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JUNE 4, 2023 | LEADING LIVES FULL OF **FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE**



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

God so loved the world that
he gave his only Son, so
that everyone who believes
in him might not perish but
might have eternal life.
- Jn 3:16-17

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Rooted in the Gospel of Christ, we are a Catholic parish community, welcoming all people to pray, love, and serve together.

MASS TIMES

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday 5pm, *Sunday 9:30am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Mon., Thur. & Fri. at 9:00am

Wednesday at 6:30pm

***live-streamed**

SACRAMENTS

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CONFIRMATION & R.C.I.A.

Please contact

Sarah & Alex Chopyak

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Please contact Fr. William Heric

RECONCILIATION

Saturday - 3:45pm - 4:30pm

or by appointment

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Fr. William Heric



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PARISH INFORMATION & NEWS

SCRIPTURE READINGS & DAILY SAINTS

JUNE 4

R1, Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9
Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56
R2, 2 Cor 13:11-13
Gospel, Jn 3:16-18

Blessed Angelina of Marsciano

JUNE 5

R1, Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8
Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-4, 5-6
Gospel, Mk 12:1-12

Saint Boniface

JUNE 6

R1, Tb 2:9-14
Ps 112:1-2, 7-8, 9
Gospel, Mk 12:13-17

Saint Norbert

JUNE 7

R1, Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a
Ps 25:2-3, 4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9
Gospel, Mk 12:18-27

Blessed Franz Jägerstätter

JUNE 8

R1, Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a
Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5
Gospel, Mk 12:28-34

Saint William of York

JUNE 9

R1, Tb 11:5-17
Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10
Gospel, Mk 12:35-37

Saint Ephrem

JUNE 10

R1, Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20
Tobit 13:2, 6efgh, 7, 8
Gospel, Mk 12:38-44

Saint Joachima

JUNE 11

R1, Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a
Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20
R2, 2 1 Cor 10:16-17
Gospel, Jn 6:51-58

Saint Barnabas

A REFLECTION BY FR. WILLIAM HERIC

Dear Friends in Christ,

The church returns to **"Ordinary Time"** with two solemnities that can only be described as "Extraordinary." This week we celebrate **Trinity Sunday**, our central belief in the one God who reveals the divine life in three persons. We enter the life of this divine community of love when we are baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. We invoke the trinity every time we make the sign of the cross, a sacramental moment whenever we do it, like at the beginning and end of every Mass.



Next Sunday, June 11, we celebrate the **Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**, our belief in the real presence of Christ given us in consecrated bread and wine. The precious blood of Christ has generally not been shared these past two years because of the Covid pandemic. It's time for that to change. **Beginning June 10-11, you will have the option of receiving holy communion from the cup.** Please feel welcome to do so if you wish, or to decline to receive in this form if you prefer not. Parents of children who have recently received their first holy communion please consider what practice you want to encourage for your family.

Ordinary time begins our transition into "Summer mode," with its break from school, vacations, and more time outdoors. A gentle word of encouragement to keep Sunday Mass a regular part of your summertime. Please consult our parish communications for various opportunities to celebrate our faith, hope, and love this summer. An important one coming up is our **"Synod Listening Sessions" on June 11 and 12.** The Partners in the Gospel planning process will be a special focus of these sessions. Hope to see you at one of these gatherings!

St. Bridget of Kildare...pray for us! Live Jesus in our hearts...forever!

Fr. William Heric

Fr. William Heric, Pastor

Congratulations 8th Grade

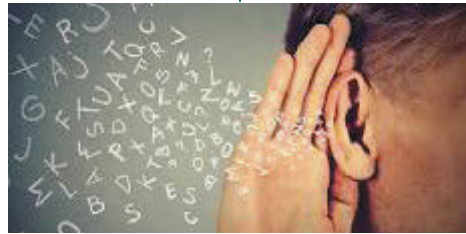
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COMMUNITY CONNECTION

PARTNERS IN THE GOSPEL LISTENING SESSIONS



Our parish will be hosting two listening sessions to hear your thoughts, hopes and concerns regarding Partners in the Gospel and the process of becoming part of a Parish Family. The first session will be on **June 11th**, following the 9:30am Mass, in the Fireside Room. The Second session will be on **June 12th**, from 7pm-8:30pm, also in the Fireside Room. More materials about Partners in the Gospel will be available prior to the listening sessions as well as on the archdiocese website: <https://archseattle.org/partners/>. For more information about the sessions or to RSVP please email Sarah Chopyak at sarah@stbridgetchurch.org.

NEWS FROM SVDP

Below is a section from the St. Vincent de Paul Rule that explains a bit about the objectives of our volunteer ministry to our neighbors.



Vincentians are called to journey together towards holiness, because true holiness is perfect union with Christ and the perfection of love, which is central to their vocation and the source of its fruitfulness. They aspire to burn with the love of God as revealed by Christ and deepen their own faith and fidelity. Vincentians are aware of their own brokenness and need for God's grace. They seek His glory, not their own. Their ideal is to help relieve suffering for love alone, without thinking of any award or advantage for themselves.

They draw nearer to Christ, serving Him in the poor and one another. They grow more perfect in love by expressing compassionate and tender love to the poor and one another.

