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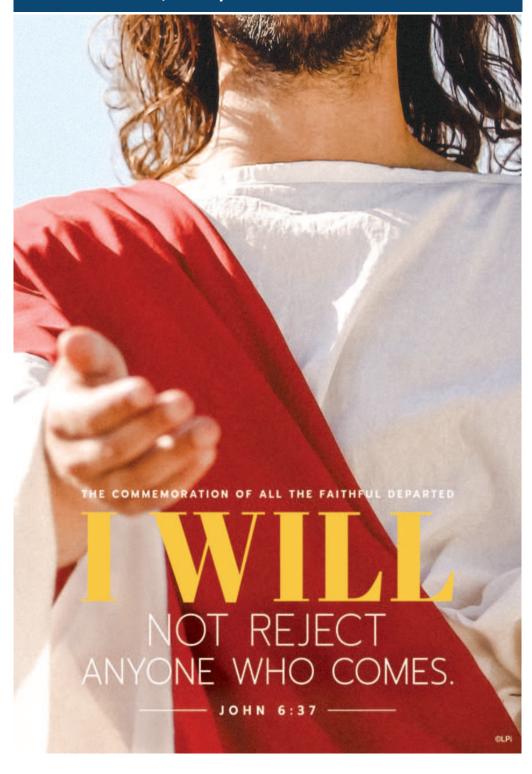
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## **NOVEMBER 2, 2025 | ALL SAINTS'/ ALL SOULS' DAY**



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November 2, 2025 | All Saints'/ All Souls' Day



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MASS TIMES

Friday at 9:00am | Sunday at 9:00am Reconciliation: Friday at 9:30am

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# **Our Lady of the Lake**

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Wednesday at 9:00am | Saturday at 5:00pm Sunday at 11:00am | Reconciliation: Saturday at 4:00pm

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# 03 | GET TO KNOW US

NE Seattle Catholic Community



# St. Bridget Church (206) 523-8787 MASS TIMES

Monday at 9:00am | Wednesday at 6:30pm | Sunday at 9:00am Reconciliation: Wednesday at 7:00pm

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## A REFLECTION BY KRISTIN HOLLAND

#### **Reflection for all Souls**

Peace of Christ! This weekend, we gather to worship All Souls Day, which commemorates all the faithful departed, the ones we have lost this past year, and the ones who we remember dearly. At all of our liturgies this weekend, we will light the Paschal Candle, a tall candle that is renewed with new wax and a blessing each year at the Easter Vigil. The Paschal Candle is lit every time we celebrate a baptism or a funeral as a reminder that the light of Christ is inextinguishable and that in birth and even in death, God is with us.

For myself, All Souls brings up memories of my loved ones who have gone before me, particularly of my beloved cousin Daniel, who passed unexpectedly at age 30 in July of 2019. Grief is a funny thing that comes and goes, and certainly isn't linear. While the darkness of grief lingers always, I am comforted that God is with him, just as God is with us.

This weekend may bring up grief over a loved one who has passed, or perhaps it may bring sweet memories of another time. I encourage you to lean into your feelings, whatever they may be, to join in prayer with our community and your loved ones, to witness the inextinguishable light of Christ, and to rest in the love of God for each of us, always.

Kristin Holland

Director of Liturgy

**NE Seattle Catholic Community** 

Holy Mary Mother of God...pray for us! St. Bridget of Kildare...pray for us! St. Catherine of Siena...pray for us! Live Jesus in our hearts...forever!

## PRAYER & READINGS | 04

November 2, 2025 | All Saints'/ All Souls' Day

## **Mass Intentions**

Our Mass celebrants will remember the following Intentions during the celebration of the Eucharist:

#### **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3**

9:00 am | For the Parish - STB

#### **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4**

No Mass

#### **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5**

9:00am | Mass is canceled - OLL 6:30pm | For the Parish - STB

#### **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6**

9:00am | For the Parish † - STC

#### **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7**

9:00 am| For the Parish † - AP

Mass intentions may be requested through the parish office.

