

Registration for Mass No Longer Required!



St. Pat's parishioners who joined St. Mary's in a prayerful protest last Sunday

"The Lord reminds them not to strive for status but become servants to all"

Dear Sisters and Brothers In Christ,

This weekend we celebrate World Mission Sunday. It is a chance for us to see the good works happening in missions around the world. And who better to share that story than a missionary priest. We are honored to have Maryknoll Fr. Ed Shellito MM serve as presider and preacher this weekend. Fr. Ed spent 30+ years in the Philippines and Africa before returning to the states. He currently lives at Seattle's Maryknoll House. He will share his mission story with us this weekend as well as break open the scripture. What perfect readings for this, too. James and John are trying to talk Jesus into giving them privileged status in the kingdom of God, by allowing them to sit, one on the right and one on the left of Jesus in heaven (a

nervy request indeed!). The Lord reminds them not to strive for status but become servants to all. Lower yourself to the status of a slave and you are getting close to achieving greatness in the kingdom. Maryknoll missionaries are American priests who go to the farthest corners of the world to serve the people of God. I can think of no greater example.

Peace...

Dcn. Dennis Kelly Pastoral Coordinator

View all of Deacon Dennis homilies by clicking here

Sunday Online Mass Schedule

Mass will be hosted LIVE at 10:30 AM online via Facebook *



* As an alternative to Facebook, you NOW can also attend Mass by joining the Hospitality Zoom meeting here. Join at 10:30 AM for Mass and then enjoy Hospitality immediately following Mass!

Or find the Mass via YouTube (Masses posted within 24 hrs.)

Sunday Readings:

(You can also access them here)

First Reading Is 53:10-11; Psalm 33:22; Second Reading Heb 4:14-16; Gospel Mk 10:35-45

Important Parish Update

An update on our parish survey: we are now up to 150 respondents. Our hope is to have 175-200. For this reason, we are extending the deadline through the weekend to allow stragglers time to fill out the survey. Details and link came to you in an email yesterday. Contact Laura (lauradavidash@aol.com) if you need the link. Thank you for those who have already taken the time to fill out this important survey.



World Mission Sunday

The Church will officially celebrate Mission Sunday next week, however as mentioned in Dcn. Dennis' letter we will take the opportunity to celebrate this week as we are joined by Fr. Ed Shellito MM presider and preacher this weekend. As we prepare to celebrate World Mission Sunday, Pope Francis invites the entire Church to



support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable

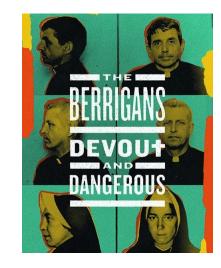
communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

Wednesday Night Movie Night

Following last week's movie on social justice pioneer Pauli Murray, we have a new documentary on the Berrigan family, well-known to many of us who lived through the Vietnam War era. Join us on Zoom Wednesday, October 20th, at 7 PM for viewing and discussion:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87671456490? pwd=R09WSENPMWFwMndZRnFVZjJxZ3J2UT09

The Berrigans: Devout and Dangerous is the story of an American family who is on the FBI's Most Wanted List in 1970 for their opposition to the Vietnam War and continues



resisting militarism for the next half-century. The Berrigans take on the Catholic Church and the United States government at the peril of their freedom, families, and reputation, all for the sake of peace and faith. They sacrificed everything—defying the church they held so dear, spending years of their lives in prison, and parenting from behind bars—to demonstrate the true fundamentals of Christianity: peace, equality, and the guts to tell the truth. Despite Cardinal Spellman, J. Edgar Hoover, Richard Nixon, and others in power battling to ban the Berrigans and their followers, the Berrigans became examples for heroes like Daniel Ellsberg who resisted the dangerous spread of nuclear weapons and international militarism.

Told through the perspective of the youngest Berrigans, Devout and Dangerous digs deep into the exploits that made the Berrigans pop icons, the subjects of rock songs, appearing on the front page of newspapers, in films (The Mission), on talk shows (Dick Cavett) and in pulpits worldwide. Using live footage of demonstrations and non-violent actions, archival footage, and interviews with an impressive host of notable figures the Berrigans inspired, Devout & Dangerous makes the point that non-violent direct action is as relevant today as it was in the past.

Dan's poetry, read by actor Liam Neeson, and Phil's intimate letters, read by actor Bill Pullman, are woven through the film. The Berrigans had no choice but to leave behind their lives of sacred comfort to act against war and racism. Devout and Dangerous brings the Berrigans alive, inspiring us at this dangerous crossroads that fighting for what's right is not a choice, but a necessity.

St. Pat's joins neighbors in support of the University District Food Bank

Every month the University Food Bank helps more than 1,300 different families with nutritionally balanced foods. The food bank has installed a donation barrel at St. Pat's where non-perishable items can be donated. It is located in the vestibule. Please bring items on Sunday!



The Portage Bay/Roanoke Park Community Council has supported the University District Food Bank with non-perishable food donations, made at various neighborhood meetings and events. The Growth and Sustainability Team, inspired by our Synod Food Security Initiative, is answering the call by supporting the University Food Bank. University Food Bank will pick

up the contents from the donation barrel on November 10th. More information can be found on the **attached flyer**.

The University Food Bank https://www.udistrictfoodbank.org/ 5017 Roosevelt Way NE (206) 523-7060 is co-located with 49 units of affordable housing, a job skills training café, and a rooftop garden where produce is grown for the food bank. Last year, more than 68,000 food insecure people visited the food bank where 3.1 million pounds of food was distributed.

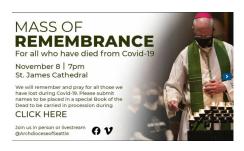
How to Have a Good Death

St. Patrick faith community and Wallingford Senior Center invite you to join our virtual presentation: **How to Have a Good Death.** This forum will take place Sunday, October 24th from 1 PM - 5 PM. See the **attached flyer** for the schedule of presentations. To participate please register **HERE** before 5 PM on Saturday, October 23rd. Once registered, you will receive a zoom link to access the program. There is no cost. We hope you can join us for this special afternoon.



Mass for the Dead

On November 8th Archbishop Etienne will be celebrating a Mass of Remembrance for all those who have died from COVID-19. 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, 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 8th at St. James Cathedral.

Continuing Engagement Opportunities

We encourage you to attend Sunday hospitality immediately after St. Patrick Mass at 10:30 AM. Hospitality will be hosted by Betsey Beckman and Sandi Tennyson via **ZOOM (Click HERE for link)** around 11:30 AM.

Dr. David and Ruth Ard host a weekly scripture study group, **Breaking Open The Word** on Wednesday afternoons at 4 PM.

Alternatively, join a virtual small Women's group, <u>Encountering God</u>, which gathers online on Thursdays at 11 AM. This is a sixty-minute women's reflection group led by Lisa Dennison and Deanna Tighe.

Join our Thursday Evening **Carbon Footprint Discussion Group** at 7 PM via Zoom.

A new **Games Night** schedule is being developed more information is to come soon.

Please email **Deanna Tighe** if you have questions about these events or ideas on other ways you would like to engage.

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