 6:00 pm | Kairos              | Basilica DCR  |
| 6:30 pm | Boy Scout Troop 160 | Basilica Hall |

**Tuesday, January 3**

|         |                         |                   |
|---------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 6:00 pm | Cub Scout Pack 116      | HC Hall           |
| 6:00 pm | Lay Carmelite Formation | Basilica SSPP Rm. |

**Wednesday, January 4**

|         |                               |                                   |
|---------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 4:00 pm | Confessions                   | Basilica Chapel                   |
| 6:00 pm | Scout Troop 160 Leader Mtg.   | Basilica SSPP Rm.                 |
| 6:00 pm | SPRED                         | Sacred Heart Church Hall - Auburn |
| 7:00 pm | 10:00 am Mass Choir Rehearsal | Basilica Small Hall               |
| 7:00 pm | 11:00 am Mass Choir Rehearsal | HF Church                         |

**Thursday, January 5**

|         |                              |                       |
|---------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 6:30 pm | Dead Theologians Society     | Basilica Choir Chapel |
| 6:30 pm | 8:30 am Mass Choir Rehearsal | HF Church             |
| 6:30 pm | Paraclete Prayer Group       | HF Hall-St. Agnes Rm. |
| 6:30 pm | Boy Scout Troop 116          | HC Hall               |
| 7:00 pm | Schola Choir Rehearsal       | Basilica Small Hall   |

**Friday, January 6**

|         |             |                 |
|---------|-------------|-----------------|
| 4:00 pm | Confessions | Basilica Chapel |
|---------|-------------|-----------------|

**Saturday, January 7**

|         |                              |                           |
|---------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 9:00 am | Marriage Preparation Program | HF Hall                   |
| 3:00 pm | Confessions                  | Basilica Chapel, HF, & HC |
| 4:00 pm | HC KC Bean Supper            | HC Hall                   |
| 6:00 pm | AA Hope Group                | HF Hall                   |
| 8:00 pm | Spanish Mass Reception       | Basilica DCR & SSPP Rm.   |


**Sunday, January 8**

|          |                                   |                         |
|----------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 9:00 am  | Children's Choir Rehearsal        | Basilica Small Hall     |
| 9:15 am  | 10:00 am Choir Rehearsal          | Basilica                |
| 9:45 am  | Faith Formation                   | HF Hall                 |
| 11:00 am | Children's Liturgy of the Word    | HF Hall                 |
| 11:00 am | Faith Formation                   | Basilica DCR & SSPP Rm. |
| 1:00 pm  | St. Francis Fraternity/Gathering  | HC Chapel/Sr. Hall      |
| 2:00 pm  | Children's Choir Party            | Basilica DCR & SSPP Rm. |
| 4:00 pm  | 5:00 pm Mass Choir Rehearsal      | HF                      |
| 6:00 pm  | Life Teen/EDGE                    | HF Hall                 |
| 6:00 pm  | Cub Scout Pack 116 Committee Mtg. | HC Hall                 |
| 6:00 pm  | HF KC Ladies Auxiliary            | HC Senior Hall          |
| 6:00 pm  | HF KC 4th Degree                  | Basilica DCR            |
| 7:00 pm  | HF KC 3rd Degree                  | Basilica DCR            |




**St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store**  
**Team 4 January 2 through January 6**

"They made known what had been told them about this Child." If you may be one of those called to make the Christ Child known to others as a priest or consecrated religious, contact:



Fr. Bob Vaillancourt or Sr. Rita Mae Bissonnette  
 at 207-773-6471 or via email at:  
 Robert.Vaillancourt@portlanddiocese.org  
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**Competition: 9:00 am - 11:00 am**

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