# **Prayer** Corner

#### Please pray for those who are ill:

Carmina Bacani (OLL)

Elissa Bundy (OLL)

Ryan Corr (AP)

Kathleen Genis (AP)

Lori Griswald (STC)

John Hassay (STC)

Patti Herlihy (AP)

Cheryl Kerner

JoAnne King (AP)

Julie Kirkevold

Kay Laporte (OLL)

Patrick Mulvihill (OLL)

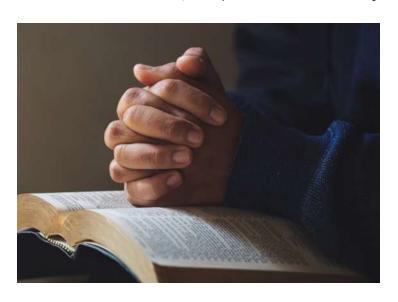
Ray Pinney (STB) Colleen Riley (OLL) Ethel Rose Shea (STC)



## **Holy Rosary**

You are warmly invited to join us each week in praying the Holy Rosary. We gather on Wednesdays at 5:30 pm at St. Bridget and on Thursdays at 9:30 am at St. Catherine.

This is a beautiful opportunity to reflect on the mysteries of our faith, lift up our intentions, and spend time in prayerful community together.



## Readings for the week of November 2, 2025

#### Sunday:

Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/ Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40

#### Monday:

Rom 11:29-36/Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36/ Lk 14:12-14

#### Tuesday:

Rom 12:5-16b/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/ Lk 14:15-24

#### Wednesday:

Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9/ Lk 14:25-33

#### Thursday:

Rom 14:7-12/Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14/ Lk 15:1-10

#### Friday:

Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/ I k 16:1-8

#### Saturday:

Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11/Lk 16:9-15

#### **Next Sunday:**

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/ 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

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## 05 COMMUNITY LIFE

**NE Seattle Catholic Community** 

## **Homebound Ministry**

Our Homebound Ministers bring the Holy Eucharist to those in the NE Family Parish who are unable to attend Mass. This includes our seniors, the sick, and those disabled or recovering from an injury who are living at home or in a local care facility.



companionship and serve as an essential link between the homebound and their parish community. This helps those who are unable to attend Mass stay connected with their parish family and allows our Eucharistic Ministers to keep a careful eye on the health and safety of our homebound friends. All of our ministers are trained and certified by the Seattle Archdiocese to work with vulnerable people.

If you are looking for an opportunity to serve our parishioners in this capacity, please contact Fr. Duc Nguyen. And if you know someone who is unable to attend Mass and wishes to receive Holy Communion, please let your parish office know!

## **Assumption - St. Bridget School Open House**

Know of a family that is looking for an amazing PreK-8th Catholic school? Invite them to join us for our Open House on Thursday, November 6th at 9:30am. It's a wonderful opportunity to explore ASB, meet our community, and see what makes our school such a special place. Register today at asbschool.org!





### **SFH News**

Huge shoutout for all the sandwiches made by our NESCC families! Thank you for your time and generosity!

#### **Needed Urgently:**

- · Warm coats for both men and women.
- · Mens' jeans and shoes
- · Non-perishable food (not expired)
- · Bedding, sheets, towels
- · Cooking pots & pans



## **Young Catholic Professionals**

Thursday, November 6, 7-9 pm.

#### St. Alphonsus Church, 5816 15th **Ave NW**

Join us for a fireside chat with Joe Sprague CEO, Hawaiian Airlines.

Free Entry, Open to young adults in their 20s and 30s.





# 2026 Stewardship of **Treasure**

Last week we highlighted how Stewardship Giving helps religious education and how important stewardship is for supporting the growth of our Catholic community.

This week we would like to highlight Liturgy. Stewardship giving supports our Masses by providing the critical supplies we need for worship: altar linens, candles, hosts, hymnals, incense, wine - the list goes even further!

Your gifts of stewardship allow our parishes to celebrate the Eucharist throughout the week as well as all sacraments throughout our lives!

It's easy to make your stewardship of treasure pledge to our parish:

- Visit your parish website to learn more,
- ·Fill out and mail your pledge card back to your parish using the return envelope enclosed,
- Stop by your Parish Office to pick up a pledge card or have one of our staff help you set up your pledge!

