

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



FEBRUARY 24, 2019 - SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## Saint Patrick Parish

1001 North J Street, Tacoma, WA 98403 | 253-383-2783 | [www.saintpats.org](http://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 44<sup>th</sup> Street, Tacoma, WA 98407 | 253-759-3368 | [www.holycross-tacoma.org](http://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](http://www.stritastacoma.org)

Sunday Mass

7:30am

Daily Masses

Tuesday 12Noon, Saturday 9am

Reconciliation

Saturday 9:30am



Dear Friends in Christ,

In this Sunday's Gospel, the Lord Jesus presents a forceful and demanding teaching. He lays out a way of life for the disciple that is not one for the faint of heart. It's true, the Christian way is a way that leads to joy and eternal happiness. But it's also a way that demands love, sacrifice, forgiveness, and generosity. And there are consequences for our failure to be faithful. It comes down to our understanding of who the Lord Jesus is and the depth of our relationship with Him. These words of Pope Benedict XVI make this point very clear:

“Today in broad circles, even among believers, an image has prevailed of a Jesus who demands nothing, never scolds, who accepts everyone and everything, who no longer does anything but affirm us: the perfect opposite of the Church, to the extent that she still dares to make demands and regulations... The Jesus of the Gospels is quite different, demanding, bold. The Jesus who makes everything okay for everyone is a phantom, a dream, not a real figure. The Jesus of the Gospels is certainly not convenient for us. But it is precisely in this way that he answers the deepest question of our existence, which - whether we want to or not - keeps us on the lookout for God, for a gratification that is limitless, for the infinite. We must again set out on the way to this real Jesus.”

- Pope Benedict XVI, *On the Way to Jesus Christ*, 2004

My friends, as disciples of the Lord Jesus, let's make sure we are faithful to and following the real Jesus. Not the “Jesus” of the culture or of our own making. But the Jesus who is crucified and risen; the Jesus proclaimed by the Gospels and revealed by the Church. It is the real Jesus that leads us to life and to the loving embrace of the Father!

God bless,

*Fr David Mulholland*

## CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24: 7<sup>th</sup> 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

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25:

Communion Service at 7:45 a.m. - St. Patrick  
Mass at 9:00 a.m. - Holy Cross  
Eucharistic Adoration - 3:00 - 6:45 p.m. - Chapel - St. Patrick  
Evening Prayer - 6:45 p.m. - Chapel - St. Patrick  
Adult Bible Study - 7:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick  
Boy Scouts - 7:00 p.m. - Church Hall - St. Patrick

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26:

Mass at 7:45 a.m. - St. Patrick  
Mass at Noon - St. Rita  
Outreach/Food bank - 7:00 a.m. - RE Building - Holy Cross  
Rummage Volunteers - 10:00 a.m. - Rummage Hall - Holy Cross  
Sodality Mtg. - 12:30 p.m. - Parish Hall - St. Rita  
Alpha - 6:30 p.m. - Parish Hall - Holy Cross  
KC Business Mtg. - 7:00 p.m. - Church Hall - St. Patrick  
RCIA - 7:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27:

Mass at 7:45 a.m. - St. Patrick  
Mass at 5:30 p.m. - Holy Cross  
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  
Vietnamese New year Potluck - 6:00 p.m. - Parish Hall - St. Rita  
Cub Scouts - 6:30 p.m. - Church Hall - St. Patrick  
Social Justice - 6:30 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick  
Choir Practice - 7:00 p.m. - Church - St. Patrick  
Mother of Perpetual Help Novena - 7:30 p.m. - Chapel - Holy Cross

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28:

Mass with the school children at 8:45 a.m. - St. Patrick  
Mass at 9:00 a.m. - Holy Cross  
Mother of Perpetual Help Novena - 9:30 a.m. - Church - Holy Cross  
Safe Environment - 5:30 p.m. - Parish Hall - Holy Cross  
Adult Confirmation - 6:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick  
Choir Rehearsal - 7:00 p.m. - Choir Loft - Holy Cross

