



**"Let all the earth cry out to  
God with joy"**

Psalm 66



**Look who is in Rome this week and attended Mass at the Vatican!**

**Congrats, Deanna!**

**Dear Sisters and Brothers In Christ,**

What a blessing this week to hand-off leadership of Christ Our Hope to Deanna Tighe. She is ready for this moment. She's been pastoral associate there for five years. For the last three years, she has split her time between Christ Our Hope and St. Patrick, working mostly on faith formation and sacraments, and most recently animating Christ Our Hope's Pastoral Council. And she kept us all together virtually through a pandemic. She has served, she has grown, she has led. And done so with grace and Spirit. I'm reminded of a quote from the ancient Chinese philosopher Lao Tzu: "A leader is best when people barely know (she) exists, when (her) work is done, (her) aim fulfilled, they will say: we did it ourselves." I am excited to see what the future holds for Christ Our Hope under Deanna's lay leadership.

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:

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: Is 66:10-14c; Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20; 2nd Reading: Gal 6:14-18; Gospel: Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

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## Important Update

We are expecting a decree about our pending merger with St. Joseph any day now from Archbishop Etienne. He is currently in Rome on business and will likely issue the decree upon his return. We now have two months before our parish's expected closure. Thank you for your patience throughout this painful and challenging process.



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## A Prayer for Independence Day

Father of all nations and ages,  
we recall the day when our country  
claimed its place among the family of nations.  
for what has been achieved we give you thanks,  
for the work that remains we ask your help,  
and as you have called us from many peoples to be one nation,  
grant that, under your providence,  
our country may share your blessings  
with all the peoples of the earth.  
Amen

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## Request For Altar Flowers

Our remaining Sundays before closure are precious to all of us. The Liturgy and Environment committees are thinking that some of you might like to share a bouquet of your summer garden flowers on the altar in July and

August, to make each remaining mass special.. You can bring a bouquet all ready to go on the altar in your vase, take a vase home from church for your bouquet, or arrive early to arrange the flowers. Sandy Sanford will be available to help you at 9:5 AM. Remember, that for the flowers to be seen, the bouquet needs to be on the large size with the support of greens. Fortunately, hydrangeas will be blooming soon and make beautiful arrangements.



Sandy Sanford will make an arrangement for this Sunday, July 3. If you would like to bring a bouquet please contact Sandy Sanford by email at [sandysanford@comcast.net](mailto:sandysanford@comcast.net) or by phone/text at 206 313 5846 with a date preference. We are hoping to get all the Sunday masses covered and if there are more bouquets, all the better!

Yours in Christ,  
Sandy Sanford

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### St. Patrick's Movie Nights

A word from the St Pat's Movie Nights zoom streamer. I wanted to let everyone know that I'm open to reviving our Wednesday night movie series. (It will always be called "St Pat's Movie Night", regardless of what happens in September.) Over the last couple of years we have had a good audience of people who have enjoyed the presentations and group discussions. For our history of presentations, see the list posted on the Connection Board (<https://breastplate.wixsite.com/stpatrickseattle/forum/st-pat-s-movie-nights>)

Going forward I'd like to shift more of the responsibility on movie choice to you, the viewers. Sources of interesting movies for your perusal can be found at:

- Meaningful Movie Project (<https://meaningfulmovies.org>)
- GOOD DOCS (<https://gooddocs.net/>)
- The 20 best documentaries on Netflix (<https://mashable.com/article/best-documentaries-netflix/>)
- Various streaming networks, including Prime Video, Discovery+, PBS, and others.

And we could resume "The Chosen" series, season 2.

Unfortunately, after next Wednesday (July 6), I am unavailable until Wednesday, Aug 10 (the week following my hip replacement surgery). So, let me ([pdsampson@comcast.net](mailto:pdsampson@comcast.net)) know if you are interested in more movies, and offer a suggestion or two.

Thanks!  
Paul Sampson

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### 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!

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## 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!

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## Continuing Engagement Opportunities

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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.

**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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