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MASS

Mon-Thurs: 7:30am Fri -Sat: 9am

Saturday (Sunday Vigil): 5pm

Sunday: 8am*, 11am*, 5pm LIVESTREAM OF THE MASS highlighted in green above. Link available on website.

*Childcare available during morning Masses

CONFESSION

Wednesday: 5pm Saturday: 10am & 3pm

CHURCH

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Deacon: Bill Hamlin **Deacon:** Mikhail Alnajjar **Deacon:** James Johnson

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Welcome to Our Parish!

If you are new to Star of the Sea, we welcome you to our Parish family. We hope that you will feel at home here. Please pick up a registration card in the Church vestibule or call the Parish Office. If you are seeking answers, we invite you to visit www.CatholicsComeHome.org or call the Parish Office to schedule an appointment to visit with Fr. Lappe about the Catholic Faith.

Bulletin Information Deadline Noon on Friday (week before), in writing, or email bulletin@starofthesea.net

Assisted Listening Devices

Available in vestibule. Please ask an usher for assistance

Sacrament of Baptism

For information on infant Baptism please contact the Parish Office. We encourage parents to arrange for Baptism before the birth of the child.

Sacrament of Marriage

If you are seeking to receive the Sacrament of Marriage at Star of the Sea, please contact the Parish Office.

Adult Reception Into the Church

Classes of inquiry to join the Church are available throughout the year. If you are seeking to learn more or would like to become a member of the Catholic Church, we encourage you to email RCIA@starofthesea.net for more info.

Parish Staff & Ministry Directory
Go online at starofthesea.net

FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES CALL PARISH OFFICE AT 360-479-3777 anytime

Natural Family Planning

Consultation and/or instruction call Lucy at 360-271-3611; clemenlucy@gmail.com

Communion for the Homebound

If you have been injured, ill, or had surgery, please call the Parish Office so that you can be put on the Communion list.

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is available 24 hours a day. For information contact Carolyn: 360-871-8447 ccaarsh@outlook.com

Prayer Line

Confidential prayer requests contact Judy: 360-692-3077 judyjenniges@comcast.net

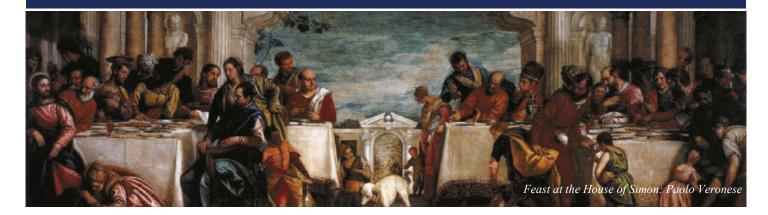
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Recurring Gifts

Would you like to set up a recurring gift? Visit <u>starofthesea.infellowship.com</u>

22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



To ALL Our Lady Star of the Sea Parishioners:



MANY THANKS to all of you for the love, patience, and hospitality you showed my wife, June, and I while serving you at Star of the Sea. I was so blessed to meet so many of you (talking, laughing, crying, and sharing our faith). Know that YOU have been instrumental in our faith journey; thank you. You are blessed with Fr. Lappe being at the helm, assisted by two wonderful Deacons and supportive staff. You are also blessed to have Meg, a beautiful spirit, to keep the parish running smoothly.

Since I will still be teaching at the Aquinas Classical Academy, I am sure that our paths will cross. Please pray for me as I start my new endeavor at St. Nicholas, as I will be praying for all of you. Many blessings...

- Deacon Mikhail Alnajjar

VIANNEY CENACLE

COME PRAY FOR PRIESTS & VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD!

Next Vianney Cenacle: Thursday, September 1 7:00-8:00pm

Star of the Sea Church

We entrust Your priests to the Immaculate Heart of Mary!



PRAYER REQUESTS



In your kindness and charity towards others, please pray for the sick, the homeless, the homebound, the imprisoned, the unemployed, all our military overseas, those waiting for test results, children & expectant Mothers and those who are held in our hearts:

Pat Weygandt

If you wish to include a name in our prayer request section of the bulletin, please call us at the parish office: (360) 479-3777

For the repose of the souls of all who have died, esp. **Gordon Hopeland** and Brian Jolin. May God grant them the joy of eternal life and peace for their families.