Thank you to everyone who has pledged so far, and let's come together to meet our 100% participation goal!

# OUTREACH & NEWS | 06

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# Rebuilding Together

The annual Rebuilding Together autumn project will take place on Saturday, November 15th, from 8 am to 4 pm. We will help Bitter Lake residents Terri and her brother Casey. They are both mobility impaired and need walkers to get around. The Seattle Fire Department called Rebuilding Together for help. We can help! Let's get rid of the hazards and give their home some badly needed TLC. Come join us for a fun and fulfilling day, working side by side with fellow parishioners!

Must be 14 years or older. Sign up here! http://bit.ly/4qt1TWv

Questions? Contact Tim Lane at seattlelanes@comcast.net

# Final Call For Fruitcakes

If you have waited until the last minute to order your fruitcake, now is the time!

Our Lady of Guadalupe Trappist
Abbey's fruitcakes are currently
for sale. All sales are pre-orders.

November 12th is the last day to
turn in your order. Order yours
now for family, as gifts, or as a
donation to St. Martin de Porres
shelter. Each cake costs \$18 and
is payable by cash or checks
made out to OLL. Order forms are
available at the back of the church
or the weekly Thursday Faith in
Action e-Newsletter. Profits this
year will be donated to SVdP and
the Welcome Circle.

Monastery Fruitcake A traditional dark old-style flavorful cake filled with fruits and nuts (pineapple, cherries, walnuts, and pecans) and soaked in brandy and perfectly aged.



**Ginger Date Nut Cake.** A rich, moist cake with California treeripened dates, fresh walnuts, pecans, cashews, and ginger, and soaked in fine brandy and aged to perfection.

**Tropical Dessert Cake.** A rich, old-world flavored cake, textured with tropical fruit and nuts, including papaya, mango, pineapple, almonds, and macadamia nuts; flavored with rum to perfection.

Don't delay- order today! Orders accepted through Wednesday, November 12, 2025.

# Catholic Youth Convention 2025 – Saints in the Making

Join us at St. Martin's University for the annual Catholic Youth Convention, for high school students in the Archdiocese of Seattle. This year's theme is: Saints in the Making!



Looking at our saints for inspiration, we see that a life of holiness is possible – and fulfilling! Saints aren't just holy people from the past – they are people like you and me who live in the world today. Sainthood IS attainable. We are all saints in the making!

This faith-filled day includes live worship music, games, keynote speakers, breakout sessions, adoration, and Mass with Bishop Schuster.

Registration and cost information to follow soon. Financial scholarships will be available.

# **DID YOU KNOW?** Volunteering in liturgical roles - both

for adults and kids - **counts towards school service hours!** Please see the Weekly Word or your parish website for more volunteering opportunities!

Have a bulletin story or pictures to share? Scan this code to learn more.



# 07 | COMMUNITY LIFE

NE Seattle Catholic Community

# St Vincent de Paul Holiday Help

The Saint Vincent de Paul Conference at St Catherine's has committed to helping 20-25 neighborhood families during the Thanksgiving and Christmas season.

Our goal is to raise \$6,400 to fund this effort, and we need your help.

Approximately half of these families are headed by mothers who are deaf and have suffered abuse. At Thanksgiving, we plan to provide each family with a gift card (up to \$120 and based on the number of people in the household) to purchase food for a meal that they plan, shop for, and prepare. At Christmas, we will provide families with gift cards of \$30 for each child under 18, allowing the parent(s) to shop for a gift the child needs or wants, as well as another gift card to a local grocery store.

Please help us make the holidays a little brighter for these neighbors by:

- 1. Writing a check: Make sure it is clearly marked for the SVDP Holiday Program and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office.
- 2. Go to the parish website: Click Give → Stewardship Giving and select St. Vincent de Paul.

REMINDER: We are a tax-deductible charitable 501(c) organization.

You have been very generous in supporting us throughout the year, and we cannot thank you enough. We would really appreciate your help with the Holiday Program. *Thank you!* 



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