The Catholic church teaches us that we are all called to holiness, wherever we may be. We all walk different paths toward the perfection that Christ calls each of us to embody, using the various gifts and talents we have been given. For members of St. Vincent de Paul, the vocation to support our neighbors is our special way of being Catholic, living out what it means to be an everyday "saint next door". We were created to live in community and see our SVdP conference as a genuine community of faith and love, of prayer and action. (Rule, Part 1, 3.3) We grow in holiness by sharing the volunteer work we do and reflecting on God's presence in all of it – one person, one neighbor, one community at a time.

If you are interested in joining our ministry, please reach out to Tracy Read at tread20@comcast.net or Scott Pelton at peltonwoodin@hotmail.com



Welcome

NEW PARISHIONERS

We would like to extend a warm welcome to all new parishioners and visitors to our church!

Visitors, we hope that you've enjoyed your time with us. If you would like to join our family here at St. Bridget we invite you to become a registered parishioner.

Welcome!

The Harness Family

Marcus, Mikelle & Gus

Richart Schug & Sarah Eisenberg

The Bigelow Family

Trevor, Cortney, Boden & Calvin

The Adkins Llauroado Vila Family

Ryan and Elisenda

We're so glad you're here!



Date change for our baptism preparation class!
It is now Monday, June 5th at 7PM.
Please RSVP to Amanda Cahill at children@stbridgetchurch.org to attend.

UPCOMING EVENTS & NEWS

WEEK OF JUNE 5 - JUNE 11

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
JUNE 5	JUNE 6	JUNE 7	JUNE 8	JUNE 9	JUNE 10	JUNE 11
9:00am-5:00pm Church is open 9:00am Daily Mass 3:00pm - 10:00pm Adoration	9:00am-5:00pm Church is open 9:00am Word and Communion Service 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal	9:00am-7:00pm Church is open 5:30pm Holy Rosary 6:30pm Daily Mass	9:00am - 10:00pm Church is open 9:00am Daily Mass	9:00am - 9:00pm Church is open 9:00am Daily Mass	9:00am - 10:00pm Church is open 3:45-4:30pm Reconciliation 5:00pm Vigil Mass	9:00am - 3:00pm Church is open 9:30am+ Sunday Mass 10:30am Coffee and Donuts Hour

+Live-streamed



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL HAPPENING NOW!

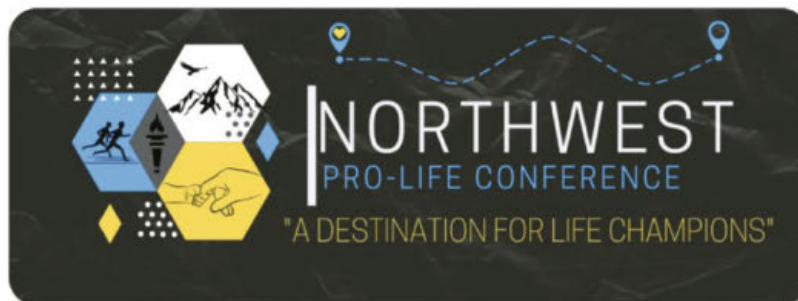
The Annual Catholic Appeal promotes the Mission of the Archdiocese of Seattle: To help others encounter Christ, accompany one another in their faith, and live the joy of the Gospel. Please give today through the ACA link on your parish home page or at archseattle.org/GiveACA. #AnnualCatholicAppeal

ACA GIVING UPDATE

As of our weekly report obtained last week, we currently have received the following gifts toward our goal \$77,221:

Pledges made: *11% of parish participation

One time gifts + pledges received to date: \$27,581.27



You're invited to the Northwest Pro-Life Conference! On June 24, 2023, life affirming organizations from around the northwest are coming together to host the first annual Northwest Pro-Life Conference. The Northwest Pro-Life Conference will prepare attendees to encounter women facing unplanned pregnancies, defend their pro-life position, lobby our legislators, and more! With speakers from organizations like Students for Life of America, Human Life of Washington, Abortion Survivors Network, and Human Life Alliance you will gain the tools and make the connections to find out how you fit into this monumental time. Join us this summer to become a champion for life!

Register at www.nwprolifeconference.org.

PARISH INFORMATION

PARISH REGISTRATION

New to St. Bridget's? Welcome! We would love to have you join our growing community! Simply scan the QR code below to find the online form.



INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

An open invitation to anyone who would like to learn more about the catholic faith in a casual, no-pressure environment to ask questions and inquire. Please contact Sarah and Alex Chopyak if you are interested in learning more. rcia@stbridgetchurch.org



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Please pray for those who are ill:

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 Marilyn Davis
 Irene Dunphy
 John Ernest
 Mary Gibson
 Linda Lovinger
 Daisy Lu
 Catherine Lubatti
 Sharon MacTavish
 John Monk
 Fr. Tim Sauer
 Barbara Sauntry
 Julie Scott
 Jonathan Spencer
 The patients in Seattle Children's Hospital

Those who have passed:

Elizabeth "Bette" Neal

SPECIAL MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	June	5	9:00am	Daily Mass	For the Parish
Tuesday	June	6	9:00am	Service of Word & Holy Communion	
Wednesday	June	7	6:30pm	Daily Mass	For the Parish
Thursday	June	8	9:00am	Daily Mass	For the Parish
Friday	June	9	9:00am	Daily Mass	For the Parish
Saturday	June	10	5:00pm	Vigil Mass	For the Parish
Sunday	June	11	9:30am	Sunday Mass	For the Parish

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