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Fri -Sat: 9am

Saturday (Sunday Vigil): 5pm

Sunday: 8am*, 11am*, 5pm

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CONFESSION

Wednesday: 5pm

Saturday: 10am & 3pm

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Deacon: James Johnson

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AUGUST 27, 2023

21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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. To sign up for an hour, email mark@starofthesea.net

Prayer Line

Confidential prayer requests contact Lynn LaMarche: (360) 674-2200 lynn@starofthesea.net

St. Vincent de Paul Assistance

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Christ Gives Peter the Keys to Heaven: Jean Auguste Dominique Ingres



WHO DO YOU SAY THAT I AM?

When Jesus inquires concerning the opinion of people in general, he refers to himself obliquely as *the Son of man*. But when he asks his disciples the question, what he says is, “*Who do you say that I am?*”...As a focus shifts from people in general to the apostles themselves, Jesus’ manner of referring to himself likewise shifts from a third-person objective title to the first-person intimate pronoun...

The apostles have had ample opportunity to experience the rays of Jesus’ inmost being shining upon their persons like the sun, in contrast to the multitude that have merely heard rumors about him or have projected their own expectations onto this itinerant rabbi. Therefore, Jesus’ question to the disciples is not so much an official examination at the end of a period of scholastic training as it is a hopeful query by a Lover who needs to know to what extent he is known, understood, and accepted in his deepest identity by those he loves, those to whom he has been at pains to manifest himself. To the happy (and indifferent) eclecticism of “John the Baptist, Elijah, Jeremiah, or one of the prophets,” Jesus reacts by saying to those sitting by him: “But you, my dear friends: you who know the contour of my face and the sound of my voice...Could *you* pick me out in the confusion of a dark room full of prophets as your (and God’s) one and only Beloved? Am I present to you as the total person that I am? It is, after all, to reveal the Father that I came, and you can know the Father only if you know who *I* am!”

- ERASMO LEIVA-MERIKAKIS (FR. SIMEON)



*From God and through him and for him
are all things. To him be glory forever.*

ROMANS 11:36



PRAYER REQUESTS



*In your kindness and charity towards others, please pray for
the sick, homeless, homebound, the imprisoned, the unemployed, all our
military overseas, and all who are held in our hearts:*

Linda McDaniel, Arthur Lente, Nathan Dixon, Cole Eckert, Walt Brown, Felix Fabellano, Andras Ordog, Lacsamana family, Ray & Patrick Costello, Michael Childs, Sharon Christodoulou, Dom Monzon, Glenda Isbell, Kim Marbais, Linda B, Jose Materne, Joan Halmrast, Iva M Lehmann, Sharona Belles, Ross Smith, Benny Castro, Anthony Lente, Melody Chanco, Steven & Sonia Pickering, Cheryl Browne, Phil Bawden, Teresa Aragon, Antonio Charles, Leo Fuentes, Dianne Huebert, Randall family, Elsa Gragasín, Sandra Pick, Steve & Brenda Walke, John Lange, Dominique Neidig (Lefaive), Teri Conklin, Kris Ceithamer, Hugh Black, Johnthony Acosta, Marianne Knifong and Kathy Snider.

For the repose of all the souls who have died, especially **Susan Kaye Pozar**.
May God grant them the joy of eternal life and peace for their families.

HAPPENING THIS WEEK...

Sunday, August 27

- ⇒ **Mass Times 8am, 11am, 5pm** *Luke Garrison, RIP*
- ⇒ 1pm Street Outreach, Parish Center Parking Lot
- ⇒ 6:15pm Roots Young Adults, Camerman

Monday, August 28

(M) St. Augustine

- ⇒ **7:30am Mass** *Stacy Miron, INT*
- ⇒ 8:30am Legion of Mary, Center Room 1

Tuesday, August 29

FIRST DAY of SCHOOL

(M) Passion of John the Baptist

- ⇒ **7:30am Mass** *Marcus & Myki Bufford, INT*
- ⇒ 8:30am Bible Study, Center Room 1

Wednesday, August 30

- ⇒ **7:30am Mass** *Maria Hong Tran, RIP*
- ⇒ 9:30am Rosary Makers, Center Room 1
- ⇒ 5pm Confession

