



St. Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church

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The Sixth Sunday of Easter, May 4/5, 2024

Ministerios que ACA apoya:



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CAMPAÑA CATÓLICA ANUAL PARA 2024

La semana pasada recibiste una carta del Padre Peter apoyando la Campaña Católica Anual de este año. Agradecer a todos aquellos que ya han hecho una donación o han

devuelto su promesa de la Campaña Católica Anual. Su donación marca la diferencia para nuestros hermanos y hermanas en todos los lugares de la vida, incluidos los que están en prisión, las personas que están al final de la vida, los jóvenes y los adultos jóvenes, y las familias que buscan crecer en su fe y celebrar los sacramentos. Si aún no has hecho tu regalo, por favor considera el mensaje del Padre. Puede usar un sobre de banco, escanear el código QR en el sobre o conectarse en línea para hacer un regalo seguro y conveniente para la campaña. Considere comprometerse durante varios meses a apoyar a nuestra parroquia y financiar nuestro proyecto parroquial de volver a techar los edificios parroquiales.

La segunda colecta en las misas dominicales de las 8:30 a.m. será para la Campaña Católica Anual. A partir del domingo 12 de mayo.



**FUNERAL FOR
DEACON BILL SWANSON**
Saturday, May 11, 9:30 am
The Funeral Mass for Deacon Bill Swanson will be at 9:30 am on Saturday May 11. A reception will follow in the Hall after the Mass. All are welcome to attend.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL FOR 2024

This past week you received a letter from Father Peter supporting this year's Annual Catholic Appeal. Thank you to all those who have already made a gift or returned your Annual Catholic Appeal pledge. Your gift makes a difference and serves many in many ways. If you have not yet made your gift, please consider Father's message. You can use a pew envelope, scan the QR code on the envelope, or go online to make a safe and convenient gift to the appeal. Consider pledging over multiple months to support our parish and fund our parish project of reroofing the parish buildings.

Ministries supported by ACA funds include:



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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."





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CHANGES TO THE WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- * There will no 9:00 am Mass on Saturday morning so as to accommodate the funeral for Deacon Bill Swanson at 9:30 am. All are invited to attend.
- * The Novena to the Holy Spirit will begin at 11:30 am, on Friday, May 10, at church. Then continuing through May 18, you are invited to pray the novena privately.

NORMAL WEEKLY SCHEDULE

(Please silence your cell phones prior to the beginning of Mass or other religious devotions. Thank You!)

THE DOORS OF THE CHURCH are open M-Th from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm, Friday until 6:00 pm and on weekends at Mass times.

MASSES:

WEEKEND MASSES -

<i>Saturday Vigil Mass - In English</i>	<i>4:30 pm</i>
<i>Domingo Misa - en Español</i>	<i>8:30 am</i>
<i>Sunday Mass - in English</i>	<i>11:00 am</i>

DAILY MASSES - In English

<i>Monday - Mass</i>	<i>12:00 pm</i>
<i>Wednesday - Mass</i>	<i>5:30 pm</i>
<i>Thursday - Mass</i>	<i>12:00 pm</i>
<i>Friday - Mass</i>	<i>12:00 pm</i>
<i>Saturday - Mass</i>	<i>9:00 am</i>

HISPANIC PRAYER GROUP - Thursday 7:00 pm

CONFESSIONS - Saturday - 3:45-4:15 pm

- * Sunday: 10:00-10:45 am
- * Wednesday: 4:45-5:15 pm
- * Monday, Thurs. and Friday: 11:15-11:45 am

Confessions may also be scheduled by calling 360-385-3700.

SPIRITUALITY CLASSES - At 12:30 pm on Thursday afternoons in the Parish Office class rooms.

ADORATION - Friday 12:30-6:00 pm

***HISPANIC ADORATION - Friday 6:00 pm**

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTRY FOR THE HOMEBOUND

If you, a family member or friend, would like to have this special ministry pay you a visit please give the Parish Office a call—360-385-3700 to schedule.



Please look at Father Maurer's blog.

He is including updates on our parish family in addition to his personal reflections www.fathermaurer.com. Just a friendly reminder, the Archdiocese has requested that we not contact Father Maurer prior to July first.

MAY IS THE MONTH OF MARY

In honor of our Blessed Mother the rosary will be prayed 20 minutes before each Mass during May.

FIRST COMMUNION

Five young members of our parish will receive their First Communion on Sunday May 12, at the 8:30 am Mass. A reception will follow.