### FRIDAY, MARCH 1:

Eucharistic Adoration - 7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. - Church - St. Rita  
Mass at 9:00 a.m. - Holy Cross  
First Friday Mass & Luncheon - 11:00 a.m. - St. Patrick  
Men's Prayer - 6:45 a.m. - Hall - St. Patrick  
Holy Cross Rummage Sale - 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. - Holy Cross  
Whole - Life Confession - 7:45 p.m. - Church - St. Patrick

### SATURDAY, MARCH 2:

Mass at 9:00 a.m. - St. Rita  
Cupcake Saturday - 9:00 a.m. - St. Rita  
Reconciliation - 9:30 a.m. - Church - St. Rita  
Holy Cross Rummage Sale - 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. - Holy Cross  
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 Mass at 5:30 p.m. - Holy Cross

### SUNDAY, MARCH 3: 8<sup>th</sup> 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  
St. Vincent de Paul - 10:15 a.m. - Nursery - St. Patrick  
Noon - Nativity House - St. Rita  
Youth Group - 5:00 p.m. - Center - St. Patrick

## TRI-PARISH COLLABORATION UPDATE

As you've noticed these past few weeks, we have begun publishing a joint bulletin for our three parishes. We hope this initial step with the joint bulletin is helping us begin to see ourselves as a unified community.

One of the next steps in our increasingly collaborative tri-parish relationship is the formation of joint councils and commissions. Discussions of what these joint councils and commissions might look like have begun and will continue throughout the Spring. The aim is to enhance each parish's goals and ministries in light of the larger Tacoma Catholic community and even beyond.

Stay tuned for additional details as they develop.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24<sup>TH</sup> Masses for the People of the Parishes MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25<sup>TH</sup>

9am Mass at Holy Cross | Repose of the soul of Mary McInerney

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26<sup>TH</sup>

7:45am Mass at Saint Patrick | Repose of the soul of Phyllis Kollar

12 Mass at Saint Rita | Repose of the souls of all unborn children

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27<sup>TH</sup>

7:45am Mass at Saint Patrick | Repose of the soul of Carole MacHutchin

5:30pm Mass at Holy Cross | Repose of the soul of Ann Walsh

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28<sup>TH</sup>

8:45am Mass at Saint Patrick | Repose of the soul of Hank Hellenkamp

9am Mass at Holy Cross | Intentions of the Mauss Family

### FRIDAY, MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup>

7:45am Mass at Saint Patrick | Repose of the soul of James Petrich

9am Mass at Holy Cross | Repose of the soul of William O'Connell

### SATURDAY, MARCH 2<sup>ND</sup>

9am Mass at Saint Rita | Repose of the soul of Nat Luppino

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RESPOSE OF THE SOULS OF

*Patricia Abson, (sister of Judy Murdach)*

*Jim Clark, Juli Norris*

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

## PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER, OUR SICK:

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



# 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.

### 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.

### FIRST FRIDAY MASS AND LUNCHEON

Join us for Mass on Friday, March 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:00 a.m. followed by lunch and fellowship in the Church Hall.

Need a ride?  
Call the Parish Center before the first Wednesday of the month.

All are welcome!

### 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 2<sup>nd</sup> 8:45 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

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



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

On the first Sunday of each month, Knight's of Columbus members will be wearing their name badge, vest or polo shirt to bring awareness to the parish of the members of our Council. If you have questions regarding joining our brotherhood, seek out a member.



### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The St. Vincent de Paul Conference invites you to a monthly meeting, held the First Sunday of the month between the 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. Masses. A time to reflect on the St. Vincent de Paul ministry and to pray for those we have helped during the previous month.

### ADULT BIBLE STUDY

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

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

They are currently starting the Book of Deuteronomy.

The New Testament Group meets the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Your donations to the monthly St. Vincent de Paul collection make it possible for our Vincentians to make home visits and help low (or no) income residents within St. Patrick and St. Rita Parish boundaries, who struggle to pay for life's necessities, such as utilities, food, gasoline, beds and clothes.

Monetary collections take place the first weekend of each month.

Our next collection will be March 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>.

*Any help you can give is appreciated.*

### OUR SUNDAY COLLECTION

Your generosity as of February 16 & 17, 2019.

