



For the One who carved the islands / has come to live among us,
And this is the house He has chosen, / St. Mary Star of the Sea. — Anne Porter

GREETERS AND SERVERS—NEXT WEEK
OCT. 28/29, 2017

REMINDER: Servers and Greeters, not Parish staff, are responsible for finding a substitute once a schedule is disseminated. Thanks.

ALTAR SERVERS

SAT 9:00 AM: Spanish Assigned
SAT. 5:30 PM: Edward Carder
SUN. 8:15 AM: Caleb & Isaac Johnson
SUN. 11:00 AM: Tiburcio Brennan

GREETERS

SAT. 8:45 am: Carmen Boling
SAT. 5:30 pm: Rita Beebe & Granddaughter Logan
SUN. 8:15 am: Karla & David Kauzlarich
SUN. 11:00 am: Sharon Sofie and Kathie Ryan

MASS INTENTIONS FORT HE WEEK

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 9:00 AM: **For the repose of the soul of Gary Pelroy**, as requested by Natalia Guevara.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 5:30 PM: **For the repose of the soul of Tony Richardson** as requested by Dorothy Hollenbeck and Tom Chambers.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 8:15 AM: **For the repose of soul of Lenny Cole**, as requested by Lia and Neil Robinson.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 11:00 AM: **For special intentions for the parishioners of St. Mary Star of the Sea.**

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23, 12:05 PM: **For our political leaders that they may receive the wisdom to guide our country with both justice and compassion.**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 6:30 PM: **For the repose of the soul of Roberta Miller**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 12:05 PM: **For all parents that they may be provided with all the necessities of guarding and education their children in the ways of our faith.**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 12:05 PM: **For all the souls of the faithful departed that they may soon be received into the glory of God.**

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23

11:30 am: CONFESSIONS
12:05 pm: MASS
3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church
6:00 pm: Rainshadow--Hall

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24

12:05 am: COMMUNION SERVICE
3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church
6:00 pm: Choir Practice--Church

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25

3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church
6:00 pm: CONFESSIONS
6:30 pm: ST. PEREGRINE MASS
7:00 pm: RCIA--Hall

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

11:30 am: CONFESSIONS
12:05 pm: MASS
1:00 pm: St Vincent de Paul Meeting--Hall
3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27

11:30 am: CONFESSIONS
12:05 pm: MASS
1-6:00 pm: Adoration--Church
3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28
SS. SIMON AND JUDE
9:00 am: Spanish Mass
10:00-noon: SPANISH LUNCH--HALL
12:00 Noon: Funeral for John Freitas--Church
1:00 pm: Ushers, EM, Lectors, Greeters Meeting--Classrooms

4:30 pm: CONFESSIONS
5:30 pm: MASS
6:45 pm: Charismatic Renewal

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29

8:15 am: MASS (CONFESSION 30 MIN. PRIOR)
9:30 am: Religious Education--Classrooms
11:00 am: MASS (CONFESSION 30 MIN. PRIOR)
12:30 pm: Theology Kettle--Hall
5:00 pm: Port Townsend Chorus--Hall
6:30 pm: Rosary



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Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 21/22, 2017

AROUND THE PARISH



FUNERAL FOR JOHN FREITAS

The funeral for John Freitas will be held on Saturday, October 28, at 12:00 Noon in the church. May his soul rest in God's love.



COFFEE HOUR SECHEDULE

There **will be** coffee hours this week after **both** Sunday Masses -- 8:15 and 11:00 am.



What Comes Next?
PURGATORY -
THE FORGOTTEN CHURCH
Uncovering the mystery,
meaning and hope

- Gain a deeper understanding of the Catholic Church's teaching on Purgatory,
- Listen as survivors share amazing stories of Near Death Experiences,
- Learn the universality of Near Death Experiences

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29th, at 12:30 pm
In the Social Hall

Written and Directed by Franciscan Friar John Clote, this inspiring and uplifting 85 minute film helps confirm that "Relationships do not simply vaporize after death...they continue". Multiple experts will share their knowledge gained from experience, research, and study.

