



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:

\*\*SEE SCHEDULE ON CONFESSIONS ON FRONT OF THIS  
BULLETIN

##### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT /

###### EXPOSICIÓN DEL SAGRARIO:

Friday 12:30– 5:30 pm

##### EUCCHARIST TO SHUT-INS & THE ILL /

###### EUARISTÍA PARA DESCAPACITADOS:

\*\*NOT AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME

##### 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.* 360-385-3700

##### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE / SACRAMENTO

###### DEL MATRIMONIO:

Six month notice and preparation classes require call 360-385-3700. *Class de preparación requeridas 6 meses antes—*

*In the event of sacramental emergencies please contact the Parish Office house M-Thurs. 10:00 am - 4:00 pm and Friday 10:00 am - 2:00 pm please call 360-385-3700.*

#### REMEMBER OUR ST.

##### VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Please remember our St. Vincent de Paul Society to provide them with the support they need to assist many needs throughout our community. Your donations can also be made on line at: <https://svdpejc.org/>.



#### Readings for the Week...

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1 Peter 5:1-4	Isaiah 55:10-11	Jonah 3:1-10	Esther 14:1, 3-5,	Ezekiel 18:21-28	Deuteronomy	Genesis 22:1-2, 9-
Psalms 23:1-6	Psalms 34:4-7, 16-	Psalms 51:3-4, 12-	12-14	Psalms 130:1-8	26:16-19	13, 15-18
Mark 16:13-19	19	13, 18-19	Psalms 138:1-3, 7-	Matthew 5:20-26	Psalms 119:1-2, 4-	Psalms 116:10,
	Mark 6:7-15	Luke 11:29-32	8		5, 7-8	15-19
			Matthew 7:7-12		Matthew 5:43-48	Romans 8:31-34
						Mark 9:2-10

#### ADMINISTRATION / ADMINISTRACIÓN

##### FR. RANDY GUARINO

##### INTERIM PRIEST ADMINISTRATOR / ADMINISTRADOR

###### SACERDOTE INTERINO

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##### Susie Gomez

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##### MAINTENANCE / MANTENIMIENTO:

##### Roger Cesmat

##### RETURNING CATHOLICS / CATÓLICOS REGRESAN:

Please call the Parish Office - 368-385-3700

#### COVID REMINDER

If your answer is “Yes” to any of these questions, please stay home! Note the new requirements below? **In the last 14 days, have you?**

- \* Traveled internationally?
- \* Been exposed to a person with suspected or confirmed COVID19?
- \* Had a temperature of at least 100.0° F?
- \* Had new or increased shortness of breath or difficulty breathing?
- \* Had a new cough?
- \* Had at least two of the following symptoms together: Chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, new loss of smell or taste, diarrhea, vomiting, runny nose/congestion or fatigue?

For further information contact the Jefferson County Health District 360-385-9400. If severely ill or unable to reach a public health nurse, please call your personal health care provider. For more information and COVID-19 information in other languages, please visit [www.jeffersoncountypublichealth.org](http://www.jeffersoncountypublichealth.org).



## St. Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church

### Reverend Randy Guarino

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(The Parish Office is temporarily closed.)

Please call for an appointment during office hours)

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 10:00 am-4:00 pm



## First Sunday of Lent, February 20/21, 2021



### WELCOME FATHER RANDY GUARINO

This weekend we have the pleasure of welcoming our new priest to the Parish and our lives at St. Mary Star of the Sea. Please receive him warmly and keep in your prayers that his time with us will be a blessing for us all.

#### NEWWEEKLY MASS AND DEVOTION SCHEDULE

♦ The Archbishop's dispensation from Mass attendance is still in effect.

##### MASSES

- \* SATURDAY EARLY VIGIL MASS IN ENGLISH 4:00 pm
- \* SATURDAY VIGIL MASS IN ENGLISH 5:30 pm
- \* DOMINGO MISA EN ESPAÑOL 8:30 am
- \* SUNDAY MASS IN ENGLISH 11:00 am  
(11:00 am live streaming Mass temporarily discontinued)
- \* DAILY MASSES -
  - Monday, Thursday and Friday 12:05 pm
  - Wednesday 5:30 pm
  - Saturday 9:00 am

##### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Friday 12:30—5:30 pm

##### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays during Lent 6:00 pm

(Reservations are requested for all Masses and devotional services - Please call 360-385-3700).

##### CONFESSIONS:

###### WEEKDAYS

Monday, Thursday, Friday 11:30—11:45 am  
Wednesdays 5:00—5:15 pm  
Saturday 8:30-8:45 am

###### WEEKENDS

Saturday 3:00—3:30 pm  
Sunday 9:45-10:30 am

## “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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### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE UPDATE

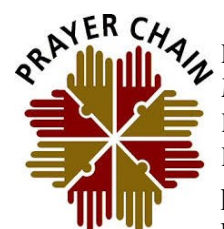
We have received back Stewardship of Treasure pledge cards with a heart full of gratitude from over half of our parish families. We thank those that have returned their pledge cards with prayers and financial promise. There is still time to return your pledge card today.



