

HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Seattle, Washington

Mark 9:38-48

He that is not against us *is for us*

WELCOME!

COME WORSHIP WITH US!

- Saturday Vigil at 5:00pm
- Sunday at 8:30am and 10:30am
- *Daily Mass in the Church:*
7:45am Tue, Thu, Fri;
8:35am on Wed and Sat
- *Communion Service:* Monday at 7:45am in the Church.

RECONCILIATION IN THE CHURCH

- Tuesdays: 5:30pm to 6:30pm
- Saturdays: 3:30pm to 4:30pm
- or by appointment during office hours.

RELAX AND MEET FELLOW PARISHIONERS

- Sunday in the School Hall after the morning Masses.
- Tuesday morning in the Parish Center Reception Room after Mass.

PRAY THE ROSARY

- Monday nights at 7pm in the Chapel.

FOR THE KIDS

- The Parish Nursery is available during the Sunday 8:30 and 10:30am Masses.
- Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) during the 10:30am Mass.

STAY IN THE LOOP

- Download our Parish App at myparishapp.com.
- Join our email list—send a message to ParishOffice@holyrosaryseattle.org
- Learn more about Holy Rosary's programs and ministries: www.holyrosaryseattle.org

SPIRITUAL HELP

- Submit a prayer request: prayers@holyrosaryseattle.org.
- Request a homebound visit: homebound@holyrosaryseattle.org.
- On the *First Saturday* of the month at 8:35am in the Church, we pray in a special way for those who are sick and offer the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick for those in need.

Fr. Matthew Oakland



Called to Serve as Christ

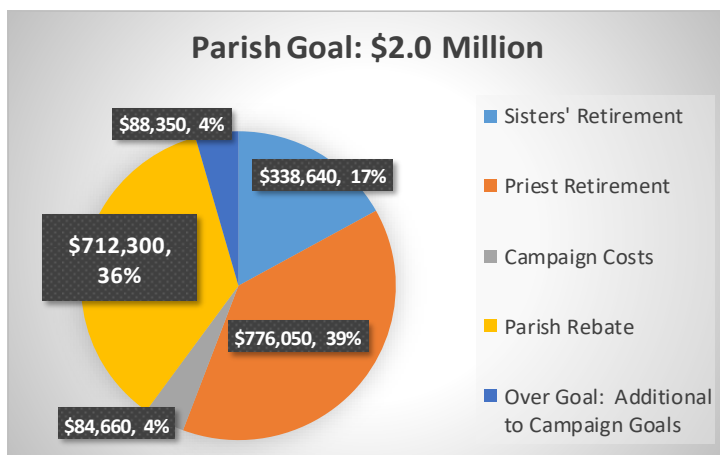
This campaign is an opportunity for us to do a lot of good! It is an opportunity to fully fund retirement for priests and our religious sisters for generations to come, those who dedicated their lives in service to God and His people, those who served us as Christ.

- It also supports our parish community in many ways.
- If the campaign is fully funded, fully funding priest and sisters' retirement, then the current sourcing of funding decrease or go away all together. \$19,000 of our Annual Catholic Appeal goal and about \$19,000 of our annual parish assessments fund priest retirement right now. Imagine what we could do with that money in our own community if we no longer need it to pay for priest retirement?
- We earn a 15% rebate on every donation up to our \$1.411 million Archdiocesan Goal. Over our goal, we earn an 85% rebate, with the other 15% going to the pillars of the campaign—retirement funds, extra costs, or back to the parishes. This is why our Finance Council, Facility and Maintenance Committee and School Commission leadership set a goal of \$2 million—to take care of our needed campus upgrades by taking advantage of that large rebate.
- -If we reach our \$2 million goal, we will be able to fix the rest of the stained glass windows that are breaking and bulging,

allowing them to inspire us for generations to come. With help from the School Auction and possibly grants, we will also be able to install a new Big Toy—a safe environment for our children and those of our neighbor's to play. We will also perform the necessary work on our brick and mortar buildings to protect their structural integrity by tuckpointing.

Will you join us in helping accomplish these incredible goods, by making a pledge which is payable over the next three or four years?