Thursday, August 31

- ⇒ **7:30am Mass** *William & Eleanor Brine, INT*
- ⇒ 6pm Gospel Study, Conference Room

Friday, September 1

(m) St. Joseph Calasanz

- ⇒ **9am Mass** *Altar Society, INT*

Saturday, September 2

(m) Blessed Virgin Mary

- ⇒ 7am Men's Group, Conference Room
- ⇒ **9am Mass** *Legion of Mary, INT*
- ⇒ 10am Confession
- ⇒ 10am Militia Immaculata, Center Rooms 3 & 4
- ⇒ 10am Men's Spirituality, Center Room 5
- ⇒ 3pm Confession
- ⇒ **5pm Mass**



VIANNEY CENACLE

Thursday, September 7 @ 7pm in the church

Come Pray for Priests & Vocations to the Priesthood!
We entrust Your priests to the Immaculate Heart of Mary!



HEALING STORIES OF HARM CATHOLIC MEN'S THERAPEUTIC WILDERNESS INTENSIVE

September 8-10 | \$199

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As our heartache has been formed in relationships, so it is healed through relationships. Set out into the deep healing waters by walking with others in this wilderness intensive. To learn more, contact info@saintgeorgecounseling.org

CelebrateCalm

PARENT WORKSHOP

SEPTEMBER 20 | *Camerman Hall*

5:30PM Potluck dinner (bring a dish to share!)
6:00 PM Workshop with Kirk

Join us for this Free event! No registration needed.
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Thank you

AS ST. PAUL TELLS US IN 1 COR13:13

*"So faith, hope and charity abide these three,
but the greatest of these is charity."*

Thank you all for your charitable donations to the food drive in support of the St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank last weekend.

Over 1,000 pounds of food was collected
along with **\$1,299 in cash donations.**
These will help SVdP Food Bank overcome recent food shortages.
Thank you!



ADULT FAITH FORMATION

O.C.I.A.

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

www.starofthesea.net/rcia

Classes Begin September 12!

Questions about becoming Catholic or returning to the Church?

Email: RCIA@starofthesea.net

PARISH FAMILY HOUR: Resumes Sept. 13

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

BIBLE STUDY:

⇒ Tuesdays, 8:30am Center Room 1

Contact: clemenlucy@gmail.com
or 360-271-3611

⇒ Thursdays, 6pm Adult Gospel Study,
Parish Center Conference Room

YOUNG ADULTS:

Contact: gabby@starofthesea.net

ROOTS

Sundays at 6:15pm, Camerman Hall
+ August 27: Game Night

MOVIE NIGHTS

Monday Evenings at the French's House

Contact Kennedy for details:

kenniema@icloud.com

ENCYCLICAL STUDY

Tuesdays at 6:30pm,

Contact Elise Shipley: 253.343.8951

For updates on our Young Adults Group, visit:

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OR

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www.facebook.com/projectrachelww.

Attention Sewing Enthusiasts:

Simple project opportunity to help the residents at our local nursing homes.

If you like to sew and are interested in helping out with this project, contact Kathy at the parish office:
(360) 627-8916 | kathy@starofthesea.net

Supplies and instructions for adult clothing protectors will be provided. If you have medium-weight cotton fabrics you'd like to donate for this purpose, let us know. Thank you!



YOU'RE INVITED

WHY ARE WE HERE? WHAT'S LIFE ALL ABOUT?
WHAT HAPPENS WHEN WE DIE?

**Join us as we explore these
questions at our OCIA Class.**

Tuesdays | September 12 - October 17
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2. AIIPAD _ _ _ _ _
3. RCEONAIITT _ _ _ _ _
4. ODSWMI _ _ _ _ _
5. LTIREAEUTR _ _ _ _ _
6. HMUESIAITN _ _ _ _ _
7. AQUUMIDIVR _ _ _ _ _
8. TCISROCA _ _ _ _ _

**Check next week's bulletin for the answers!*

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NIGHT OF WORSHIP

Our Lady Star of the Sea

Featuring:



"Let everything
that has breath
give praise to
the Lord."

