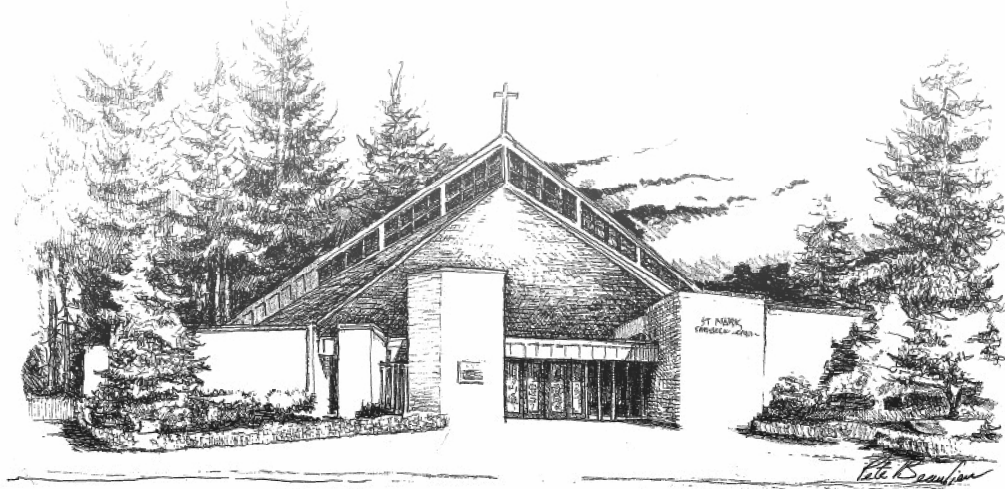


St. Mark Shoreline



St. Mark Parish

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October 17 & 24, 2021

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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 of October 17

Sunday, October 17 *Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 am, Mass, Church (*Pro Populo*)
10:30 am, Mass, Church (*Archbishop Etienne & all Clergy*)
11:30 am, Celebration for Veronica Olson, Cafeteria

Monday, October 18

No 9:30 am Mass
6:30 pm, Boy Scouts, Cafeteria

Tuesday, October 19

No Morning Mass
7:00 pm, St. Gianna Molla Reading Group, Sullivan Hall

Wednesday, October 20

5:00 pm, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Church
5:00 pm, Confessions, Church
6:00 pm, Benediction & Evening Prayer, Church
6:30 pm, Mass, Church (Christen Ray Johnston, RIP)
7:00 pm, Faith Matters, Sullivan Hall
7:00 pm, RCIA, Sullivan Hall

Thursday, October 21

9:30 am, Mass, Church (Augusto Subaran, RIP)
2:00 pm, Bible Study, Sullivan Hall
4:00 pm, Sacramental Preparation, Sullivan Hall
6:45 pm, Confirmation Preparation, Sullivan Hall

Friday, October 22

9:30 am, Mass, Church (Douglas Salmonsens, RIP)
10:30 am, Rosary Preceding Funeral Mass, Church
11:00 am, Funeral Mass for Illuminada Anulacion, Church

Saturday, October 23

No 9:30 am Mass
1:00 pm, Lucero-Ramos Wedding, Church
3:00 pm, Confessions, Church
5:00 pm, Vigil Mass, Church (*St. Mark Parish & School Faculty & Staff*)

Sunday, October 24 *Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 am, Mass, Church (*Pro Populo*)
10:30 am, Mass, Church (*Archbishop Etienne & all Clergy*)
11:30 am, Community Rosary, Affirmation of Life Memorial
1:00 pm, Eagle Scout Ceremony, Gym

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PARISH INFORMATION



The Week of October 24

Sunday, October 24 *Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 am, Mass, Church (*Pro Populo*)
10:30 am, Mass, Church (*Archbishop Etienne & all Clergy*)
11:30 am, Community Rosary at the Affirmation of Life Memorial
1:00 pm, Eagle Scout Ceremony, Gym

Monday, October 25

9:30 am, Mass, Church (Perla Suasi, RIP)
6:30 pm, Boy Scouts, Cafeteria

Tuesday, October 26

No Morning Mass
7:00 pm, Knights of Columbus, Sullivan Hall
7:30 pm, St. Vincent de Paul, Library

Wednesday, October 27

5:00 pm, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Church
5:00 pm, Confessions, Church
6:00 pm, Benediction & Evening Prayer, Church
6:30 pm, Mass, Church (All Souls in Purgatory)
7:00 pm, Faith Matters, Sullivan Hall
7:00 pm, RCIA, Sullivan Hall
7:30 pm, Tour of Church, Church

