



**"My God, my God, why
have you abandoned
me?"**

-Psalm 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24;

Complete Stewardship of Treasure Pledge [HERE](#)



Last year's Palm/Passion Sunday Children's Liturgy of the Word in the park

"we must be willing to follow the example of Jesus"

Dear Sisters and Brothers In Christ,

This weekend we are blessed to hear Luke's entire Passion story during Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion. Jesus is about to be betrayed, setting off a heartbreaking series of events in our salvation history. Betrayal will be the topic of this weekend's short homily. This is a difficult topic for most of us. We all experience some form of betrayal in our lives. We all carry the scars from the experience and sometimes it informs our behavior toward others. Jesus has clear instruction on how to deal with such betrayal and the people who hurt us with their actions. Retribution, retaliation, recrimination should not be our response to betrayal. When we walk the road to Calvary (the only real high road) we must be willing to follow the example of Jesus. This is no easy task, but it is the path we all must take if we are true to the teachings of Jesus and following his way.

Peace...

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.)

The scripture readings for the upcoming Mass can be found [HERE](#)

1st reading: Is 50:4-7; **Ps.** 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24; **2nd Reading:** Phil 2:6-11; **Gospel:** Luke 22:14—23:56

[Advocates Update](#)

We are still waiting on the Archbishop's response to our two letters (He has acknowledged receipt of both Dcn. Dennis' and the Advocate's letters). The St. Joseph Discernment Team will meet again next Tuesday, April 12th, with St. Joe's Pastoral Coordinator Dcn. Steve Wodzanowski and his parish team. Thank you for your prayers as we move forward in this discernment process.



[Synodal Listening Sessions](#)

Sandi Tennyson is organizing in-person meetings to be held at the Wallingford Community Senior Center. These meetings will each start at 3:45pm and include an optional pot-luck dinner at 5 PM! (Please note, full vaccination and masks are still required.) The last opportunity to participate is **Wednesday, April 13th**.



The Wallingford Community Senior Center is housed in the Good Shepherd Center building at 4649 Sunnyside Ave N Suite 140, Seattle, WA 98103. To register, please call Sandi at 206-461-7825.

Here are the questions, with the first from Pope Francis:

“How have you (we) experienced the Holy Spirit as we’ve Journeyed Together at Saint Patrick Church?”

And these from the St. Pat’s Synodal Listening Team:

- What disturbs or breaks your heart about the Catholic Church today?
- What fills your heart about the Catholic Church? How, guided by the Holy Spirit, could we

nurture that experience at Saint Patrick Parish, in the Archdiocese of Seattle, and in the world?

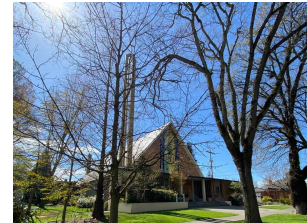
We are targeting full participation from our parish. Please sign up for one of these sessions OR attend one of the Zoom sessions OR meet one-on-one with a parishioner friend to complete your listening session. You are welcome to attend more than one listening session.

With many thanks and warm blessings from the St. Pat's Synodal Organizational Team, Sandi Tennyson, John Hale, Sharie Bowman, Ann Mescher, Jackie McWalter-Huff

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Final Call For Sharing Your Memories and Stories

Sharie Bowman is collecting our heart-felt stories and feelings of St. Patrick's and will make them into a book for all. Please share your memories, stories and love of St. Patrick's parish by sending them to Sharie at stpats.sharie@gmail.com by Friday, April 15. This is the final deadline for this project. We would love to have as many submissions as possible!



Easter Triduum Schedule

April 13, Spy Wednesday

- 7 PM Tenebrae Prayer Service at **Christ Our Hope**

April 14, Holy Thursday Mass

- 7 PM ASL Interpreted Mass at St. Pat's

April 15, Good Friday

- 7 PM ASL Interpreted at St. Pat's

April 16, Easter Vigil

- 8 PM ASL Interpreted at St. Pat's

April 17, Easter Sunday

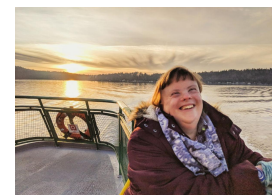
- 10:30 AM ASL Interpreted at St. Pat's

Dear Carolyn's Funeral

For those unable to attend the funeral for our beloved L'Arche core member and St. Pat's parishioner Carolyn Drobnicki's funeral this week, here's a link to it on Facebook:

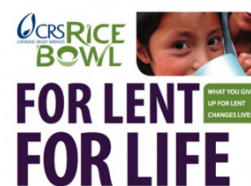
<https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=1314137525730299>

Deacon Dennis was asked by the family to do the graveside committal later in the day and served her in that beautiful way.



