

Tacoma Catholic Parishes of Saint Patrick Holy Cross & Saint Rita of Cascia



FEBRUARY 17, 2019 - SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saint Patrick Parish

1001 North J Street, Tacoma, WA 98403 | 253-383-2783 | www.saintpats.org

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil 5pm

Sunday 9am, 11am, 7pm

Daily Masses

Monday Communion Service 7:45am

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 7:45am

Thursday 8:45am

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30pm

Holy Cross Parish

5510 North 44th Street, Tacoma, WA 98407 | 253-759-3368 | www.holycross-tacoma.org

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil 5:30pm

Sunday 10am

Daily Masses

Monday, Thursday, Friday 9am

Wednesday 5:30pm

Reconciliation

Saturday 4pm

Saint Rita of Cascia Parish

1403 South Ainsworth, Tacoma, WA 98405 | 253-627-4851 | www.stritastacoma.org

Sunday Mass

7:30am

Daily Masses

Tuesday 12Noon, Saturday 9am

Reconciliation

Saturday 9:30am



The Big Snow - January 1969

Dear Friends in Christ,

With the recent snow days, I had the opportunity to go through a number of boxes from my move last July. I found a few boxes with photo albums and came across the one marked "69-70." In it, I discovered some pictures of the big snow we had in January of 1969. It doesn't seem like 50 years ago but it was! And we had some big snows back then. The photo above is the front of our house. Off to the right, out of view, is where I along with some neighbor kids built a massive snow fort. It was impressive and it lasted a very long time after the melt! I still remember how fun that time was.

It's been a long time since we have had snow like we had this past week. The series of storms caused us to cancel our plans and reschedule just about every aspect of our lives. We were forced to let go of our control and literally let nature have its way for several days. Hopefully we had some fun, despite the inconvenience. Still, these interruptions to our normal lives can give us cause to evaluate our spiritual lives as well. How much are we controlled by our plans and routines? What happens when things beyond our control change and /or challenge our lives? Do we trust in the Lord in such times or do we get angry and despair in the situation? For me, the snow days remind me that neither I nor my plans matter that much. The Lord of all creation (even of snow storms!) has a plan and a timetable that is infinitely more profound and for my own good than I even know. The key is to surrender to what the Lord is doing in the present moment, rain or shine; snow or not, and be open to the grace that is given to us in such times. When we live this way, life has much more meaning. Being open to God's plans helps us to appreciate the beauty and goodness of everything that comes our way, including the weather. As the Prophet Jeremiah reminds us this Sunday, "Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord, whose hope is the Lord."

Blessings for the coming week.

Fr David Mulholland

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17: 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 7:30 a.m. - St. Rita
Mass at 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. - St. Patrick
Mass at 10:00 a.m. - Holy Cross
Charity Weekend - St. Rita
Youth Group - 5:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18:

Presidents Day - Parish Offices Closed

Communion Service at 7:45 a.m. - St. Patrick
NO Mass at 9:00 a.m. - Holy Cross
NO Euch. Adoration - 3:00 - 6:45 p.m. - Chapel - St. Patrick
Adult Bible Study - 7:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19:

Mass at 7:45 a.m. - St. Patrick
Mass at Noon with Anointing of the Sick - St. Rita
Outreach/Food bank - 7:00 a.m. - RE Building - Holy Cross
Rummage Volunteers - 10:00 a.m. - Rummage Hall - Holy Cross
Assoc. Ministries Board Mtg. - 4:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick
Stephen Ministry Mtg. - 4:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick
Alpha - 6:30 p.m. - Parish Hall - Holy Cross
PrimeTimers - 5:30 p.m. - Off Site - See article
KC Officer's Mtg. - 6:30 p.m. - Church Hall - St. Patrick
RCIA - 7:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20:

Mass at 7:45 a.m. - St. Patrick
Mass at 5:30 p.m. - Holy Cross
SVDP Mtg. - 8:30 a.m. - Center - St. Patrick
Office Hours - 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. - St. Rita
Mom's Group - 9:15 a.m. - Center - St. Patrick
Bible Study - 1:30 p.m. - Rectory - St. Rita
All Council's & Commissions - 6:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick
Choir Practice - 7:00 p.m. - Church - St. Patrick

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21:

Mass with the school children at 8:45 a.m. - St. Patrick
Mass at 9:00 a.m. - Holy Cross
Bridge Day - 12:15 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick
Inclusion Ministry - 2:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick
Choir Rehearsal - 7:00 p.m. - Choir Loft - Holy Cross

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22:

Mass at 9:00 a.m. - Holy Cross
Men's Prayer - 6:45 a.m. - Hall - St. Patrick

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23:

Mass at 9:00 a.m. - St. Rita
Reconciliation - 9:30 a.m. - Church - St. Rita
Reconciliation - 3:30 p.m. - Church - St. Patrick
Reconciliation - 4:00 p.m. - Church - Holy Cross
Vigil Mass at 5:00 p.m. - St. Patrick
Vigil Italian Mass at 5:00 p.m. - St. Rita
Vigil Mass at 5:30 p.m. - Holy Cross
Italian Dinner - 6:15 p.m. - St. Rita - See article

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24: 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 7:30 a.m. - St. Rita
Mass at 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. - St. Patrick
Mass at 10:00 a.m. - Holy Cross
Sodality Sunday - St. Rita
Altar Server Training - 12:15 p.m. - Church - St. Patrick
First Communion Prep. Class - 12:30 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick
Youth Group - 5:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick
Confirmation - 5:45 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH Masses for the People of the Parishes

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18TH

No 9am Mass at Holy Cross

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH

7:45am Mass at Saint Patrick | Repose of the soul of Rose Sorrentino
Noon Mass at Saint Rita | Repose of the souls of Carl & Frances Benson

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH

7:45am Mass at Saint Patrick | Repose of the soul of Melissa Cline
5:30pm Mass at Holy Cross | Repose of the soul of Mary Floberg

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST

8:45am Mass at Saint Patrick | Repose of the soul of Adair Johnson
9am Mass at Holy Cross | Repose of the souls of Jack & Billy Reidy

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND

7:45am Mass at Saint Patrick | Intentions of Robert & Morgan Bernardi
9am Mass at Holy Cross | Intentions of Point Defiance Village patrons

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD

9am Mass at Saint Rita | Repose of the soul of Maria Ohn Thi Thanh

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RESPOSE OF THE SOULS OF

*Ray Gores, Loretta Macha,
Juli Norris and Roy Renggli*

We offer our sympathy, love and prayers
to their families and friends in this time of sorrow.

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let the perpetual light shine upon them.
May they Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory.*



PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER, OUR SICK:

| ST. PATRICK | HOLY CROSS | ST. RITA |
|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| Joanne Armour | Bill Adams | Colleen Batinovich |
| Joan Bruce | Eileen Beckowitz | Sr. Mary Buttimer |
| Debbie Christnacht | Helen Berg | Teresa Gibbs |
| Jedd Feliciano | Jean Bock | Sr. Marilyn Gooley |
| Joanne Girolami | Joe Gilligan | George Greco |
| Pat Harrington | Jim Helbling | Bruce Harris |
| Carolyn Jenkins | Marjorie Hermesen | Tina & Joe Isakson |
| Geraldine Maniatis | Georgianne Holcomb | Son Lee |
| Tom McDonough | Nick Junun | Sally Luppino |
| Suzanne Rietschlager | Betty Knoll | Chuck Mazza |
| Joe Savage | Joan Kowalski | Robin Mazza |
| Dennis Seiler | Corie Lim | Donna Pate |
| Gina Slavich | Dick Lucich | Michael Pfannenstiel |
| John Sturrock | Janet McIntyre | Daisy Radloff |
| John Tulare | Kathie Mikita | Jim Riconosciuto |
| Raquel Wheeler | Virginia Mitchell | Miriam Sanderson |
| | Dave Peterson | Joy Viafore |
| | John Petrovich | Nelson Williams |
| | I.D. Provost | |
| | Ann Roberts | |
| | Jeffrey Schmidt | |
| | Nick Tucci | |
| | Neal Vukovich | |
| | MaryEllen Winski | |
| | Fran Wooten | |

HAPPENING AT SAINT PATRICK

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AT ST. PATRICK

Mondays, 3:00 - 6:45 p.m.
in the St. Patrick Chapel.

Please use the J street entrance at the Parish Center.

THANK YOU

Big thanks to the 25+ volunteers (Knights, Scouts, friends of Saint Patrick) and our new best friends Robert Lockwood and sidekick Samantha who came with a snowplow and bobcat to do the heavy lifting. What a great response from our community and Robert and Samantha to ensure we can keep our doors open and parking lot and sidewalks clear for Saturday and Sunday Mass!"

PRIMETIMERS *50 and over?*

Join us at Knapp's Restaurant, 2707 N Proctor, for dinner on Tuesday, February 19th at 5:30 p.m.

MOM'S GROUP

The Moms Group at Saint Patrick Church is where Catholic mothers can come together and support each other in the aspects of life we have in common, our faith and motherhood.

