

St. Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church



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Pentecost Sunday, May 27/28, 2023



THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, MAY 29, for the Memorial Day Holiday. Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 am.



PARTNERS IN THE GOSPEL

Planning for the Future

Partners in the Gospel is a strategic pastoral planning effort taking place across the Archdiocese of Seattle to re-invigorate and renew our local Catholic Church.

In this process the pastor, parish leaders and parishioners will determine how new faith families will best join together to carry out the mission of the Church in each locality. There is no predetermined outcome for this strategic pastoral planning effort. The outcomes will differ by parish family, but some changes might include a new pastor and parochial vicar, changes to Mass times and locations, and new outreach ministry opportunities. While the possibility of parish closings may exist it is the parish leadership, with input from parishioners and guidance from the Holy Spirit, who will make decisions about how to best carry out their mission locally.

For information on *Partners in the Gospel* please see the Archdiocesan website: <https://archseattle.org/partners/> — especially the Q&A section. This information is also on our parish website at stmaryss.com.



OUR ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL FOR 2023 IS IN PROGRESS

"Give and it will be given to you." ~ Luke 6:23

Thank you to all those who have contributed to this year's Annual Catholic Appeal so far. Your gifts are greatly appreciated. The Archbishop is grateful as well for all the gifts you share with our parish and our diocese. This week he is sending out a letter to those still considering their gift to the ACA campaign. Please watch for his letter. He is inviting you to participate in supporting our own local Catholic community through your gift. The funds pledged will support many archdiocesan-wide ministries including mental health, faith formation and CYO camps---where each summer thousands of children learn respect and dignity for themselves, others and the environment---all through Catholic teachings. Please take time to consider Archbishop Etienne's enclosed note. Keep an eye on the tracking thermometer on our website to see our progress! See the update below!

- * PARISH GOAL: \$47,964
 - * 61 families or 23% of parish families have contributed to date.
 - * Total pledges and gifts received so far is \$19,050.
- Make your checks payable to the Archdiocese of Seattle and mail them directly.

Please note that if we fall short of our goal amount that the Archdiocese will assess our parish for the remaining balance.

"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 IN WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- * On Monday, May 29, the Parish Office will be closed for the Memorial Day Holiday. Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 am.
- * On Friday, May 2, the Novena Prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus will be prayed at 11:30 am, followed by Mass at 12:00 pm. Twenty-Hour Adoration will follow Mass at 12:30 pm - 12:00 thru 9:00 am, Saturday morning. This will include Hispanic Adoration from 6-9:00 pm on Friday evening.
- * **THERE WILL BE NO COFFEE HOUR BETWEEN MASSES ON JUNE 4.**

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

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

***Church doors are open 10:00 am - 4:00 pm M-F and at regular Confession / Mass times on the weekends.**

MASSES:

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

ADORATION - Friday 12:30 pm - 6:00 pm

* *Hispanic Adoration* 6:00 pm

CONFESSIONS -

- * Saturday: 3:45-4:15 pm
- * Sunday: 10:00-10:45 am
- * Monday, Thursday and Friday: 11:15-11:45 am
- * Wednesday: 4:45-5:15 pm

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

SPIRITUALITY CLASSES - 6:00 pm on Wednesday evenings in the Parish Building and after Mass at 12:30 pm on Thursday afternoons in Parish Office class rooms.

FAMILY ROOM AVAILABLE - Our Family Room is available for the comfort of families with restless children at the left side of the statue of the Blessed Lady at the front of the church.



THANK YOU TO OUR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

Sunday, May 28 – Pentecost - is the last day of our Religious Education year. It is also a fitting day for us to take time to thank our Religious Education teachers and volunteers for being the “Apostles of St. Mary’s”. We thank Our Lord for your endeavors to instill our faith in the next generations. We thank you for your rolls in guiding our children in their spiritual development and for the different ways you provide for all of us. Thank you for the gift of opening their eyes and hearts to the love of Our Lord. Thank you for making a difference by preparing lessons, showing up each Sunday, and facing multiple challenges week after week (hopefully some smiles too). Thank you for your patience through out the year! May you all be blessed abundantly in return for the many, ways you have blessed us and for your part in teaching our children not only to be a part in the body of Christ on earth but one day standing in glory before Jesus as well.



FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI AND POTLUCK

June 11

The Feast of Corpus Christi—The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ— is Sunday, June 11. There will be a traditional procession around the outside of the church following this Mass. A potluck will follow in the Social Hall after the procession. **Please come regardless of whether you have a dish to share or not!**



“MOMENT OF PRAYER FOR THE SYNOD”

May 31

The General Secretariat of the Synod of Bishops has invited the Church throughout the world to a “moment of prayer” for the Synod on Friday, May 31, 2023, the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

A suggested prayer:

Lord our God,

you have called all of us to listen humbly to your Holy Spirit and to one another, especially those on the margins.

Give each of us the compassionate, humble, and welcoming heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary, who “set out in haste” to help her cousin Elizabeth.

Guide and bless the Synodal Process, that your Church may journey together ever more effectively.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



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Mass Intentions for the Week

Protect your servants, Lord, and keep us in peace. As we trust in the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary and all the saints, keep us safe from every danger and bring us to everlasting life through Christ our Lord. Amen.