Sharing God's Love

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. —John 3:16 As we enter Holy Week, we remember how our Lord suffered and died so that each and every one of us might be saved from sin and have eternal life. Reflect on God's infinite love for you. How have you responded to that love this Lent, and how can you share it with others? Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.



Lenten Cooking, Cocktails & Community

Join us for the FINAL Lenten Cooking, Cocktails & Community next Friday, April 8th at 5:30 PM on [Zoom](#)! Our final gathering will be hosted with Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish in West Seattle! Below are the ingredients for the [Agatogo with Collard Greens Recipe from Rwanda](#), as well as for a simple cocktail and mocktail pairing courtesy of Christ Our Hope's David Ard. Get your ingredients in advance, and we can't wait to be together virtually on the 8th!



Easter Flowers for 2022

Hello dear St Pat's parishioners! Some of you have asked about donating money for Easter flowers. All of us on the Environment Committee appreciate your generosity, which is the only way we have to finance flowers. We plan to do what we did last Easter, which is to use the left over money we have from the Christmas poinsettia collection. Sandy can buy flowers wholesale, so she can save money. We had been saving money for new ordinary time banners when COVID happened and now our future is uncertain!? So we are spending all of our money!



We have enough money to buy all the flowers we need to make our Easter environment beautiful. Then after Easter, we plan to give the flowers to the people on our prayer list who are ill. We plan to do this on Sunday, April 24th. We will be in contact with the neighborhood leaders to find people to deliver the flowers with a card to those who are ill and live nearby. This way, those who are unable to be with us this Easter can share in the beauty of the season with the flowers.

Easter blessings,
Sandy Sanford
Environment Committee

Coffee Hour assistance needed: can you help?

We are happy that Coffee Hour re-started April 3! (Did you notice that donuts are now \$1?) We hope this wonderful gathering will continue as long as St. Patrick's community remains within the church building. (No Coffee Hour on Easter Sunday.) In our gap-time from 2020 to now, some of our former Coffee Hour hosts have moved on. From now until July we need additional help to enable at least 2 people to oversee the operation each week. That will enable hosts to finish up within a reasonable time. (You can also help informally as the Spirit leads.) Please contact Christine Charters at morningstar8@earthlink.net, Jackie McWalter-Huff at jamcwalter@aol.com, or Elaine Clark at eclarkpt2@gmail.com to help



Tree of Hope

The Sister Parish and Social Justice Committee say “muchas gracias” to all who donated money, made a card, or prayed faithfully for our sister parish community of Nueva Trinidad during Lent. Today, Palm Sunday, is the last day of our “Arbol de Esperanza” project. If you haven’t been able to donate yet, please consider doing so today (make checks to “St. Patrick’s Church”- please write Nueva Trinidad in the memo line) and place your donation in the collection or in the basket at the foot of the tree. Take a moment to see how the tree has “bloomed” with photos of our sister parish friends. ***“God of love, may we and our church become tools in your hands to help prepare the way for your reign in history.” — Archbishop Romero***

Prayer Vigil With St. Mary's

St Mary's folks let us know they will be holding a prayer vigil outside the Archdiocesan offices every Wednesday at 3 PM. The address is 710 9th Ave. (Across the street from Skyline Assisted Living). The purpose is to be a visible sign of the people whose parishes the AB has decided to close. St. Pat's parishioners are invited and encouraged to attend. Posters and prayers welcome!

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, [Encountering God](#), which gathers online on Thursdays at 11 AM. This is a sixty-minute women's reflection group led by Lisa Dennison and Deanna Tighe.

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

Saturday Works Party from 9 AM to Noon weekly! Are you available to volunteer? Please email [Mike Wagner](#).

Please email [Deanna Tighe](#) if you have questions about these events or ideas on other ways you would like to engage.

To help with **Sacred Encounters** visit our [Meal Train link](#) or email [Liza Neal](#) to see how you can help.

Visit our website

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