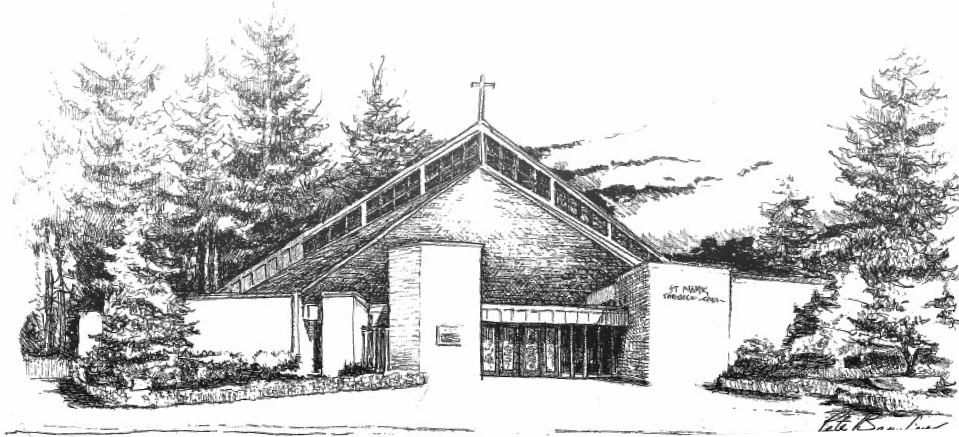


St. Mark Shoreline



St. Mark Parish

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July 11, 2021

Reverend Jacob Maurer, Pastor

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Saturday Vigil Mass

5:00 pm

Sunday Mass

8:30 am & 10:30 am

Weekday Mass

Monday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday: 9:30 am
Wednesday: 6:30 pm

Confessions

Wednesday: 5:00 pm
Saturday: 3:00 pm

Appointments are welcome! Call Fr. Maurer.

PARISH INFORMATION



The Week Ahead

Sunday, July 11 *Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 am, Mass, Church (*Pro Populo*)
10:30 am, Mass, Church (*Archbishop Etienne & all Clergy*)
11:30 am, Princess Angeline, Sullivan Hall

Monday, July 12

9:30 am, Mass, Church (Connolly Family)
6:30 pm, Boy Scouts, Cafeteria

Tuesday, July 13

No Morning Mass
7:00 pm, Knights of Columbus, Sullivan Hall

Wednesday, July 14

5:00 pm, Confessions, Church
5:00 pm, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Church
6:00 pm, Benediction & Evening Prayer
6:30 pm, Mass, Church (Leonardo Papa Panganiban, RIP)
7:00 pm, St. Gianna Molla Reading Group, Sullivan Hall

Thursday, July 15

9:30 am, Mass, Church (Dave Habersetzer, RIP)

Friday, July 16

9:30 am, Mass, Church (Margaret Peterman, RIP)
10:00 am, Third Order of Mary Profession, Church

Saturday, July 17

9:30 am, Mass, Church (Clarence Chesvick, RIP)
3:00 pm, Confessions, Church
5:00 pm, Vigil Mass, Church (*St. Mark Parish & School Faculty & Staff*)
After Masses, Drop-off donations for the Carmelites, Sullivan Hall

Sunday, July 18 *Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 am, Mass, Church (*Pro Populo*)
10:30 am, Mass, Church (*Archbishop Etienne & all Clergy*)
After Masses, Drop-off donations for the Carmelites, Sullivan Hall

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Stewardship as of July 4, 2021 for
Fiscal Year July, 2021-June, 2022:

Weekly amount needed: N/A
Last Week Collection: N/A
Year to date needed: N/A
Actual given year to date: N/A
Difference: N/A
Online Giving:
Total givers: N/A
Amount given online: N/A



WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT?

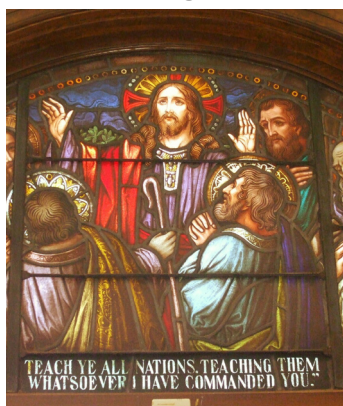
- Father Jacob Maurer

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

Cf. Ps 17 (16):15

On Pentecost, after consultation with the new Archdiocesan Pastoral Council, Archbishop Etienne launched the Pastoral Plan. You can watch his introductory video online at <https://vimeo.com/553104162>. The archbishop specifically speaks to our commission to bring others to an encounter with Jesus, particularly through the sacraments and the scriptures.