Thursday, October 28

9:30 am, Mass, Church (Marceo & Joanne Olegario, RIP)
No Bible Study
4:00 pm, Sacramental Preparation, Sullivan Hall
6:30 pm, Pastoral Council, Rectory
6:30 pm, School Commission
6:45 pm, Confirmation Preparation, Sullivan Hall

Friday, October 29

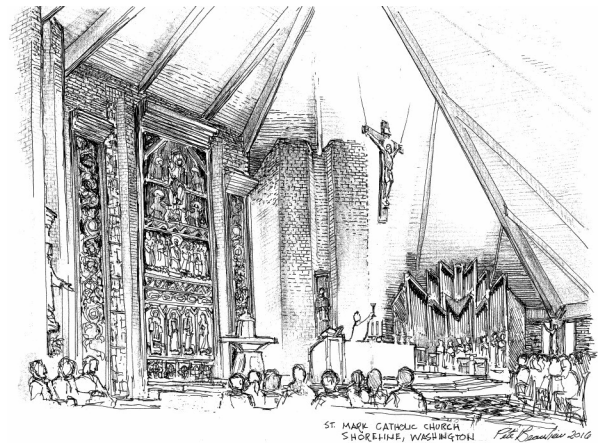
9:30 am, Mass, Church (Jessica Wy, RIP)

Saturday, October 30

9:30 am, Mass, Church (Robert & Carole McCusker, RIP)
3:00 pm, Confessions, Church
5:00 pm, Vigil Mass, Church (*St. Mark Parish & School Faculty & Staff*)

Sunday, October 31 *Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 am, Mass, Church (*Pro Populo*)
10:30 am, Mass, Church (*Archbishop Etienne & all Clergy*)
11:30 am, Trunk or Treat, Parking Lot Behind School



The Divine Praises

Blessed be God.
Blessed be His Holy Name.
Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.
Blessed be the Name of Jesus.
Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart.
Blessed be His Most Precious Blood.
Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.
Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.
Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most Holy.
Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate Conception.
Blessed be her Glorious Assumption.
Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.
Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.
Blessed be God in His Angels and in His Saints.
Amen.

~From CatholicOnline.org



WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT?

- Father Jacob Maurer

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

Cf. Ps 17 (16): 6, 8

The first words of today’s first reading caught my eye: **“The LORD was pleased to crush him in infirmity.”** There are a couple of alarming pieces to that simple sentence: “pleased” to “crush” him - yikes!

We know that the prophet Isaiah is speaking about the Messiah - Jesus. What is clear from the rest of the reading is that Jesus is not being offered up against His will - “he **gives** his life” (emphasis mine). The Father is pleased not



by suffering, but by sacrifice - an offering made freely for the good of others.

This is the lesson Jesus offers to James and John, who want to skip past the messy bits of apostleship

and get down to the seating arrangements of heaven! We’d be dishonest to claim that we haven’t thought about such things ourselves.

We ARE promised great reward in heaven, but it is necessary for us to join in the sacrifice of Christ on the cross. How will we give our lives to God? In what ways are we yet trying to skip past the messy parts of our own discipleship?

May we ask the Lord to help us see - and embrace - our share in His sacrificial ministry.

Over the last couple of years, many parishes have rediscovered **antiphons** in Mass. Here at Saint Mark, we have sung them for years - though perhaps without knowing why!

OFFERTORY
Meditator Ps 119 (118): 47, 48

I shall meditate upon your commandments which I greatly love; I will extend my hands towards your commandments which I love.

Antiphons are relatively brief selections from Sacred Scripture that have been chosen for a particular Mass. There are three occasions in Mass - at the entrance, during the offertory, at at communion. To learn more about this important part of the Mass, I recommend the article [“Antiphony Reborn: Singing the Mass Propers”](#) by Thom Ryng.

October 22nd is the **memorial of Saint John Paul II**. For many of us, he is the first pope we knew and the one we knew for the majority of our Catholic lives. Elected in 1978, he reigned as pope for twenty seven years - second only to Pope Pius IX in the length of his papacy.

Pope Saint John Paul II was beatified by Pope Benedict XVI in 2011 and canonized by Pope Francis in 2014. In anticipation of his canonization, an icon of Saint John Paul II was included in the iconostasis of Saint Mark behind the altar.



PARISH EVENTS & NEWS



St. Mark Fall Faith Formation Programs

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) Wednesdays, 7:00 pm in Sullivan Hall, runs concurrently with Faith Matters.

RCIA is for adults who have not been baptized, or were baptized in another Christian church, and want to become Catholic.

First Reconciliation and First Eucharist preparation classes are on Thursdays at 4:00 pm in Sullivan Hall. First Sacrament Classes are for St. Mark parishioners and St. Mark Catholic Classical School students.

Confirmation preparation classes for baptized youth are on Thursdays at 6:45 pm in Sullivan Hall.

