

Dear Friends in Christ,

I want to thank everyone who participated in Fr. Basil's farewell celebration last weekend. Your love and care for him as he makes this challenging transition is so deeply appreciated. Many thanks to all of the volunteers and staff who worked so hard to make the event so meaningful and enjoyable. A special thanks to our Knights of Columbus, our Vietnamese, Filipino, and Hispanic communities for the food, entertainment, and décor. What an enjoyable and unforgettable day!

I will be relying on several priests this summer to help us with our weekend liturgies in Fr. Basil's absence. This weekend, we welcome Fr. Dave Rogerson, presiding at our 7:30 and 9:00 a.m. Masses. Fr. Rogerson is one of our senior priests and former pastor at St. Barbara in Black Diamond and St. Jude in Redmond. He was also on the formation faculty at Mt. Angel Seminary. Please welcome Fr. Rogerson and thank him for his help this summer.

Deacon Kyle and I will be at our annual Priest Days this week, June 19 to 22. Please hold us and all who will be participating in your prayers. Deacon Michael Cantu, our parish school principal, will be leading the Rite of Distributing Holy Communion outside of Mass Monday through Thursday mornings at 8 a.m. Deacon Ted Rodriguez will lead the service on Wednesday evening at 6 p.m. in Spanish. We will resume with daily Mass beginning with the evening Mass on Thursday, June 22nd at 7 p.m.

Peace+

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**Fr. Tom**  
*Pastor*