WEEKLY INCOME NEEDED	LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION	NEEDED YEAR TO DATE	ACTUAL YEAR TO DATE	+/-
\$19,717	\$23,870	\$665,248	\$643,782	-\$21,466



## 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**

### COME AND WELCOME OUR NEW MINISTRY

Join us March 3<sup>rd</sup> at the 10:00 a.m. Mass and following reception in the Parish Hall to welcome a new ministry, St. Peter Chanel Samoan Ministry.

The Samoan community will hold a separate monthly Samoan Mass and utilize the Parish Hall on a periodic basis for youth and community faith formation.

The goal of the St. Peter Chanel Samoan ministry is to create a central location for Samoan Catholics in western Washington where they can unite in fellowship, strengthen their faith and celebrate liturgical celebrations in their native language.

The ministry is committed to promoting harmonious relationship among all parishioners and to help nourish faith and spiritual growth of Holy Cross families.

We are very excited about this partnership, and the opportunity it brings for new life and new friends to our Holy Cross community.

*Afio Mai -- Welcome!*

### 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 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!

Food Bank needs - peanut butter, jelly, canned chicken, canned fruit, soup, coats and gloves.

### SCHEDULE FOR LECTORS, EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS & ALTAR SERVERS

**March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 5:30 p.m.**

Lectors: Blaise Feeney & Ralph Miller  
 Eucharistic Ministers:

Nancy & Lenn Doran, Mary Jones  
 Choir: Aida Kintanar  
 Altar Servers: Steve

**March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10:00 a.m.**

Lectors: Steve Cano & Mike Silvernagel  
 Eucharistic Ministers:

Greta Toledo, LeAnn Silvernagel, Sarina Cano  
 Choir: Jan Smurro  
 Altar Servers: Jackson & Natalie

### BAPTISM

On Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at the 10:00 a.m. mass, Jennifer and Benji Heitman will have their toddler son, Brent baptized.

Please join us to witness and give your support as they bring their child into our Holy Cross Catholic Faith Community.

### SACRED STEPS

A Funeral for Loretta Macha will be held at St. Charles Borromeo on Monday, February 25<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m.

A rosary will be held at Gaffney's Sunday, February 24<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m.

Loretta was a long time parishioner at Holy Cross and was the designer of our much loved Adoration Chapel.

### HOLY CROSS QUARTERLY RUMMAGE SALE

March 1<sup>ST</sup> & 2<sup>ND</sup> 10:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.



### ROOF SCHEMATIC

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

### HEARING AID DEVICES

If you're having trouble hearing at Mass, please consider using our hearing assistance devices. We have several on hand - just check with an usher on your way in and they will assist you in using it.

### PALMS

Please bring your old palms to Mass on March 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> for them to be burned in preparation for Ash Wednesday.

### HOLY CROSS CRAFTING GROUP

Will meet Saturday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 10:30 a.m. in the Bride's Room of the Parish Hall. Bring your works in progress and any completed projects you wish to donate. Questions? Call Winona at: 253-223-9182.

### SAFE ENVIRONMENT CLASS

February 28<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. Please sign up on line at: [virtusonline.org](http://virtusonline.org)  
 The class will be held in the Parish Hall.

### OUR SUNDAY COLLECTION

Your generosity as of February 16 & 17, 2019.

WEEKLY INCOME NEEDED	LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION	NEEDED YEAR TO DATE	ACTUAL YEAR TO DATE	+/-	HOLY CROSS FOOD BANK
\$6,140.57	\$7,697.16	\$208,779.38	\$211,051.86	+\$2,272.48	\$817



## 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

1<sup>st</sup> 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!

The Vietnamese New Year Potluck  
has been rescheduled for  
**Wednesday, February 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.**

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



### ITALIAN VIGIL MASS & DINNER

Thank you to everyone who made our  
Italian Mass and Dinner such a success!

Thank you to  
Fr. Alejandro Baez  
Fr. Fred Mayovsky, Fr. Gene Delmore  
David Viafore  
and committee -  
Helen Ames, Kathy Brands,  
Francie Jordan, Susan McCreary  
and Pam Smith

Photos coming in next weeks bulletin.  
Don't miss this event next year!

### 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.

For more information on  
see Mark Lewis, President.

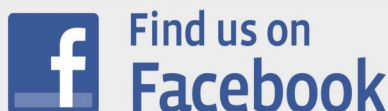


### SODALITY EASTER LILY SALE

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 Igno, O.P.

