

St. Mark Shoreline

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August 14, 2022

Weekly schedule

Sunday - *Twentieth week of Ordinary Time*

8:30 am - Sunday Mass (*Pro populo*)

10:30 am - Sunday Mass (*Archbishop Etienne & all clergy*)

12:00 pm - Princess Angeline meeting, school library

Monday

9:30 am - Daily Mass (*Solemnity of the Assumption*)

2:00 pm - Prayer Team, church

6:30 pm - Family Rosary, church

7:00 pm - Boy Scouts troop meeting

Tuesday

No morning Mass

7:00 pm - Saint Gianna Molla group meeting, hall

Wednesday

9:30 am - Daily Mass (*Hugh Murphy, RIP*)

5:00 pm - Confessions

Thursday

9:30 am - *Daily Mass CANCELLED*

Friday

9:30 am - *Daily Mass CANCELLED*

7:00 pm - Pastoral Council meeting

Saturday

7:15 am - Lion's Den meeting, hall

9:30 am - *Daily Mass CANCELLED*

3:00 pm - Confessions

5:00 pm - Vigil Mass (*St. Mark parish & school staff*)



Mass times

Mon, Wed-Sat: 9:30 am

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:30 am & 10:30 am

Confession times

Wednesdays: 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Saturdays: 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

(appointments welcome - call Father)

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PARISH EVENTS & NEWS



August 14, weekly stewardship report (fiscal year July 2022 - June 2023) St. Mark parish

	Budgeted	Actual	Difference	Online	# In Person	# Online	Givers
Income							
Last Week	\$15,660	\$19,369	\$3,709	\$9,122	N/A	N/A	N/A
Year to Date	\$93,960	\$78,639	(\$15,321)				



August 15th is the solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Though normally a holy day of obligation, with the permission of the Holy See - the United States bishops decreed that [the obligation to attend Mass on this day is abrogated \(dispensed\) when it falls on a Saturday or a Monday.](#)

Saint Mark parish will celebrate Mass at the normal time (9:30 am) - but not everyone can come to a morning Mass. Happily, there are a plethora of devotions to Mary to choose from - most especially the rosary - how appropriate that our rosary group will be meeting on this very day at 6:30 pm in the church!

Whether it is in offering the Mass, praying the rosary, or taking part in another Marian devotion, may we all take this opportunity to both thank the Blessed Virgin Mary for her participation in God's plan and ask her for her intercession that we may do likewise!



August 28 - save the date! Saint Mark Catholic Classical School will be hosting a summer's-end BBQ for all members of the community after the 10:30 am Mass.

All are welcome! [Please see our online sign-up page for more information.](#)

Today (August 14th) marks the 50th wedding anniversary of two of our parishioners - Hugo and Mary Ann Draye. They are joined by Hugo's brother and sister-in-law - Emiel & Chris Draye (coming all the way from Belgium), who are *also* celebrating their 50th anniversary!

May God bless both couples - *ad multos annos!*

Can you help? Saint Mark parish is in need of parishioners to help with counting the weekly collection. We could use several people who would count the Sunday offering - usually on a Monday or Tuesday - once or twice a month.

If you are interested in learning more, please contact the parish at **(206) 364-7900 x100** or by email at frontdesk@saintmarkshoreline.org

Please pray for

Patrick Bennett	Nancy Brancheau	Richard Hubert	Christine Kimmel
Jim & Muriel Romer	Suzanne Waterman-Weeks	Fleming Sorensen	Jim Stevenson

Dear Ladies, you are cordially invited to the
St. Mark's Mothers' Group Gatherings

Hosted by Amanda Waggoner, Mikki Altenhofen, and Tu-Trinh McGee

Come and be encouraged in the dignity of your motherhood and all you are within and around that vocation! We are gathering to develop a community of women that will become woven together by our charisms, spiritual gifts, experiences, faith, and womanhood. We want to explore and uplift all aspects of life as mother/woman including the day-to-day, deep healing, liturgical living, parenting, beauty in all forms, spiritual challenges, and SO much more.



Who : All mothers of ANY and EVERY age, please! We want those who have only littles to those with an empty nest. Wisdom, advice, shared experiences, and honesty is what we are looking for! We also want to extend this invitation to all women who experience infertility and miscarriages. We would be honored to have you be a part of this group that loves to pray and support and celebrate the mother you are.

When:

The second week of every month both Thursday @9:30am - 11:30am and Saturday @10:00am - 12:00pm

For your 2022 calendar :

. August 11 & 13 . September 8 & 10 . October 13 & 15 . November 10 & 12 . December 8 & 10 .

Please note! These two days are separate opportunities for women to gather, opening up more opportunities for women who are busy during the week. You are welcome to come to both, but they will be covering mostly the same topics within the month.

Where: The Fireside Room on the first level of the Parish Offices, unless otherwise stated.

Child care?? Nothing official yet! But we are hoping teens or spouses will chip in, maybe some good folks (grandfathers, anyone?) from the parish that have some free time can work with us for a regular program? In the meantime, you can bring your children and we will have toys and activities to occupy them as best as possible.

Topics:

- September-October : explore spiritual gifts using the Bible Evangelista's podcasts, to help illuminate our own understanding of our giftedness and how we can use it for the kingdom of God, combining all of them together to do amazing things in our parish!
- November/December : focus on liturgical living for the holiday season and the rest of the year.
- January-May : explore the podcast series from The Abiding Together Podcast on our identity as Mother which will open up deeper conversation, healing, and valuing this profound station in life.



WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT?

- Father Jacob Maurer

Turn your eyes, O God, our shield; and look on the face of your anointed one; one day within your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

Cf. Ps 84 (83): 10-11

“I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing! There is a baptism with which I must be baptized, and how great is my anguish until it is accomplished!” (Luke 12:49-50)

The responsorial psalm and all three readings for today speak to the heartache that Jesus expresses today: ‘how great is my anguish’. Though we may not be thrown into a cistern like Jeremiah nor running a race as Saint Paul describes, it seems fair to say that we all have



experienced - even enduring now!
- restlessness and anxieties in our hearts.

In short, *this is not our home*, and

we long to reach the place and community to which we are called.

Jeremiah, Paul, and of course, the Lord, all have the same message for us: **don’t give up!** Our heavenly Father hears our cries, He answers our prayers (even if unseen by us), and we are making our way towards Him and closer to our heavenly homeland.

God shares in our sorrows & joys, weeping with us in our struggles and laughing with our joys ([even the silly ones](#)) - we can trust that He is never going to give up on us. May we persevere on the way set before us, and keep our eyes fixed on Jesus.

Please join me in **welcoming Jeannette Acheson** as the new Pastoral Assistant for Parish

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Bienvenidos 🙌 Willkommen
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Involvement. Jeannette is a long-time parishioner of Saint Mark parish, bringing with her experience in office management & organizational coordination.

We are delighted to have her as part of our staff team and look forward to seeing how the Lord works through her in ministry. We anticipate Jeannette beginning her ministry in the coming weeks - please pray for her!

The upcoming solemnity of the Assumption (which is *NOT a holy day of obligation* this year!) is a great occasion to explore not only Marian devotions, but the breadth of the liturgical prayers of the Church. **The Liturgy of the Hours**, though required of clergy & religious, is not limited to them - in fact the Church invites all of Her members to this prayer.

Happily, the liturgy of the hours - or Divine Office - [is more accessible than ever](#). Consider praying one (or more) of the hours in honor of Mary - by yourself or together with family & friends!

