OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA The Light That Guides You Home



<u>MASS</u>

Mon-Thurs: 7:30am Wed (during Lent): 5:30pm Fri -Sat: 9am Saturday (Sunday Vigil): 5pm Sunday: 8am*, 11am*, 5pm

*Childcare available during morning Masses

CONFESSION

Wednesday: 5pm Saturday: 10am & 3pm

<u>CHURCH</u>

Pastor: Fr. Derek Lappe Senior Priest: Fr. Dennis Sevilla Parochial Vicar: Fr. Dean Mbuzi Deacon: Bill Hamlin Deacon: James Johnson

PARISH OFFICE

511 Veneta Ave Bremerton, WA 98337 Phone: 360-479-3777 **Fax:** 360-479-1468 **Email:** <u>info@starofthesea.net</u> **Hours:** 8am-3:30pm, M-Th 10am-3:30pm, Fri

<u>SCHOOL</u>

1516 5th Street Bremerton, WA 98337 Phone: 360-373-5162 Fax: 360-616-4727 Email: <u>school@starofthesea.net</u> Website: <u>school.starofthesea.net</u>



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 <u>www.CatholicsComeHome.org</u> or call the Parish Office to schedule an appointment to visit with Fr. Lappe about the Catholic Faith.

See Inside for Bulletin Information Deadlines! Email your info to: 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 <u>RCIA@starofthesea.net</u> 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

1137 Callow Ave N, 98312 360-479-7017 | 10:30AM - 2:30PM Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Recurring Gifts

Would you like to set up a recurring gift? Visit <u>https://pushpay.com/g/starofthesea</u>

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MARCH 17, 2024 5TH SUNDAY OF LENT





"SIR, WE WISH TO SEE JESUS"

We have close to us as much as Joseph had at Nazareth; we have our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament, but our poor eyes fail to see Him. Let us once become interior souls and we shall immediately see. In no better way can we enter into the Heart of our Lord than through Saint Joseph. Jesus and Mary are eager to pay the debts which they owe him for his devoted care of them, and their greatest pleasure is to fulfill his least desire. Let him, then, lead you by hand into the interior sanctuary of Jesus Eucharistic."

- ST. PETER JULIAN EYMARD



RECITATION OF THE ROSARY Monday – Friday: 8:00 AM Saturday: 8:30 AM, 4:30 PM

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LITURGY OF THE HOURS

Monday – Thursday 7:00 AM Friday and Saturday 8:00 AM





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, Cole Eckert, Felix Fabellano, Andras Ordog, Lacsamana family, Sharon Christodoulou, Anthony & Nickolaus Lente, Angela Eddings Dice, Ruby F., Wanda M., Kim Marbis, Marie Kilroy, Rebecca, Cyndi Morgan, Andrea Frey, Kimberly Thompson, and Paul P. Aquino.

For the repose of all the souls who have died, **especially Dorothy Limov** (mother of Barbara Venner). May God grant them the joy of eternal life and peace for their families.

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

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday, March 17

⇒ Mass Times 8am, 11am, 5pm John Hergent, RIP
⇒ 9:30am Confirmation, Center Rooms 1 & 2
⇒ 6:15pm Roots Young Adults, JP2 Youth Center

Monday, March 18

 \Rightarrow **7:30am Mass** Barbara Evans, RIP

 \Rightarrow 8:30am Legion of Mary, Center Room 1 \Rightarrow 6pm Trail Life, Center Rooms 1 & 2

Tuesday, March 19

(S) St. Joseph

Parish Office Closed

⇒7:30am Mass Martha Masters, INT

- ⇒8:30am Bible Study, Center Rooms 3 & 4
- ⇒10am Respect Life, Center Room 1
- \Rightarrow 6pm OCIA, School Cafeteria

Wednesday, March 20

\Rightarrow **7:30am Mass** Evelyn Cruz Reyes, RIP

- \Rightarrow 9:30am Rosary Makers, Center Room 1
- \Rightarrow 4:30pm Confession, Church
- \Rightarrow **5:30pm Mass** *Fr. Patrick Godley, RIP*
- ⇒6pm Soup Supper, Camerman Hall Thank you Militia Immaculata!
- ⇒6:30pm Adult Formation/Faithworks/Fidelis/ Fraternus

Thursday, March 21

- \Rightarrow 6am That Man is You, Camerman Hall
- \Rightarrow **7:30am Mass** Laura Cruz Reyes, RIP
- \Rightarrow 6pm Gospel Study, Upper JPII
- ⇒6:30pm First Communion Class (Parent & child), School Cafeteria
- \Rightarrow 7pm Holy Hour, Church

Friday, March 22

- ⇒9am Mass Nicholas Clemente, Sr., RIP
- \Rightarrow 10am Mom's Group, Center Rooms 1 & 2
- \Rightarrow 5:30pm Stations of the Cross, Church
- \Rightarrow 6pm Knights of Columbus Fish Fry, Camerman Hall

Saturday, March 23

- \Rightarrow 7am Men's Group, Conference Room
- \Rightarrow **9am Mass** John Egan, RIP
- \Rightarrow 10am Confession
- \Rightarrow 3pm Confession
- ⇒ 5pm Mass Fr. John Bowman, RIP



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY FRIDAYS DURING LENT

Following the 5:30PM Stations of the Cross, the Knights will be serving a delicious meal consisting of: *Artic Cod; Clam Chowder; French Fries or Baked Potato; and Cole Slaw.*

ADULT: **\$13** SENIOR or CHILD (6-12yrs): **\$11** FAMILY (2 ADULTS, 4 CHILDREN): **\$28** *Payment can be either cash, check, or card.*





Save the Date!