Over the last several months, our parish staff has been reflecting on various areas where we might restore and renew our parish mission. In examining their ministerial roles, each staff

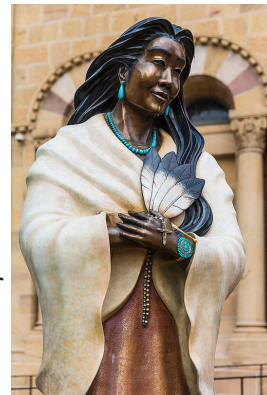


member has come up with different ways in which they will be working to help provide new opportunities for our community to grow in love of Christ and in care for each other.

Over the coming weeks and months, we will be going through a similar process of reflection and discernment as a parish. Every community faces the temptation of maintaining a status quo, of simply doing what has always been done. If we've learned anything over the last year, we know that we must be ready to adapt and change as we look to the future, together.

The archdiocese has three areas of focus, with questions in each for our reflection. I hope you'll reflect on each - maybe one a day - asking God to inspire us to deeper conversion.

July 14th marks the **memorial of Saint Kateri Tekakwitha**. Kateri, a member of the Mohawk people, converted to Catholicism at the age of nineteen. She took a vow of perpetual virginity for the remainder of her life, dying at the age of twenty-four.

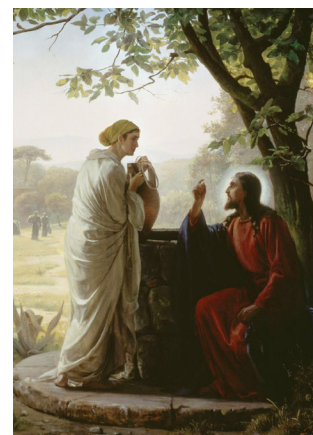


Especially in light of the recently discovered unmarked children's graves in Canada, let us pray for all Native Americans, that they may know Christ's love for and our solidarity with them. Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, pray for us.

At Archbishop Etienne's direction, the Archdiocese of Seattle has started a process of pastoral planning, which you can read about at the archdiocesan website, <https://archseattle.org>. It has three areas of focus:

- [Encounter Jesus Christ](#)
- [Accompany each another](#)
- [Live the Gospel](#)

There are also four value statements: 'faith in action', 'hope in resurrection', 'truth in love' and 'unity in diversity'. I encourage you to read through this plan as we unpack it.



PARISH EVENTS & NEWS



St. Mark Online Giving Upgrade

Our Online Giving system is getting an upgrade to a newer, easier-to-use platform.

If you currently give online you will soon receive an email with instructions on how to log-in to the new system.

Best of all, your existing payment and donation information will be migrated over so you will not have to set up your gifts again!

Keep an eye on your email for more information coming very soon.

If you are not yet giving online, please consider it! Giving online is safe and secure and has resulted in many benefits to the parish, particularly as we have weathered the pandemic.

Since we began our online giving program at St. Mark in April of 2010, total gifts have amounted to \$2,250,000.

This year to date, total gifts were \$271,000, so we averaged \$22,583 each month in 2021 including all funds (Stewardship, St. Vincent de Paul, Lion's Fund, etc.)

January through June.

Thank you for your continued support of St. Mark!

Prayer of St. Ignatius of Loyola

Take, Lord, and receive all my liberty, my memory, my understanding and my entire will, all I have and call my own. You have given all to me. To you, Lord, I return it. Everything is yours; do with it what you will. Give me only your love and your grace; that is enough for me.

Parish Prayer Intentions

For the ill...

Ted Gormley, Ray Fortney, James Ryan, Meagan Wells,
Eduardo Villa, Janet Beaulieu, Edward Eades

For the deceased...

Rosemary Anderson

Richard Mulcahy

Investment in the Church in Latin America

Catholics all across the US, through last year's special collection for the USCCB (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops), have made possible \$2.5 million in grants to support the Church in Latin America.

"The Church in Latin America has suffered greatly from political oppression, civil war, economic turmoil, and societal neglect of those on the margins," said Bishop Octavio Cisneros, retired auxiliary bishop of Brooklyn and chairman of the Subcommittee on the Church in Latin America in a recent post on USCCB's website.

After the Second Vatican Council, Catholics in the United States answered the call of the Holy Father to support ministry to our sisters and brothers there through the Collection for the Church in Latin America. Our Church is currently blessed to have a pope from Latin America, who has lived among the poorest of the poor, and renewed the call to solidarity with them.

Donations from parishioners in the United States not only strengthen Catholic ministries from Cuba to Peru, but they also demonstrate a love that strengthens the kingdom of God.