### CALENDAR

Our monthly calendar is on our website,  
[www.stritastacoma.org](http://www.stritastacoma.org)  
It is updated as events change.

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

### 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.*

### SPRING CLEANING

Watch the bulletin for our  
"Spring Cleaning Saturday"  
date in late March.

Please plan on helping us get the  
church and yard ready for  
Easter and our Easter Egg Hunt.

### OUR SUNDAY COLLECTION

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\$2,246	\$3,298	\$76,364	\$85,189	+\$8,825



## ST. RITA OF CASCIA

THANKS OUR ADVERTISER OF THE MONTH

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

# FAITH FORMATION

**A SPECIAL INVITATION**  
from St. Charles Borromeo Parish  
to attend our 16<sup>th</sup> annual

## **Religious Art Festival** **“Into His Likeness as His Disciples”**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 3<sup>RD</sup> FROM 9AM TO NOON IN FEIST HALL**

Please join us for a for a unique and beautiful Sunday morning Lenten experience!  
Our Religious Art Festival is designed to deepen your personal journey of Lent.  
We will expose you to sacred art, devotions, crafts, music and other mediums  
that focus on the saints and disciples of Christ, our theme for this Lent.

**AT THE FESTIVAL:** Pick up devotional materials on Lent for all ages.  
Experience or explore art in several mediums: paintings, statues, music, etc. on the theme of discipleship.  
Participate in several religious & thematic “hands on” art projects for kids and adults  
Sign up to win a Door prize.

**REFRESHMENTS:** Coffee, donuts, fruit, finger sandwiches and some home made works of art.

**ART GALLERY:** Walk and reflect on the art displayed as well as how these saints lived their lives.

Read and learn about the artists and their pieces. Look for our feature piece, “The Trinity” by Rublev.

**LENTEN ARTS AND CRAFTS ACTIVITIES:** Jesus Sign craft, Discipleship journal, Cross Bracelet, Resistant Art poster, Scratch Art crosses, Prayer candle, Disciple Mirror craft, Mosaic Cross craft, about Lent Poster and more...

The Religious Art Festival is a gift to our community from St. Charles Borromeo Parish.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUING AND OUTSTANDING SUPPORT!**

For more information, please contact Jodie Clark at: 253-564-5185, Ext. 3036.

### **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 contact Kim at: 253-383-2783 ext. 4108 or [kward@saintpats.org](mailto: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

### **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](mailto:parish@saintpats.org) or 253-383-2783

Send a prayer request through myParish app or  
submit a prayer request though our website at: [www.saintpats.org](http://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 get's 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.

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.

### **THE JOY OF LIFE: CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF HUMANAE VITAE**



All Catholics are invited to attend.

**Saturday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>  
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.

Learn more at: [www.cwbn.us/joyoflife](http://www.cwbn.us/joyoflife) or  
call: 253-278-6550.