Important Note: Priests who have been found to have credibly abused a minor no longer benefit from the regular pension plan supported by your donations and this campaign, but from a separately created pension plan. Legal settlements have been funded by insurance and from sales of unneeded properties.



Baby Lucas Update

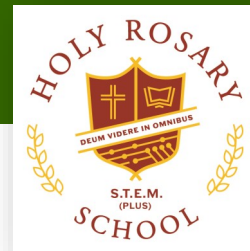
Thank you to those who have been keeping my nephew Lucas in your prayers. He was born on March 19th with four heart defects and a stomach that is on the wrong side of his body, leading to some malrotated intestines as well, which have the potential of further twisting and complications. Unless a problem arises, there is no plan in the short term to address the digestional tract. The heart defects have obviously been the big concern from the beginning. We were thankful when he didn't require surgery right away. The unique nature of his heart defects has meant that his heart has continued working—just in his own way—and his oxygen has stayed above 90% - which is incredible. He is perfectly broken.

In July we found out surgery was going to be moved up from originally planned in December. They did a CT scan to make a 3D model of his heart in August. Last week his case was presented to a team of 40 or so doctors, nurses and specialists at Seattle Children's. Their big concern is still his weight—at 13 pounds he in the 0 percentile. So they have decided to push the surgery off again until he is at least 15 pounds as long as his oxygen levels are stable. He is gaining weight—but very, very slowly. The doctor's have said Lucas is "literally one in a billion" in terms of the uniqueness of his combination of defects, and his ability to go this long without any assistance. And yet—they believe that they have a plan that will fully fix his heart, something not always possible with cases of fewer or less severe defects. It only confirms what we have always known—miracles happen.

Thank you for your continued prayers for Lucas. We have been invoking the intercession of Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati. The Archbishop was kind enough to give Lucas a 2nd class relic—a piece of the sheets from his deathbed. The community at my home parish of St. Michael's Parish in Olympia is also invoking his intercession for the pastor there, Fr. Jim Lee, diagnosed this past year with ALS. Blessed Pier Giorgio needs a second miracle to be canonized a saint—we are volunteering for #2 and #3!



Holy Rosary Catholic School—SPIRIT AND MIND *ignited*



School Highlights

Our 8th graders spent a few days away together on their Ropes Retreat. This is a special time together, recognizing their individual gifts and bonding as a class. Students whom met the Math Summer Challenge enjoyed an ice cream social and there was also a Pancake Breakfast for students that completed the requirements of the Summer Reading Challenge. Great ways to keep the summer slump at bay!

It is our last week of the Magazine Drive. You can renew existing subscriptions with students – as well as place new orders. Go to apmags.com and look up your favorite HRS student to support today. Thank you!

Holy Rosary has two Open Houses for Preschool-8th grade during the school year. Our first Open House is Saturday, Oct. 27th from 10am-1pm and the second Open House is Sunday, January 27th after the 10:30am mass-1pm. Families are welcome to attend.

We have begun our Priority Application Period for 2019/20 that runs from September 15th through November 15th. This is designated for current School and Parish families to submit applications for the 2019/20 school year. Please remember our age guidelines for enrollment can be found on our website, but to summarize:

- Preschool 2s – Age 2.5 by August 31st
- Preschool 3s – Age 3 by August 31st
- Pre-Kindergarten – Age 4 by August 31st
- Kindergarten – Age 5 by August 31st

At Holy Rosary School, tradition and innovation converge to provide a leading-edge education that is grounded in the Catholic faith. Students are engaged by enthusiastic teachers who provide hands-on curricula designed to spark creativity and encourage critical thinking. Each child is given room to discover and develop their own unique gifts. At every grade level, faith meets action through service and the teaching of compassion and social justice. Holy Rosary's tight-knit community of passionate teachers and engaged parents creates a safe place where students become leaders from the inside out.

For more information, contact the School office: 206-937-7255 or admissions@holyrosaryws.org.

PARISH & COMMUNITY NEWS

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A weekly tip on Caring for Our Common Home

Wire hangers that you get from the dry cleaner cannot be recycled in your curbside bin. However, many cleaners let you return hangers to be reused. Check your cleaner's policy.