Some examples of our faith in action are that in Paraguay the Roman Missal will be translated into the language of the indigenous Guarani people, enabling them to worship in their native tongue and that in Venezuela, older teens who are discerning a call to the priesthood will attend retreats to help them on this spiritual journey.

Thank you for your support (in 2020) of this important mission!

Volunteer at St. Mark this Summer

Summer is a great time to get all those little chores that niggle at us around our homes done.

Our parish campus is no different; we have many little chores niggling! If you have some spare time this summer, are handy with a paint brush, like to power wash, weeds fear you, cleaning windows satisfies you, or you just have a little extra time, we would love your help!

We can volunteer whenever convenient and no long term commitment needed!

If you have a little time and willing hands please contact Carlos in the office at (206) 364-7900 or by email at carlos@saintmarksoreline.org

PARISH EVENTS & NEWS



Christmas in July for the Carmelites

Our annual Christmas in July (and August!) for our dear friends at the Carmelite Monastery will look different yet again this year. There will once again be no Christmas tree full of stars in the vestibule that we can pick and shop for; instead we will coordinate both a drive by drop-off event in early August, as well as an opportunity to drop donations off in Sullivan Hall after Sunday Masses. As usual, the sisters need shelf-stable food, household items like laundry detergent, cleaning supplies and toilet paper, office supplies like stamps and personal items like shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste and soap.

Having said that, last year at our drop-off event St. Mark parishioners went off-script in a huge and wonderful way! There were yummy baking supplies, dried fruit, herbs and spices, fancy cooking oils and even both store bought and home grown fresh produce! The sisters were so surprised and appreciative. Thank you St. Mark for the generosity shown to our dear Carmelites!

We can begin dropping-off shelf-stable donations in Sullivan Hall after Sunday Masses the weekend of July 17-18 and the drive-by event will be Sunday, August 8 from 9:00 am until noon outside the church.

Community Rosary at the Affirmation of Life Memorial

The next Community Rosary at the Affirmation of Life Memorial will be Sunday, July 25 after the 10:30 am Mass, about 11:40 am. If you do not yet feel comfortable attending in person please pray the Rosary on your own or with your family in support of pro-life efforts.

We can also pray the Rosary with Archbishop Etienne anytime convenient here: <https://vimeo.com/424251219>

Jesuit Volunteer EnCorps

Jesuit Volunteer EnCorps is a program of JVC Northwest providing opportunities for service, community and spiritual formation for adults 50 years and older who are committed to social and ecological justice. Their values are rooted in the Catholic Ignatian tradition. Priority application deadline is August 31, 2021.

For more information, and to apply, go to: www.jvencorps.org

Daily Mass Cancellations

† Daily Mass at 9:30 am is canceled Saturday, July 31

The Prayer of St. Thomas Aquinas

A thanksgiving prayer for after Mass

“Lord, Father all-powerful and ever-living God, I thank You, for even though I am a sinner, your unprofitable servant, not because of my worth but in the kindness of your mercy, You have fed me with the Precious Body & Blood of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

I pray that this Holy Communion may not bring me condemnation and punishment but forgiveness and salvation.

May it be a helmet of faith and a shield of good will.

May it purify me from evil ways and put an end to my evil passions.

May it bring me charity and patience, humility and obedience, and growth in the power to do good.

May it be my strong defense against all my enemies, visible and invisible, and the perfect calming of all my evil impulses, bodily and spiritual.

May it unite me more closely to you, the One true God, and lead me safely through death to everlasting happiness with You.

And I pray that You will lead me, a sinner, to the banquet where you, with Your Son and holy Spirit, are true and perfect light, total fulfillment, everlasting joy, gladness without end, and perfect happiness to your saints. Grant this through Christ our Lord, Amen”

