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**SACRED HEART CHURCH - Tillamook &  
ST. JOSEPH MISSION PARISH - Cloverdale**

**December 15, 2024  
Third Sunday of Advent**



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Tuesday - Thursday, 10 am - 2 pm  
Closed on Mon. & Frid  
**DAILY MASS:**  
Tuesday - 5:00 pm  
Wednesday - Friday, 9:30 am

**PARISH STAFF**  
**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:**  
**Admin. Bldg. Chapel**  
Fridays, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm.  
First Friday: 10:00 - 5:00 pm  
**WEEKEND MASSES:**  
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 pm  
Sunday, English Mass: 8:30 am  
Sunday, Spanish Mass- 12:30 pm  
Rosary: Before each Mass  
**CONFESSIONS**—Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 pm  
And by appointment



**St. Joseph Mission Parish**  
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**Mass Schedule**  
Friday - 11:00 am  
Sunday - 10:30 am  
Confession: Call the office for  
appointment

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## PARISH WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Monday December 16, 2024** Office is closed today  
12:00 Noon Catholic Daughters Mtg.

**Tuesday December 17, 2024**

NO Mass

**Wednesday December 18, 2024**

9:00 am Rosary  
9:30 am Mass  
6:00 pm Advent Penance Service  
6:00 pm FAITH FORMATION

**Thursday December 19, 2024**

9:00 am Rosary  
9:30 am Mass

**Friday December 20, 2024** Office is closed today

9:00 am Rosary  
9:30 am Mass

**Saturday December 21, 2024**

3:30 pm Confessions  
4:30 pm Rosary  
5:00 pm Vigil Mass

**Sunday December 22, 2024**

8:00 am Rosary  
8:30 am Mass (English)  
12:00 pm Rosary  
12:30 pm Mass (Spanish)

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR ST. JOSEPH



**Thursday, December 19**  
Sinners of the World

**Friday, December 20**  
Souls in Purgatory

**Sunday, December 22**  
† - Don Dodge



St. Joseph -  
Mission Parish  
Cloverdale, Oregon

**Thursday December 19,**  
11:00 am Mass

**Friday December 20,**  
11:00 am Mass

**Sunday December 22**  
10:30 a.m. Mass

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

**Tuesday, December 17**

**Wednesday, December 18**  
I - Lorenzo Ybarra

**Thursday, December 19**  
I - Rosalia Ybarra

**Friday, December 20**  
Healing of Carlos Manuel Modesto

**Saturday, December 21**  
5:00 pm People of the Parish

**Sunday, December 22**  
8:30 am I - Oseguera Alejandres Family  
12:30 pm † - Filemon Marquez &  
Esperanza Huerta

## Sunday Family Connections



The theme of the season of Advent is sometimes described as a period of waiting for the birth of Jesus. However, today's Gospel reading suggests something different. John the Baptist did not tell the crowds to wait for the Messiah. He told them to prepare for the Messiah through acts of repentance. If Advent is a time of waiting, it is not the sitting in the doctor's office kind of waiting. It is a busy time of preparation, more like the waiting we might do when preparing for dinner guests. Our challenge is to not make this season a frenzied time, but rather a time of joyful anticipation and making ready for God who comes to dwell among us and changes our lives with the gift of salvation.

As you gather as a family, talk about the preparations your family is making during the season of Advent. Reflect together on these activities, not only on what you are doing but why you are choosing to do these things. Read together today's Gospel, Luke 3:10-18. Consider how Advent is a time for making ourselves ready to receive Jesus in our lives. Could your family make some changes in your Advent activities so that each person is well prepared to celebrate the gift of salvation at Christmas? Conclude in prayer together that your family will be able to live the spirit of Advent. Sing together an Advent song, such as "O Come, O Come Emmanuel" or pray together today's second reading, Philippians 4:4-7, as you light the third candle on your Advent wreath.

<https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources>



**Saturday, December 21, 2024 5:00 p.m.**  
Lector: Michelle Jenck  
EM: Joan Yost  
Sacristan: Christine Wolf Teigen  
Altar Servers: Seth, John, Alex

**Sunday, December 22, 2024 8:30 am**  
Lector: Cynthia Miller  
EM: Terry Von Heeder & Christina Maahs  
Sacristan: Angie Higgins  
Altar Servers: Maahs Family

**Sunday, December 22, 2024 12:30 pm**  
Lector: Miriam Vega  
EM: Nati & Enrique Orozco  
Rosario: Dolores Sanchez  
Sacristan: Rosalia Ybarra  
Monaguilos: Isidro, Ryan, Magaly  
Ujier: Omar, Andres, Herminia, Francisca



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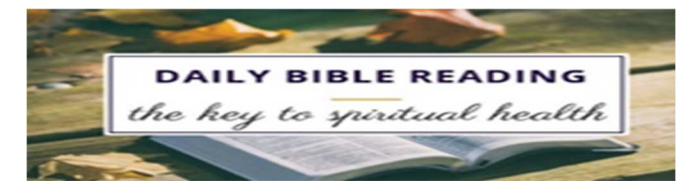
No Prayer is more powerful than the Mass, and there is no greater way to show our love for our dead than to have Masses said for them. This is the ancient teaching of the Church.

If you would like to have a Mass said for a particular intention (anniversary, birthday, thanksgiving, answered prayers or for someone who has died, please contact the Parish Office and we will be happy to assist you in finding a date. The suggested stipend for a Mass is \$10.