HR/OLG Green Team Meeting

Monday, October 1st at OLG's Parish Office @6:30pm. Consider ending this year's Season of Creation by continuing the Novena and signing the Laudato Si Pledge (catholicclimatecovenant.org/program/st-francis-pledge).

Why Do We Care for God's Creation?

By being good stewards of creation, we recognize and honor our Creator. We also care for creation because we believe that people deserve to live in conditions that uphold their God-given dignity. **When the environment suffers, human beings suffer.**

When natural disaster strikes, people living in fragile homes and those whose livelihoods depend on nature are the most devastated. Catholic Relief Services witnesses this through work with the poor in more than 100 countries due to loss of their homes and livelihoods due to droughts, heatwaves, flooding, and mudslides. In 2008 alone, more than 20 million people were displaced by climate-related natural disasters, including 800,000 people by cyclone Nargis in Asia, and almost 80,000 by heavy floods and rains in Brazil. And this doesn't even include all the wildlife and fauna species that are lost every day!

What are some suggestions that you can do to help?

- Sign the St. Francis' Pledge and the Catholic Global Climate Covenant
- Join the Holy Rosary/Our Lady of Guadalupe Green Ministry Committee
- Pray for creation, including the "Novena for Creation" (<https://bit.ly/2OdJTjE>)

Opportunities for Adults!

Join us as we grow together in our faith!

- **Adoration** on the first week of the month! Our First Tuesday Adoration will be on **October 2 at 6:30pm** in the St. Dominic Chapel, sponsored by Voices for Life; Adoration and Libation will begin in the Church on **October 5 at 7pm**, followed by fellowship at a local pub, sponsored by the Young Adults.
- **Monday Rosary** – Join us every Monday evening at 7pm in the St. Dominic Chapel for a Rosary! All are welcome!
- **Becoming Catholic (RCIA)** – If you have been thinking about becoming Catholic, and would like to receive the Sacraments this coming Easter, our next meeting is this Wednesday, Oct 3. Please contact Robert King.
- **Adult Confirmation** – Confirmation completes your membership in the Church. It is required to serve as a Godparent or Sponsor, and is a powerful foundation for your Christian life. If you were Baptized as a Catholic, but have never been Confirmed, we can prepare you to receive Confirmation this Spring. Please contact Robert King for more information.
- **Inquiry** is an open-ended discussion of life, the universe, and everything from a Catholic point of view! A perfect preparation for RCIA or Adult Confirmation, or a chance to deepen your understanding of Christ and the Church. All are welcome, and no topic is off limits! We meet every Tuesday at 6:30pm in the Parish Office. Our next meeting will be Tuesday, October 2.
- **Bible Study** – Two new studies this Fall: we'll study the **Acts of the Apostles on Wednesday** mornings at 9:30am, and we'll look at **A Biblical Walk through the Mass on Saturday** mornings at 9:30am. Both meet in the Parish Center. Contact Robert King for more info!
- **Walking With Purpose** – For women of all ages and stages of life! Join the journey to face the everyday challenges of life by getting to know Jesus and your fellow Catholics! Two groups available: next meeting **Wednesday, October 3 at 7:15; OR Friday, September 28 at 9:15 in the Parish Center.** Contact Deyette Swegle.

If you would like more information, or if you have any suggestions to make, please contact Robert King (206-937-1488 x203 or evangelization@holynosaryseattle.org)

Sacrament of Confirmation

This year, Holy Rosary Parish will offer preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation to all High School students. If you have a child who will be in grades 9-12 and who has not yet received Confirmation – or if you are an adult who has not been Confirmed yourself – please visit holynosaryseattle.org/confirmation or contact Robert King for more information and registration. Our first session for High School students will be on **Sunday, September 30** at noon.

Children's Ministries Corner

We welcome your child to a Life with Christ!