Frequently Requested Numbers

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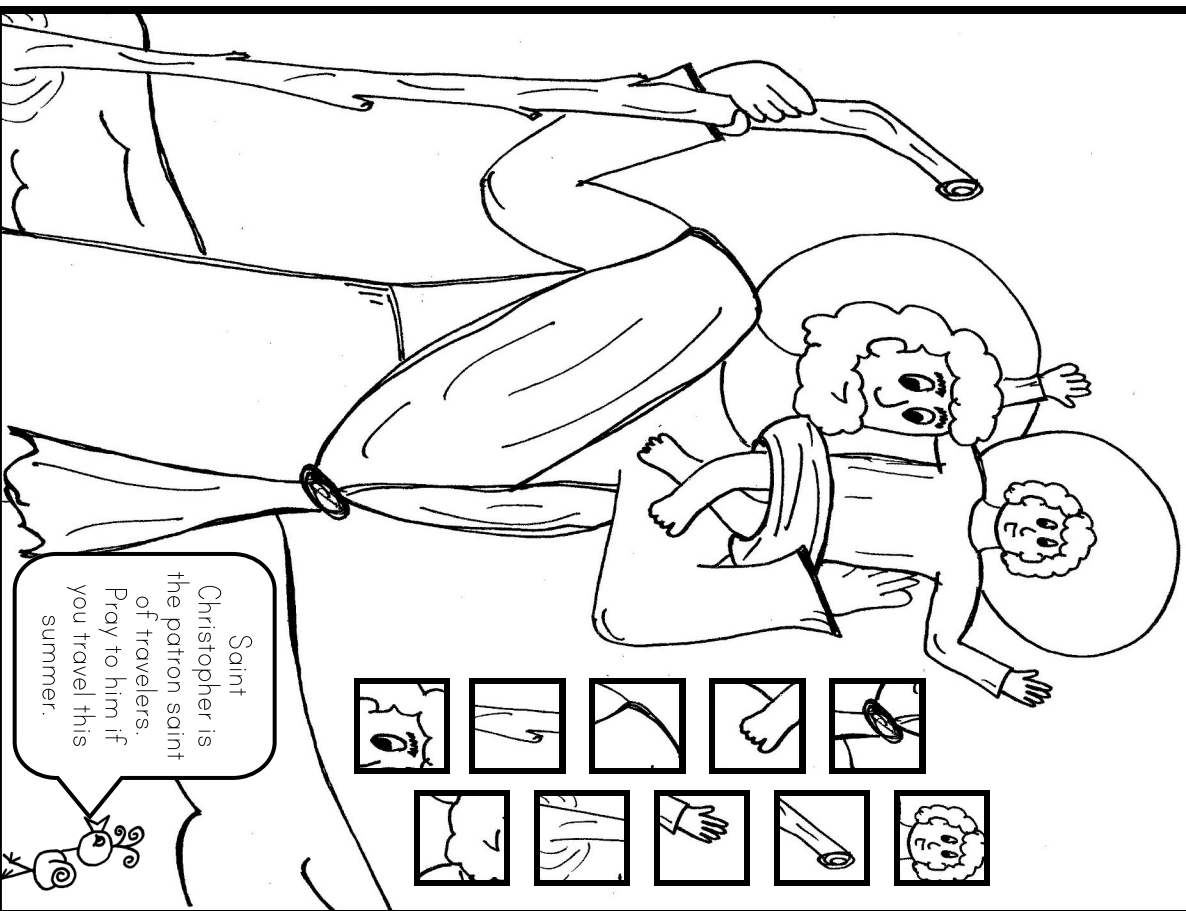
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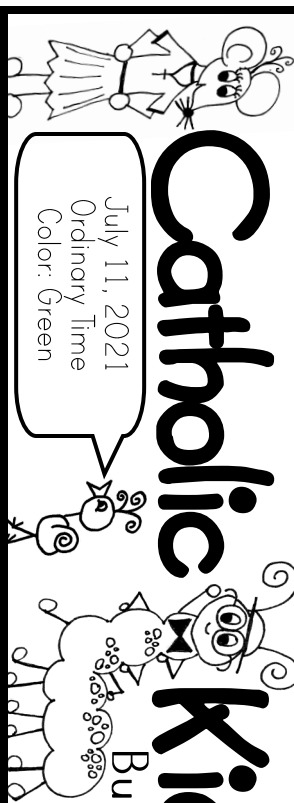
Saint Christopher

Saint Christopher was a VERY strong man who carried people across a scary river. One day, a young boy that he was carrying got heavier and heavier. Finally, Saint Christopher realized that he was carrying baby Jesus and the weight of the world.



Saint Christopher is the patron saint of travelers. Pray to him if you travel this summer.

Catholic Kids Bulletin

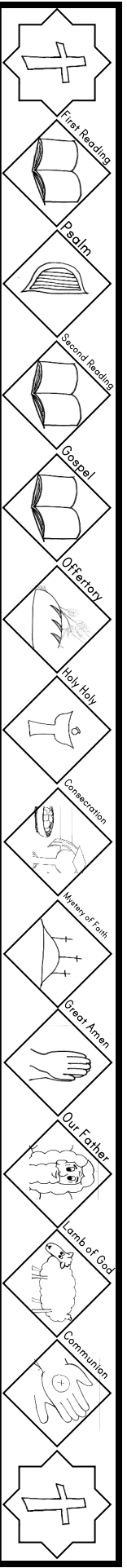


July 11, 2021
Ordinary Time
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 Lord, let us see
 your kindness,
 and grant us
 your salvation.
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After the priest says, "The Lord be with you," we say, "And with your spirit." We will say, "And with your spirit," 5 times during Mass today!