LAST YOUTH MASS - CHANGE IN DATE/TIME

Our last youth Mass for the spring season will be celebrated on Sunday, May 12, at the 8:30 am Mass.



NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

A Novena to the Holy Spirit will be prayed in preparation for the celebration of Pentecost beginning at 11:30 am, on Friday, May 10, at church. Then continuing through May 18, you are invited to pray the novena privately. "The faithful who devoutly pray the novena in honor of the Holy Spirit immediately preceding the Solemn Feast of Pentecost may gain a partial indulgence for themselves or as an offering for the intentions of the faithful departed."



5% COMMITTEE REPORT

The 5% Committee met on Thursday, April 18, 2024 and made the following donations:

The Crozier Society (Seminar Formation)	\$ 350.00
Bayside Services	\$1,000.00
Rachel Project of Western Washington	\$ 500.00
St. Thomas More at WSU	\$ 500.00
*St. Anthony Catholic Church, Ghana	\$4,000.00

*To build the roof of the rectory and to sponsor a seminarian in thanksgiving for Fr. Peter's service at SMSS. The next meeting of the Committee will be Thursday, June 27, 2024, at 10AM. If you know of any individual or organization in our community who is in need, you are welcome to write to the 5% Committee for their consideration.



PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS

If you would like to be included on St. Mary's Prayer Chain please contact Pat White, 360-385-3063 or Carol Hurley at ptcabin2@msn.com.

All prayer requests are kept strictly confidential.



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Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

*We turn to you for protection, most holy Mother of God.
Listen to our prayers and help us in our needs.
Save us from every danger, glorious and blessed Virgin.*

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 4:30 PM: For the intentions of all the members of St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish and for those who are deceased.

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 8:30 AM: Por el descanso del alma de Rosa Navarro Cervantes, a petición de su hija Rosa Navarro Hernández.

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 11:00 AM: For the repose of the soul of Bill Russ, as requested by Jovy Russ.

MONDAY, MAY 6, 12:00 PM: For all of the members of St. Mary Star of the Sea Ladies Guild both living and deceased.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 5:30 pm: For the repose of the soul of Frank Dirksen, as requested by Mark Ortmeier.

THURSDAY, MAY 9, 12:00 PM: For all those who have died at sea.

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 12:00 PM: For the repose of the soul of Deacon Bill Swanson and the comfort of his family, as requested by his friends at St. Mary Star of the Sea.

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 9:30 AM: There will be no regular 9:00 am daily Mass so as to accommodate the Funeral for Deacon Bill Swanson at 9:30 am.



MOTHER'S DAY CARDS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX

Mother's whose names are remembered on the intentions cards will be especially remembered on Monday, May 13, at 12:00 pm, the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima.

Parish Stewardship As of 4/28/2024 Week #44

Actual/Colecta Real	\$ 4,141.42
Budgeted/Presupuesto	\$ 6,153.85
	\$ (2,012.43)
Year-To-Date/Año Corrido	
Actual Collection/Colecta Real	\$ 273,772.85
Budgeted Collection/Presupuesto	\$ 270,769.40
	\$ 3,003.45



GOOD NEWS ON OUR ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Our parish project for several years as part of our support of the Annual Catholic Appeal has come to fruition.

The resurfacing and relining of the parking lot will be started in the near future. Your generosity has been the key to this success story. In particular a most generous, anonymous gift of \$10,000. This gift along with our 2023 ACA rebate of \$6,006.72 will cover \$16,006.72 towards this project cost of \$19,265. Looking forward this year's parish project is the roofing of our church. As the last roofing was 30 years ago while we have had good service from the current roof a new one is needed.



RUMMAGE SALE SUCCESS

Thank you to all of our parishioners for their support of the recent Ladies Guild Rummage Sale. This event raised over \$1,500.00 and involved over 250 hours of volunteer time by members of the Ladies Guild, St. Vincent's and Knights of Columbus. Your generous donations to the Rummage Sale have been turned into funds for these organizations to use to continue their work in our Parish.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FIRST-OF-THE-MONTH COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

Thank you for your generous donations towards our parish St. Vincent de Paul Society this weekend.



LADIES GUILD MEETING Monday, May 6, 12:30 pm

The Ladies Guild will meet on Monday, May 6, at 12:30 pm, in the Hall for their monthly meeting. The meeting will be preceded by Mass for the Ladies Guild Members at 12:00 pm.

