



ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ

November 26th, 2023

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OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

"Amen, I say to you,
whatever you did for one
of the least brothers
of mine, you did for me."
- Mt 25:38-40

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8:30AM to 4:00PM**

If your family or friends are in a
sacramental emergency
(someone who is in imminent
danger of dying and wishes to
receive the sacraments) please
call **206-524-8800**

If there is no answer, please call
St. Benedict Parish Office:
206-632-0843

If it is past 4pm, or a weekend
please use the emergency line:
(206) 276 8085

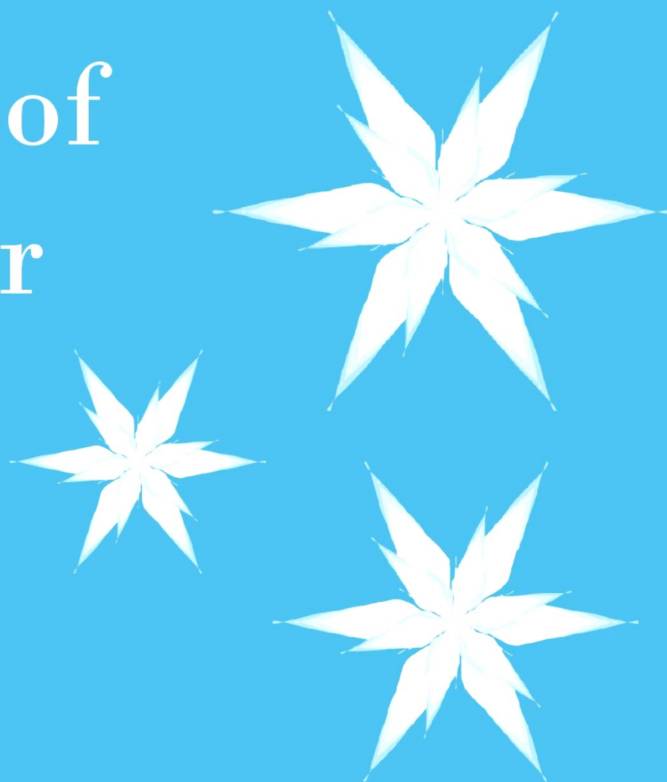
St. Catherine of Siena's Winter Concert

January 26, 2024

At 7:00pm-8:30pm

814 NE 85TH ST

Seattle, WA 98115



Winter Concert Help

Planning Meeting #1: November 29, 2pm

Can you help?

Roles:

Audio/Visual: Who?

Winter Decorations: Who?

Volunteers: If you can make it, lets plan to meet on November 29, at 2pm at the Parish offices.

Advent Help

Date: December 1, 2023 after 9:30am Mass

Christmas Eve Help

Date: December 24, 2023 after 9:30am Mass

If you can help, please reach out to Anakaren at reception@stcatherineparish.net

Evangelization and Faith Formation

For information contact Olaf at faithformation@st-c.org

Infant Baptism

(for children younger than 6 years of age) Dates available for baptism at Saint Catherine of Siena are held on Sundays at 9:30 am Mass:

January 21, April 21, May 19, June 16, 2024

Dates available for baptism at Saint Benedict are held on Sundays at 8:00 am Mass:

January 7, February 4, April 7, May 5, 2024

Next preparation classes will be at: St. Catherine –in the Church at 4:00 pm

January 13, 2024 & March 16, 2024

St. Benedict –after 8:00am Mass, November 26th & Jan. 14, 2024

RCIA MEETINGS

Weekly RCIA meetings for St. Catherine's and St. Ben's are every Thursday at St. Ben's at 7:00 pm.

Anyone who wants to attend can contact Kim Burkhardt at rcia@st-c.org

Our parish has an active RCIA program for people discerning the Catholic faith. This week, RCIA is studying:

November 30: Advent: What is Advent, how it fits in the Church's liturgical year, what happens at church during Advent.

Sacrament of Confirmation

Are you a Senior in High School or a college student? If you have not celebrated your Confirmation, now is the time! Please contact Olaf

faithformation@st-c.org for information on ways to be prepared for Conf.

Save the Date!

Saturday, December 2nd |
2:30-4:30PM

St. Thomas Parish
4415 S 140th St,
Tukwila, WA 98168

CELEBRATING 46 YEARS - BUILDING UP THE BODY OF CHRIST

EQUIP
THE HOLY ONES
FOR THE WORK OF
MINISTRY Eph.4:12

St. Catherine Events/News



SVDP Holiday program- wrapping kits

We are looking for 21 pre assembled wrapping kits, one for each family SVDP are helping with Christmas gifts. Items in the kits should be new and unopened, except when larger packaging is broken down to smaller units.

For each kit we would like: 2 rolls of non-religious gift wrap. It can have a general holiday or children's theme, but should avoid religious wording or symbols. This is to avoid offending non-Christian families we serve.

