

# St. Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church

## Weekly Parish Bulletin

Sunday, November 08, 2009



## Mission Statement / Declaración de Misión

**Our mission is to: / Nuestra misión es:**

**Celebrate God's presence in our midst by Mass, Sacraments, and Prayer; Live Christ's love by serving others, especially the poor, neglected, and suffering; Grow in the truths and values of our Catholic tradition, teach them to our children, and proclaim them to those who do not know them.**

*Celebrar la presencia de Dios entre nosotros a través de la Misa, los Sacramentos y la Oración; Vivir el amor de Cristo sirviendo a otros, especialmente a los pobres, los abandonados y los que están sufriendo. Crecer en las verdades y en los valores de nuestra tradición Católica, enseñarlos a nuestros hijos y se los proclamarlos a los que no los conocen.*

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### Mass Schedule / *Horario de Misa*

Sábado Misa en español	9:00AM
Saturday Vigil	5:30 PM
Sunday	8:15 AM & 10:45 AM
Monday	12:05 PM
Wednesday	6:30 PM
Thursday	12:05 PM
Friday (Kah Tai)	9:30AM
Friday	12:05 PM
<b>Communion Service:</b>	
Tuesday	12:05 PM

### Parish Stewardship / *Corresponsabilidad Parroquia*

<b>Week of: 11/01/009</b>	
<b>(Week / # 18)</b>	
<b>Actual / Colecta Real</b>	\$ 9,192.20
<b>Budgeted / Presupuesto</b>	\$ <u>7,159.62</u>
	\$ 2,032.58
<b>Year-to-Date / Año Corrido</b>	
<b>Actual / Colecta Real</b>	\$ 119,606.70
<b>Budgeted / Presupuesto</b>	\$ <u>128,873.16</u>
	- \$ <b>9,266.46</b>
Thank You for Helping.	

### Sacraments & Prayers / *Sacramentos y Oraciones*

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation / *Sacramento de Reconciliación:***

Half hour before every Mass. Private confession by appointment with Fr. John.  
*Media hora antes de cada misa. Apartar citas para confesarse en privado con el Padre John.*

#### **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament / *Exposición del Sagrario:***

Friday after Mass to 6:00pm Benediction. *Viernes después de la bendición de misa 6:00pm.*

#### **Eucharist to Shut-Ins & the Ill / *Eucaristía para Descapacitados:***

Call 385-3700 to have Communion brought to you on Fridays.  
*Llamar al teléfono 385-3700 para recibir la comunión los viernes.*

#### **Prayer Chain / *Cadena de oraciones:***

Pat White 385-3063 and Karen Sharnbroich 385-1698

#### **Rosary / *Rosario:*** Sunday from 6:30-7PM. Also 30 minutes prior to Mass.

*Sábado de 6:30 a 7 PM en Santa María y media hora antes de misa.*

#### **Sacrament of Baptism / *Sacramento del Bautismo:***

Required Preparation Classes (385-1662). *Clases de preparación (Karen al 385-3700).*

#### **Funeral / *Christian Burial / Funeral / Entierro:***

Contact pastor before setting date. *Contactar al sacerdote antes de apartar la fecha*

#### **Sacrament of Marriage / *Sacramento del Matrimonio:***

Six month notice and preparation classes required (Deacon Swanson 385-1662).  
*Clases de preparación requeridas 6 meses antes (Karen Burge al 385-3700).*

**Young Adult Group / *Grupo de Jóvenes Adultos:*** Third Friday of every month at 7:00pm  
in the rectory with Father John. *El tercer viernes de cada mes a las 7 PM en la Parroquia.*

## Mass Order / Orden de la Misa

### MISAL DEL DÍA

#### 9:00am Misa Melódica

Entrada 155 Juntos Como Hermanos  
Ofertorio 205 Todo Lo Que Tengo  
Comunión 178 Porque Nos Invitas  
Despedida 158 Vamos Cantando al Señor

### JOURNEYSONG HYMNS

**32nd Sunday Ordinary Time**  
**Readings #1042**  
**Mass Setting #3**

#### **5:30pm Saturday Vigil**

Ent 799 What Is This Place  
Off 629 For the Fruits of This Creation  
Com 815 I Received the Living God  
Rec 596 Glory and Praise to Our God

