SACRED HEART PARISH

SACRED HEART CHURCH ~ ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER MISSION

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October 29th, 2017
The 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time
Priesthood Sunday

PARISH EVENTS

Sunday, October 29
10:30 am **CLOW,** Sacred Heart Church
11:30 am **RCIA Session,** Sacred Heart Church
Monday, October 30
6:30 pm **Fraternus/Fidelis,** Sacred Heart Hall
Tuesday, October 31—Halloween
5:00 pm **Zutz Choir,** Sacred Heart Church
Wednesday, November 1—All Saints Day
8:30 am **Rosary**, Sacred Heart Church
10:00 am **Breakfast,** Sacred Heart Hall
5:30 pm **Rosary,** St. Joseph
Thursday, November 2—All Souls Day
10:00 am **Blessing of Graves,** Sacred Heart Cemetery
7:00 pm **Knights of Columbus Meeting,** Sacred Heart
Friday, November 3
8:30 am **Rosary,** Sacred Heart Church
9:35 am **Divine Mercy Chaplet,** Sacred Heart
7:00 pm **Holy Hour,** Sacred Heart Church
Saturday, November 4
3:30 pm **Confession**, Sacred Heart Church
Sunday, November 5—Daylight Savings
10:30 am **CLOW,** Sacred Heart Church
11:30 am **RCIA Session,** Sacred Heart Church

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Wed, Nov. 1	9:00 am	SH	All Saints
	7:00 pm	SH	All Saints
Thurs, Nov. 2	9:00 am	SH	All the Faithful Departed
Fri, Nov. 3	9:00 am	SH	
Sat, Nov. 4	5:00 pm	SH	
Sun, Nov. 5	8:30 am	SH	
	10:30 am	SH	
	12:15 pm	SJ	

Please see our printed bulletin for a list of Mass intentions.

Stewardship of Time

All Saints Day

November 1st

A Holy Day of Obligation.

9:00 am Sacred Heart *
Breakfast following Mass in the Parish Hall

7:00 pm Sacred Heart

* No Adoration

All Souls Day

November 2nd

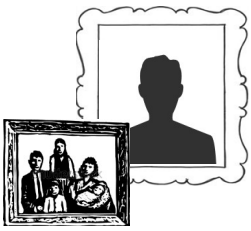
Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

Offertory donations for this day will go to Sacred Heart Dublin Cemetery

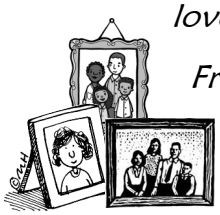
9:00 am Sacred Heart

9:45 am Blessing of Graves
at Sacred Heart Cemetery *

November Harvest of Memories



During the month of November we remember our faithful departed loved ones with a special display in our churches.



From November 1st– 26th please bring to church framed pictures of your deceased family and friends for a special display at the foot of the Altar.

This is a beautiful way to pray for our faithful departed as we remember them at the holy sacrifice of the Mass.

Grotto Clean Up—Phase 1

November 4th at 8am

Volunteers needed. We will be pruning, removal, weeding, and marking the path so bring appropriate tools.

We will work rain or shine. Lunch provided. For further information contact the parish office.

November 18th, 6:00pm

Fall in love with Bunco!

A night of dice rolling fun!

We will teach you how to play!

Fun, Fun Evening with Bunco, an adult event following the 5pm Mass on. No experience is required or cost. Just roll the dice. Prizes too!

Bring your favorite finger food to share. Drinks will be available.

FAITH FORMATION

Family Faith Formation and Sacramental Preparation 2017-2018
Next Meeting ~ Wednesday, November 15th, 6:00 pm

Sacramental Preparation

Confirmation Preparation for Adolescents: Next meeting is **Wednesday, November 8th at 6:30pm.**

Students in First Reconciliation/First Eucharist and RCIC meet at the same time as Family Formation. Additional sessions are also offered the 1st Wednesday of the month.

Upcoming schedule:

November 10th - Rite of Acceptance at 10am (tentative) RCIC only

November 15th and 29th - class at 6pm
Both 1st Reconciliation and RCIC

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)

Meets every Sunday at 10:30 am Mass at Sacred Heart. Children hear age-appropriate Mass readings and then return to Mass at the Presentation of the Gifts. **Adult leaders for the 2nd & 5th Sunday of the month and several teen aides are still needed.** Contact the parish office if you would like to help.

FRATERNUS
A Brotherhood of Disciples

Fidelis

Fraternus is for boys in grades 5 through 12; Fidelis is for girls in grades 5 through 12. The groups meet every Monday at 6:30 PM in the parish hall. Come for food, fun, and learning about living a life of virtue as a young disciple of Christ.