FRATERNUS EXCURSION

April 19-21, 2024 TWIN LAKES YOUTH CAMP, BELFAIR

Open to all young men grades 6-12, and adult male mentors of the parish.



EARLY BULLETIN SUBMISSION DATES

In preparation for Holy Week and the Easter holiday, all items must be sent in earlier than our normal deadline for the following dates:

March 24 Bulletin: Sent in by Thursday, March 14 March 31 Bulletin: Sent in by Thursday, March 21

Email your bulletin blurbs to: bulletin@starofthesea.net

FAUX FLOWERS FOR LENA



Lena is in need of faux flowers and empty tuna cans to create her famous Easter centerpieces for the local nursing homes.

Please drop off your donated items at the parish office. Thank you!

WASHINGTON STATE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PRO-LIFE POSTER AND ESSAY CONTEST



ATTENTION FIRST TO EIGHTH GRADERS:

The Annual Culture of Life Poster and Essay Contest is here! Grades 1-6 create posters, and Grades 7-8 write essays.

Visit www.starofthesea.net for contest rules

Entries are due, Friday, April 5 All entries can be turned in at the Parish Office.

Posters and Essays will be judged at the Knight's Parish Breakfast on Sunday, April 14.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

O.C.I.A.

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults www.starofthesea.net/rcia

Questions about becoming Catholic or returning to the Church? Email: <u>RCIA@starofthesea.net</u>

PARISH FAMILY HOUR:

Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30pm, Camerman Hall See Lenten Schedule

BIBLE STUDY:

- ⇒ Tuesdays, 8:30am Center Room 1 Contact: <u>clemenlucy@gmail.com</u> or 360-271-3611
- ⇒ Thursdays, 6pm Adult Gospel Study, Upper JPII Center

THAT MAN IS YOU

Interactive Men's Focus Group Thursdays, 6am breakfast in Camerman Hall Contact Rene: <u>TMIY@starofthesea.net</u>

YOUNG ADULTS:

Contact: alice@starofthesea.net

ROOTS

Sundays at 6:15pm, JP2 Youth Center + Mar. 17 & 24: Lenten Study*

*LENTEN STUDY:

Restore: A Guided Lent Journal for Prayer & Meditation by Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT. Dinner, video series, testimonies, small groups and prayer. (Mar. 3, 17, & 24 @ 6:15pm)

ENCYCLICAL STUDY

Tuesdays at 6:30pm, Contact Alice@starofthesea.net for location

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LENT SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY 14—MARCH 27

DAILY MASS

Mon-Thurs, 7:30AM Wednesday, 5:30PM Friday & Saturday, 9:00AM

SATURDAY

Vigil Mass, 5:00PM

SUNDAY MASSES

8:00AM | 11:00AM | 5:00PM

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

Confession, 4:30PM Mass, 5:30PM Soup Supper, 6:00PM Parish Family Hour, 6:30PM Compline (Night Prayer), 7:30PM

THURSDAY EVENINGS

Holy Hour w/the Blessed Sacrament, 7:00PM

FRIDAY EVENINGS

Stations of the Cross, 5:30PM Knights of Columbus Fish Fry, 6:00PM

FASTING & ABSTINENCE

Catholics of age 14 and older abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all Fridays of Lent.

In addition, on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, Catholics from age 18-59 fast; limiting themselves to one full meal and two smaller meals each day.

Special Dates

PALM SUNDAY—MARCH 24

See Sunday Mass Schedule

SPY WEDNESDAY—MARCH 27

Confession: 5:00PM



HOLY THURSDAY—MARCH 28

Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:00PM Followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until Midnight.



GOOD FRIDAY-MARCH 29

Confession & Tre Ore Service: Noon-3:00PM Stations of the Cross: 3:00PM Divine Mercy Novena: 3:30PM Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord: 7:00PM



HOLY SATURDAY—MARCH 30

Easter Vigil Mass: 8:30PM

EASTER SUNDAY—MARCH 31

Mass Times: 7:30AM | 9:30AM | Noon



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER—MARCH 2024

CATHOLIC LIBERAL EDUCATION IN ACTION

In Mr. Stevenson's 6th Grade Literature Class, students finished The Odyssey with a recitation of one of Odysseus's great speeches and a Newspaper Project where students created a front-page headline story with drawings.



6-8TH GRADE HISTORY FAIR

- March 20 -

Each grade at OLSOS studies a history period for a school year to internalize and master historical characters and events. Students in middle school have been preparing for weeks to present their trifold board, a 3-D model and brief oral summary to parents and judges.