- **RCIA** –Holy Rosary Church welcomes children who are age 7 thru Teens and have never been baptized to prepare for their initiation into the Catholic community. If interested in RCIA for children and for TEENS, please contact Sr. Stella.
- **First Reconciliation and First Communion** – **Registration is open** for your child to prepare and receive next year First Reconciliation and First Communion. Register at www.holynosaryseattle.org/FamilyFaithFormation. Children who have been baptized Catholic and will be in grade 2 or older next year are welcome register. For those children who are not Baptized and are interested in becoming Catholic, please contact Sr. Stella.
- **Children's Faith Formation/Sunday School**— **Registration is open** for Fall Children's Faith Formation on Sundays. Visit holynosaryseattle.org and click on Family Faith Formation. Classes are offered for children age 4-Teens. Please contact Sr. Stella for questions.
- **Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)** Your child (preschool through grade 4) is welcome to join CLOW during the 10:30AM Mass to learn about the readings of the day. Children start Mass with you and are dismissed after opening prayer and return before Celebrating Communion. Free and no registration required.

Saint of the Week

Every week, we highlight a particular saint. This week, we focus on St. Thérèse of Lisieux. St. Thérèse lived less than 25 years, having suffered from tuberculosis, and was hardly known to anyone in her lifetime. But her memoirs of her spiritual struggles as a young girl and as a Carmelite nun described a “Little Way” of profound trust in God’s love for her and for all, so many call her “The Little Flower”. She is a patron of missions and of those seeking holiness in everyday life. Her feast is October 1.





How much of the funds donated to the campaign is going to the Archdiocese?

All campaign funds raised will be put toward the

needs and priorities identified in the campaign case book and on the campaign website. **None** of the campaign funds raised are going to the Archdiocese of Seattle for operating expenses. If the campaign raises more than our \$100 million goal, those funds will still only be used towards the needs identified in the campaign case statement and returned to parishes at a greater (85 percent) share.

In our parish, the money raised will be used for the renovation of the remainder of stained glass windows, the Big Toy, and Tuckpointing of our buildings. If more is raised, we will finish funding the church door replacement and needed renovations to our school and gym bathrooms. The remainder will be used to support the retirement and medical needs of our priests and sisters throughout the Archdiocese.

The League of the Sacred Heart

The next meeting of the League of the Sacred Heart will be on Friday, October 5 at 1pm in the Parish Center. Our guest speaker will be Virginia Radel on her visit to Ireland. All are welcome! For questions, contact Marie at 932-7750.

St. Martin de Porres Sandwich Team Volunteers Needed!

Every first Tuesday of the month the team makes 300 sandwiches which are then delivered to the men's shelter downtown. If you can help this month, stop by the School Hall any time between 7 to 10am in the School Hall. Contact: Susan Strmich, 206-932-8647.

The Esoterics present CŌNSŌLŌ *the reimagined requiem / the balm for sorrow*

October 6 at 8pm in the Church.

The Esoterics continues its silver anniversary celebration with compositions that offer introspection, grace, and healing. General admission ticket prices are \$25 at the door (\$22 in advance). Discounted admission ticket prices are \$18 at the door (\$15 in advance) for students, seniors, the un(der)employed, and the differently-abled. Active singers in other choral groups may also attend for \$15. Advance tickets are available online at www.TheEsoterics.org (through BrownPaperTickets).

For Survivors of Abuse- Maria Goretti Network

A peer-to-peer self help support group for women and men focusing on healing and forgiveness. For information on monthly meetings please contact Debbie@mgoretti.org or 253-307-4526.

Come to Scripture Alive- A Day of Prayer, Encounter, and Inspiration

Sunday, Oct 21, 9:30am - 5pm

You will meet three outstanding ministers of the Church who will speak about a favorite Scripture verse that inspired them to encounter God more deeply and transform their lives. You will fully interact with the presenters and be invited to take Scripture seriously as a privilege place of encounter with God in Jesus by the power of the Spirit.

Presenters: Tricia Whitman-Todd, Curtis Leighton, and Fr. John Madigan. **Location:** Peace & Spirituality Center (1663 Killarney Way, Bellevue, WA 98004). **Cost:** \$50 single/\$90 couple (scholarships available). **To Register:** Send name, email, phone, payment, to CLM, 1827 NE 58th St. # B, Seattle, WA 98105 OR register on-line at catholiclifeministries.org. For more info contact Robert: 509-731-6012; Robert@catholiclifeministries.org.

THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SEATTLE

You're invited to a Celebration of Our Saints

St. James Cathedral
Saturday, November 3, 2018
10 am Eucharistic Adoration | 11am Mass

Join Archbishop J. Peter Sartain, Bishop Eusebio Elizondo, and Bishop Daniel Mueggenborg in celebrating the saints from our diverse cultural communities. All are welcome to a reception following Mass, with ethnic foods and beautiful displays of our saints, provided by the cultural communities of the Archdiocese of Seattle.

Sunday, September 30, 2018

- Coffee and Donuts after Masses today
- Youth Confirmation meeting today at Noon in the School Library

Monday, October 1

7:45 AM	Word & Communion Service Church
7:00 PM	Baptism Prep 7B
7:00 PM	Pray the Rosary Chapel
7:00 PM	Shoulder to Shoulder Parish Office Basement

Tuesday, October 2

7:00 AM	St. Martin Sandwiches Lanigan Kitchen
	NO Daily Mass or Tue morning breakfast today
10:00 AM	Funeral for Karen Fiechtner Church
	reception to follow Lanigan Gym
5:30 PM	Confession Church
6:30 PM	St. Vincent de Paul Room 203
6:30 PM	Teen RCIA Music Room
6:30 PM	Sacramental II Parent Orientation 7B
6:30 PM	Voices for Life Adoration Chapel
6:30 PM	Adult Inquiry Parish Office Basement
6:30 PM	Campaign Meeting Reception Room

Wednesday, October 3

8:35 AM	School Mass Church
9:30 AM	Adult Bible Study Reception Rm
2:15 PM	Youth!Choir Practice Chapel
2:30 PM	Staff CPR Lanigan Gym
4:00 PM	School Bells Practice Chapel
5:30 PM	Handbell Practice Chapel
6:00 PM	Women's Spirituality Group Parish Office Basement
7:00 PM	Regional HS Info Nite School
6:30 PM	Walking With Purpose Reception Rm
6:30 PM	Adult RCIA Conference Room
7:00 PM	Contemporary Choir Practice Church

Thursday, October 4

7:45 AM	Daily Mass Church
9:00 AM	Soup Kitchen Lanigan Kitchen
3:00 PM	Orion Center Meal Prep Lanigan Kitchen
6:00 PM	School Commission 7B
6:30 PM	Adult Confirmation Reception Rm
6:30 PM	Children's RCIA Parish Center
7:30 PM	Sanctuary Choir Practice Church

Friday, October 5

7:45 AM	No Daily Mass or Adoration today
8:30 AM	Walking with Purpose Reception Room
11:00 AM	Funeral for Martin Morin Church
	reception to follow School Hall
1:00 PM	League of the Sacred Heart Reception Rm
7:00 PM	Friday Night Men's AA Reception Rm
7:00 PM	Adoration Church

Up Next

October

- 10 & 11 Sacramental II Parent Orientation Mtgs
- 26 Sacramental II Parent Class
- 27 School Fall Open House
- 29 Baptism Preparation #1

November

- 3 Sacramental II Family Learning Class
Baptism Preparation #2
Italian Dinner
- 7 Sacramental II Parent Class
- 9 Sacramental II Parent Class
- 10 Sacramental II Family Learning Class

Congratulations to
Caitlin LeBrun & Benjamin Sexton
who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage
here this weekend.

We pray for those who have died, especially
Karen Fiechtner and Martin Morin, Jr.

Mass Intentions for Next Week:

- October 2 : Nellie Pacholski, RIP
- October 3: David Kranz, RIP
- October 4: Alice Formea, RIP
- October 5: Zdenko Matesic, RIP
- October 7: Holy Rosary Community (8:30am)

Last Week's Collection:

Last week's collection: \$14,175
Weekly budgeted collection: \$23,534

Saturday, October 6

7:00 AM	Men's Group Reception Rm
8:30 AM	Daily Mass Church
9:30 AM	Bible Study Reception Rm
10:00 AM	Baptism Prep 7B
3:30 PM	Confession Church
5:00 PM	Vigil Mass Church
8:00 PM	Esoterics Concert Church

Please contact us if we can be of service to you. Just dial 206-937-1488 and enter the extension

Baptism: Contact Deyette Swegle at least two months in advance of your requested baptism date.

Marriage: Contact Sherry Smith six months in advance of your requested wedding date.

Funerals: Contact the Parish Office

Becoming Catholic: Contact the Parish Office

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