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday, August 28

Mass times 8am, 11am, 5pm, Michael Mullin, INT

⇒6:30pm Young Adults "Roots", Camerman Hall

Monday, August 29

(M) Passion of St. John the Baptist

- ⇒7:30am, Elaine Santos, INT
- ⇒Legion of Mary, Center room 1

Tuesday, August 30

- ⇒9am Mass—(1st Day of School), Jeffrey Large, RIP
- ⇒8:30am Bible Study, Center rms 3 & 4

Wednesday, August 31

- ⇒7:30am Mass, Ralph Brock, RIP
- ⇒ 9:30am Rosary Makers, Camerman Hall
- ⇒ 5pm Confession
- ⇒ 6pm Parish Family Hour, begins w/potluck, Camerman Hall

Thursday, September 1

- ⇒7:30am Mass, William Duncan Brown, RIP
- ⇒11:30am Altar Society, Center Rms .3 & 4
- ⇒6pm Gospel Study, Conference room
- ⇒7pm Vianney Cenacle, Church

Friday, September 2

Most Sacred Heart

⇒9am Mass, Altar Society, RIP

Saturday, September 3

- ⇒9am Mass, Legion of Mary, RIP
- ⇒ 10am & 3pm Confession
- ⇒ 10am Men's Spirituality, Center rm. 5
- ⇒ 10am Militia Immaculata, Center rms.3/4
- ⇒5pm Mass

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please contact Carolyn at (360) 871-8447 to choose any hour that would suit you.

Day Captains are also needed; providing less than 30 minutes per week effort, from home.

MARY'S PLACE NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

We have many positions open, but especially need volunteers to set up for dining at 3:45 - 4:45pm, and others to do cleanup, 6:30 - 7:30pm. Work on a team once a month or as a substitute.



To volunteer, contact: mpscheduler@starofthesea.net



STAND UP FOR LIFE GALA

Come celebrate thee 14th Annual Stand Up for Life Gala w/ Fr. Robert Spitzer & Camille Pauley.

- ♦ Bellevue, WA—Friday, September 23
- ◆Coeur d'Alene, ID—Saturday, September 24

Reserve your seat at: www.healingtheculture.com/gala

Can't make it in person? Register for the Gala-in-a-Box!

STAR OF HOPE GALA



Save the Date - Saturday, November 19 - Star of Hope Gala

The 7th Annual St. Vincent de Paul Star of Hope Gala will be live and in person this year! This is the primary event to benefit the Stella Maris Women's Shelter. The Gala will be held on Saturday evening, November 19 at the Kitsap Golf and Country Club, 3885 NW Golf Club Hill Rd, Bremerton.

Plan on attending another fun-filled evening with dinner and entertainment. In addition, there will be a silent, online auction starting November 14. All items will be available for bidding all week. Thank you for helping us help others. Your generosity truly makes a difference!

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

PROGRAMS BEGINNING THIS SEPTEMBER

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

- - BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 14 - -

6:00pm - 7:30pm | Ends with Prayer in Church



FAITH WORKS

WHO: Boys & Girls Grades PreK-5
WHERE: Parish Center/School



FIDELIS

WHO: Girls Grades 6-12
WHERE: JP2 Youth Center



FRATERNUS

WHO: Boys Grades 6-12 WHERE: Gvm

WEEKEND PROGRAMS



SPARKS YOUTH GROUP

REGINNING SEPTEMBER 11

WHO: Boys & Girls Grades 6-8
WHEN: Sundays, 12:30pm-2:00pm
WHERE: JP2 Youth Center



IGNITE YOUTH GROUP

REGINNING SEPTEMBER 10

WHO: Boys & Girls Grades 9-12 WHEN: Saturdays, 6:30-8:00pm WHERE: Center Rooms 1 & 2



TEEN CONFIRMATION

REGINNING SEPTEMBER 11

WHO: Boys & Girls Ages 12-18
WHEN: Sundays, 9:30am-10:45am
WHERE: Center Rooms 1 & 2

For more information about & to register for our programs, visit: www.starofthesea.net or youth.starofthesea.net

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- Boxed Meals
- Canned Meals (Ravioli, chili)
- Kid friendly snacks for the summer

Thank you for your generosity!

Rachel's Corner

Hope and Healing After Abortion

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Email projectrachel@ccsww.org. Visit us at www.ccsww.org/projectrachel or www.facebook.com/projectrachelww.

*** SAVE THE DATE! ***

Our St. Vincent de Paul Assistance Office will hold an Open House event on September 18th, from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Lunch will be provided. Watch future bulletins for more details. Hope you can join us!



