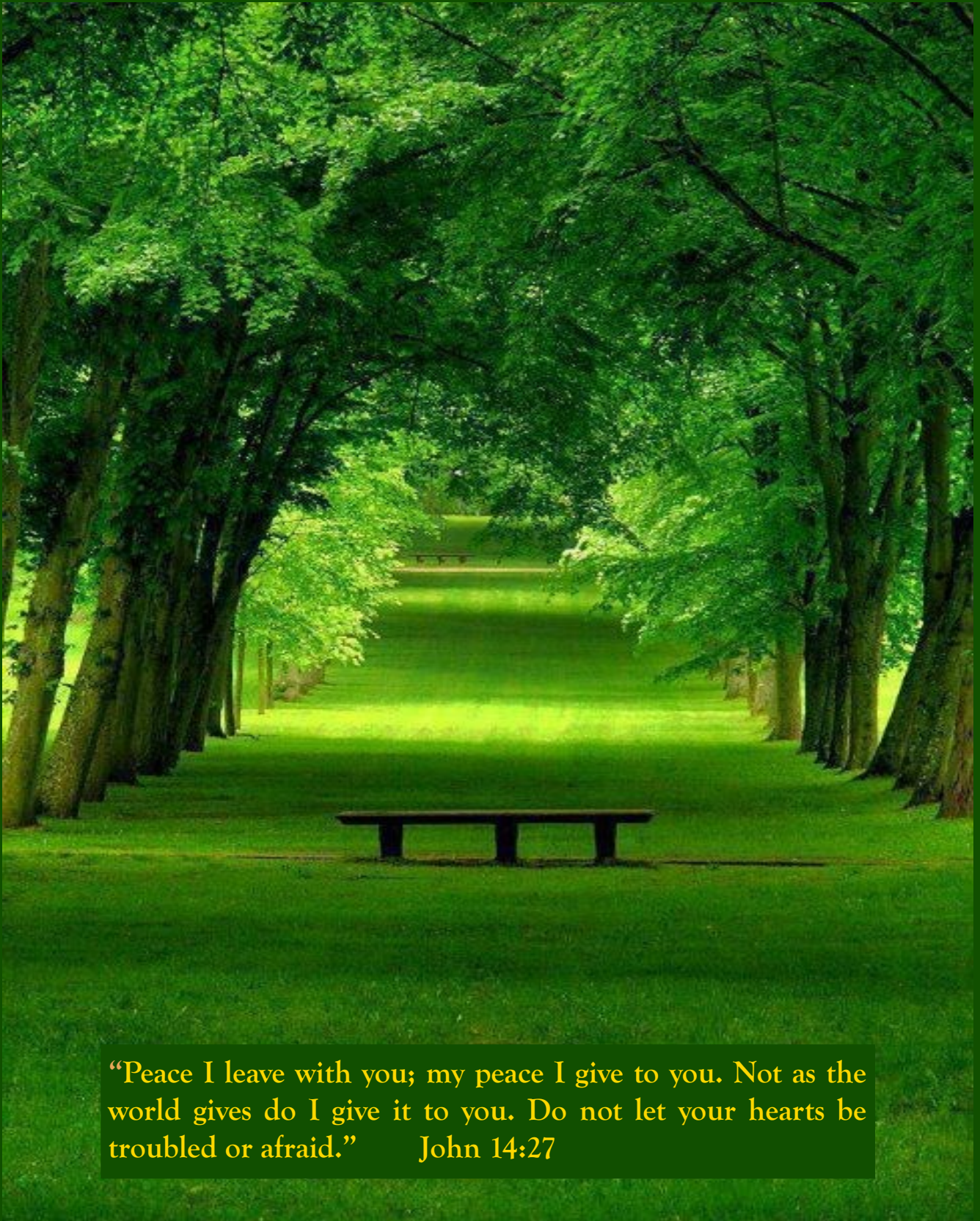


# Saint John Bosco Catholic Church

"United as one, in Christ, to Worship and Love, Witness and Serve"



"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid." John 14:27



July 18th & 19th

St. John Bosco  
10508 112th Street SW, Lakewood, WA 98498  
**Parish Office/Church Closed Until Further Notice**  
Parish Phone: 253-582-1028  
Parish Website: [www.stjbosco.org](http://www.stjbosco.org)  
Emergency Anointing of the Sick: **206-225-8058**

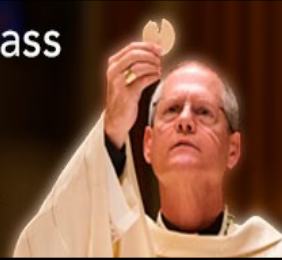
**\*\*No Mass Until Further Notice\*\***

For the latest up to date information,  
please visit our website

## Daily Livestream Mass

with Archbishop Etienne  
**8:30 a.m. (PT)**

[vimeo.com/archdioceseofseattle](https://vimeo.com/archdioceseofseattle) or  
Facebook @Archdiocese of Seattle



**No Classes Until Further Notice**

For information regarding RCIA please contact:  
Mary Lou Colasurdo @ [maryloucolasurdo@stjbosco.org](mailto:maryloucolasurdo@stjbosco.org)



God wants us to "pray without ceasing." (1 Thessalonians 5:17) But sometimes it's difficult to pray, especially in our weakness and anxiety. In these times of need, the Spirit comes to our aid.

