

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 JUNE 30/JULY 1, 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: Ed Carder

SUN. 8:15 am: Isaac and Elias Johnson

SUN. 11:00 am: Tiburcio Brennan and Maggie Anderson

GREETERS

SAT. 8:45 am: Carmen Boling

SAT. 5:30 pm: Kathy and Larry Bomke

Sun. 8:15 am: Laura Simpson and Nenita Chvilicek SUN. 11:00 am: Nancy McGillis and Pat Ryan

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 9:00 AM: For the special intentions of the Hispanic Community of St. Mary Star of the Sea.

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 5:30 PM: For the repose of the soul of Carolyn Butler and comfort of her family and **friends,** as requested by the Bereavement Support Ministry.

SUNDAY, JUNE 24, 8:15 AM: For the repose of the soul of Barry Tinley and his family, as requested by Maria Porter.

SUNDAY, JUNE 24, 11:00 AM: For the repose of the souls of John Overman, Bill Cable, and all deceased ushers of St. Mary Star of the Sea.

MONDAY, JUNE 25, 12:05 PM: For the special intentions of Jackie Petricka, as requested by Gordon and

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 6:30 PM: For the special intentions of the members of Saint Mary Star of the

THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 12:05 PM: For the oppressed, the outcast and the misunderstood of our society that they may experience Christ's healing presence and resolution to their distress.

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 12:05 PM: For a compassionate and just solution to immigration throughout the world reflective of the Love of Christ for all people.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, JUNE 25

11:30 am: CONFESSION

12:05 pm: MASS

TUESDAY, JUNE 26

12:05 pm: COMMUNION SERVICE 6:00 pm: Choir Practice--Church

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27

6:00 am: **CONFESSION** 6:30 pm: **MASS**

THURSDAY, JUNE 28

11:30 am: CONFESSION

12:05 pm: **MASS** 1:00 pm: St. Vincent de Paul Meeting--Hall

> FRIDAY, JUNE 29 SS. PETER AND PAUL

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

1:00 pm-6:00 pm: *Adoration*

SATURDAY, JUNE 30

9:00 am: **SPANISH MASS** 10:00 am: Spanish--Hall 4:30 pm: **CONFESSIONS**

5:30 pm: **MASS**

SUNDAY, JULY 1

8:15 am: MASS (CONFESSION 30 MIN. PRIOR) 11:00 am: MASS (CONFESSION 30 MIN. PRIOR)

Readings for the Week...

MONDAY 2 Kings 5-8, 13-15, 2 Kings 19:9-11, 18 14-21, 31-36 Palms 60:3-5, 12-13 Matthew 7:1-5

Psalms 48:2-4, Matthew 7:6, 12-14 Matthew 7:15-20

WEDNESDAY: 2 Kings 22:8-13, 23:1-3 Psalms 119:33-37, 2 Kings 24:8-17 Psalms 79:1-5, 8-9 Matthew 7:21-29

FRIDAY: Acts 12:1-11 Psalms 34:2-9 2 Timothy 4:6-8, Matthew 16:13-19

SATURDAY: Lamentations 2:2, 10-14, 18-19 Psalms 74:1-7, 20-21 Matthew 8:5-17

SUNDAY Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:3-24 Psalms 30:2, 4-6, 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9. Mark 5:21-43



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PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Week of 6/17/2018 Week #51

Week / Semana

Actual / Colecta Real \$ 5,448.00 \$ 7,382.49 **Budgeted** / Presupuesto <\$ 1,934.49>

Every effort will be made to minimize

appreciated during this time. Thanks!

any inconvenience to you and your

understanding will be greatly

Year to Date / Año Corrido

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Actual / Colecta Real \$ 361,215.16 Budgeted / Presupuesto \$ 376,506.99 <\$ 15,291.83>

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Repairs and

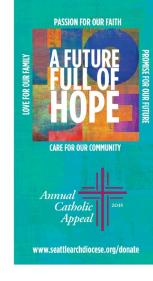
repainting are

Chapel, back

hallway and

underway in the

sacristy restroom.



2018 ANNUAL CATHOLIC **APPEAL**

(2018 Petición Católica Annual)

A special thank to Rita Beebe for the timely update last weekend regarding our Parish's response to the Annual Catholic Appeal Campaign. Thank you again to all who have already sent in their pledges and for demonstrating your "love not in word or speech but in deed and truth" through your gifts to the

Appeal. Through the appeal we each have the opportunity to do our share to address the needs of those beyond our parish walls, the needs we will probably never see or know about. We still find ourselves short of meeting our goal of \$60,606. Currently parishioners have generously pledged \$55,294.50. But this still leaves \$5,312.00 to go. For those who may not yet have sent in their pledge your help is still important and greatly needed. Please fill out a pledge envelope today or donate online – the web address is on the pledge envelopes located in the pews or at: www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate

All gifts have until April 2019 to be fulfilled.

"OUR MISSION IS TO...





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THE CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

VOCAL PRAYER

Through his Word, God speaks to man. By words, mental or vocal, our prayer

takes flesh. Yet it is most important that the heart should be present to him to whom we are speaking in prayer: "Whether or not our prayer is heard depends not on the number of words, but on the fervor of our souls."