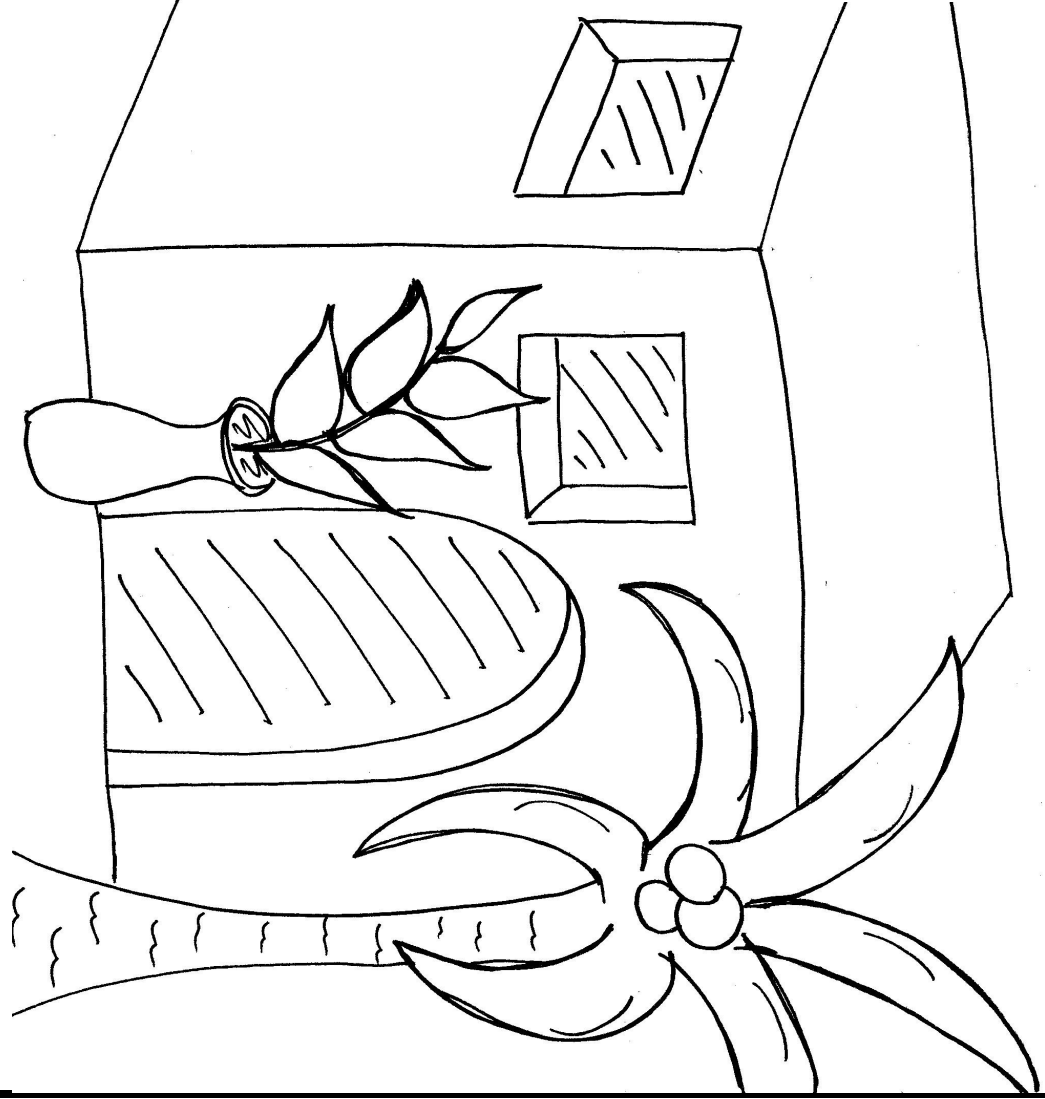
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Solve the puzzle to learn what the disciples said when they entered a new house.



Gospel

Jesus sent disciples out to teach about God. He asked them to walk to a new town without taking anything with them. The disciples stayed with people who welcomed them and helped them get ready to meet Jesus.

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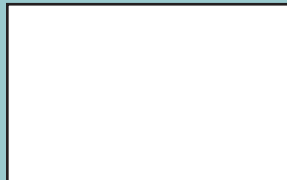
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