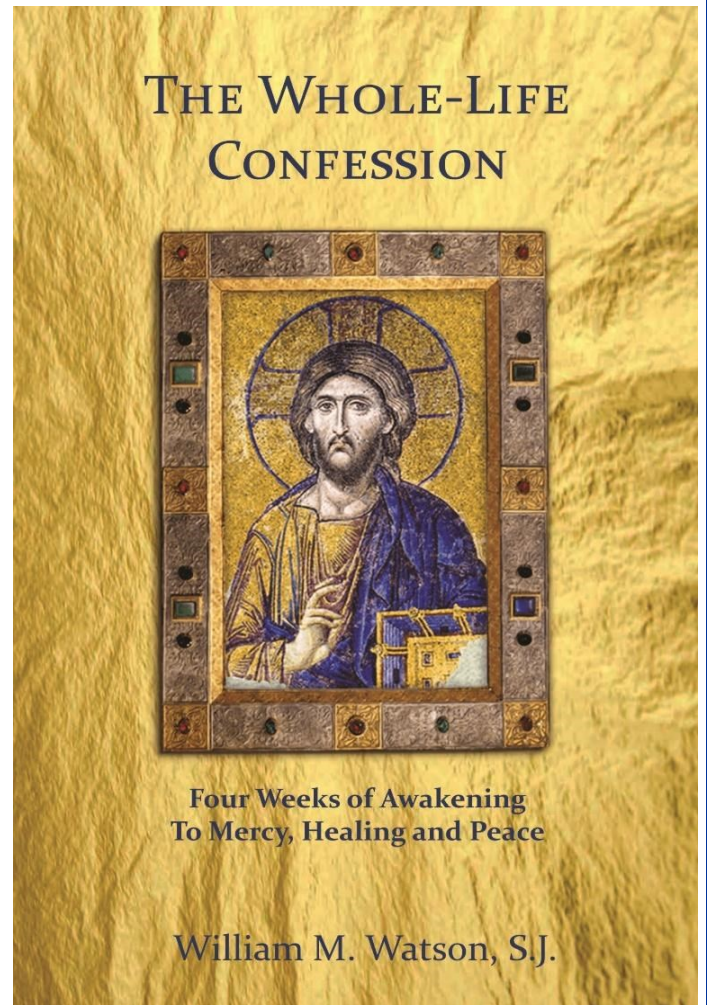


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IS CHRIST CALLING  
YOU TO THE  
SPIRITUAL JOURNEY OF

# The Whole-Life Confession



**March 1- April 5, 2019**

**Registration at: [www.saintpats.org](http://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

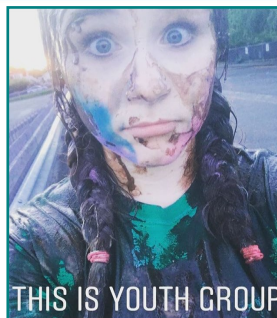
Apr | Shoe Drive

**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**

## 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](mailto: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](http://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.**

## PREGNANCY AID OF TACOMA

We have been working with and serving  
thousands of families in Tacoma  
for the past 40 years,  
encouraging them to carry their babies to term  
and helping support that decision.

If you are in need of assistance, infant clothing,  
food and diapers, accessories  
or for more information,  
please call us at 253-383-4100.

## PIERCE COUNTY AGING & DISABILITY RESOURCES

A first stop for older adults and individuals with disabilities of all  
ages, family members, caregivers, service providers and  
community professionals.

Focus on helping individuals remain safe and independent in  
their own homes in the community as long as is practical.  
Confidential resource for information, assistance and referral as  
well as a 'front door' for a number of services.

253-798-7384  
Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

## ARE YOU IN NEED OF HELP?

We of St. Vincent de Paul's Ministry would like to help any of our parishioners  
who may need assistance with food, and other needs.

Please call the Parish Office at 383-2783 ext. 4105  
on Tuesdays and Thursdays  
between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon  
and we would be happy to assist you in ways that we can.



## 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**



# UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

## THE DETENTION LOTTERY

An Immersive Theater Experience  
Set in a US Immigration Detention Center

THURSDAY, MARCH 28<sup>TH</sup>  
SHOW BEGINS AT 7:30 P.M.

ALL SAINTS  
PARISH CENTER  
506 3<sup>RD</sup> STREET SW  
PUYALLUP  
FREE ADMISSION  
DONATIONS WELCOME  
PLEASE RSVP TO  
HOLY DISCIPLES  
PARISH AT:  
253-875-6630



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.

## 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

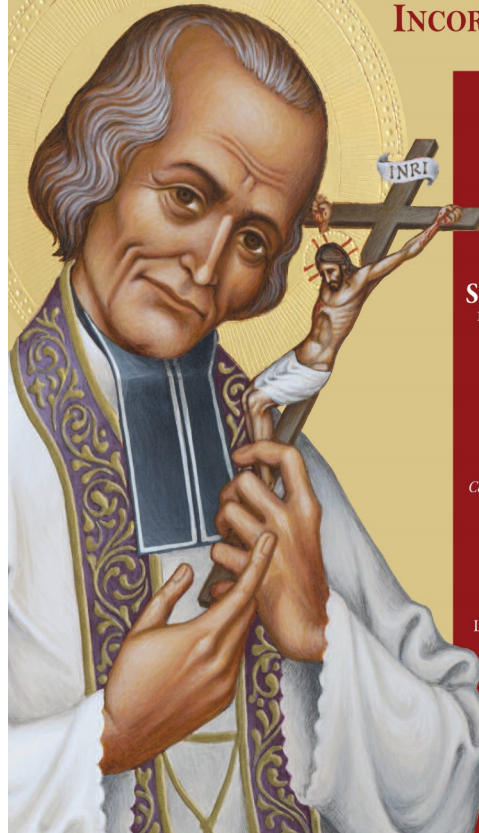
Immediately following Mass at O'Dea High School, Seattle (concludes at 2 p.m.)



