

"Go out to all the world and tell the Good News"

Psalm 117;1,2,18





Picnic in the Park with Friends and Family

Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

Dear Sisters and Brothers In Christ,

What a wonderful picnic in the park last Sunday with family and friends. Thank you all for being there, and thank you to Barb Ivester and all the volunteers who made it happen. Also thank you to founding pastoral lay leader Victoria Ries for the beautiful vow renewal and blessing service after Mass. I cannot think of a better person to serve our community in this way. Jenny and Mickey are credited with coming up with the idea to do a communal vow renewal (and the pilgrimage to St. Joe's). Thank you both for your leadership at our parish. You and your family are a blessing to St. Pat's. Our official photographer was out sick last week. Thank you to Alex Stege for stepping in at the last minute to take our parish photo. You are a young man with many gifts. This weekend we will be processing from St. Patrick to St. Joseph after Mass (some will walk, others will drive). Once at St. Joe's we will experience a welcoming picnic for us and for new pastor Fr. Chris Cartwright. I look forward to seeing you all there.

Peace...

Dcn. Dennis Kelly Pastoral Coordinator

View all of Deacon Dennis homilies by <u>clicking here</u>





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

Public Facebook page: If you do not have a Facebook account, use this link: <u>https://www.facebook.com/stpatsseattle/</u>

> Or find the Mass via <u>YouTube</u> (Masses posted within 24 hrs.)

The scripture readings for the upcoming Mass can be found HERE

1st reading Is 66:18-21; Psalm 117:1,2,18; 2nd Reading: Hebrews 12:5-7,11-13; Gospel: Luke 13:22-30

Kath Wagner's Funeral

We will celebrate Kath Wagner's many contributions to our parish community and her life at St Patrick's tomorrow, Saturday, August 20th at 1PM.

Fr. Bryan will serve as the presider. Unfortunately, Deacon Dennis had a prior family commitment and is unable to attend in person, but will join virtually.



If you would like to send cards of condolence to Mike here is his address: **PO Box 15272**, **Seattle, WA 98115**.

All Parish Photo

Thank you for joining us last Sunday for the group photo. For printed copy of All Parish Photo, sign up on the vestibule door no later than August 21. Printed copies will be distributed on August 28. If you were unable to join the group photo, you are invited to share a digital photo of yourself/family with the community. Email your photo to Elaine Clark at **eclarkpt2@gmail.com**, and Elaine will upload it to our St. Pat's google drive folder. Group

photo will be sent to parishioners digitally at the end of August.

Following closure, you will be able to access the All Parish Digital Photo (plus any other digital photos submitted by parishioners) through a Google Drive folder that you will be able to access on our legacy St. Patrick Connection Board. Take a moment to save the link. https://breastplate.wixsite.com/stpatrickseattle/forum.



Flowers on the Altar in July and August

Have you noticed beautiful garden flowers on our back altar these last two months? A big **THANK YOU** goes to the following members for sharing their glorious summer garden flowers:

July 17 - Jo Anne Felton July 24 - Sheila Geisler July 31 - Eileen Murphy Aug. 7 - Elaine Clarke Aug.14 - Rosemary Ryan Aug. 21 - Mike Wagner from Kathleen's memorial Aug. 28 - Everyone like on Pentecost!

You probably noticed that our last mass on Sunday, August 28th, we are asking all of you to bring flowers like we do for Pentecost to celebrate the gifts we have all brought to our community over the years. Our last mass will be a true celebration of our beloved community. And know that our Canon Law Appeal Committee, with the help of the St Joseph foundation, has been hard at work getting our papers ready to send to the Vatican in Rome.

With hope in God and prayers for continued community, Sandy Sanford, Environment committee



It's Time To Locate Our Name Tags

For our welcome liturgies at St. Joe's on September 3rd and 4th, let's all wear our name tags so St. Joe's parishioners know where we are from! The St. Pat's community will be welcomed at all masses that weekend, with special focus on September 4th at 9:30 AM. If you have any questions please reach out to the Liturgy committee.



Welcome to St. Joe's

As we head to St. Joseph on Sunday, a sign has been placed on the grounds of St. Joe's Church welcoming the our St. Patrick community. Thought you'd like to see. And thanks to Barbara Kearney-Schupp for forwarding it to us.