Confirmation is for baptized youth of the parish who are in 7th grade or older.

Faith Matters, Adult Continuing Education, continues Wednesday, October 20 & 27 at 7:00 pm in Sullivan Hall with **Confirmation**, and runs concurrently with RCIA. Faith Matters is an adult formation program for anyone who wants to know more about the Catholic faith.

St. Mark Bible Study meets on Thursdays at 2:00 pm in Sullivan Hall. Thursday, October 21 we will finish the Gospel of Mark and then take Thursday, October 28 off before beginning the prophet Isaiah the following week.

For Registration Forms, or for more information, see the Sacraments and Faith Formation tab on the Parish website at <https://saintmarkshoreline.org/faith-formation/> or contact Deacon Kirk Altenhofen at (206) 364-7900 or kirka@saintmarkshoreline.org.

Special Mass for Those Lost to Covid-19

On November 8 Archbishop Etienne will celebrate a Mass of Remembrance (Mass for the Dead) for all those who have died from Covid-19 at 7:00 pm in St. James Cathedral. During this special Requiem Mass we will remember, mourn and pray for all those we have lost to Covid-19. You are invited to submit the names of family members, friends, parishioners and colleagues who have died. These names will be placed in a special Book of the Dead and carried in procession during the Mass on November 8. To add a name to the book please go to: <https://archseattle.org/mass-for-the-dead/> We can attend in person or watch the live-stream through the Archdiocese website or Facebook page.

St. Gianna Molla Women's Reading Group

The St. Gianna Molla Women's Reading group meets every Tuesday evening at 7:00 pm in Sullivan Hall (except the second Tuesday of each month). Beginning Tuesday, October 19, they will start reading and discussing **Light From Light-A Theological Reflection on the Nicene Creed** by Bishop Robert Barron. The book is available online through Word on Fire Press at: <https://bookstore.wordonfire.org/products/light-from-light> or check with your favorite Catholic book store. Six film presentations will round out the study of the book.

Ladies, please consider joining this fun and informative group! For more information contact Ursula Glancy at uglancy@hotmail.com or Esther Harris (206) 417-3995.

Sound Generations

Sound Generations is a Washington state comprehensive non-profit organization that supports people on their aging journey, and those living with disabilities, through community connections and accessible services. The programs operate throughout numerous community and senior center sites. The team at Sound Generations believes everyone deserves access and they are committed to helping all people, especially low-income, under-served and marginalized communities. Sound Generations constantly strives to expand the provision of food security, transportation and health & wellness. Find more information at (206) 448-5757 or <https://soundgenerations.org/>.

Parish Prayer Intentions

For the ill...

Kayla Culp, Susan Harris, Robert BanNatta,
Suchie Trollop, Christin Anderson, Michael Dooly,
Frank Lefaive

For the deceased...

Illuminada Anulacion

Helen Leary

PARISH EVENTS & NEWS



Daily Mass Cancellations

- † Daily Mass at 9:30 am is canceled Monday, October 18
- † Daily Mass at 9:30 am is canceled Saturday, October 23

October is Respect Life Month

The month of October brings with it the annual observance of Respect Life Month. As part of the Year of St. Joseph declared by Pope Francis, this year's celebration highlights the example of that great saint. As the faithful protector of both Jesus and Mary, we find in St. Joseph a reminder of our own call to welcome, safeguard, and defend God's precious gift of human life. St. Joseph took Mary into his home at the word of the angel. Like St. Joseph, we are also called to care for those God has entrusted to us—especially vulnerable mothers and children. We can follow in the footsteps of St. Joseph as protector by advocating for pro-life causes. We can imitate his care by supporting Walking with Moms in Need, to support mothers experiencing a difficult pregnancy, especially low-income mothers.

To walk with moms in need locally, go to www.walking-withmoms.com.

To join in prayer for the intercession of St. Joseph, defender of life, visit:

www.respectlife.org/prayer-to-st-joseph.

~Paraphrased and Condensed From the USCCB Website

Frequently Requested Numbers

Boy Scouts: Dennis Halpin (206) 365-1971
 Knights of Columbus: Greg Insley (206) 271-4599
 St. Vincent de Paul Helpline: (206) 767-6449
 Queen of Heaven Guild: Sylvia Ebert (206) 419-3115
 Marriage Help: Retrouvaille (206) 706-2608
 Holyhood Cemetary: (206) 363-8404
 Beck's Funeral Home: (425) 771-1234
 Harvey Funeral Home: (206) 632-0100

Community Rosary at the Affirmation of Life Memorial

The next Community Rosary at the Affirmation of Life Memorial will be Sunday, October 24 immediately following the 10:30 am Mass.

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend. Even though we will be outside, those attending will need to wear masks.