Refreshments provided



TRAINING MEETING
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy
Communion, Lectors, Ushers,
Greeters

Saturday, October 28, 2017
1:00-3:00 pm in Classrooms

Father Peter has asked that he have the opportunity to address all Liturgical Ministers who assist with the Mass at St. Mary Star of the Sea. Please save this date so that you may join Father Peter to participate in this important training seminar. All ministers exercise a genuine and important liturgical function. For this reason, the Archdiocese of Seattle directs parishes to develop annual training and continuing education formation for all Liturgical Ministers. It is important that all be profoundly imbued with the spirit of the liturgy, each in his own measure, and they must be trained to perform their functions in a correct and orderly manner. (Sacrosanctum Concilium, 29).

Please join with us for this session which will begin with a presentation by Father Peter.

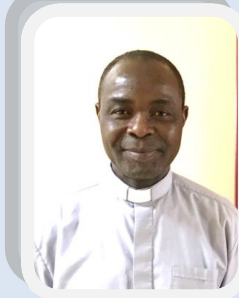
Readings for the Week...

MONDAY Romans 4:20-25 Luke 1:69-75 Luke 12:13-21	TUESDAY Romans 5:12, 15, 17-19, 20-21 Psalms 40:7-10, 17 Luke 12:35-38	WEDNESDAY: Romans 6:12-18 Psalms 124:1-8 Luke 12:39-48	THURSDAY: Romans 6:19-23 Psalms 1:1-4, 6 Luke 12:49-53	FRIDAY: Romans 7:18-25 Psalms 119:66, 68, 76-77, 93-94 Luke 12:54-59	SATURDAY: Ephesians 2:19-22 Psalms 19:2-5 Luke 6:12-16	SUNDAY: Exodus 22:20-26 Psalms 18:2-4, 47, 51 1 Thessalonians 1:5-10 Matthew 22:34-40
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“OUR MISSION IS TO...

**CELEBRATE GOD’S PRESENCE IN OUR MIDST BY MASS, SACRAMENTS, AND PRAYER;
LIVE CHRIST’S LOVE BY SERVING OTHERS, ESPECIALLY THE POOR, NEGLECTED, AND SUFFERING;
GROW IN THE TRUTHS AND VALUES OF OUR CATHOLIC TRADITION, TEACH THEM TO OUR CHILDREN, AND
PROCLAIM THEM TO THOSE WHO DO NOT KNOW THEM.”**





**FROM THE DESK OF
FATHER PETER
ADOKO-ENCHILL...**

"Names"

Names and the naming ceremony are very important in my tribe and most

tribes in Ghana. Normally, one is given a name eight days after birth just like the Jews who had to present their firstborn son into the temple eight days after birth.

Everybody is named according to the day he or she is born, and a family name is added. So the first name is the day your are born and the family name is implicitly your surname or second name.

Those born on Monday are called **Kodwo/Kojo and Adwoa/Adwowa** for male and female respectively; Tuesday - **Kobena (male) and Abena (female)**; Wednesday - **Kweku (male) and Ekua/Eduwa (female)**; Thursday - **Yaw/Kwaw (male) and Aba/Yaa (female)**; Friday - **Kofi (male) and Efua/Efuwa (female)**; Saturday - **Kwame/Kwamena (male) and Ama/Amba (female)**; Sunday - **Kwesi (male) and Esi (female)**. (Some of the names are shortened as I have indicated).

The first born is normally named after the child's grandfather; the father of the child's father. The second born is named after the mother's father or any important immediate family member living or dead. All other children are named after any important person the parents want to name them after, but mostly not outside the family or clan. The child can also be named after a very good friend.

Names are very important because it is believed that the child would take after the life of the one named after; or the spirit of the one named after would guide the child. Thus, those who did not or do not live good lives lose the privilege of having somebody named after them.

If a child is named after the chief or queen mother or the elder of the family or a very important member; usually the actual name of the child is not used alone when called but qualified with a term like Maame, Papa, Nana, Wofa, (Mother, Father Grand, Uncle, etc.)

(To be continued)

Fr. Peter

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE**

SÁBADO MISA EN ESPAÑOL	9:00 am
SATURDAY VIGIL	5:30 pm
SUNDAY	8:15 am & 11:00 am
MONDAY	12:05 pm
TUESDAY ** COMMUNION SERVICE	12:05 pm
WEDNESDAY	6:30 pm
THURSDAY	12:05 pm
FRIDAY	12:05 pm

(CONFESSIONS 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO EACH MASS)

***Mass times are subject to change during the year. Please consult the Weekly Calendar on the last page in this bulletin for the specific schedule of Masses for the week.*

THE CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Matrimony In the Order of Creation

God who created man out of love also calls him to love--the fundamental and innate vocation of every human being. For man is created in the image and likeness of God who is himself love. Since God created him man and woman, their mutual love becomes an image of the absolute and unfailing love with which God loves man. It is good, very good, in the Creator's eyes. And this love which God blesses is intended to be fruitful and to be realized in the common work of watching over creation: "And God blessed them, and God said to them: 'Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it.'"