STEWARDSHIP OF TALENT

Midnight Mass Choir

Sacred Heart Parish is forming a Christmas Midnight Mass Choir under the direction of Mattie Roscoe. Open to all, young and old, new or experienced.
Practice at 6:30 pm on:
Thursday, November 30
Thursdays, December 7, 14, 21
Call the parish office if interested. 687-4515

Children's Christmas Eve Play

Sacred Heart will be staging a little Christmas Play at 4:00 pm on Christmas Eve before the Family Mass. We need lots of children to play all the parts (and some adults for behind the scenes help too.) Please call the parish office to sign up. Rehearsal schedule coming soon.

Children's Christmas Eve Choir

Sacred Heart is also forming a children's choir to sing at the play and at the family Mass. If you can sing or play an instrument and would like to join, please call the parish office. Rehearsal schedule to be announced soon.

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME

~Give Blood, Give Life~

November 20th, 12:30-5:30 p.m.

If you haven't already made an appointment for the American Red Cross Blood Drive in November you can now reserve a time at redcrossblood.org . Look for the Sacred Heart link on November 20th. Questions? Call Bob Lung at 360-687-6102 or email rlung@q.com . And thank you for your life-saving donation.

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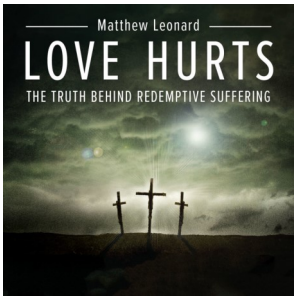
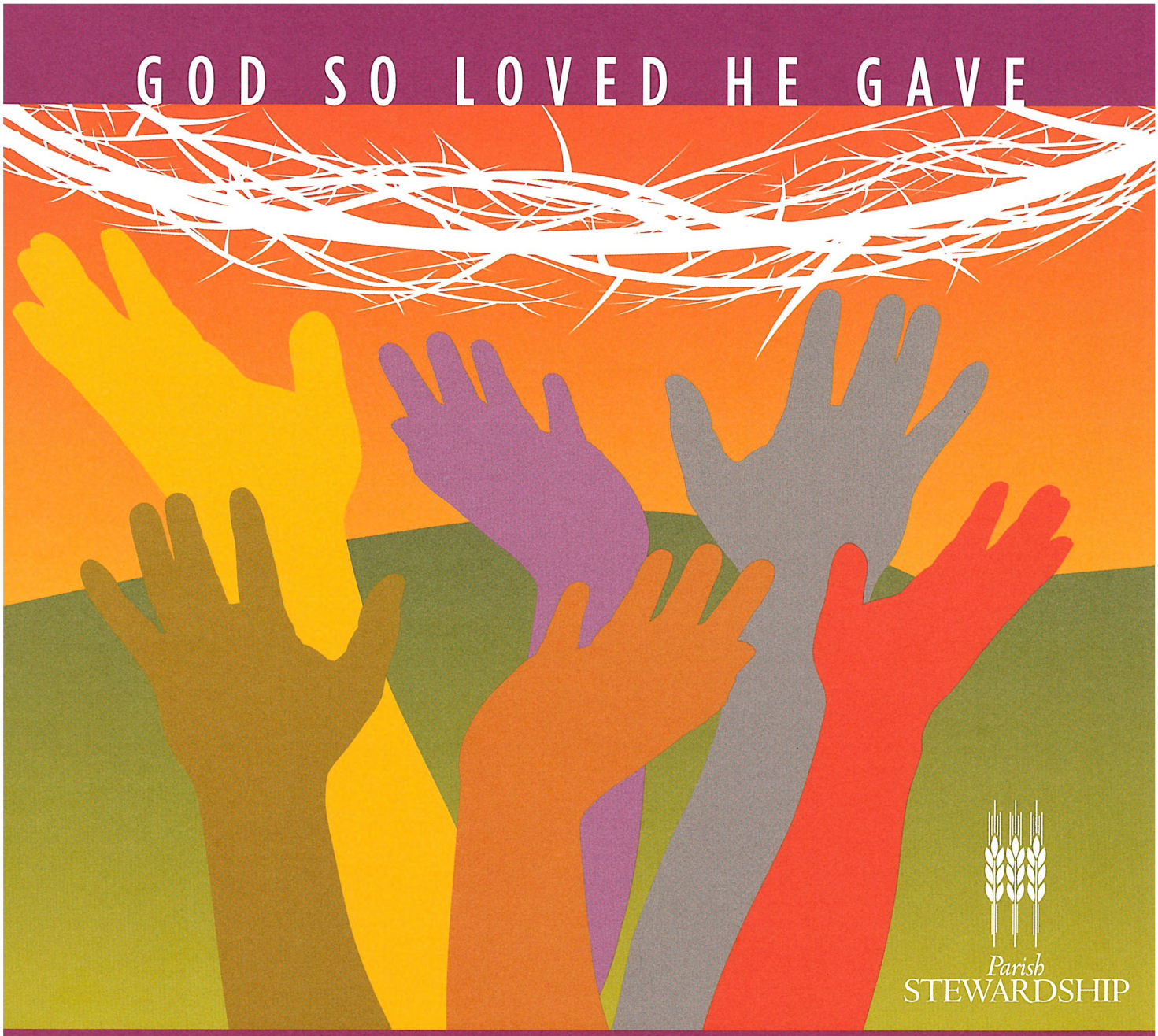
Weekly Suggestions using our parish's FORMED.ORG subscription.

