



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS®

The K of C meet every 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. All Knights in good standing (current dues paid) are encouraged to attend.

Next meeting will be August 19, 2021, 7PM-MASKS ARE OPTIONAL AT MEETINGS.



Scott Sherman, Richard Chaves, Paul Stiefvater, Ryan Chaves, Gordon Krook, Marco Vela, and Al Hausotter

UPCOMING NEWS AND EVENTS

****During these hot days of summer the office is opening at 8:00 AM and will be closing at 12:00 PM.**

July 19-24: Father Gone, NO MORNING MASS

July 24: Graveside Service for Andrea Cloudt Patacini @ 10:00AM—No morning Mass or confessions.

Annual Catechetical Symposium

Getting Back to the Miraculous Enlivening Faith in Our Homes & Parishes

When: August 6-8, 2021

Where: Cascade View Retreat Center in
Powell Butte, OR

Check in August 6, 3-5PM

Begins: August 6, 2021, 5:15PM

Ends: August 8th 12:30PM

Cost \$75.00 + housing

If you are interested, you may register on the Diocesan web site, or contact the parish office.

Religious Education



Mary Magdalene at the foot of the Cross
ever faithful, ever loyal.

Mary Magdalene

We celebrate the feast day of Mary Magdalene this week on Thursday July 22.

St. Mary Magdalene is one of the greatest saints of the bible, and she is mentioned many times in the bible. Mary Magdalene's name and reputation is one of the most misunderstood and misconstrued,

erroneously remembered as a prostitute rather than a true follower of Christ.

For some time, it was believed that she was the women mentioned in John 8:1-11 however scripture scholars have debunked that myth and that Mary Magdalene label as a prostitute was a misnomer. Classifying Mary Magdalene as a prostitute likely came from a sermon Pope Gregory gave in 1591 where he stated she was the un-named women in Luke 7:36-50 and was a penitent prostitute or public sinner. The gospels agree that Mary was originally a great sinner and Jesus cast seven demons out of her when he met her, the fact that Mary Magdalene was regarded as a prostitute is not supported in the Scriptures.

Mary Magdalene was a true follower of Christ and was present when Christ was crucified and was the first person to see Christ after his resurrection when she went to the tomb to anoint his body and found the stone rolled away. (John 20:1-18). It is believed that after Christ's Ascension into heaven she remained among the Christians. After 14 years she along with other Christians she was set adrift in a boat without oars or sails and landed in Southern France and lived her life out in a cave in the Sainte Baume mountains. In the town of St.-Maximin-la-Sainte Baume there is a Basilica dedicated to her and under the crypt is a glass dome believed to contain the relic of her skull. The cave where she is believed to have lived is a hidden monastery sanctuary of Mary Magdalene that Dominican Monks have been the guardian of since 1295. A reliquary housing her bones is in a niche on a lower level beneath her statue.

Mary Magdalene is the patron Saint of contemplative life, converts, glove makers, hairdressers, penitent sinners, people ridiculed for their piety, perfumeries, pharmacists, sexual temptation, tanners, and women.

If you don't let the past die,
It won't let you live.