Holy Scripture affirms that man and woman were created for one another: "It is not good that the man should be alone." The woman, "flesh of his flesh," his equal, his nearest in all things, is given to him by God as a "helpmate"; she thus represents God from whom comes our help. "Therefore a man leaves his father and mother and cleaves to his wife, and they become one flesh." The Lord himself shows that this signifies an unbreakable union of their two lives by recalling what the plan of the Creator had been "in the beginning": "So they are not longer two, but one flesh."

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Week of 10/15/2017

Week #16

Week / Semana

Actual / Colecta Real	\$ 7,234.76
Budgeted / Presupuesto	\$ 7,382.49
	<\$ 147.73>

Year to Date / Año Corrido	
Actual / Colecta Real	\$ 118,558.99
Budgeted / Presupuesto	\$ 118,119.84
	\$ 439.15



BOOK CLUB MEETING

Saint Mary's Book Club's next meeting will be **Friday November 3, at 1:00 pm**. The book for discussion will be: "**Cry the Beloved Country**" by Alan Paton. Mary Pat Griswold will be our discussion leader. We will be meeting in the Parish Hall. All are welcome to attend.



GET A HEAD START....

St. Mary's Ladies Guild Christmas Re-Gifting and Cookie Sale is coming up Dec. 2nd and 3rd in the church Social Hall.

Start saving your gently used and new items appropriate for gifting for the sale now before the holiday rush. Suggested ideas are: jewelry, books including children's books, toys, glassware, dishes, nick-knacks, Christmas decorations and religious items. No clothing, rummage or electrical items will be accepted.



**ALL SOULS
REMEMBRANCE
Envelopes are Available**

There are envelopes in the pews that may be used to remember your loved ones on All Souls' Day, Thursday, November 2, at the 12:05 Mass. The envelopes will be placed upon the altar at that time.



**COME CELEBRATE
40 YEARS
Of the Charismatic Renewal in
Western Washington!**

Join the faithful from all over the region to celebrate the abundant blessings of the Holy Spirit. Enjoy Mass with Bishop Elizondo, teachings from Jim Murphy and Tom Curran and much more that will inspire and deepen your walk with the Lord. **November 3 & 4**, at St. Stephen the Martyr Church in Renton, WA. Online registration is open until October 23 at website: www.wwccr.org/40th-Anniversary-Celebration/

**DONATE
FOOD
HERE**

**ANNUAL WAVE FOOD
DRIVE**



During October the community and participating churches will be gathering food and money for the Annual **WAVE (What A Valuable Experience)** Food Drive. Financial donations may be placed in the regular collection, marked as "Food Drive" and food items can be left in the vestibule. Last minute donations

can be made on Saturday, October 28, from 12:00 to 2:00 pm in the Hall. For more information please visit the **WAVE** food drive website: <https://wavefooddrive.wordpress.com>



**FIVE PERCENT
COMMITTEE UPDATE**

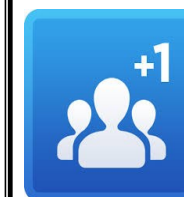
The 5% Committee met on Wednesday, October 18, 2017 and made the following donations:

- St. Vincent de Paul Society \$1,000
- COSTA for Lizeth \$1,000
- Homeless Shelter yearly donation \$1,500
- Fulcrum \$500
- Angel Tree food cards \$1,000
- WAVE Food Drive \$500
- Jefferson Teen Center yearly donation \$500
- St. Teresa's Minor Seminary Ghana \$2,000

For internet service

The next meeting of the Committee will be in January, 2018.

Your generosity in making these gifts possible is greatly appreciated.



**MASS COUNTERS STILL
NEEDED**

Mass counters are still needed to help at the 8:15 and 11:00 am Sunday Masses for the remainder of the month of October. Please call the Parish Office if you can help.