This week's focus:
All Souls Day (Nov 2nd)



Audio. Matthew Leonard focuses on the new idea of love proclaimed by Christ and how it gives meaning to human suffering, penance, and ultimately death.

For your complimentary subscription, create a username and password on FORMED.org and use access code GPMZF6.



FROM A HEART OF GRATITUDE WE GIVE OUR TIME TALENT TREASURE

What shall I return to the Lord for all His bounty to me? – Psalm 116:12

Stewardship isn't just about how much money we give or how we volunteer in ministry to support our parish. It is about the sacrificial way we live our lives. It is about letting go of selfishness and embracing generosity. Part of our generosity should extend to the Body of Christ – our church. How can we enable our parish to carry out the mission Christ gave it?

If you haven't already decided on your parish stewardship commitment, please prayerfully consider your commitment and return your parish stewardship commitment form to the parish office, through the mail, or in the collection basket.

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STEWARDSHIP

How does Stewardship of Time, Treasure and Talent differ from the Annual Catholic Appeal?

Parish Stewardship of Treasure

- Occurs in the Fall of each year
- Parish renewal
- Provides parish ordinary income
- Yearly pledge to the parish – January to December

Donations processed through the parish

Annual Catholic Appeal

- Occurs in the Spring of each year
- Archdiocesan campaign
- Supports over 60 ministries and services throughout Western Washington
- Pledge to the Archdiocese – May to April

Donations processed through Archdiocese

Annual CATHOLIC Appeal 2017

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

We fulfill the commandment to love our neighbor when we exercise good stewardship—joyfully sharing our gifts of life, abilities, and resources to meet our neighbor's need.

October 22, 2017	Sacred Heart	Saint Joseph
Sunday Collection	$2,819.05	$503.00
Online Giving	$630.00	$90.00
Total	$3,449.05	$593.00
Break Even Amount	$6,399.37	$883.25
Difference	($2,950.32)	($290.25)

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME

Please see our printed bulletin for a list of those in need of prayer.

THANK YOU for your generous support on World Mission Sunday. Our parish donated $ 458.00. While only some are called to go to the Missions to serve, all of us are called, by our Baptism, to support the Church's missionary work by our prayers and financial help. To continue answering this call, visit MISSIO.org.

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME

Sunday Reading Synopsis: We are to love the Lord with our whole heart and our neighbor as ourselves (1, Ps, 3). By thus fulfilling these two great commandments, we hope to become models of faith and imitators of the Lord (2) who gave himself totally for our sakes.

Share the Journey

by

learning more about

Black Catholic History Month

November 11

November is Black Catholic History Month, honoring the men and women of African descent who have pioneered the faith. A special celebration will take place at Immaculate Conception Parish, Seattle, in the Jean Moran Hall on November 11, 2017, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. with a presentation, "A Conversation for Life," by Deacon Timothy Tilghman. Please join!

Share the Journey

SeattleArchdiocese.org/STJ

History of Popes We know the current pope traces his authority all the way back to the first pope (St. Peter). But do you know much about all the popes in between? Join us on a journey from St. Peter all the way to Pope Francis.

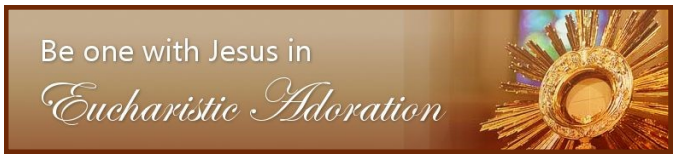
#34 St. Mark, Pope from 336 AD

What was he known for?

St. Mark is known for having given instruction on how subsequent popes were to be installed into office. The *Liber Pontificalis* attributes two documents to this pope, one of which states that the Bishop of Ostia (a diocese on the west coast of Italy) was given a pallium by St. Mark, as well as the responsibility of consecrating the newly-elected Bishop of Rome. Though the document itself doesn't exist, it's reasonable to accept this as fact given that St. Augustine recognized the practice by the end of the same century.

Fun fact: Despite only being in office for nine months, St. Mark doesn't even crack the top 10 for shortest papacy!

First Friday Eucharistic Holy Hour



Join our parish family in prayer.

Friday, November 3rd at 7 PM

Sacred Heart

Eucharistic Holy Hour with Adoration and Benediction, prayer, reflections and contemplative live music.

