



TACOMA - VASHON PARISH FAMILY

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Jesus sat down opposite the treasury and observed how the crowd put money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents. Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they have all contributed from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood." Mark 12:41-44
Unknown artist in the Renaissance style depicting "The Widow's Mite"

Stewardship at SJV

"Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving." – Colossians 3:23-24

Stewardship of Treasure

SJV SACRIFICIAL GIVING for the 2024-25 Fiscal Year: \$100,299.68
Last Collection Total (Oct. 26/27 & Nov. 2/3): \$17,349 Weekly Average \$5,572

To pay electronically, click ONLINE GIVING on the SJV website, [St John Vianney - Vashon, WA](http://StJohnVianney-Vashon.WA)



Thank you to all those who have already made your Stewardship of Treasure pledge. When we think of being good stewards, we may think that God is asking too much of us. However, we must remember that we are mere stewards of the gifts God has given us. We are called to be good stewards of those gifts, not only for today, but also for the future. We invite you to prayerfully consider investing a small portion of your own financial gifts in the community that we have built here at St. John Vianney. You are not only helping SJV in the present, but you are also helping us to make the most of our shared gifts and build up the kingdom of God. If you have not done so, please make your pledge by going online to SJV's website [St John Vianney - Vashon, WA](http://StJohnVianney-Vashon.WA) or returning your commitment card as soon as possible.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL 2ND SUN. COLLECTION We would like to remind parishioners of our traditional 2nd Sunday SVdP collection. If you are able to help SVdP do its wonderful work on Vashon, you can place a donation for them in the Collection basket or online. <http://svdpvashon.org/>



Stewardship of Time

NOVEMBER IS THE MONTH OF REMEMBRANCE



This year's All Souls' Day Grave Blessings at the Vashon Cemetery had a banner turn out (the sun might have helped....).

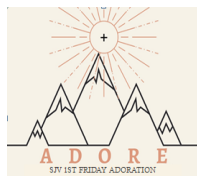


Fr. David and family members visited the graves of lost loved ones and Fr. (with Denny's help with the holy water) blessed each. Thank you, Fr. David, for this care for our current and former parishioners.

We are still encouraging parishioners to bring a photos of your deceased loved ones to place around the Baptismal Font. Like the grave blessings, this is beautiful way to share with each other the people in our lives who have died. Please also add their names to our Parish Book of the Dead. At all Masses during this Month of Remembrance we will pray for the souls of our parishioners we remember in our hearts.

3RD FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC DEVOTION

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament for November will be next Friday, November 15th.



FRASSATI YOUTH GROUP

Next evening is Nov. 20—at 6:30. See you then. Don't miss Frassati... Friends... Faith... Fun... Food!

This week's Frassati get together was a night of contrasts—to counter the seriousness of their time spent in the sanctuary praying for the dead, the Frassati kids enjoyed a very silly game... they had one minute to toss as many Cheetos as they could onto their partners' faces slathered with either shaving cream or whipped cream. (If you were wondering, that is shaving cream on Micah's face!).



If you don't want to miss opportunities like this, don't skip Frassati—every other Wednesday at SJV.

2025 CONFIRMATION PREPARATION

Our Confirmandi will next meet here at SJV next Wednesday, November 13th, and then on Sunday the 17th at St. Patrick's with Fr. David speaking of Gifts of the Holy Spirit.

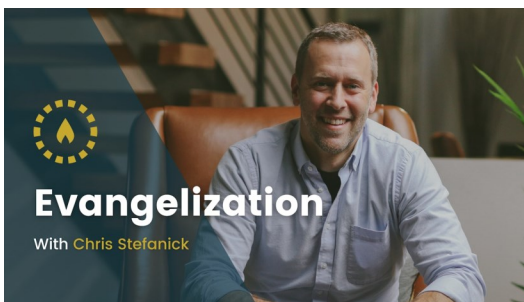
SJV WOMEN'S GROUP NOV 25

Noon at SJV—BYOLunch... Spiritual reading shared and discussed... Catch up on our lives... Sometimes serious, sometimes fun... Always a good time with friends and support and faith....

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Evangelization STUDY GROUP EVERY OTHER SUNDAY DURING COFFEE HOUR



What is the point of the Catholic Church? This statement sums it up: Jesus did not create a church and give it a mission. He created a mission and gave it a church.

So what is the mission? He told us: Go and make disciples. That leads us to the word “Evangelization.” Last Sunday we began our new adult Faith Formation study series, which will meet every other Sunday during Coffee Hour. We will watch a few short videos together and share our responses to these videos by Chris Stephanik, who has worked for a long time in evangelization. We had nine participants last Sunday, and there is room for

and hope for more. We watched Videos 1-3; if you missed class, watch those and you’ll be caught up. The adult Faith Formation study group is a wonderful opportunity to share your faith, and with this group’s focus, to share also how we hope to expand the number of those who share our faith. We hope you will join us in learning how to do what Jesus asked us to do. The video series is easy to find on Formed.org. Contact the office for help connecting to our subscription if you haven’t signed in before. **Next session: NOV 17**

BENEDICTINE PRAYER

Liturgy of the Hours in the unity of the Holy Spirit....