SAINT PATRICK CHURCH

August & September 2022 Calendar



Please join us in celebrating our parish family! See back for a calendar of planned events for our beloved parish community (some events are in partnership with St. Joseph Parish).

All are welcome!

Summer Calendar

A printer friendly version of the calendar is available HERE

Aug 21 – Procession around St. Pat's nave/sanctuary honoring the physical space then a procession to St. Joe's. Picnic for Fr. Chris at St. Joe's at 1 PM.

Aug 27 - St. Pat's Men's Night Out to benefit our Sister Parish will be held at **5 PM** at Michael Olmstead's home, North Seattle. Suggested donation of \$25. RSVP to <u>Chris Covert-Bowlds</u>. The St. Pat's sister parish committee is excited to announce that in addition to the Men's Night Out, that a Women's Night Out will also occur on Saturday, Aug 27 from 5-8pm hosted by Lisa Dennison. Any donation for Nueva Trinidad will be gratefully accepted and all women who would like to attend for heavy appetizers and beverages are encouraged to RSVP to Lisa at <u>lisa2karl@aol.com</u>.

Aug 28 – Last Mass at St. Pat's inviting previous pastors & parishioners to join us. Opening and closing special procession. Blessing of the community. Small reception after Mass. Betsey leads Movement ministry.

Sep 3-4 – St. Patrick's parishioners welcomed at every Mass at St. Joe's with special focus at Sunday's 9:30 AM Mass, which will be ASL interpreted. Fr. Chris presides/preaches. Bob/Laura will lead joint choir.

Sep 11 – ASL interpretation starts at St. Joe's at 11 AM Mass. Also live-streamed.

Oct 2 - Annual Sister Parish Walk-a-long more information to come.

Women's Night Out Exciting Update

We are adding an hour to our celebration on Saturday, August 27th- our gathering time will be 5-8PM! We will happily accept all donations to support our sister parish of Nueva Trinidad and please email Lisa Dennison at <u>lisa2karl@aol.com</u> to RSVP (we only have a few spaces left!)

Men's Night Out will also be 5-8pm at Michael Olmstead's home- for more information contact **Chris Covert-Bowlds** by clicking on his name.

Connection Board and Facebook

Stay connected through the connection board! If you are used to getting to the connection board through the St. Pat's website take a moment to save the direct link below.

https://breastplate.wixsite.com/stpatrickseattle/forum

If you are on Facebook, but not a member of the private Facebook group, send a request to become a member and bookmark this link in order to stay in touch after our closure.

www.facebook.com/groups/stpatrickseattle/

The connection board and private Facebook page will remain up after closure for people to keep in touch.

Discontinue Online Giving At St. Pat's

A number of parishioners have asked recently asked how to discontinue financial offerings online. To do so please follow the steps below.

- Go to our <u>St. Patrick Church website</u>
- Hit the heading called "Online Giving" on the top right.
- This takes you to our Online Giving landing page. Hit either of the two pictures to go to the **OSV hub for our giving page**.
- Log into that page with your password, then hit the "My Gifts" words in the top bar. This will take you to the area that schedules recurring donations.
- Hit the stack of the three dots to the right of your monthly donation. There, you can update, pause or stop the gift.
- If you encounter any problems with this, please contact **OSV technical support for**

help: 800-348-2886, press 2 for technical support.

International Day of Peace Celebration

The General Assembly of the United Nations declared this day as a day devoted strengthening the ideas of peace. It is celebrated around the world. We are asked to honor a cessation of hostilities during this day and to commemorate the day through education



and public awareness. Join us on September, 17th at 2 PM at the Peace and Spirituality Center, 1663 Killarney Way, Bellevue. We hope you join us for an informative and inspiring celebration!

Imam Jamal Rahman is a popular speaker on Islam, Sufi spirituality, and interfaith relations. Reverend Dave Brown is a writer, poet, and teacher and former pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church. Together, Imam Jamal and Pastor Dave share programs on interfaith understanding and friendship. To participate register <u>HERE</u>.

Continuing Engagement Opportunities

Join a virtual small Women's group, <u>Encountering God</u>, gathering online on Thursday's at 11 AM. This is a sixty-minute women's reflection group led by Lisa Dennison.

Saturday Works Party from 9 AM to Noon weekly! Are you available to volunteer? Please email <u>Mike Wagner</u>.

To help with **Sacred Encounters** visit our <u>Meal Train link</u> or email <u>Liza Neal</u> to see how you can help.