## Prayer Request/Petición de Oración H= Health S= Soul

H - Jeanette Werner	S - Tom Leith
H - Jackie Kottre	S - Marcos Martinez
H - Frances Madachy	S - John Lamkin
H - D J Maher	S - Maria R. Orta
H - Andrea Jenck	S - Fib Johnston
H - Estrella Te	S - Helen Gienger
H - Kerma Lamkin	S - Jo Wehinger
H - John Bender	S - Linda Rodriguez
H - Dotty Geller	S - Trinidad Martinez
H - Donna Molendyke	S - Jim Hurliman
H - Luis Silveira	S - Bob Willhite
H - Lina Silveira	S - Sue Hurliman
H - Heidi Rutar	
H - Marcos Orta Jr.	
H - Brenda Barajas	

Please also pray for all members of our Parish, Poor Souls in Purgatory and All Sinners of the World.  
**This list of names will be offered during our daily and weekend Masses.**



## Monday, Dec. 16

First Reading: Numbers 24:2-7, 15-17  
Responsorial Psalm: 25:4-9  
Gospel: Matthew 21:23-27

## Tuesday, Dec. 17

First Reading: Genesis 49:1,8-10  
Responsorial Psalm: 72:1-4,7-8,17  
Gospel: Matthew 1:1-17

## Wednesday, Dec. 18

First Reading: Jeremiah 23:5-8  
Responsorial Psalm: 72:1-2,12-13,18-19  
Gospel: Matthew 1:18-25

## Thursday, Dec. 19

1st Reading: Judges 13:2-7,24-25  
Responsorial Psalm: 71:3-6,16-17  
Gospel: Luke 1:5-25

## Friday, Dec. 20

1st Reading: Isaiah 7:10-14  
Responsorial Psalm: 24:1-6  
Gospel: Luke 1:26-38

## Saturday, Dec. 21

1st Reading: Song of Songs 2:8-14  
Responsorial Psalm: 33:2-3,11-12,20-21  
Gospel: Luke 1:39-45

## Sunday, Dec. 22

First Reading: Micah 5:1-4  
Responsorial Psalm: 80:2-3,15-16,18-19  
Second Reading: Hebrews 10:5-10  
Gospel: Luke 1:39-45

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Please Read!



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### Sacred Heart Crab Feed Tickets!!!!!!

Tickets for this year's crab feed will go on sale December 13, 2024 after weekend masses.

\$45.00 per ticket

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### Christmas Poinsettias:

You can bring them the weekend of the 21st or bring them to the office during office hours. Tuesday - Thursday, 10 am to 2 pm. We need them by the weekend of the 21st.



### Las Posadas:

Las Posadas will start on December 16 -24 at 6:pm in the gym. If you would like to sponsor a posada, talk to Diana or call her at the office.



Catholic Daughters will meet this Monday, Dec.16th at noon in the Conference Room of the Admin. bldg. We will have a short meeting followed by our Christmas luncheon and who knows what else will happen!

Spirituality of the Readings -  
Third Sunday of Advent  
December 15, 2024  
John Foley, SJ

### Let It Sing

“Brothers and sisters: rejoice in the Lord always. I shall say it again, rejoice.”

St. Paul commands this in the Second Reading. The word for rejoice in Latin is gaudete, so quite naturally this Sunday is called Gaudete Sunday.

Why all this exultation? Are we finally getting a break from the somberness of Advent? Yes, but there is more to it than that.

Remember that Advent is like a retreat for the worldwide Church. In this upcoming third week we will pray about our lives in the context of the great beauty God has put in us and around us.

### Can you imagine this?

One line in the First Reading puts it in dramatic terms. Zephaniah says that the Lord “will sing joyfully because of you, as one sings at festivals.”

Because of you! Have you ever in your life imagined that God might be singing because of you? Have you ever let your image of God expand that far? Have you ever let God be one who sings you into existence, in the most profound sense of the word sing?

In one of the books of Narnia by CS Lewis, the children are taken back to the very moment of creation. They hear the voice of Aslan (the Christ figure) singing into the wilderness. When the voice goes high, birds, clouds, blue sky appear. At a certain lengthy turn of melody the mountains raise their heads laboriously. A low hum vibrates forth the depths of seas. Creation seems to be made out of melody.

### Maybe it is.

Scientists still contend about it, however. What is the physical universe composed of, particles or waves? (I think that is the choice they give us.) Einstein and many others tried to reconcile these, but no luck.

If I could come even close to describing what is called “string theory,” we might have a choice theory about the universe’s makeup. Maybe you have seen TV shows about string theory on PBS or elsewhere, a model that some scholars actually do believe unites the two hypotheses. Such “strings” act a lot like sound does. Like the vibrations that come forth from a violin string.

Instead of saying that particles or waves or uncertainty or whatever else are the basis of matter and force-fields, and so on, these scientists instead postulate string-like particles: infinitesimal, ever changing, wriggling thingu-mabobs. By their dancing shapes these string circles generate (or constitute, or become, or whatever is the right way to say it) everything that is.

How about this for a possibility: God’s gladness sings out joyfully at every instant, and his song is the earth, the galaxies, the people and plants and chemicals and soaring hawks and encircling planets, droplets of dew and heavy black holes, youthful beauties, ancient wisdoms, and everything else that exists.

In other words, we are God’s song.

Apply this, please, to Sunday’s Gospel.

There people in long rows gather to be baptized in expectation of the Savior who is to come. Each segment (the crowd, the tax collectors, the soldiers) ask John the Baptist the exact same question: “Teacher, what should we do?”

“Let your life sing,” he answers.

Let it sing.

Let your life be what it is: God’s joyous, interleaved and always consonant melody, sounding outwards in deepest joy. Share your cloak and your food, collect only what is owed, do not extort.

Do these things and you will be sounding the true melody of your life!

[Saint Louis University Sunday Web Site \(liturgy.slu.edu\)](http://liturgy.slu.edu)