

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 SEPTEMBER 8/9, 2018

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: Travis and Elena McConaghy

SUN. 11:00 am: Vaughn Bradshaw and Maggie Anderson

GREETERS

SAT. 8:45 am: Carmen Boling

SAT. 5:30 pm: Carolyn Voss and Pat Ryan SUN. 8:15 am: Joanne and Hugh Murphy SUN. 11:00 am: Nancy and Mark Johnson

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 9:00 AM: For the special intentions of the Hispanic Community of St. Mary Star of the Sea.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 5:30 PM: For the special intentions of the parishioners of St. Mary Star of the Sea.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 8:15 AM: For those who suffer stress, anxiety or other problems at work that they may find consolation.

SUNDAY, SEPEMBER 2, 11:00 AM: For the special intentions of Marian Fields on her birthday, as requested by her children.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 10:00 AM: For the repose of the soul Betty Muehlethaler and comfort of her family.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 6:30 PM: For the Church that it may be renewed it in all its parts to be once again the perfect bride of Christ.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 12:05 PM: For all those who suffer from natural disasters throughout the world.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 12:05 PM: In repose of the soul of Mary Tiddy, as requested by Mary Pat Griswold.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

10:00 pm: **MASS**

3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

Knights of Columbus Blood Drive 12:05 pm: Communion Service 3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church 6:00 pm: Choir Practice--Church

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church

6:00 pm: **CONFESSION**

6:30 pm: **MASS**

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

11:30 am: CONFESSION 12:05 pm: **MASS**

3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

11:30 am: CONFESSION

12:05 pm: **MASS**

1:00 pm-Midnight: Adoration

1:00 pm: Book Club Meeting--Rm. 6 3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet

8:30 pm-Midnight: Prayer Vigil SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Midnight - 9:00 am: Adoration Midnight-4:00 am: Prayer Vigil

9:00 am: **SPANISH MASS** 10:00 am: Spanish Lunch--Hall

1:00 pm: Funeral for Rayona Gese--Church

4:30 pm: CONFESSION

5:30 pm: **MASS**

6:45 pm: Charismatic Renewal

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

8:15 am: MASS (CONFESSION 30 MIN. PRIOR)

9:30 - 10:30 am: R/E Orientation and Registration--Hall

9:30 am: Youth Choir Practice--Hall

11:00 am: YOUTH MASS (CONFESSION 30 MIN. PRIOR)

12:30 pm: Healing Prayer Team 4:00 pm: YOUTH NIGHT-Hall

Readings for the Week...

Genesis 2:4-9, 15 Psalms 90:2-5, 121 Corinthians 2:10-Psalms 145:8-14

WEDNESDAY: 1 Corinthians 3:1-9 Psalms 33:12-15,

THUSDAY 1 Corinthians 3:18-23 Psalms 24:1-6

FRIDAY 1 Corinthians 4:1-5 Psalms 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40

Micah 5:1-4 Psalms 13:6 Matthew 1:1-16,

SUNDAY Isaiah 35:4-7 Psalms 146:7-10 James 2:1-5



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The Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 1/2, 2018

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Week of 8/26/2018 Week #9

Week / Semana

Actual / Colecta Real \$ 6,289.66 Budgeted / Presupuesto \$ 7,097.08 807.42>

Year to Date / Año Corrido

Actual / Colecta Real \$ 60,617.15 Budgeted / Presupuesto \$ 63,873.72

<\$ 3,256.57>

MONTHLY YOUTH MASS NEXT WEEKEND



Remember that next Sunday, September 9, is our regular monthly Youth Mass at 11:00 am. All youth and families are encouraged to join in this celebration of the

Eucharist designed especially for our young people.



AS YOU RETURN TO SCHOOL

As summer ends and the new school year begins we extend to all students the hope for a successful year ahead freedom from harm and rich in learning. May God grant you patience

and perseverance in your studies as you gain in wisdom and knowledge which is the gift of Our Lord who is the source of all wisdom and knowledge.



COFFEE HOUR

There will be a coffee hour after the 11:00 am Mass on Sunday, September 9.



PARISH OFFICE CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

The Parish Office will be closed in observation of the Labor Day Holiday on Monday, September 3.



Youth night

SUNDAY, SEPT. 9

4-7:00 pm **Parish Social Hall**

This Youth Night is planned for all youth ages 8-18 years old --Come one, come all! Adults are invited too!

This first Youth Night will feature the "Borderline PNW Dancing Team"

So...Dust off your cowboy boots, and ten gallon hats and learn to line dance and have a great time with your friends!

"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,



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THANKS!

To Kevin Streett who valiantly chiseled out the caulking in the sacristy windows at great savings to the parish. Thank you for all your help!



THANKS, TOO!

To those thoughtful folks who help to straighten up the pews after the Masses. We don't see you but your thoughtfulness and help are greatly appreciated!



OPEN HOUSE At the Jefferson County Shelter

Plan to join our local shelter for their open house on Saturday, September 15, 3:00-5:00 pm at 209 Monroe Street, Lower Level. Drop in and meet the volunteers who will give

you a tour and answer any question you might have for them. A special thanks to the parish for the ongoing support of this vital service to our community.