(The dark areas on the map above receive assistance through the Catholic Home Mission Collection)

### CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS COLLECTION

Right now, over 40 percent of dioceses in the United States are considered home mission territory because they are unable to fund the essential pastoral work needed in their communities. These dioceses face challenges due to priest shortages, lack of funds, remote geography, or impoverished parishes. Through annual grants the Catholic Home Mission Collecting funds catechesis, seminarian education, lay ministry training, Hispanic ministry and other pastoral programs. As a result of parishioners' generosity, Catholic Home Mission impacts the lives of nearly nine million Catholics in the United States. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated.



### 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. The purpose of our prayer chain is to provide spiritual support and healing for parishioners and their families.



### LKJA SPECIAL THANK YOU

#### 2020 Bayside Housing and Services Update

As a past recipient of the 5% Committee and parishioner support we want to share the impact made in 2020 with your help. Bayside Housing has been able to continue providing stability to those who most need it. Despite the challenges, we opened an additional 10 rooms to combat our growing waiting list; converted 4 rooms to accommodate more families; provided transitional housing and support service to 52 individuals and distributed over 7,900 hot meals to those in need. Along with the Old Alcohol Plant, the Bayside team and the community worked hard to build and place 12 tiny homes to further supplement the growing need for housing. Thank you St. Mary Star of the Sea for being a key contributor to our early operations. For more information on Bayside Housing and Services and how you can continue providing support visit [www.baysidehousing.org](http://www.baysidehousing.org)

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS EVERY FRIDAY



Plan to make the beautiful devotion of The Stations of the Cross a special part of your Lenten observance. They will be held each Friday of Lent at 6:00 pm. Parish families have volunteered to lead the processions. The weeks will alternate between English and Spanish. Friday, February 26, will be in Spanish for instance followed by English on March 5. Please note that seating will be very limited so reservations are strongly encouraged. Remember that singing is not allowed at this point.

### Parish Stewardship Week 2/7/2021 Week #33

Actual / Colecta Real	\$7,511.00
Budgeted / Presupuesto	\$6,902.15
	\$ 608.85
Year-To-Date / Año Corrido	
Actual Collection / Colecta Real	\$194,931.71
Budgeted Collection / Presupuesto	\$227,770.95
	<\$ 32,839.24>



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### MASS VOLUNTEERS FOR FEBRUARY 27/28

#### February 20:

##### 4:00 pm

Sacristan	Ed Carder
Sign In	Kim Nagy
Usher	Rita Beebe
Lector	Wayne Nagy
Pew Cleaners	George Marciano Rita Beebe

##### 5:30 pm

Sacristan	Judy Atkinson
Sign In	Susie Gomez
Usher	Rita Beebe
Lector	Carol Hurley
Pew Cleaners	Tim and Rita Whicher

#### February 21:

##### 8:30 am

Sacristan	Natalia Guevara
Sign In	Ignacio Hernandez
Usher	Rosa Hernandez
Lector	Kenia Velazquez
Pew Cleaners	Jose Garcia and Rita Beebe

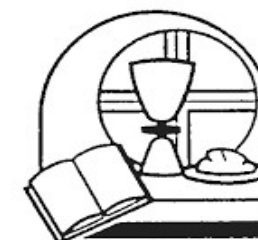
##### 11:00 am:

Sacristan	Nancy Bluhm
Sign In	Linda Monroe
Usher	Jovy Russ
Lector	Carol Kenyon



### RICE BOWL

Our parish will participate in the annual Rice Bowl program again this year. The small cardboard rice bowls are available in the narthex as you enter the church. This Lenten program gives us an opportunity for prayer, fasting and learning. Its fundraising component provides 75% of donations to fund developing world agriculture, educational and self-sufficiency projects. 25% of contributions are distributed as grants in Western Washington for local hunger projects and antipoverty programs.



### Mass Intentions Of The Week

*Holy Virgin Mary, remember us in our trials. Look kindly on all who are suffering or fighting against any difficulty. Have pity on those who are separated from someone they love. Have pity on the loneliness of our hearts. Have pity on the weakness of our faith and love. Have pity on those who are weeping, on those who are praying and on those who are fearful. Holy Mother, please obtain for all of us hope and peace.*

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20 4:00 PM: **In remembrance of the wedding anniversary of Ray and Laurine Ortmeier**, as requested by their family.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 5:30 PM: **For the repose of soul of Kianna Brown and the comfort of her family**, as requested by her friend Anna.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 8:30 AM: **Para la comunidad hispana de St. Maria Estrella del Mar.**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 11:00 AM: **For the repose of the soul of Cathy Luce**, as requested by Kathy Taylor.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 12:05 PM: **For all people who suffer loneliness and loss of social contact due to COVID that their lives may be warmed by the flame of love that is the heart of Jesus.**

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 5:30 PM: **For those who are near death today, that they may know the infinite mercy of God in the final moments of their earthly life.**

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 12:05 PM: **For the faithful departed, that they may come to the full blessedness of God's Kingdom.**

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 12:05 PM: **For the repose of the soul of Bill Tiddy**, as requested by Mary Pat Griswold.

### PLEASE NOTE:

*With the arrival of Fr. Randy Guarino, our new priest, daily masses will resume on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. As such, Mass intention requests will be received from now on for all days that Masses are offered.*