



St. Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church

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The Ascension of the Lord, May 11/12, 2024

FATHER PETER FAREWELL PARTY

On Sunday, June 2, we will have a potluck lunch in the Hall to bid Fr. Peter farewell and to thank him for his service to our parish over the past 8 years. His last day with us will be June 30. June 2, is also the Feast of Corpus Christi. To accommodate this celebration as well as the one for Father Peter **there will be only one Mass that day at 10:00 am (no 8:30 or 11:00 am Mass)**. Please plan to attend this very special parish event.



Dear Mothers,
Thank you for the
love that we have
always counted on

*And may all of Our Lord's most precious
blessings be with you today and always!*

Annual Catholic Appeal

Financia ministerios y servicios para su comunidad católica local



¡Comparta sus dones hoy!

CAMPAÑA CATÓLICA ANUAL PARA 2024

La semana pasada recibiste una carta del Padre [nombre del sacerdote] apoyando la Petición Católica Anual de este año. Gracias a todos aquellos que ya han hecho un donativo o han devuelto su promesa de la Petición Católica Anual. Su

donativo marca la diferencia para nuestros hermanos y hermanas en todos los ámbitos de la vida, incluyendo 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 donativo, por favor considera el mensaje del sacerdote. Puede usar un sobre del banco, escanear el código QR en el sobre o conectarte en línea para hacer un donativo seguro y conveniente para la Petición. Considere comprometerse durante varios meses a apoyar a nuestra parroquia y financiar nuestro proyecto parroquial.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL FOR 2024

One mission, one family—together in Christ. Our parish is living out our mission through our strong support of the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal. Your gift supports our dedicated priests, deacons, religious women, and lay ministers who serve all of us as we strive to grow in our faith. Thank you to all who have returned your pledge and gift. And please remember that all funds received over our goal will be returned to our parish to support the reroofing of our church.



“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

- * Remember - the Rosary will be prayed each day before Mass during the month of May.
- * There will be no daily Mass or confessions on Monday, May 13, as Father Peter will be away from town.
- * The remembrance of our mothers whose names were included on our Mother's Day cards has been changed to Friday, May 17 at 12:00 pm



PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday May 27, for the Memorial Day Holiday. Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 am that day.

There will be no daily Mass or confessions on Monday, May 13, as Father Peter will be away from town.

MAY IS THE MONTH OF MARY

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

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.

MASSSES:

WEEKEND MASSES -

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

DAILY MASSES - In English

Monday - Mass	12:00 pm
Wednesday - Mass	5:30 pm
Thursday - Mass	12:00 pm
Friday - Mass	12:00 pm
Saturday - Mass	9:00 am

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

EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY FOR THE HOMEBOUND—Please call the Parish Office at 360-385-3700

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Feast Day May 13



"You are not alone, my child, and you must not be sad. I will be with you always, and my Immaculate Heart will be your comfort and the way which will lead you to God."

Our Lady of Fatima, June 13, 1917



Pentecost

NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Please continue to pray the Novena to the Holy Spirit in preparation for the celebration of Pentecost on Sunday, May 19. "The faithful who devoutly pray the novena may gain a partial indulgence for themselves or as an offering for the intentions of the faithful departed."



HEALING PRAYER - MAY 26

A healing prayer meeting will be held on May 26, after the 11:00 am Mass in the chapel.



THANKS TO OLYMPIC RENTALS

We would like to offer a special "Thank You" to Olympic Rentals in Hadlock for their kind assistance in the purchase of a new lawn mower for our cemetery and for selling our old one at no cost.

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.



HOUSE KEEPING REQUEST

It would be greatly appreciated if you would not eat or drink (except water) at Adoration and at our Masses. Also, if you will not be keeping your homilies or other materials please leave them at the ends of the pews as you leave and our volunteers will pick them up from there.



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*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 11, 4:30 PM: **For the repose of the soul of Ramon Aguilin**, as requested by Jackie Rick.

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 8:30 AM: **En memoria de todas las madres, vivas y fallecidas.**

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 11:00 AM: **In remembrance of all of our mothers both living and deceased.**

MONDAY, MAY 13, 12:00 PM: *No daily Mass as Father Peter will be away from town. Mass for mothers mentioned on our Mother's Day cards will be moved to Friday, May 17, at 12:00 pm.*

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 5:30 PM: **For all of the priests of our archdiocese for the success of their upcoming transitions to their new parishes.**

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 12:00 PM: **In remembrance of all souls who do not have anyone to pray for them.**

FRIDAY, MAY 17, 12:00 PM: **In remembrance of all of those whose names were included on our Mothers Day cards.**

SATURDAY, MAY 18, 9:00 AM: **For all unborn children and other discarded people young and old that they may rest in the loving heart of Jesus.**

THANK YOU!

Dear Parishioners. We want to express our appreciation to you for your continual support of Bayside Housing and Services. With your help we have provided 90,186 bed nights since our opening in April of 2016. (In response to our donation to Bayside from our 5% Committee).

Parish Stewardship As of 5/5/2024 Week #45

Actual/Colecta Real	\$ 9,223.06
Budgeted/Presupuesto	\$ 6,153.85
	\$ 3,069.21
Year-To-Date/Año Corrido	
Actual Collection/Colecta Real	\$ 282,995.91
Budgeted Collection/Presupuesto	\$ 276,923.25
	\$ 6,072.66



WHAT'S NEW WITH PARTNERS IN THE GOSPEL

You are encouraged to look at Father Maurer's blog. He will be the pastor of our new parish family. **He is including updates on our parish family in addition to his personal reflections**

www.fathermaurer.com. Such topics as

priest living situations, Mass time changes and other important information is provided. The insert to this week's bulletin includes this information. Just a friendly reminder, the Archdiocese has requested that we not contact Father Maurer prior to July first.

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 a new roof is needed.



SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL wants to help anyone who is in need of assistance. All requests are confidential. We wish to especially reach out to low income seniors you may know who may be in need. Thank you for your continuing support of their work. Your donations can also be made on-line at: <https://svdpejc.org/>. SVDP may be reached at 360-379-1325.

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.

Annual Catholic Appeal



*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

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MASS ASSISTANTS

MAY 18/19, 2024

ALTAR SERVERS

- SAT. 4:30 pm: TBA
- SUN. 8:30 am: Ashley and Karen
- SUN. 11:00 am: TBA

GREETERS

- SAT. 4:30 pm: Colette Lopeman and Sheila Gifford
- SUN. 8:30 am: Javier Castillo
- SUN. 11:00 am: Tim and LaTrecia Arthur

LECTORS

- SAT. 4:30 pm: Mae Babik
- SUN. 8:30 am: MMI
- SUN. 11:00 am: Courtney Gunn

MINISTERS OF THE CUP

- SAT. 4:30 pm: TBA
- SUN. 8:30 am: MMI
- SUN. 11:00 am: Sally and Nancy M.

**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 19:1-8
Psalms 68:2-7
John 16:29-33

TUESDAY

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26
Psalms 113:1-8
John 15:9-17

WEDNESDAY

Acts 20:28-38
Psalms 68:29-30, 33-36
John 17:11-19

THURSDAY

Acts 22:30; 23:6-11
Psalms 16:1-2, 5, 7-11
John 17:20-26

FRIDAY

Acts 25:13-21
Psalms 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20
John 21:15-19

SATURDAY

Acts 2:44-47
Psalms 131:1-3
Luke 12:22-31

SUNDAY

Acts 2:1-11
Psalms 104:1, 24, 29-31, 31
1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13
John 20:19-23