Psalms 150:6

6:30PM | Parish Gym | Bremerton, WA

SEPT

30th

2023

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A Note from Father Justus Kiiza:

This is to let you know that all the roofing of the Church was done. The rains have not yet come but I believe we shall not have any leakages at all.

Again than you very, *very* much for all the help.

- FR. JUSTUS

DO YOU VOLUNTEER WITH MINORS OR VULNERABLE ADULTS?

Our Archdiocese requires all such volunteers to complete a one-time class focusing on the prevention and awareness of sexual abuse. Several opportunities are available in our area.

We'll offer a class here at OLSOS on
Tuesday, September 12
6 PM in the Parish Center

To pre-register, visit www.virtus.org

Questions? [Contact Kathy at the parish office: 360-479-3777](#)

Wednesday evenings
beginning September 13!

Fidelis

6:00 PM | FIDELIS - JP2 Youth Center

7:30PM | COMPLINE - Church

*Fidelis seeks to form the whole woman;
heart, mind, body, and soul into mature, virtuous
Disciples of Christ*



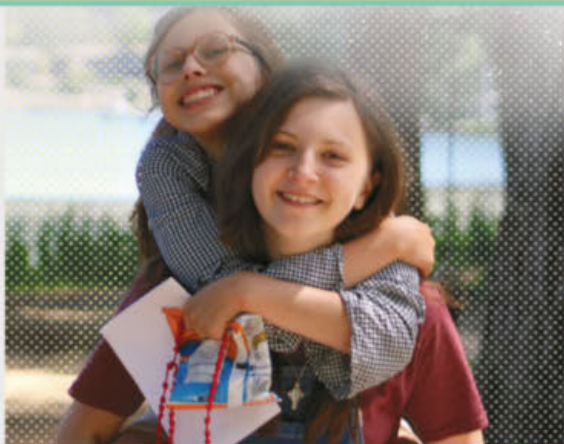
FRATERNUS

6:00 PM | FRAT NIGHT in the Gym

7:30PM | COMPLINE in the Church

*Mentoring and forming boys into virtuous men,
seeking a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ
and His Church.*

Register Online at youth.starofthesea.net





Healing Stories of Harm

Catholic Men's Therapeutic Wilderness Intensive

SEPT 8-10, 2023 | \$199

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The Gospel is the story of God's love in the life of Jesus, and your story is the gospel of Jesus's loving life in you. Yet, our stories often involve unaddressed moments of harm that deeply impact our marriages, relationships, emotions, and spiritual life. As our heartache has been formed in relationships, so it is healed through relationships. Set out into the deep healing waters by walking with others in this wilderness intensive.

To learn more, contact info@saintgeorgecounseling.org



Lives of the Saints

ST. AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO

Feast Day: August 28

A Christian at 33, a priest at 36, a bishop at 41: Many people are familiar with the biographical sketch of Augustine of Hippo, sinner turned saint. But to get to really know the man is a rewarding experience.

There quickly surfaces the intensity with which he lived his life, whether his path led away from or toward God. The tears of his mother, the instructions of Ambrose and, most of all, God himself speaking to him in the Scriptures, redirected Augustine's love of life to a life of love.

Having been so deeply immersed in creature-pride of life in his early days and having drunk deeply of its bitter dregs, it is not surprising that Augustine should have turned, with a holy fierceness, against the many demon-thrusts rampant in his day. His times were truly decadent: politically, socially, morally. He was both feared and loved, like the Master. The perennial criticism leveled against him: a fundamental rigorism.

In his day, Augustine providentially fulfilled the office of prophet. Like Jeremiah and other greats, he was hard-pressed but could not keep quiet. "I say to myself, I will not mention him/I will speak in his name no more/But then it becomes like fire burning in my heart/imprisoned in my bones/I grow weary holding it in/I cannot endure it" (Jeremiah 20:9).

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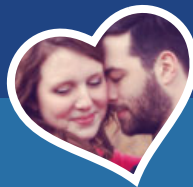
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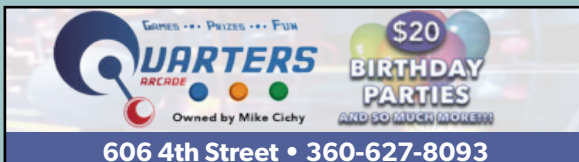
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