

St. Mark Shoreline

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August 6, 2023

Weekly schedule

Sunday - *Transfiguration of the Lord*

8:30 am - Sunday Mass (*Pro populo*)
10:30 am - Sunday Mass (*Archbishop Etienne & all clergy*)
1:00 pm - Women's Group prayer, church support meeting, library

Monday

9:30 am - Daily Mass (*Angela Fernandes, RIP*)
2:00 pm - Parish Prayer Team, church
6:30 pm - Family Rosary, church
7:00 pm - Boy Scouts troop meeting, cafeteria
7:00 pm - Friends of Saint Francis meeting, hall

Tuesday

No daily Mass (Father's day off)
7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus meeting, hall
7:30 pm - Saint Vincent de Paul meeting, library

Wednesday

9:30 am - Daily Mass (*Francisco Saravia, RIP*)
5:00 pm - Confessions

Thursday

9:30 am - Daily Mass (*Monica Hruby*)
6:00 pm - "Ask Me Anything", hall

Friday

9:30 am - Daily Mass (*Dusty Dornay, RIP*)

Saturday

7:30 am - Lion's Den meeting, hall
9:30 am - Daily Mass (*Bob Flynn, RIP*)
3:00 pm - Confessions
5:00 pm - Vigil Mass (*St. Mark parish & school staff*)
6:15 pm - Board Game Nights, hall

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)

For emergencies involving danger of death please dial (206)-364-7900 x9

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PARISH EVENTS & NEWS



July 30, weekly stewardship report (fiscal year July 2023 - June 2024) St. Mark parish

	Budgeted	Actual	Difference	Online	# In Person	# Online	Givers
Income							
Last Week	\$15,687	\$10,394	(\$5,293)	\$4260	89	70	159
Year to Date	\$78,435	\$65,870	(\$12,566)				

Women's Group prayer & church support meeting

Please come to our meeting on **Sunday, August 6th at 1:00 pm, in the portable Library.**

We will pray the Rosary, plan our August Mini-Pilgrimage, and our September Bake Sale, then enjoy snacks and fellowship afterwards. Call Esther, (206) 417-3995 for info.



For the latest information on Partners in the Gospel, including the Archbishop's letter and the Current Reality Report, visit our parish website at www.saintmarkshoreline.org/partners

"ASK ME ANYTHING"

Our "Ask Me Anything" series continues on just two more evenings this summer.

Sessions are in Sullivan Hall. Dates and times are listed below with a "starter topic" to get us going. Q & A will follow. These are topics of Faith, but the Deacon is open to any type of question!

Thursday, August 10th, 6 to 8 pm

Starter topic: *Marriage in Society, Marriage in the Church*

Thursday, August 24th, 6 to 8 pm

Starter topic: *The Problem of Suffering*

For more info, call Deacon Kirk at the Parish Office, or email to kirka@saintmarkshoreline.org

Join us for the Family Rosary **every Monday at 6:30pm in the church.** Questions? Call Linn Bartram @ (206) 715-2664.

Please pray for

Dan Mullen
Edelmira Jimenez
Bruce Alberts

Linda Morgan
Sofia Escandar
Sharon Milligan

Francis 'Frank' Gill
Duke Dungan
Juan Bagasan

Thomas Egan, RIP
Phyllis McAndrew, RIP
Earl Calvin, RIP

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St. Mark Catholic Classical School is looking for a Catholic third grade teacher for the 2023-2024 school year.

At St. Mark Catholic Classical School, our educational approach is centered around enabling our students to pursue and achieve academic excellence through a classical model, while immersing them in an authentically Catholic environment in which they will be exposed to the goodness, the truth, and the beauty of God. Successful educators at our school will not only be those who can employ the classical approach well and encourage each child to achieve their full God-given potential, but who are themselves living witnesses of their Catholic faith who desire to hand down to our students the faith which they have received.

Salary: Any offered salary is determined based on internal equity, internal salary ranges, market data, applicant's skills and prior relevant experience, degrees, and certifications. The budget is \$60,000 with a range of \$45,000 to \$75,000.

Benefits: A comprehensive package of benefits is offered including two medical plan options, dental, vision, life, accidental death and disability, long term disability, pension, 403(b), HSA, FSA, and generous sick leave, vacation, and holidays.

Interested candidates should learn more about our unique school by visiting www.stmss.org Please complete an application with the Archdiocese of Seattle and send resume to Kathryn Palmquist-Keck, principal@stmss.org

Rachel's Corner *Hope & Healing After Abortion*
Our Lord told St. Faustina: "what hurts me more than a particular individual's sin, is when they reject my mercy by not accepting the forgiveness I have granted them."

Is it hard to truly accept that you are forgiven for your role in the abortion story? The process of forgiving yourself begins with knowing you are forgiven by God. Project Rachel is offering English and Spanish healing retreats this fall. Join us and discover what what healing can really means in your life:

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™

September 15-17, 2023-English

October 27-29, 2023-Spanish

March 8-10, 2024-English

For more information about the Project Rachel ministry or our healing retreats, please

call Frances at (206) 920-6413



Women's Group social outing

The Saint Mark Women's Group August Social Outing is **Wednesday, August 16, at 1 PM** at **Le's Pho Tai Restaurant** in the mini-mall off of 152nd and Aurora North. Interested women, and hungry spouses and friends, are welcome. Call Esther for info, (206) 417-3995.



WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT?

- Father Jacob Maurer

In a resplendent cloud the Holy Spirit appeared. The Father's voice was heard: This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased. Listen to him.

Cf. Mt 17: 5

Today we celebrate the **feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord**. Though not a solemnity (thus, technically lower in rank than a Sunday Mass), it is a major feast of the Lord. As such, we pause in our marking of Ordinary Time to reflect on the Lord's revelation of His glory to the Apostles and to us.

If you ever have the opportunity for a pilgrimage to the Holy Land (take it!), it will assuredly include a visit to Mount Tabor. Washingtonians will perhaps find themselves



a bit disappointed by the 'mountain' - it's little more than a high hill on an otherwise flat plain.

But perhaps even the geography is testifying to Christ here. It is His consistent *modus operandi* to take what

is humble & unassuming and not only share His own glory, but glorify it in the process. This little hill will forever be where the Son of Man showed forth His greatness!

There is a lesson here for us as well, as we consider not only human lowliness, but our own smallness, failings, and shortcomings. The Lord *chose* Tabor, just as He chose to become man, and most significantly, as He chooses you and me. May we allow - and invite! - Him to bring forth His glory in us and our lives.

This Tuesday, August 8 is the **memorial of Saint Dominic**, founder of one of the four great orders, the Dominicans.



In the Archdiocese of Seattle, we are blessed to have Dominicans ministering at Blessed Sacrament parish as well as at the Newman Center at the University of Washington.

Let us pray for them and all Dominicans as they celebrate their founder and his work!

This week provides us with an opportunity to praise God and pray for all deacons - especially our own Deacon Kirk! - as we celebrate the **feast of Saint Lawrence**, martyr and the patron saint of deacons.

Saint Lawrence was responsible for the material goods of the Church and distribution of alms to the poor. When the civil prefect of Rome demanded that the treasures of the Church be handed over, Saint Lawrence showed up with the poor, proclaiming that they were Her true riches. For this, he was martyred, an offering he cheerfully made!