YOUTH NEWS / EVENTS



Teen Confirmation Kick-Off Retreat

Saturday, September 10

beginning with 9am Mass - 4:30pm

A meeting for parents will be at 4:00pm to go over expectations for the year. This retreat is one of the two required retreats for the Teen Confirmation Class of 2023.

Haven't Registered for Teen Confirmation yet? Visit: YOUTH.STAROFTHESEA.NET/TEEN-CONFIRMATION

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

O.C.I.A. Order of Christian Initiation of Adults www.starofthesea.net/rcia

ALPHA Classes:

Begins September 13

Tuesdays, 6:00-7:30pm, Camerman Hall Questions about becoming Catholic or returning to the Church?

Email: RCIA@starofthesea.net

PARISH FAMILY HOUR:

Wednesdays, 6:00-7:30pm, Camerman Hall

BIBLE STUDY:

- ⇒ Tuesdays, 8:30am Ctr Rms 1 & 2 Contact: clemenlucy@gmail.com or 360-271-3611
- ⇒ Thursdays, 6pm Adult Gospel Study, Parish Center Conference Room

THAT MAN IS YOU

Interactive men's focus group

Begins September 15

Thursdays, 6am breakfast in Camerman Hall. Contact Rene: TMIY@starofthesea.net

YOUNG ADULTS:

Contact: axel@starofthesea.net

ROOTS

Sundays after 5pm Mass, Camerman Hall. Visit: facebook.com/staryoungadults



• OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA • CATHOLIC SCHOOL

AUGUST 28, 2022 NEWSLETTER

PRAYER TO BEGIN THE SCHOOL YEAR

God of wisdom and might, we praise you for the wonder of our being, for mind, body and spirit. Be with our children as they begin a new school year. Bless them, their teachers, and the staff. Give them strength and grace as their bodies grow; wisdom and knowledge to their minds as they search for understanding; and peace and zeal to their hearts We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SCHOOL EVENTS

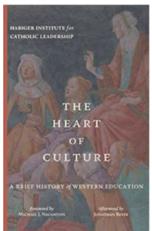
- ⇒ Tuesday, August 30 First Day of School (Grades 1-8)
- ⇒ Wednesday, August 31 Kindergarten Orientation
- \Rightarrow Friday, September 2
 - 1st Day of Kindergarten
 - Half Day for all students

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Pastor, Fr. Derek Lappe
Principal, Mrs. Tina Powell
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SUGGESTED READING: "THE HEART OF CULTURE"



Families seeking to understand the Western culture and the need for an educational revival, could read *The Heart of Culture* as a helpful source. This book is a history of Western education and a profound witness to the necessity of maintaining tradition.

The West is the product, not of geographic, ethnic, or political forces, but of a dynamic educational tradition. When that tradition breaks down, the culture suffers a crisis of identity similar to what we

are experiencing. This short book confronts that crisis, bringing to light the living, intricate educational tradition that built the West, from the Greek ideal of paideia to John Henry Newman's idea of a university.



SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

Under the patronage of our Blessed Mother, the mission of Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic School is to support parents in their role as the primary educators of their children.

Our classical training nourishes the students' natural sense of wonder and guides them to know and love what is genuinely good, true, and beautiful. Faithful to the teachings of the Catholic Church, we form our students to be virtuous disciples of Jesus Christ and joyful witnesses to the Gospel.



Heart of Jesus, burning with love for me, inflame my heart with love of Thee.

Sacred Heart of Jesus, today I wish to live in Thee, in Thy grace, in which I desire, at all costs, to persevere. Keep me from sin and strengthen my will by helping me to keep watch over my senses, my imagination, and my heart. Help me to correct my faults, which are the source of sin. I beg of Thee to do this, O Jesus, through Mary, Thy Immaculate Mother. Amen.

Mary's Little Tots Shop

LOVE in Action

A huge, heartfelt **THANK YOU** to all who have volunteered or who have donated to our shop to help families with children under six. Words can't express our appreciation for your generosity and kindness.

God has a special place waiting for people like you.

Mary's Little Tots Shop has new hours and days of operation starting Tues, Sept. 13th. We will be open every 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Tuesday of the month from 11:00-1:00.