Moms (and caregivers) of all ages and stages of life are welcome. Catholic or Catholic curious? Practicing or not.

Our play group meets Wednesdays, 9:15 - 10:45 a.m. in the St. Patrick Parish Center Youth Room.

Check our facebook page - Catholic Moms Group for details.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

We're excited to have St. Patrick Catholic Church join Tacoma/Pierce County Habitat for Humanity for a volunteer day **Saturday, March 2nd 8:45 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

To register, or for more information go to: <https://tacomahabitat.volunteerhub.com/lp/stpats/>



ADULT BIBLE STUDY

There are currently two different Bible Study groups at St. Patrick.

The Old Testament Group meets the 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center.

They are currently starting the Book of Deuteronomy.

The New Testament Group meets the 1st & 3rd Monday at 7:00 p.m. In the Parish Center and is studying Luke's Gospels.

Join us! Please bring a bible with you - if you don't have one we have some to share.

MEN'S PRAYER GROUP

Join us **Friday mornings, 6:45-7:30 a.m. in the Church Hall.**

This Prayer Group is for men of all ages who want to deepen their relationship with God within the context of family life, work and our faith community.

INCLUSION MINISTRY

Widening our welcome. Advocating for people with disabilities.

Join us at our next meeting, Thursday, February 21st at 2:00 p.m. in the Parish Center.

BRIDGE COOL, COMPLEX, SAVAGE



Join us the third Thursday of every month and find out

HOW AND WHY?

12:15 to 3:00 p.m. St. Patrick Parish Center. Thursday, September 20th

For more information, call the Parish Center at: 253-383-2783.

OUR SUNDAY COLLECTION

Your generosity as of February 9 & 10, 2019

| WEEKLY IN-COME NEEDED | LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION | NEEDED YEAR TO DATE | ACTUAL YEAR TO DATE | +/- |
|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------|
| \$19,717 | \$11,444 | \$645,531 | \$619,912 | \$-25,619 |



SAINT PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

Saint Patrick Parish invites all to a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ through Eucharist, Prayer and Education, to become Disciples for a World Church.

HAPPENING AT HOLY CROSS

PERPETUAL ADORATION AT HOLY CROSS

Encounter the Lord outside of Mass in our Adoration Chapel, 24 hours a day!
We currently are in need of commitment for the following hours: To sign up call: 253-759-3368
Sunday: 2-3 a.m. / Wednesday: 1-2 a.m. & 2-3 a.m. / Friday: 2-3 a.m., 3-4 a.m., & 10-11 p.m.
Saturday: Midnight-1 a.m., 1-2 a.m., & 11- Midnight

BABY SHOWER - DATE CHANGE

Holy Cross will be holding a baby shower for crisis maternity centers in the area.

We will be accepting donations of maternity clothing, baby supplies, and baby/toddler clothing after all Masses on the weekend of **February 23 & 24.**

Clean, gently-used items are welcome. You do not need to wrap your donation. Monetary donations are also very useful.

Checks may be made payable to: Our Lady of Guadalupe Maternity Center or Pregnancy Aid of Tacoma.

Questions? Contact Peggy Gagliardi at: 253-564-6660 or peggygagliardi@gmail.com.

OUTREACH / FOOD BANK

We meet every Tuesday, 8:00 - 9:30 a.m. in the Religious Education building.

If you are interested in helping or donating food items for the meal please call Carol Ringrose at: 253-752-8717.

Volunteers also meet Mondays after 9:00 a.m. Mass to take over the food from the blue barrels to the food bank store.

New volunteers are welcome! Join us!

Quote from one of our guests:

I enjoy this pantry every time I come. The staff is wonderful. - B.

SCHEDULE FOR LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS & ALTAR SERVERS

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 23rd, 5:30 p.m.

Lectors:

Jan Stauffer & Diane Judd

Eucharistic Ministers:

Patti Delgadillo, Randy & Shelley Miles

Choir: Sue Beach

Altar Servers: Alex & Chris

February 24th, 10:00 a.m.

Lectors:

Dianne Manley & Russ Wells

Eucharistic Ministers:

Steve Mullen, Nanci Cornell, Mary Rawlings

Choir: Will Rawlings

Altar Servers: Mary & Aubrey

FUNERAL PLANNING

Would you like to plan your own funeral and have it the way you would like?

In preplanning your funeral it spares your loved ones from having to guess what you would have liked and it spares the family a difficult task that often they find daunting in their grief.

If this is something you would like to do, please contact Paula Fiorino in the parish office at 253-759-3368 or email me at: pfiorino@holycross-tacoma.org.

ON LINE GIVING

Now is the time to try out on line giving!