Morning Prayer: Every M, W, F, from 6:30 to 7AM at the Burton Community Church

Evening Prayer: In the sanctuary at 6:00PM on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Wednesdays, and First Fridays at SJV, 6-6:30PM



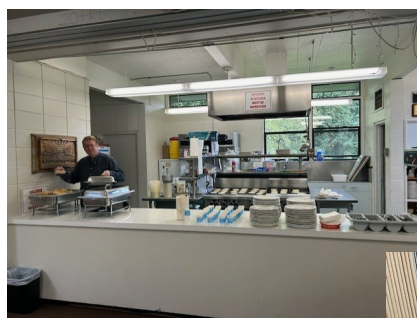
PRAY THE ROSARY WITH OUR SJV FAMILY

Wednesday Zoom Rosary at 7PM— We are praying for our parish family and individual intentions. Consider a 1/2 hr. a week to add your parish’s prayers to your own, and join us. You will find the link on the SJV website—<https://stjohnvianneyvashon.com/> Meeting ID: 823 9368 4503



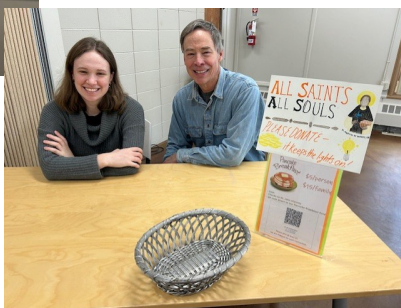
Stewardship of Talent

SJV PANCAKE BREAKFAST PROS



Three cheers for our pancake and sausage chefs—Johnses (Janice was too busy to pose) and Landes (Ellie, great to see

you at SJV!)—we are grateful for the years of Pancake (& Sausage) Breakfasts you have made for SJV.



BACKPACK PANTRY PACKERS

Thank you to Backpack Pantry “staples” Barbara Powell, Rod & Chris Reagan, and Ann Scafe who were here this week filling bags for upcoming school deliveries to students who need help with

weekend meals. Thank you to those who share their treasure with this ministry to Island families.



COFFEE HOUR AFTER THE 9:30 MASS

Thank you to the Wishik-Grey Family who will host us in the Parish Hall for Coffee Hour this Sunday!

Please enjoy our social time during Coffee Hour and please remember to put in a few dollars in the basket to fund it. The QR code right here is a handy way to pay in advance. Or, if you have had a few donuts and muffins, and haven’t put any money in the basket, here is your chance to cover those recent Sunday morning treats!



SJV 3RD THURSDAY COMMUNITY DINNERS—

Upcoming for the November 21st dinner—our chefs are the Casads, the Lawrences, the O’Connell Richters, and the Simmons bakers.

Let the office know if you would like join in this Christian action and sharing of our parish spirit. 2025 sign ups available soon.

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR THE 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

<u>Positions</u>	<u>5PM Vigil</u>	<u>Sunday 9:30</u>
Sacristan	D. Campion	M. Casad
Greeter	J. Perry	B. Powell
Lector 1	K. Meyer	A. Casad
Lector 2	A. Scafe	P. McMahan
EMC Cup	A. Scafe	
EMC Cup	A. Terry	
Altar Server	D. Mielock	J. Casad
Accompanist	xxxxxxx	M. Casad
Cantor	xxxxxxx	M. Lawrence

Prayer for the Sick Requests & Mass Intentions & Funerals

As a parish we pray for:

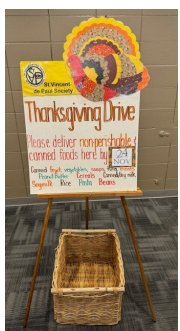
Rudi Brutoco—Strength during healing
 Claudia & Mike Cunningham—Fortitude
 Dailene Dean—Healing
 Kathi Ferrari —Healing
 Cameron Hudson Manson Mattison—Recovery
 Mary Lee Hutchinson—Rest in Peace
 Denise Katz—Strength during healing
 Gary Medeiros—Strength during treatment
 Rick Paquette—Peace with his illness
 Leslie Perry—Healing and Recovery
 Mary Sage—Strength in her illness
 Monica Stein—Repose of the Soul
 Gena Yousoufian—Healing
 Nov. 14th—Mass for Mary Ann Beardsley—
 Quick recovery from hip surgery
 Please submit Prayer for the Sick
 requests to the Parish Office.

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THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

The members of SVdP invite the parishioners of SJV to contribute **non-perishable food items** to benefit the Vashon Food Bank Thanksgiving Food Drive. Please bring your items by Nov. 24th.

Let us remember that Jesus asked us to care for our brothers and sisters, and to give generously so we can help ensure that all families have a Thanksgiving celebration in their homes here on Vashon. The donation basket is in the vestibule, under our wonderful sign Dorothy Neal made for the parish so many years ago!



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September 2024-February 2025

TACOMA-VASHON PARISH FAMILY 2025 CONFIRMATION

All Parish Family Confirmation Sessions at St. Patrick Church Parish Center Fireside room

When: Nov. 17 and Jan. 5. 5:30-6:45PM, then Mass at 7PM Sundays

Topics: Guest Speaker weeks (at St. Patrick Parish Center)

Nov. 17: Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit (w/Fr. David Mayovsky)

Jan 5: Justice and Virtue (w/Deacon Bill Eckert)

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