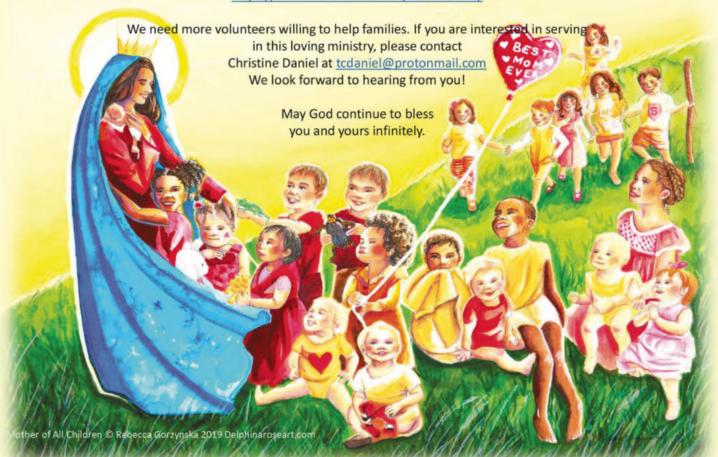
Please know our shop is not a crisis ministry, but is a hand's up ministry to serve **ALL in need** of items for babies and children in our parish and community. Our desire is to instill a cooperative exchange community of gently used or new items to help those who could use it.

For those needing additional support, know you are not alone. Caring, trained companions are available for both moms and dads who could use a friend. We will walk with you on your parenting journey from the moment you said "YES" to life and through your child's sixth birthday.

Regarding donations, we are infinitely grateful for all donations, but can only accept new or gently used items, diapers, wipes, small toys and books. Please contact our PREPARES Coordinator if you have larger items to donate as we are limited on space and can not accept some items. Please also note, we can not accept baby food.

Current DONATION NEEDS include Diapers size NB, 4 & 5 Boys and Girls clothing sizes 4-6

Please consider donating on-line via OLSOS STEWARDSHIP https://www.starofthesea.net/donations-2/





September 28 - November 6 400DAYS FORLIFE®

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Here's how to take part in 40 Days for Life in our community:

- Vigil location: Outside Planned Parenthood,
 723 NE Riddell Rd, Bremerton, WA 98311
- Vigil hours: 12:00am to 12:00am daily
- Local contact, Laurie Coykendall: 360-509-9395
 | bremerton40daysforlife@gmail.com
- Learn more ... get involved ... and sign up for prayer times by visiting our campaign at the web address shown below!

40daysforlife.com/bremerton

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OF YOUR BODY (AGES 13+)

OCTOBER 9, 2022 7:00 - 8:30 PM

\$20 Tickets to attend this event only

EVENING INCLUDES:

What's the meaning of sex, gender, and the human body? The truth of masculinity and femininity are being questioned like never before. Discover how your body as a man or woman reveals your identity and calling.

Purchase Tickets with OR Code:

Both events include free resources for attendees!

The parish will be offering a dinner option at 6:00 pm. For more information contact: St. Brendan's at 425.483.9400



Lives of the Saints SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT

Feast Day: September 3

Pope Saint Gregory I, also known as the Great, was the Pope of the Catholic Church between 590 and 604 AD.

Ordained a priest, Gregory became one of the pope's seven deacons, and also served six years in the East as papal representative in Constantinople. He was recalled to become abbot, but at the age of 50 was elected pope by the clergy and people of Rome.

Gregory was direct and firm. He removed unworthy priests from office, forbade taking money for many services, emptied

the papal treasury to ransom prisoners of the Lombards and to care for persecuted Jews and the victims of plague and famine. He was very concerned about the conversion of England, sending 40 monks from his own monastery. He is known for his reform of the liturgy, and for strengthening respect for doctrine. Many of the changes to the Mass remain today, for example the placement of the Our Father in the Mass.

Pope Gregory may have also established "cantus planus," known in English as plainchant. Most today know this style of singing as Gregorian Chant. The melodious, monophonic music is known throughout the Church and closely associated with medieval monasteries. Gregorian chant gives us the oldest music we still have in the original form, some dating to the centuries just after the death of Gregory.

In his book, Pastoral Care, on the duties and qualities of a bishop, Gregory describes bishops mainly as physicians whose main duties are preaching and the enforcement of discipline. In his own down-to-earth preaching, Gregory was skilled at applying the daily Gospel to the needs of his listeners. Called "the Great," Gregory has been given a place with Augustine, Ambrose, and Jerome, as one of the four key doctors of the Western Church.











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