Go to our website at: www.holycross-tacoma.org
Scroll down and click on the cell phone photo.
Create a new account and follow the instructions.



HOLY CROSS RUMMAGE

Join us for fun, friendship, and an opportunity to give back to our Holy Cross community.

Our volunteers meet every Tuesday, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. in the rummage building behind the Rectory on North 43rd street.

They sort, price and stack all useable items donated from the community.

If you are interested in helping please drop by and check us out.

Many hands make light work!

NO 9:00 A.M. MASS AND PARISH OFFICES CLOSED

Presidents Day
Monday, February 18, 2019

SACRED STEPS

Funeral Mass for
Ray Gores
Friday, February 22nd at 11:00 a.m.
Reception to follow in Parish Hall.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT CLASS

February 28th from 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Please sign up on line at: virtusonline.org
The class will be held in the Parish Hall.

OUR SUNDAY COLLECTION

Due to the inclement weather, we will resume our collection totals next week.

ROOF SCHEMATIC

Please see the roof schematic on the back page of the bulletin and the poster board in the vestibule at Church.



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

As a Roman Catholic parish in the Archdiocese of Seattle, we exist to offer every person in our community a life changing encounter with Jesus.

Holy Cross encourages all its parishioners to love God, love others, inspire hope and transform lives.

HAPPENING AT ST. RITA

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AT ST. RITA

1st Friday of the month,
7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Spend time with the Lord

ON-LINE GIVING

If you haven't tried Online Giving -
NOW is the time!

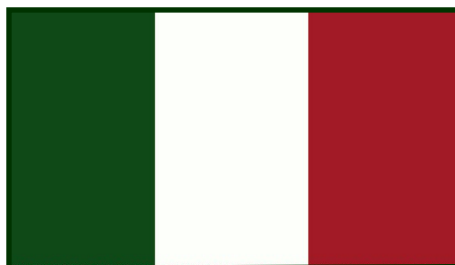
To set up an online giving account, visit:
<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1149>
and follow instructions
to create an online profile.

VIETNAMESE NEW YEAR POTLUCK RESCHEDULED!

Due to poor road conditions,
the Vietnamese New Year Potluck
was rescheduled.

**The new date is
Wednesday, February 27th.**

We apologize for any inconvenience
rescheduling might have caused.
We hope to see you there.



ITALIAN VIGIL MASS & DINNER

**On Saturday, February 23rd,
we will have an
Italian Mass at 5:00 p.m.
followed by dinner at 6:15 p.m.
DINNER TICKETS ARE SOLD OUT!
You are welcome to join us for Mass.**

CALENDAR

Our monthly calendar is on our website,
www.stritastacoma.org
It is updated as events change.

Check it out -
The latest information
is just a click away!

ST. FRANCES SODALTY

We meet on the fourth Tuesday
of the month after Noon Mass.

We provide scholarships for
Catholic education.

See Riley Smith,
If you are interested in joining.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

We are a men's group that
serve Nativity House dinner on the
first Sunday of the month at Noon.

We serve a pancake breakfast
after the 7:30 a.m. Mass
on the second Sunday of the month.

We hold our meetings
after our monthly breakfast.

For more information on
see Mark Lewis, President.

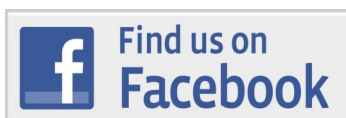


SODALITY EASTER LILY SALE

Sodality will be selling Easter Lilies
for decorating the altar and personal
purchases, just as they do the poinsettias.

Watch the bulletin for flyers.

CHURCH OF ST. RITA OF CASCIA



BIBLE STUDY

Join us for Bible Study
Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.
in the rectory.

Taught by
Sr. Pauline Iguo, O.P.

HAVE YOU SEEN ME?

We have misplaced the white collection basket, If you have seen it please contact the office at: 253-627-4851. *Thank you.*

OUR SUNDAY COLLECTION

Due to the inclement weather, we will resume our collection totals next week.



ST. RITA OF CASCIA

THANKS OUR ADVERTISER OF THE MONTH
COOPER'S COLLISON CORNER

Please patronize our advertisers and tell them you are from St. Rita!

FAITH FORMATION

PRAYER LINE REQUEST

Do you need prayers for yourself or someone you love?

It is as simple as asking.

Send us your request and we'll add it to our line list.

Contact the St. Patrick Parish Center at:

parish@saintpats.org or 253-383-2783

Send a prayer request through myParish app or submit a prayer request through our website at: www.saintpats.org

Parishioners of Holy Cross and St. Rita may also contact St. Patrick or their respective parish office.