When I was learning how to swim, everyone had to jump off the big diving board at least once. The instructor challenged us to get past our reluctance so that we could feel how safe it was to land in the water when we knew how to swim.

As parents, one of our most important jobs is to encourage our children to pray and deepen their intimacy with God. Like a good swimming instructor, the Holy Spirit will be there to make sure that prayer is rewarding. The first step is getting past that initial reluctance.

Sometimes parents feel reluctant to pray with their children. The good news is the Spirit will intercede for us, too. We just have to dive in.  
(Don't have a bible? Go to: [www.usccb.org/bible/readings](http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings))



## Faith Formation & Youth Ministry

Faith Formation and Youth Group have been cancelled for the rest of this year. As restrictions relax, I will start planning some opportunities to connect this summer. Registration for next year will be available later this summer! Updates will be sent via email, please contact Cassie Denning at [cassiedenning@stjbosco.org](mailto:cassiedenning@stjbosco.org) with any questions or concerns.

### Faith Formation:

Remember to Keep growing your child's faith with the great resources available on the Parish Website:

[stjbosco.org/resources-1](http://stjbosco.org/resources-1)

Please fill out the 2020 - 2021 Pre-Registration Form available on the website here: [stjbosco.org/faith-formation](http://stjbosco.org/faith-formation)

### Sacramental Prep:

Please keep all the students preparing to receive their First Communion in your prayers! They are waiting and longing for this Sacrament along with the rest of us!

The new date and workshops will be announced when we know more.

### Jr & Sr High:

The ProjectYM Live season 2 has started. For more information email Cassie or check out [ProjectYMLive.com](http://ProjectYMLive.com).

### Attention Seniors and Graduates!

Please follow this link to fill out the Graduates Bio Form so we can recognize you and your achievements. Please also email a photo to Cassie. [tinyurl.com/SJBgraduatebio](http://tinyurl.com/SJBgraduatebio)

### Confirmation:

Confirmation has been rescheduled for 5pm Saturday, August 29th at St. Frances Cabrini. Please be sure to inform your sponsors. Stay tuned for an upcoming retreat this summer to review important aspects of Confirmation. Everyone should have completed all 12 lessons from Decision Point at this time.

### Follow us on Social Media!

Facebook: [St. John Bosco YM](https://www.facebook.com/StJohnBoscoYM)

Instagram: [@stjboscoym](https://www.instagram.com/stjboscoym)

Questions contact Cassie Denning at:

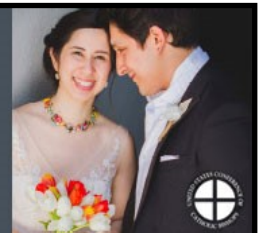
[cassiedenning@stjbosco.org](mailto:cassiedenning@stjbosco.org)

Natural  
Family  
Planning

Awareness week  
**July 19-25**

Live the truth and beauty of  
God's plan for married love!

<https://marriagefamilylife.seattlearchdiocese.org/nfpteachers>





**Thank you** to all who have responded to the needs of our Church in Western Washington through the 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal. Only 22% of our parishes have reached their ACA goal. Our SJB/IC community has almost achieved our ACA goal of \$77,405.00 with the exception of **\$4,768.08!** If you have yet to turn in your ACA pledge card, it is not too late. Simply return the pledge card forwarded to you in the mail or donate online by going to: [www.stjbosco.org](http://www.stjbosco.org) and click the Donate Now button.

### 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal Results!

Our Annual Catholic Appeal <b>Goal:</b>	\$77,405.00
Amount of <b>Goal reached to date:</b>	\$72,636.92
% of goal met to date:	94%
# of households in our parish:	752
# of households participating to date:	212
% of households participating to date:	28%

**Thank you for your continued support!**

### **Rachel's Corner -Hope and Healing After Abortion**

#### Fall 2020 Rachel's Healing Retreat Schedule

September 18 – 20 & November 13 – 15  
(206) 920-6413



The Rice Bowl program has been impacted by the Coronavirus crisis. Rice Bowl collections can be forwarded to:

Archdiocese of Seattle  
ATTN: National and Missions  
710 9th Ave  
Seattle, WA 9810-2017

### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK & COMMUNION CALLS

We are most anxious to help our parish families because of illness, handicap, or age. If you or a family member is ill or hospitalized and you wish to receive the Sacraments, please call the parish office so that we may support you during these difficult times.

