



**"You are my inheritance,
O Lord."**

-Psalm 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11



First meeting of the St. Pat's and St. Joe's liturgy teams as they discuss a new future

Serve one another through love

Dear Sisters and Brothers In Christ,

This week's Gospel reading is about how we handle rejection. It's a powerful message and one we can all learn from. But I would like to focus instead on this weekend's second reading this week from St. Paul's letter to the Galatians. Galatia was considered the hinterland, a backwater region with people who were not originally from the area. The Galatians were from Celtic Europe and settled in this barren wasteland just a few centuries before the time of Jesus. The early Christians who came to evangelize them instructed that it was a strict adherence to Jewish law, especially circumcision, that made you a Christian. Paul came to correct the record. The sign of being a good Christian is serving one another through love. "For the whole law is fulfilled in one statement, namely, You shall love your neighbor as yourself. But if you go on biting and devouring one another, beware that you are not consumed by one another." This tough love message stuck with the community, and it flourished. Love is all that matters. Not a strict adherence to rules and cultural practices. May we always practice what we preach.

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:

Private Facebook page:

If you have a Facebook account, use this link:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/stpatrickseattle/>

Public Facebook page:

If you do not have a Facebook account, use this link:

<https://www.facebook.com/stpatsseattle/>

*** 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: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4; 2nd Reading: 1 Cor 11:23-26; Gospel: Luke 9:11b-17

Important Update

Members of St. Pat's and St. Joe's liturgy committees met last week for the first time for a get-to-know-you session, as we began to imagine our liturgical future together.



It was good to connect with one another to learn how each group has worked, and we look forward to the creative process into the future. We will meet again in about a month. Stay tuned for news on our first liturgies together in the Fall!

Celebrate LGBTQ+ Catholic Pride

St. Joe's LGBTQ+ community is thrilled to invite all St. Pat's parishioners to join us for a community-wide Pride celebration on June 26th, after 5:30 PM Mass. Bring friends and family – everybody is welcome! The event will take place at St. Joseph Parish Lawn: 732 18th Ave E, Seattle. You can expect a party! Rainbow cookies. Lemonade and snacks. Music. Leis for everyone. Games for kids. Meet new friends, gather with old friends.



Wellness Wednesday Archdiocese Events



The Archdiocese of Seattle Mental Health Ministry and St. James Cathedral's Mental Health Wellness Ministry are sponsoring Wellness Wednesdays, a monthly educational forum featuring professionals from various mental health disciplines speaking on topics of interest. Wellness Wednesdays virtual events will be held on [Zoom](#) and will take place on the first Wednesday of the month. The next event is a focus on Basics of Bipolar Disorder. For more information including registration details can be found [HERE](#).

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!

Information Required for St. Pat's Parishioner Directory

Parishioners of St. Pat's, we need your help!! To facilitate ongoing communication between parishioners once we are closed we would like to create a Parishioner Directory. To that end, we've launched a page on our website to gather people's current information. Please go to the following link <http://www.stpatrickseattle.org/opt-in-for-directory> and fill out the short Opt-In form to be included in the directory. This will allow us to stay in touch with one another after our parish closure. Thank you for your participation!

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.

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