We'll make sure the information gets to the correct person.

BULLETIN LIST OF THE SICK & NAMES FOR THE PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

If you would like to have the name of a loved one placed on the sick list in the bulletin and mentioned in the Prayers of the Faithful, please contact the St. Patrick Parish Center at: 253-383-2783.

After three weeks, please once again contact the Parish Office to have the name continued.

When prayers are no longer needed, please notify the office to have the name removed from the list.

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We'll make sure the information gets to the correct person.

SEEING THE EXTRAORDINARY IN THE ORDINARY: WOMEN'S LENTEN RETREAT

March 22 - 24 Led by Fr. Richard De Lillio, OSFS

During this retreat, we will review God's strategy that Love is the only remedy to overcome sin.

When we realize that everything we have is a gift, we grow in love with our gift Giver. Love for our Giver for everything we have, leads us to long for and share that love with others.

Fr. De Lillio is an Oblate of St. Francis de Sales and held many academic roles at The Catholic University of America (CUA) in Washington, DC before retiring.

Register at palisadesretreatcenter.org/upcoming-retreats/



DISCERNING YOUR CALL

for Catholic women 20-40 years old
sponsored by women religious and the Knights of Columbus Council 676,
both of the Archdiocese of Seattle.

The retreat will be held at The Priory Spirituality Center
at St Placid Priory in Lacey on April 6 -7, 2019.

For more information contact Sister Julian Cleary at: 360-438-1771.

ADULT CONFIRMATION

Confirmation classes for adults seeking the sacrament will begin soon.

If you are a baptized Catholic and have received your First Communion, please call Kim at:
253-383-2783 ext. 4108 or
kward@saintpats.org

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated at St. Patrick Church on Saturday April 27, 2019 at the 5:00 p.m. Mass

THE JOY OF LIFE: CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF HUMANAE VITAE



All Catholics are invited to attend this conference

**Saturday, March 2nd
at St. Brendan Catholic Church.**

This event offers "Ted talk" style presentations by Bishop Mueggenborg, Dr. Sarah Bartel, Jason Kidd, Ashley McCullough and more.

Meet and network with other Catholics throughout the day at the vendor booths and exhibits.

Learn more at: www.cwbn.us/joyoflife or call: 253-278-6550.



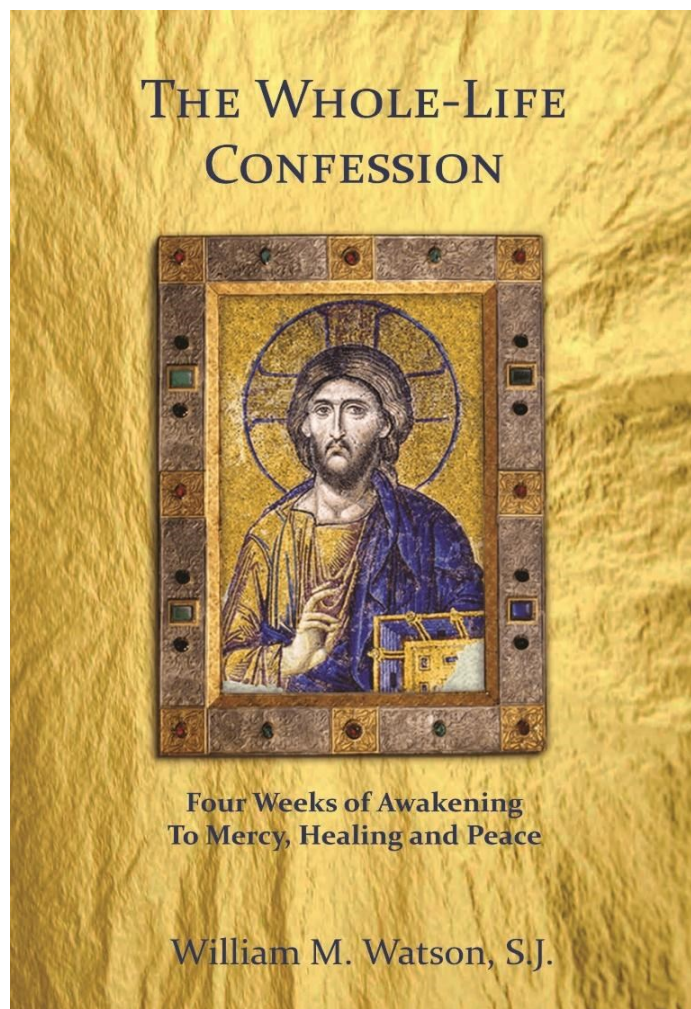
WELCOME TO THE FAMILY!