ON LINE GIVING PORTALS

St. Mary Star of the Sea



<https://pushpay.com/g/stmaryporttownsend>

St. Mary's now has an online giving portal for the parish to the left and for the Annual Catholic Appeal on the right. These QR Codes are secure ways to contribute to our parish and Archdiocese.

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*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*

SACRAMENTS/SACRAMENTOS

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION /

SACRAMENTO DE RECONCILIACIÓN:

- * Saturday: 3:45-4:15 pm
- * Sunday: 10:00-10:45 am
- * Monday, Thursday, Friday: 11:15-11:45 am
- * Wednesday: 4:45-5:15 pm
- ****Confessions may also be scheduled by appointment by calling 360-385-3700.*
- * *Sábado: 3:45-4:15 pm*
- * *Domingo: 10:00-10:45 am*
- * *Lunes, Jueves, Viernes: 11:15-11:45 am*
- * *Miércoles: 4:45 - 5:15 pm*
- ****Las confesiones también se pueden programar con cita previa llamando al 360-385-3700.*

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT /

EXPOSICIÓN DEL SAGRARIO:

Friday 12:30—6:00 pm; First Friday 20 Hour Adoration

EUCARIST TO SHUT-INS & THE ILL /

EUARISTÍA PARA DESCAPACITADOS:

****CALL PARISH OFFICE AT 360-385-3700**

PRAYER CHAIN/CADENA DE ORACIONES:

Pat White 360-385-3063

Carol Hurley, ptcabin2@msn.com

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM/SACRAMENTO

DEL BAUTISMO:

Requires prep. classes, please call 360-385-3700

Clases de preparación—360-385-3700

FUNERAL/CHRISTIAN BURIAL/ENTIERRO:

Contact Parish Office before setting date. *Contactar al sacerdote antes de apartar la fecha. Call 360-385-3700*

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE/SACRAMENTO

DEL MATRIMONIO:

Six month notice and preparation classes required.

Call 360-385-3700. *Class de preparación requeridas*

6 meses antes—360-385-3700

In the event of sacramental emergencies contact the Parish Office:

Mon.-Thurs. 10:00 am-4:00 pm and Friday 10:00 am-2:00 pm.

Please call 360-385-3700.

ADMINISTRATION/ADMINISTRACIÓN

REVEREND PETER ADOKO-ENCHILL

PRIEST ADMINISTRATOR/SACERDOTE ADMINISTRADOR

PASTORAL ASSISTANT FOR ADMINISTRATION /

ASISTENTE PASTORAL PARA ADMINISTRACIÓN:

Courtney Gunn

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ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT / ASISTENTE ADMINISTRACIÓN:

Mark Ortmeier

mortmeier@stmaryss.com

MASS ASSISTANTS

MAY 11/12, 2024

ALTAR SERVERS

SAT. 4:30 pm: TBA

SUN. 8:30 am: Elizabeth/Rita

SUN. 11:00 am: Matt/Silas

GREETERS

SAT. 4:30 pm: Gloria Scheibe

SUN. 8:30 am: Youth

SUN. 11:00 am: Nancy McGilllis

LECTORS

SAT. 4:30 pm: Pat O'Keefe

SUN. 8:30 am: Javier Castillo

SUN. 11:00 am: Youth

MINISTERS OF THE CUP

SAT. 4:30 pm: TBA

SUN. 8:30 am: Stephanie/Aixia

SUN. 11:00 am: Joan/Sally

PARISH COUNCIL MEMBER NAMES AND PHONE NUMBERS

Lucero Moreno Figueroa	208-447-9471
Nancy Thornton	360-385-3540
Wayne Nagy	360-379-6887
Mary Kulish	360-297-4842
Robert Bufford	360-774-1062
Jovy Russ	360-385-0493
George Marciano	360-385-9651
Tim Arthur	360-531-2291

Readings for the Week...

MONDAY

Acts 16:11-15
Psalms 149:1-6, 9
John 15:26--16:4

TUESDAY

Acts 16:22-34
Psalms 138:1-3, 7-8
John 16:5-11

WEDNESDAY

Acts 17:15, 22--18:1
Psalms 148:1-2, 11-14
John 16:12-15

THURSDAY

Acts 18:1-8
Psalms 98:1-4
John 16:16-20

FRIDAY

Acts 18:9-18
Psalms 47:2-7
John 16:20-23

SATURDAY

Acts 18:23-28
Psalms 47:2-3, 8-10
John 16:23-28

SUNDAY

Acts 1:1-11
Psalms 47:2-3, 6-9
Ephesians 1:17-23
Mark 16:15-20