Vocal prayer is an essential element of the Christian life. To his disciples, drawn by their Master's silent prayer, Jesus teaches a vocal prayer, the Our Father. He not only prayed aloud the liturgical prayers of the synagogue but, as the Gospels show, he raised his voice to express his personal prayer, from exultant blessing of the Father to the agony of Gethsemane.

The need to involve the senses in interior prayer corresponds to a requirement of our human nature. We are body and spirit, and we experience the need to translate our feelings externally. We must pray with our whole being to give all power possible to our supplication.

This need also corresponds to a divine requirement. God seeks worshippers in Spirit and in Truth, and consequently living prayer that rises from the depths of the soul. He also wants the external expression that associates the body with interior prayer, for it renders him that perfect homage which is his due.

Because it is external and so thoroughly human, vocal prayer is the form of prayer most readily accessible to groups. Even interior prayer, however, cannot neglect vocal prayer. Prayer is internalized to the extent that we become aware of him "to whom we speak." Thus vocal prayer becomes an initial form of contemplative prayer.

Fr. Peter

(reprinted from 6/18/18)

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.



NEW EXTRAORDINATRY MINISTER SCHEDULES AVAILABLE

New schedules for our extraordinary ministers and lectors are available in the sacristy. Please pick one up this

Sunday as you leave church.

FIRST MARTYRS OF THE CHURCH OF ROME Feast Day June 30

This feast day commemorates martyrs in the early Christian period known as the "Age of Martyrs". The placement of the feast is directly after the Solemnity of SS Peter and Paul, who are the principal patron saints of Rome. Specifically remembered are those who perished when Rome was devastated by fire on July of 64 AD, under the emperor Nero who accused the Christians. According to the historian Tacitus, many Christians were put to death "not so much of the crime of firing the city, as of hatred against mankind." Peter and Paul were probably among the victims.



2018 QUARTERLY ARCHDIOCESAN COLLECTIONS AND OFFERINGS

June/July/August 2018

June 23/24 Special Collection: Peter's Pence

Three Year Cycle: Mission
Cooperation Plan

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MEMORY CAFÉ

Memory Café provides a congenial setting for people with memory loss and their friends and family to connect and socialize. All are welcome. June 28, 2-3:30 pm, at Ferino's Pizzeria, 846 Ness'

Corner Rd., Hadlock. Contact Patricia Smith, 360-379-4186, patriciaandjaap@olympus.net.



IT MUST BE A SIGN...

The sign at our St. Mary's Cemetery is in the process of getting a needed face lift. Thanks to Tom Plut and Bob Long the sign is being repaired and repainted. Your work is much appreciated!



PARISH PHOTOGRAPHERS NEEDED

If you enjoy photography here is the opportunity you have been waiting for! Occasionally

the parish celebrates special events both during and outside of the Mass. Some of these may include Mass with Confirmation, Mass with First Communion, Corpus Christi, parish picnics, Simbang Gabi and Our Lady of Guadalupe celebrations and many others. It has become financially prohibitive to contract with a professional to complete this function. Yet, there is a real need to photograph these events for the parish. This is a ministry which deserves to be established for recording the history of the parish and many evangelization purposes and so that they can be enjoyed by those not attending. Amateur and professional photographers who think they would like to participate in this much needed ministry are invited to contact Kathleen Wadkins in the parish office to put your name on a list of volunteers to call. We would like to have a list of three or four photographers so that no one person is always responsible. The parish has some photography equipment available for use and will cover expenses incurred for development. The parish staff will take care of the distribution of photographs, etc.



Are you someone, or do you know someone who...

- ◆ Has expressed an interest in knowing more about the Catholic Church?
- Has previously expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- Were you or anyone you know baptized Catholic as a child but have not celebrated the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation?

We invite you to continue your spiritual journey by sharing your faith story in a warm, accepting setting as you explore the teachings of the Catholic Church.

"Save the Date!" Wednesday, August 22, at 6:30 pm, to attend an inquiry session regarding exploration of the Catholic Church's teachings. Please contact the parish office at (360) 385-3700 or Email kwadkins@stmaryss.com to arrange for an appointment with Fr. Peter Adoko-Enchill or Deacon Bill Swanson concerning your own personal spiritual journey.



IS YOUR MARRIAGE ALL IT WAS MEANT TO BE?

Seattle Are you struggling in your marriage?

Do you feel a sense of disillusionment

or sadness? Do you wish you could rekindle the spark you once had, but just don't know how? You are not alone. Retrouvaille (pronounced retro- $v\bar{l}$) can help. For confidential information about, or to register for our upcoming program beginning **August 17-19, 2018** call **206-706-2608** or visit our website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.



THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST Sunday 24, 2018

O God, You raised up Saint John the Baptist to prepare a perfect people for Christ. Fill Your people with the joy of possessing his grace

and direct the minds of all the faithful in the way of peace and salvation.

Grant us, as Saint John was martyred for truth and justice,

so we may energetically profess our Faith in You, and lead others to the Way, the Truth and eternal life. Amen.