**AM 1180 and FM 107.3 KLAY
LAKEWOOD/TACOMA**



IS CHRIST CALLING
YOU TO THE
SPIRITUAL JOURNEY OF

The Whole-Life Confession



March 1- April 5, 2019

Registration at: www.saintpats.org

St. Patrick, Holy Cross, and St. Rita are accepting 60 registrations of people, age 18 and above, for the unique experience of a Lenten Whole-Life Confession.

It's for those who desire a transformative Lenten spiritual experience and a profound encounter with the Lord Jesus in the areas of life where his love and mercy are needed.

Personal commitment of about 30 minutes a day for prayer and reflection.

Fr. David will lead a weekly reflection and group check-in at St. Patrick on Fridays at 7:45 p.m., after soup supper and Stations of the Cross.

If you feel called to this life-transforming journey, please fill out a registration with your contact information.

YOUTH MINISTRY

2018 | 2019

YOUTH GROUP CALENDAR

WHO

Middle School Youth Group is for students in grades 6 - 8.

High School Youth Group is for students in grades 9 - 12.

Youth Group serves students from
Saint Patrick Catholic Church
Saint Rita of Cascia Catholic Church
Holy Cross Catholic Church
St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

All are always welcome.

WHERE

Saint Patrick Catholic Church
North 12th & J Street
Tacoma, WA 98403

Parish Center
1001 North J Street
Tacoma, WA 98403

STAY CONNECTED

phone | 253-383-2783

email | youth@saintpats.org

website | www.saintpats.org

Instagram

@saintpatstacoma

@stpatcoolouthminister



Find us on

Facebook

@stpatchurch

YOUTH NIGHTS

SUNDAYS | 5 - 7 PM



Feb 3 | 10 | 17 | 24

Mar 3 | 10 | 17 | 24

Apr 7 | 14 | 28

May 5 | 12 | 26

June 2 | 9

SERVICE PROJECTS



Mar | L'Arche Tacoma Hope | Date TBD

Apr | Shoe Drive

SOCIAL HOUR

After 9 AM or 11 AM Mass

Feb 24 | April 14 | June 23

SPECIAL EVENTS



THIS IS YOUTH GROUP



HOLY WEEK

Apr 17 | **Tenebrae Service** | 7 PM

Apr 18 | **Holy Thursday** | 5 PM | Last Supper Dinner & Mass

Apr 19 | **Good Friday** | 7 PM | Veneration of the Cross & *Passion of the Christ* movie

End of Year Retreat

Middle School May 18 - 19 | High School 17 - 19

Awards & Messy Wars | June 9 | 5 - 7 PM

COMMUNITY SUPPORT

STEPHEN MINISTRY

Going through a tough time - emotionally or spiritually? Struggling with a crisis or just feeling down?

Consider letting a Stephen Minister help.

A Stephen Minister is a member of one of our parishes who is trained to listen, care, encourage, pray and walk along side you during difficult times.

It's confidential and free.

Contact us at: 253-274-4110 or stephenministry@saintpats.org

You'll receive a response within 48 hours.

Please call 911 if it is an emergency.

CONSIDERING SEPARATION OR DIVORCE

Wait! There is an alternative.

Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi)

has brought healing to tens of thousands of troubled marriages worldwide.

Your situation may seem hopeless, but there is always hope, and you are not alone in your struggle.

For confidential information about Retrouvaille, or to register for our upcoming program on **March 22-24, 2019**, call 206-706-2608 or go to www.helpourmarriage.org.

PROJECT RACHEL

Healing lives touched by abortion

If the emotional and spiritual wounds of abortion have been sapping faith, virtue and joy from your life, enter a spiritual process for healing that will change your life.

Reach out; we can help.

Come to a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat, find healing and peace for your soul.

Call 206-920-6413 for information on our next scheduled Healing Retreat Weekend.

SUPPORT U - FOSTERING CAREGIVER WELLNESS

Fostering Caregiver Wellness, is a program to help make life better for seniors and their family caregivers.

That's about 1 in every 4 adults in Pierce County.

Basic care giving information and tips, presented in accessible short classes by St. Leo Health Care Ministry will help reduce the number of caregivers who suffer from burnout by trying to "do it all" alone.

**This is a six-session program from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. on Tuesdays starting February 19th and ending March 26th.
St. Leo Church in Bichsel Hall, 710 S. 13th St., Tacoma (corner of Yakima & 13th)**

The classes are as follow: Planning Ahead, Finding, Creating & Using Resources, Self Care for the Caregiver, Family Dynamics & Communication, Dementia, Chronic Illness & the Family and Financial Well-Being.