For more information contact Erica Cohen Moore  
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[www.seattlearch.org/sn](http://www.seattlearch.org/sn) | [facebook.com/seattlespecialneedsministry](https://www.facebook.com/seattlespecialneedsministry)

## HEART OF A PRIEST

RELIC PILGRIMAGE OF  
ST. JEAN VIANNEY'S  
INCORRUPT HEART



ST. BENEDICT PARISH  
1805 N. 49<sup>th</sup> Street, Seattle, WA 98103

Saturday, March 9

Veneration  
9:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Mass  
9:00 AM

*Celebrated by Bishop Daniel Mueggenborg*

Rosary  
11:00 AM

Divine Mercy Chaplet  
3:00 PM

Liturgy of the Hours will be prayed at  
noon, 5:00 PM and 8:30 PM.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
IN SOLIDARITY WITH OUR PRIESTS  
[kofc.org/vianney](http://kofc.org/vianney)

#HeartofaPriest

## 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](http://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.



Seattle Mariners vs. Boston Red Sox  
**MARCH 29 @ 7 PM**

The Saint Patrick Catholic School Choir is singing the National Anthem on Opening Friday at T-Mobile Park!

Join us for a fun night with friends and support Saint Patrick Catholic School!

**\$15/Ticket**

Ticket sales end on March 7th.  
Cash or check only.

**All are welcome.**  
Help us to reach our goal of selling 300 tickets!



**"An education in the fullness of humanity should be the defining feature of Catholic schools."**

-Pope Francis

*Come and see our servant leaders of tomorrow in action today!*

## MASS WITH THE SCHOOL CHILDREN

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



## 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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# ***REACH Auction***



***SAINT PATS  
The Next Generation***

***You're Invited!***

***Stardate 72679***

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

***SAINT PATRICK CATHOLIC SCHOOL***

***Skip Butler Gymnasium***

***1112 North G Street***

***Tacoma, WA***

***for tickets | sponsorship | raffle  
[www.saintpats.ejoinme.org/REACH2019](http://www.saintpats.ejoinme.org/REACH2019)***

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CA VERTETIS AMALA***



**SAINT PATRICK  
CATHOLIC  
CHURCH & SCHOOL**

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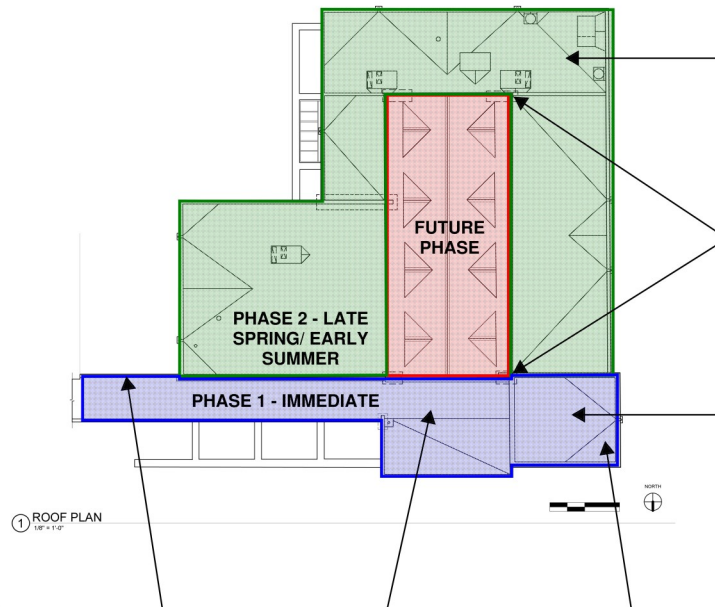
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# HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH ROOF REPLACEMENT



**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.



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