HEALING PRAYER TEAM MEETING AUGUST 12

The Healing Prayer Team will hold their monthly meeting on Sunday, September 9, at 12:30 pm. All are welcome to attend. If you would like to have one of their members join you in prayer please wait for them in the pew in front of Our Lady's statue and they will be happy to escort you.



DAILY ROSARY

The rosary is our Blessed Mother's favorite prayer. She has repeatedly told us that there is no problem that cannot be resolved through praying the rosary. Our Lady of Fatima recommended a daily rosary as the surest way to attain the

salvation of sinners and the world. A special need today is for the sanctification of our clergy. Why not add a rosary to your daily routine!

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE**

SÁBADO MISA EN SPAÑOL	9:00 am
Saturday Vigil	5:30 pm
SUNDAY	8:15 am & 11:00 am
MONDAY	12:05 pm
Tuesday ** Communion	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 of this bulletin for the specific schedule of Masses for the week.



CEMETERY COMMITTEE UPDATE

The new Cemetery Committee has been formed and is at work. Its members are Tom Plut, Bob Long, Susie Gomez and Isabelle Noiret. At their meeting on August 16, the following projects were discussed

and proposed for completion:

- ♦ Installation of entrance and exit signs;
- Installation of a reflective mirror at the entrance;
- Replacement of the doors on the utility shed;
- ♦ Repair or removal of the security light;
- ◆ Cleaning the current road of all grass to return it to the original size;
- Replace the dead laurel bushes in the hedge.
- The statue of Mary has already been cleaned.

Volunteers who may wish to help with these projects would be very much appreciated. Please contact the Parish Office if you can at 360-385-3700.



THE THEOLOGY KETTLE STARTS SEPTEMBER 23

This year's program will begin on Sunday, September 23, at 12:30 pm, in the Parish Hall. The study and discussions are

designed to develop a better understanding and greater appreciation of the Gospel according to St. Matthew on how to live Christian lives. All are welcome to join in these discussions. Please contact Deacon Bill or Ms. Rita Beebe if you have questions at the 360-385-3700.



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OUR BLESSED MOTHER'S BIRTHDAY Saturday, September 8

Who doesn't love birthdays? Birthday celebrations bring happiness to the celebrant as well as to family and friends. Next to the birth of Jesus, Mary's birth offers the greatest possible happiness to the world. Each time we celebrate her birth, we can confidently hope for an increase of peace in our hearts and in the world at large. Saint Augustine connects Mary's birth with Jesus' saving work. He tells the earth to rejoice and shine forth in the light of her birth. If Jesus is the perfect expression of God's love, Mary is the foreshadowing of that love. If Jesus has brought the fullness of salvation, Mary is its dawning. When we celebrate his mother's birth, we honor Jesus too. We thank God for the gift of his mother, the gift of life, and give honor to both Mary and Jesus by remembering that God has created each person with love and with a call to something very special in life. Happy Birthday Blessed Mother!



PRAYER VIGIL FOR OUR LADY'S BIRTHDAY

A Prayer Vigil will be held from Friday, September 7, at 8:30 pm until Saturday, September 8, at 4:00 am in celebration of the Nativity of Our Lady. (This will take place during the 20 hour Adoration

which is held from 1:00 am on Friday to 8:30 am on Saturday.) The Vigil will include three Scriptural Rosaries, singing hymns, listening to testimonies, and quiet meditation time. People can choose how long they're able to stay. The vigil is offered for Christian unity and conversion. A light breakfast will follow in the Parish Hall. If you would like to offer musical support or provide testimony of God's presence in your life please contact Judy Atkinson at 385-6311.



CHARISMATIC RENEWAL GROUP

The Charismatic Renewal group will meet on Saturday, September 6, at 6:45 pm. All are welcome.



ORIENTATION AND REGISTRATION Sunday, September 9 9:30-10:30 am In the Social Hall

This meeting is intended to help register all children entering the religious education classes at St. Mary's for 2018-2019. **Parents are asked to attend this session and accompany their children in the registration process.** Father Peter and Deacon Bill will be available to support parents.

Parents should be aware that they will need to:

- Complete an enrollment form for all children attending religious education classes.
- Parents are to submit a completed participation agreement with their enrollment.
- Parents enrolling children for the sacraments of First Reconciliation/First Communion or Confirmation must submit a copy of their child's baptismal certificate if not baptized at St. Mary's Star of the Sea.
- ◆ Complete registration packets will be available at the orientation and the Narthex.
- Please complete the registration form, read and sign the participation agreement and then submit them with the fees to the Parish Office with the baptismal certificate if needed.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BLOOD DRIVE ON TUESDAY

The Knights of Columbus will sponsor their regular blood drive in the Hall on Tuesday, September 4.



BOOK CLUB RESUMES

St. Mary's Book Club will meet on Friday, September 7, at 1:00 pm. The Book for discussion will be "Gaudete et Exsultate: On the Call to Holiness in

Today's World," by Pope Francis. Please bring a book or suggestion for future reading. All are welcome.