To register contact Kathy Hitchcock at: rbh@seanet.com or 253-564-3785.

NW FURNITURE BANK

Many agencies work with the homeless, domestic violence victims and low-income population providing temporary housing and recovery programs. When clients complete the programs they may have new housing and a new focus for their life, however, they often have no furniture. NW Furniture Bank meets these needs by providing furniture to those transitioning into their own homes. Furniture is also available for foster children who age-out of the program and for people who lose all of their possessions in disasters.

NW Furniture Bank relies on furniture donations from the community to help furnish the homes of families and individuals in need.

We can only accept new or gently-used items. The NW Furniture Bank accepts donations Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Remember all donations must be free of rips, cuts and stains.

**NW Furniture Bank
117 Puyallup Ave, Tacoma, WA 98421
CONTACT US at 302-3868**

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Are you letting Jesus proclaim the good news to you in your marriage?

Sign up to attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter.

Take time for your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend at the **La Quinta Inn and Suites in Tacoma, on March 29-31**, Fr. Fred Mayovsky, SJ will be the celebrant.

Apply at mrwwme.org.

For more information please contact Jeanpierre and Gay Charette at: 253-582-0239

ARE YOU WIDOWED, SEPARATED OR DIVORCED?

"Beginning Experience" is offering a weekly grief support class called "Coping"

St. Frances Cabrini, 5715 - 108th Street S.W., Lakewood

February 4th - March 25th, from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Open to all Christians to heal, grow in faith, enjoy fellowship of other wounded healers and live in the wholeness of Christ.

For more information, please call Chris at 253-223-2645.

PROVIDING ASSISTANCE TO THOSE IN NEED WITHIN THE PARISH BOUNDARIES.

For assistance call 253-759-3368

Tuesday mornings at 8:00 a.m.



SUPPORT U - FOSTERING CAREGIVER WELLNESS

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS



SON'S OF ITALY - TACOMA LODGE 1175 - ANNUAL PASTA DINNER

Sunday, February 17th, 1:00 - 6:00p.m. St. Charles Borromeo Hall

Price \$15.00 - per person / \$7.50 - 10 years old & under

Pasta, Sausage, Meatballs, Salad, Ice Cream & Wine



THURSDAY
MARCH 28TH

REFRESHMENTS
BEGIN AT 7:00 P.M.

SHOW BEGINS AT
7:30 P.M.

ALL SAINTS
PARISH CENTER
506 3RD STREET SW
PUYALLUP

FREE ADMISSION
DONATIONS
WELCOME

PLEASE RSVP TO
HOLY DISCIPLES
PARISH AT:
253-875-6630

THE DETENTION LOTTERY

An Immersive Theater Experience
Set in a US Immigration Detention Center



The Detention Lottery provides an in-depth look at the detention processes of ICE officers, and courtroom proceedings. Following the performance, the audience will have the opportunity to ask questions of the attorneys involved in the production.



AN EVENING WITH ELIZABETH SMART

FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 2019 7:00 - 8:30 P.M.
RIALTO THEATER

The abduction of Elizabeth Smart was one of the most followed child abduction cases of our time. Elizabeth was abducted on June 5, 2002 and held prisoner for 9 grueling months.

Through this traumatic experience, Elizabeth has become an advocate for change related to child abduction, recovery programs, and National legislation. Elizabeth triumphantly testified before her captor and the world.

Join us as we spend an evening listening as she shares her journey to peace.

Ticket prices start at \$29
To learn more, or to purchase tickets visit:
tacomaartsalive.org/events/calendar/event/253

Archbishop Sartain invites you to
**The annual Mass with our
Community with Special Needs**

Saturday, March 23 11:00 a.m. | St. James Cathedral, Seattle

Reception & Spring Dance

immediately following Mass at O'Dea High School, Seattle (concludes at 2 p.m.)



For more information contact Erica Cohen Moore
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INTERFAITH Women's CONFERENCE

PRESENTED BY
an ASSOCIATED MINISTRIES

INTERFAITH WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Our inaugural 2017 Interfaith Women's Conference was such a success we decided to do it again in 2019!

Saturday, March 9, 2019
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Curtis Jr. High School, University Place
2019 Theme - "Seeking Peace: Our Journey"

Ticket prices - \$49.00 (lunch included)

Our webpage has all the information you will need to register as an attendee, a vendor, or to become a sponsor.

Visit www.associatedministries.org/iwc
to learn more and to sign up today!

SAINT PATRICK SCHOOL

Be it known to all who enter here that Christ is the reason for this school.
He is the unseen but ever-present teacher in the classroom
He is the model of its faculty and the inspiration of its students.