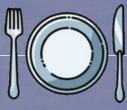
WHY LATIN? - Latin, History, and Faith Integrated

Through a long and lengthy study of Latin, students will eventually develop the ability to interact with historical reality in much greater intimacy, and this intimacy with history will deepen their knowledge of the faith to unprecedented degrees.

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Pastor, Fr. Derek Lappe | Principal, Mrs. Tina Powell | Office Manager, Mrs. Katrina Guiardinu 1516 5th Street & 360-373-5162 & school@starofthesea.net

Help Needed for Easter Hospitality!



We are in need of volunteers to help with setup and clean-up for the Easter Sunday Brunch.

Help make this Easter Breakfast a Success!

If you would like to help, please call the Parish Office: 360-479-3777 or email Meg@starofthesea.net

EASTER SEASON FLOWERS 2024

(EASTER SUNDAY, MAR 31—PENTECOST, MAY 19)

We are offering our parishioners an opportunity to order flowers in 'memory' or in 'honor' of a loved one for our Christmas Season. Please return this form (with payment) to the parish office, the collection basket, via mail, or in person.

We will purchase the flowers for you at a cost of \$10 each. Please make checks payable to Our Lady Star of the Sea and indicate "Easter Flowers" in the memo area.

PURCHASER'S NAME: _____

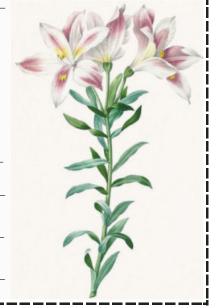
I/We would like to order #_____pot(s) of flowers at \$10 each.

They are:

a) _____ a gift to the church, or

b) _____ in Memory of _____

c) _____ in Honor of _____



SEATTLE CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE APRIL 20, 2024



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"I'm calling on every Catholic in America to return to Our Lady and join in prayer." RAYMOND LEO CARDINAL BURKE

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Sign up for this 9 month novena, culminating in a consecration to Our Lady of Guadalupe for her feast day on December 12. Each month, you'll receive emails from His Eminence Cardinal Burke with encouragement and spiritual direction along the journey of this novena.

Learn More at: NOVENA.CARDINALBURKE.COM



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Mary's Little Tots Shop

Volunteers Needed!!!

Are you looking for a ministry where you see the tangible results of your loving works immediately? If so, PREPARES MLTS at may be the ministry for you. If you love helping others and seeing grateful families and children smiling after an encounter with us, then we welcome you to join our team. If you have 2-4 hours you can spare once a month, we'd love to meet you. We have several roles available to fit your personality and comfort zone including:

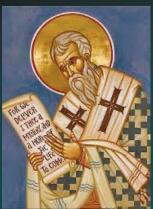
- Working one on one with families as a shopping assistant
- Helping with childcare while parent's shop
- Helping with set up or break down of the shop
- · Becoming a family companion, mentoring individual families
- Being an interpreter to help navigate language barriers

Our volunteers can attest to the joyful satisfaction they feel in helping to show Christ's love through this needed and loving ministry. Join our family and be part of something wonderful.

Please contact Christine Daniel PREPARES Coordinator at tcdaniel@protonmail.com

> Your kind generosity is Love in Action Indeed!





Lives of the Saints ST. CYRIL OF JERUSALEM

Feast Day: March 18

The crises that the Church faces today may seem minor when compared with the threat posed by the Arian heresy, which denied the divinity of Christ and almost overcame Christianity in the fourth century. Cyril was to be caught up in the controversy, accused of Arianism by Saint Jerome, and ultimately vindicated both by the men of his own time and by being declared a Doctor of the Church in 1822.

Raised in Jerusalem and well-educated, especially in the Scriptures, he was ordained a priest by the bishop of Jerusalem and given the task during Lent of catechizing those preparing for Baptism and catechizing the newly baptized during the Easter season. His *Catecheses* remain valuable as examples of the ritual and theology of the Church in the

mid-fourth century.

There are conflicting reports about the circumstances of his becoming bishop of Jerusalem. It is certain that he was validly consecrated by bishops of the province. Since one of them was an Arian, Acacius, it may have been expected that his "cooperation" would follow. Conflict soon rose between Cyril and Acacius, bishop of the rival nearby see of Caesarea. Cyril was summoned to a council, accused of insubordination and of selling Church property to relieve the poor. Probably, however, a theological difference was also involved. He was condemned, driven from Jerusalem, and later vindicated, not without some association with and help from Semi-Arians. Half his episcopate was spent in exile; his first experience was repeated twice. He finally returned to find Jerusalem torn with heresy, schism and strife, and wracked with crime. Even Saint Gregory of Nyssa, who was sent to help, left in despair.

They both went to the Council of Constantinople, where the amended form of the Nicene Creed was promulgated in 381. Cyril accepted the word *consubstantial*—that is, Christ is of the same substance or nature as the Father. Some said it was an act of repentance, but the bishops of the Council praised him as a champion of orthodoxy against the Arians. Though not friendly with the greatest defender of orthodoxy against the Arians, Cyril may be counted among those whom Athanasius called "brothers, who mean what we mean, and differ only about the word *consubstantial*."

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