- \* Our parish office number is **253-582-1028**.
- \* Emergency **ONLY** number for an **emergency Anointing of the Sick** request **206-225-8058**

### Weekly Collection Including Weekly Online Giving

**July 4th/5th & 11th/12th**  
**Available Next Weekend.**



—SIGN UP FOR ELECTRONIC GIVING—

**Easy. Fast. Effective.**

If you haven't already registered for online giving, now is a great opportunity to do so. Simply go to [stjbosco.org](http://stjbosco.org) and on the homepage click the "Online Giving" button to begin your registration.



**Messengers of HOPE**

From January to May 2020, the conference reached out to 112 people, providing \$4,888.00 in assistance, mainly in utility assistance.

Please call SVDP for help **253-820-9472**

**Advertiser of the Week: Drangsholt Orthodontics 253-512-0265 9618 59th Ave SW, Lakewood WA 98499**  
( Please be sure to let our advertisers know you saw their advertisement in our bulletin)

**WELCOME** We welcome you to St. John Bosco Parish, celebrating with us, whether you are new to the area/parish or maybe not so new but just have not registered. If you are not registered, please complete the form below and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office. Thank you. (This is not a registration form).

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

{ } New Parishioner { } New Address { } Moving, please remove from parish directory

New Phone \_\_\_\_\_ New Email Address \_\_\_\_\_





## PRAYER FOR THE Year of the Eucharist

Lord Jesus Christ,  
the Eucharist is your gift to us.  
As we celebrate your mysteries,  
the very work of our redemption is accomplished,  
and we are filled with every grace and blessing.  
May the liturgy become the pattern of our lives.  
May our celebrations of this great mystery  
draw us ever closer to you and to one another.  
Strengthen the bonds of unity in our local Church,  
that our love for one another may be evident  
and we may proclaim your Gospel more effectively.  
May the Eucharist bear fruit in our lives,  
and deepen our commitment  
to serve the poor and vulnerable in your name.  
You live and reign for ever and ever. Amen.

*How holy this feast in which Christ is our food; his  
passion is recalled; grace fills our hearts; and we  
receive a pledge of the glory to come, alleluia.*  
(Antiphon for Corpus Christi, attr. St. Thomas Aquinas)

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June 14, 2020 — June 6, 2021

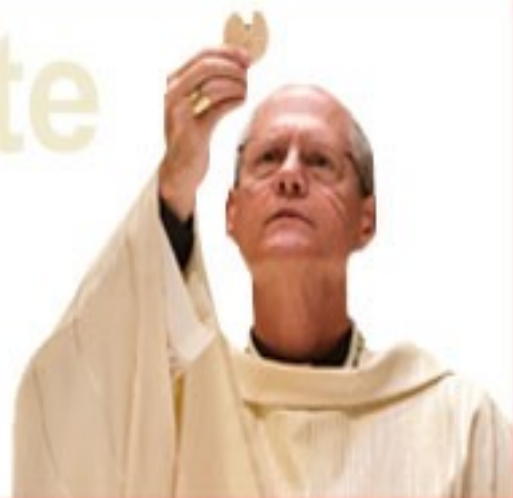
#YearoftheEucharistSeattle



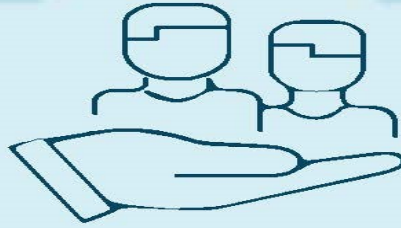
# Celebrate

June 14, 2020

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June 6, 2021



# WHAT'S HAPPENED TO CIVILITY?



## AND HOW CAN I HELP GET IT BACK?

**CIVILIZE IT**  
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DIGNITY BEYOND THE DEBATE



### What's Happened To Civility?

“Our country’s political discourse has become much less civil over the last several decades to the point where there is a near paralysis in our federal government and too often at the state and local levels.”

“Respect and love ought to be extended also to those who think or act differently than we do in social, political and even religious matters.”

“If we want people running for elected office to behave better, we have to start with behaving better with people we encounter who hold differing opinions than our own.”

Excerpts from the  
Washington State Bishop’s Statement  
February 27, 2020

#### **RESOURCES:**

[Catholic Social Teaching 101](#)

[Seven Themes of Catholic Social Teaching for Children](#)

[We Are Salt and Light Video](#)

[Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship](#)

### Bringing Civility Back Into My Life

1. Listen and try to see Christ in others
2. Seek first to understand, not to be understood
3. Be open and nonjudgmental
4. Respond as if you are responding to God
5. Ask Our Lord for help

#### **Make Me An Instrument Of Your Peace A Prayer For Civility**

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.  
Where uncivil words prevail,  
show me how to model love.  
Help me remember the God-given dignity of all  
and invite others to do the same.  
Show me how to build bridges and not walls  
and see first what unites us  
rather than how we diverge.  
Let me seek to understand  
before asking to be understood.  
Give me a listening heart filled with empathy  
and compassion.  
May I be clear in sharing my own position  
and respectful and civil in describing those  
of others.  
Let me never tolerate hateful ideas.  
May I invite all to charity and love.  
Lord, help me to imitate your compassion and  
Mercy. Make me an instrument of your peace. Amen.