REACH Auction



You're Invited!

**Saturday, the Sixteenth of March
Two Thousand Nineteen**

**SAINT PATRICK CATHOLIC SCHOOL
Skip Butler Gymnasium
1112 North G Street
Tacoma, WA**

REACH@SAINTPATS.ORG



SAINT PATRICK
CATHOLIC
CHURCH & SCHOOL

MASS WITH THE SCHOOL CHILDREN

Join us in the church for Mass
with the school children.
Thursday mornings at 8:45 a.m.



FEBRUARY SCHOOL CALENDAR

- 2/18 No School - Presidents Day
- 2/21 3rd Grade Caring Retreat
- 2/21 Blue Ribbon Registration Event



**Religious
Integrity
Service - oriented
Educated**

**Attitude that is positive
Study to learn deeply**

**Openness
Nurture a personal faith in Jesus
Encourage others to be their best**

Through these things, we RISE AS ONE

FOOD DRIVE
The greatest need for the month of January is:
PASTA

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION
EXPIRES 11/1/18

**Don't Toss It...
CLIP IT!**

OVER A CENTURY OF ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE IN THE CATHOLIC TRADITION

The mission of St. Patrick Catholic School is to nurture in its students abiding Catholic faith while pursuing academic excellence and modeling honesty, respect, and service as dynamic members of our world community.



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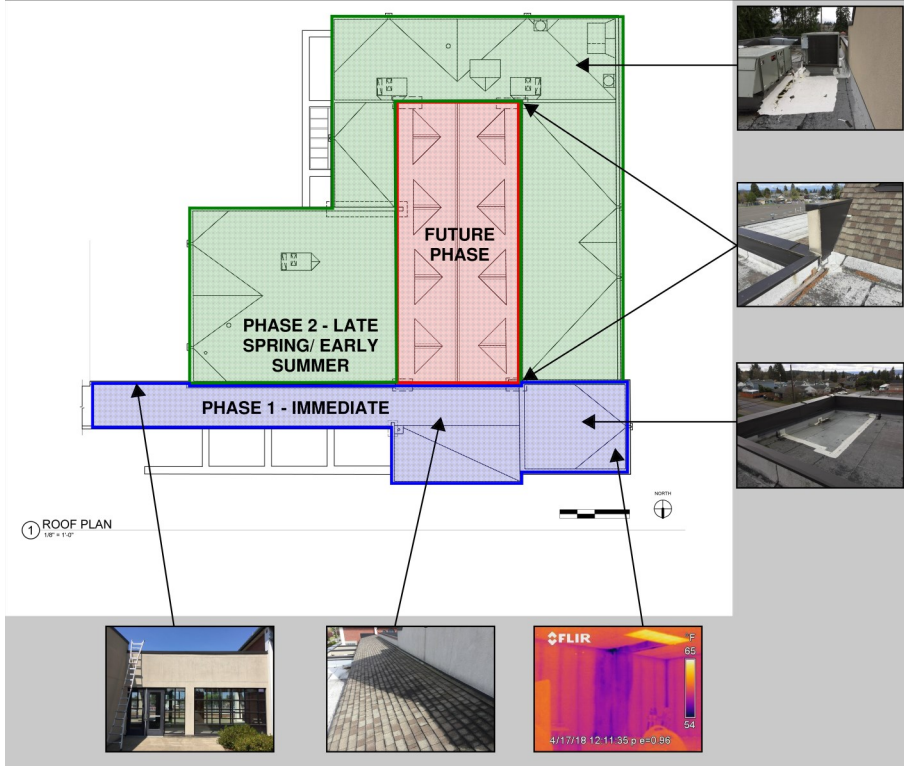
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HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH ROOF REPLACEMENT



Building Envelope Consultant:
NEXUS bec, Inc.

General Contractor:
Hilger Construction

OVERALL SCOPE OF WORK

- Replace roofing over all low and mid-slope roof areas
- Replace stucco on south entry
- Repair stucco on walls above roof
- Replace sheet metal at corners of high-pitched roof
- Replace parapet coping
- Repair interior damage in kitchen and storage room

PHASING

PHASE 1:
Immediate repairs over North entry

PHASE 2 (Spring 2019):
Remaining work on roof, stucco and interior

FUTURE PHASE:
Replace steep slope roof

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

- Cost of project: \$365,000 Bid Received from Hilger Construction
- Costs will be paid from Parish Savings account. Current balance: \$430,000
- Fundraising is not an option under current Archdiocesan moratorium for Called to Serve as Christ Campaign for Priest/Religious Pension Fund.