"Whenever we do something together, something good, something beautiful, everyone changes. All of us change in some way and this does us good."

~Pope Francis

Washington State Catholic Conference

Attend, virtually, the Cornerstone Catholic Conference and learn more about our faith and becoming disciples for life and justice on October 29 & 30, 2021. Listen to keynote speakers like Fr. Robert Spitzer; participate in workshops with presenters like Camille Pauley; attend the Q & A sessions with bishops and enjoy performances by Martin Valverde and Pedro Rubalcava.

All registered attendees will have access to the virtual platform during the event.

There is no registration fee.

WSCC invites all to make a donation to support the important work of PREPARES (Pregnancy and Parenting Support) across Washington state during these difficult times. PREPARES is a nurturing response of the Catholic community, open to all, to provide meaningful local and sustainable support to vulnerable Washington mothers, fathers and families as they nurture their children through pregnancy and early childhood.

Register for the conference, or get more information at: cornerstone@kfevents.com.

Learn more about the Washington State Catholic Conference (WSCC) at wacatholics.org.

October 10, weekly stewardship report (fiscal year July 2021-June 2022) St. Mark parish

	Budgeted	Actual	Difference	Online	# In Person	# Online	Givers
Income							
Last Week	\$16,555	\$18,402	1,847	\$6,626	93	92	185
Year to Date	\$248,325	\$204,172	(44,153)				

PARISH EVENTS & NEWS



Funeral Mass Announcement

Funeral Mass for

Illuminada Francisco Anulacion

Friday, October 22 11:00 am
Rosary preceding at 10:30 am

Mass & Rosary will be livestreamed on Facebook

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul rest in peace. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

St. Mark Parish All Hallows Eve Event

Let's celebrate All Hallows Eve (Halloween) this year with a "Trunk or Treat" event in the parking lot behind the school on Sunday, October 31st after the 10:30 am Mass. Children may wear costumes (no costume masks or weapons) to Mass or change directly after Mass. The school will be open as a place to change into costumes. Parishioners wishing to participate, and everyone is welcome and encouraged to join the fun, need to park their cars inside the gated playground. Decorating our cars is encouraged. Bring treats for the trick or treaters! The event will begin around 11:45 and end around 12:45 pm. If you are not participating in the event please park outside the gated playground. Thanks!

Please volunteer!

We need several adults to help park cars to arrange the "Trunk or Treat" course before, during, and after the 10:30 am Mass.

Music would be a fabulous addition to our event! Do you have an appropriate Halloween song play list? Help us bring music to the event!

Call Laura Lynch, (206) 364-7900, or Kathryn Palmquist-Keck, (206) 364-1633, with any questions or to volunteer to help at the event.

*Come Gracious Spirit, Heavenly Dove,
With light and comfort from above.
Be Thou our Guardian, Thou our Guide,
Stay close by every child's side. Amen!*

World Mission Sunday

World Mission Sunday, organized by the Propagation of the Faith, is a day set aside for Catholics worldwide to recommit themselves to the Church's missionary activity through prayer and sacrifice.

Annually, World Mission Sunday is celebrated on the next-to-the last Sunday in October. As described by Pope John Paul II, World Mission Sunday is "an important day in the life of the Church because it teaches how to give: as an offering made to God, in the Eucharistic celebration and for all the missions of the world" (Redemptoris Missio 8:1).

Pope John Paul II also spoke of the Propagation of the Faith's General Fund of support, calling this a "central fund of solidarity."

In a message delivered on a recent World Mission Sunday, the Pope said, "The offerings that will be collected are destined for a common fund of solidarity distributed, in the Pope's name, by the Society for the Propagation of the Faith among the missions and missionaries of the entire world."

These donations assist the Pope in the evangelization efforts of particular Churches, in the formation of local clergy, in raising missionary awareness in children and in encouraging the missionary dimension of Christian faith. Pope Francis in his message for 2020 stated that "in this year marked by the suffering and challenges created by the COVID-19 pandemic, the missionary journey of the whole Church continues in light of the words found in the account of the calling of the prophet Isaiah, "Here am I, send me" (6:8)."

For Pope Francis' entire message please go to: https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/missions/documents/papa-francesco_20200531_giornata-missionaria2020.html

Message of His Holiness Pope Francis for World Mission Day 2021:

"May Mary, the first missionary disciple, increase in all the baptized the desire to be salt and light in our lands (cf. Mt 5:13-14)."

Rome, Saint John Lateran, January 6, 2021, Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord.



St. Joseph,
defender of life,
pray for us!



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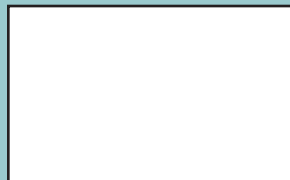
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