SATURDAY, MAY 27, 4:30 PM: For the intentions of all of the members of St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish both living and deceased.

DOMINGO 28 DE MAYO, 8:30 AM: Para la comunidad hispana de St. Maria Estrella del Mar.

SUNDAY, MAY 28, 11:00 AM: For the repose of the soul of Brian Bland and the comfort of his family, as requested by St. Mary's Bereavement Ministry.

MONDAY, MAY 29, 10:00 AM: That our Lord may keep in His mercy those men and women who have died in the cause of freedom and bring them safely into His kingdom of justice and peace.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31, 4:30 PM: For the success of the Synod of Bishops.

THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 12:00 PM: For the repose of the soul of Cecillio Morales, as requested Martha and Kevin Tansey.

FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 12:00 PM: May all of the departed find hope in God's loving presence and that those who mourn their loss may be comforted.

SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 9:00 AM: For the sick that they may receive the healing power of God and for the dying that they may be calmed and gratefully accept the assurance of everlasting life.

Your special intentions may also be written in the Book of Intentions located in the narthex.



CELEBRATION OF NEW PARISHIONERS June 4, 11:00 am

Following the 11:00 am Mass on June 4, we will host a reception for all new members to the parish in the Social Hall to welcome them and provide an opportunity to meet other parishioners. Please plan to join in this special event.



DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

The Sacred Heart of Jesus Novena will be prayed on next Friday, June 2, at 11:30 am, followed by Mass at 12:00 pm and then 20-hour Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FIRST SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

Please remember our parish St. Vincent de Paul Society generously for their first of the month collections at all Masses next weekend.



BLESSINGS ON YOUR ANNIVERSARIES AND BIRTHDAYS

Father Peter would like to invite all those who have had anniversaries and birthdays in the months of April and May to come forward at the end of the Masses on Saturday, June 3 and Sunday June 4 for blessings.

NOW HIRING
APPLY TODAY

CAREER OPPORTUNITY AT ST. MARY'S

St. Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Parish is seeking a Pastoral Assistant for Administration to serve our vibrant faith community in beautiful Port Townsend, Washington. If you have been blessed with gifts of business administration, accounting, staff supervision, facilities management, and IT, then we would like to talk with you. It's so much more than a job when your faith aligns with your work; interested, practicing Catholics are encouraged to apply. We offer competitive wages and good benefits. Please send your cover letter and resume to St. Mary Star of the Sea, ATTN: Kathleen Wadkins PAA, 1335 Blaine St., Port Townsend, WA 98368.

Parish Stewardship As of 5/21/2023 Week 47

Actual/Colecta Real	\$ 4,551.40
Budgeted/Presupuesto	\$ 5,769.25
	(\$ 1,217.85)
Year-To-Date/Año Corrido	
Actual Collection/Colecta Real	\$ 287,857.59
Budgeted Collection/Presupuesto	\$ 271,154.75
	\$ 16,702.84



FATHER'S DAY CARDS ARE AVAILABLE

Greeting cards for Father's Day, June 18, are available in the narthex. The Father's names included on these cards will be especially remembered on Sunday, June 18, at the 11:00 am Mass.



*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.*

Readings for the Week...

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Genesis 3:9-15, 20	Sirach 35:1-12	Zephaniah 3:14-18	Sirach 42:15-25	Sirach 44:1, 9-13	Sirach 51:12-20	Exodus 34:4-6, 8-9
Psalms: 87:1-3, 5-7	Psalms 50:5-8, 14, 23	Isaiah 12:2-6	Psalms 33:2-9	Psalms 149:1-6, 9	Psalms 19:8-11	Daniel 3:52-55
John 19:25-34	John 10:28-31	Luke 1:39-56	Mark 10:46-52	Mark 11:11-26	Mark 11:27-33	2 Corinthians 13:11-13
						John 3:16-18

ADMINISTRATION / ADMINISTRACIÓN

REVEREND PETER ADOKO-ENCHILL

PRIEST ADMINISTRATOR / SACERDOTE ADMINISTRADOR

PASTORAL ASSISTANT FOR ADMINISTRATION /

ASISTENTE PASTORAL PARA ADMINISTRACIÓN:

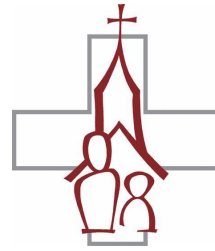
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MASS ASSISTANTS

JUNE 3/4, 2023

REMINDER: Servers and Greeters, not Parish staff, are responsible for finding a substitute once a schedule is disseminated. Thanks.

ALTAR SERVERS

SAT. 4:30 pm: Sam and Eli Johnson

SUN. 8:30 am: TBD

SUN. 11:00 am: TBD

GREETERS

SAT. 4:30 pm: Lito and Rosa Aquiling

SUN. 8:30 am: Aixa and Alex Duran

SUN. 11:00 am: Nenita Chvilicek

LECTORS

SAT. 4:30 pm: Wayne Nagy

SUN. 8:30 am: Rosa Mora

SUN. 11:00 am: Crystal Pillifant

**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