Small bag of stick-on bows

One pack of "to/from "gift tags

1 roll of Scotch tape

Please drop off your kits in the St. Vincent De Paul food bin in the back of the church no later than **12/2**.



SVDP'S APPRECIATION

Thank you to all who helped provide Thanksgiving meals to our neighbors through SVDP. Be assured that you were the source of many grateful hearts and satisfied tummies! Blessings to all of you throughout this holiday season.



SHARING CHRISTMAS

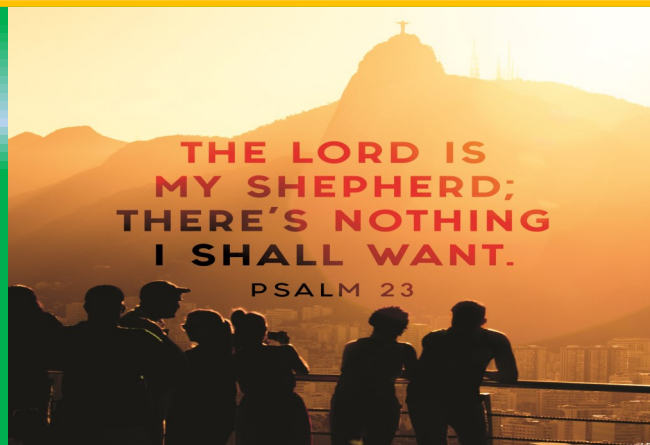
SVDP is Christmas is providing food vouchers and gift cards for families living in our parish neighborhood. The grocery vouchers will total \$30 per person in the household and a \$30 gift card for each child 17 years old and younger. The average family cost is \$165; we are serving 25 families. Can your family help by adopting a family this Christmas? Or, helping with some of the costs?

Please consider making a donation by: 1) use the St Catherine website & click the tab marked SVDP Christmas, 2) write a check to SVDP Christmas Program and place in the collection basket or mail to the parish office. Wishing Christmas blessings to you and your family and conveying our gratitude for helping us help others.

Advent Wreaths!

St. Catherine's Advent Wreaths
December 3rd after Mass.

Greens, base, wire and candles will be
available to assemble your own wreath.



MASS SCHEDULE

St. Catherine of Siena

SATURDAY 5PM
SUNDAY *9:30AM
WEDNESDAY 9AM
FRIDAY 9AM

CONFESSION SAT 3:30-4:30PM
ADORATION AT ST. BENEDICT 1ST FRI 6-7PM
ANOINTING OF THE 1ST FRI 9AM
*Livestream Available



WEDNESDAY ROSARIES
FRIDAY 9:30AM



OPEN FOR PRAYER
FRIDAY 10AM — 12PM
SATURDAY 3:30 — 4:30PM

Parish Administration & Finance

All phone messages for Fr. Marc will be routed through the office administrative assistants at each parish. Administrative assistants will relay messages to Fr. Marc and he will respond to phone calls as soon as he is able. Please be advised that, due to the number of calls, it may take several days to return non-emergency, non-sacramental messages. Office phone number 206-524-8800



Bible Study

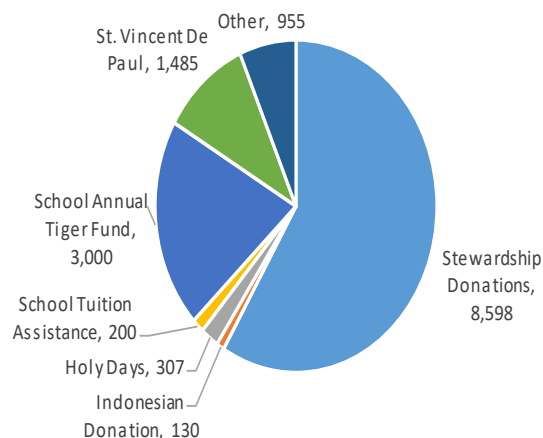
Did you know that St. Catherine's has a vibrant and fun Bible Study group?
We meet after the 9:30 Mass in the parish office complex.

All knowledge levels are welcome!

Contact Shannon Wilson for more information at sswaniga@gmail.com, or sign up through Flocknotes.

STEWARDSHIP

TOTAL WEEKLY GIVING
\$14,675
11/05/2023-11/11/2023



The Seattle Chapter of the International Thomas Merton Society

Meets via Zoom, every third Tuesday of the month. If you are interested in learning more about this great writer and monk, contact parishioner Nina Butorac at nbutorac@yahoo.com for the Zoom codes.

"What kind of bird is most likely to be in church?"



"A cardinal"



In nature, a cardinal is a bird with red feathers and a pointed cap, but the term actually was inspired by Catholic cardinals and their red clothes (inspired by the blood of Jesus).

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