"Prayer is the encounter with God, with God who never lets us down; with God who is faithful to His word; with God who does not abandon His children." - Pope Francis

Thanks to everyone who came to the Fall Potluck at Sacred Heart! The Parish Council is planning ahead for the Holiday Season Potluck! Watch this space for more information.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

September 27-November 5

Update: 218 babies saved (that we know of) world-wide since the fall campaign started Sept. 27. Thank you all who are praying and offering sacrifices to save lives, hearts and souls from the violence of abortion. World-wide campaign information at www.40daysforlife.org . Vancouver campaign information at www.clarkrtl.org go to 40 Days for Life page. Fall campaign ends Nov. 5.

40 Days for Life closing Rally Nov. 4 (Sat) 2-4 pm at Pied Piper Pizza 12300 N.E. Fourth Plain # E, Vancouver, WA 98682. Buffet style with salads available.

Contact Frank and Pat Waite at 360-666-1947, fpwaite@q.com or Pat Brown 360-666-2949 pbjohn316@hotmail.com

~COMMUNITY UPDATE~

Priesthood Sunday is the last Sunday of October. This is a special day set aside to honor the priesthood, and to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church as a central one. **Please remember to PRAY FOR AND THANK FATHER ALOYSIUS G. SSENSAMBA, and ALL PRIESTS** as we celebrate **Priesthood Sunday**. **Without Priests, we have no Church!!**

Come & See: *Wondering where God is calling you? Learn more about a vocation to the priesthood with Fr. Michael Dion, discover tips on prayer, and discern where God might be calling you! Join us for an Archdiocese of Seattle* ***Come & See*** *event on Tuesday, November 7th, 2017 at St. Thomas Aquinas Parish in Camas. Confessions at 5:00pm, Mass at 6:00pm, followed by pizza, small group discussion, and prayer in the rectory. Open to men ages 15-40. RSVP to Fr. Dion at frdion@stjoevan.org and find more information at seattlevocations.com.*

St. John CDA Holiday Craft Bazaar

Catholic Daughters St. John Court #2105 is hosting a Holiday Craft Bazaar on Saturday, November 11, 2017 at St. John the Evangelist, 8701 NE 119th Street, Vancouver, WA 98662 from 9am to 3:30pm. This festive event will feature unique holiday gifts plus Christmas Shoppe, lunch and home-baked goodies for purchase. Purchase a raffle ticket before 2:00 pm to have a chance at winning a beautiful "Maple Leaf" patterned quilt or many other fabulous prizes. For information on the bazaar, please call Judi at 360-666-6025.

Art Show and Sale
November 12, St. Thomas in Camas

Save the Date! On Sunday, November 12th, local Catholic Artist Adalee Hude of Brightly Hude Studio will be hosting an Art Show & Sale at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church- 324 NE Oak Street, Camas WA 98607. New Original Sacred Art, Prints, Greeting cards and more will be available after the 8:30 & 11 am Masses until 2pm. (No sales during Masses). 10% of the proceeds go to the parish.

SAVE THE DATE FOR AN EVENT THAT WILL CHANGE YOUR LIFE!!!

REBOOT! LIVE!

With internationally renowned speaker and author, CHRIS STEFANICK, and special musical guest, JON NIVEN.

Reboot! Live! is the fun, inspiring and practical experience of applying the beauty and genius of the heart of the Gospel to every aspect of your life. From prayer and spirituality, to work, dating, marriage, parenting, health and more! There is no part of your life that will be left untouched!

WEDNESDAY, **December 6, 2017**, 7:00 – 9:30PM at Holy Redeemer Catholic Church
To register, go online to www.RealLifeCatholic.com – or – Contact **Jamie Kohler**, at **360-885-7780 x13**

DO NOT MISS THE OPPORTUNITY TO GAIN INSIGHT INTO LIVING LIFE MORE FULLY!

Covenants in Scripture

Christian in the World's Fall 2017 Lecture Series, **"Covenants in Scripture,"** offers its third of four presentations on November 11, 2017, at 8:45 a.m. in the Mount Angel Abbey Library, St. Benedict, OR. The cost for the session is $15; Students, $5.
Mr. Brad Becker, Pastoral Associate at St. Edward Church in Keizer, Oregon, and an instructor for the Archdiocese of Portland's Institute for Catholic Life and Leadership, will discuss the covenant that God made with His Chosen People on Mount Sinai and the Davidic Covenant, the covenant of the Promised Messiah.
Brad holds a B.A. in Religious Studies from Regis University in Denver and an M.A. in Theology from the Augustine Institute. He studied Biblical Hebrew at the Hebrew Institute in Israel.

"The concrete sign that we have truly encountered Jesus is the joy that we show in communicating it to others." ~Pope Francis