#### **8:15am Sunday**

Ent 794 We Gather Together  
Off 779 The Church's One Foundation  
Com 826 Lord, Who at Thy First Eucharist  
Rec 533 Church of God

#### **10:45am Sunday**

Ent 799 What Is This Place  
Off 821 Taste and See  
Com 820 One Bread, One Body  
Rec 607 Sing a New Song

## Activities This Week / Actividades

### **Saturday, November 7**

9:00am: Hispanic Mass  
10:00am-5:00pm Orthopedic Gathering in Hall  
1:00pm: Carver / Castaneda Wedding  
5:30pm: [Saturday Vigil Mass](#)

### **Sunday, November 8**

#### **Presentation Sunday**

9:15-10:15am: Choir practice in the Church  
9:30-10:30am: Religious Ed  
12:30-2:00pm: RCIA in Education Wing  
6:30pm: Evening Rosary

### **Monday, November 9**

9:30am Legion of Mary in the Chapel  
1:00pm [Rosary Makers in the Hall](#)  
7:00pm-9:00pm [Rainshadow in the Hall](#)

### **Tuesday, November 10**

12:05pm Communion Service  
2:00-3:30pm [Health Card Class in the Hall](#)  
5:00pm Altar Server Practice  
6:00-8:00pm [RCIA in classroom](#)

### **Wednesday, November 11**

6:30pm Mass  
7:00pm St. Mary Book Club in Rectory

### **Thursday, November 12**

12:05pm Mass  
1:30-3:00pm St. Vincent de Paul in Classroom  
6:00-9:00pm [Knights of Columbus in the Hall](#)

### **Friday, November 13**

12:05pm Mass  
1:00-6:00am [Eucharistic Adoration](#)



## Mass Intentions / *Intenciones*

Saturday, November 7,  
9:00am (Hispanic): **For the  
parishioners of St. Mary Star of the Sea.**

Saturday, November 7, 5:30pm: **For the  
repose of the soul of Rafael Ernesto Luna,**  
as requested by his daughter & grandchildren.

Sunday, November 8, 8:15am: **For the  
repose of the soul of Tim Murphy,** as  
requested by his niece Anna McEnery.

Sunday, November 8, 10:45am: **For the  
repose of the soul of Margaret R. Fleenor,**  
as requested by her husband, Charles Patrick  
Fleenor.

Monday, November 9, 12:05pm: **For the  
repose of the souls of the deceased  
members of St. Mary Star of the Sea  
Legion of Mary.**

Wednesday, November 11, 6:30pm: **For the  
repose the soul of Marilyn Gunderson,** as  
requested by Anna McEnery.

Thursday, November 12, 12:05pm: **For  
special intentions for Robert Joseph  
Dowling Sr. on the anniversary of his birth,**  
as requested by Bob, Lynn, & Suzanne  
Dowling.

Friday, November 13, 12:05pm: **For the  
repose of the soul of Joseph Bozak,** on the  
anniversary of his death, as requested by  
Christina Manzoni

## **The Jefferson Co.** **Emergency Winter Shelter.....**



Located in the basement of  
the American Legion at 209  
Monroe St; the shelter will  
be open every day from  
4:00pm to 8:00am beginning  
Sunday after Thanksgiving,  
until March 18, 2010. The shelter has 18 beds  
available each night, but can take up to 22 in an  
emergency. For many years, St. Mary's has  
partnered with COAST (Community Outreach  
Association Shelter Team), several local churches,  
other community partners, and OlyCAP in  
volunteering in food preparation & serving,  
transportation of food, night monitoring and  
collection of warm hats, scarves and gloves for the  
shelter. If you would like to know more about how  
you can help, call Kim Hammers at:360-385-7774.

## **Jefferson Co.** **Refugio Urgente del Invierno**

*Se encuentra el Refugio localizado en el Sótano de  
American Legion, 209 Monroe St., en Port  
Townsend. Estará abierto todos los días desde las  
4:00 pm hasta las 8:00 am, empezando este  
Domingo después del día de Acción de Gracias,  
hasta el 18 de Marzo del 2010. El refugio consta  
de 18 camas disponibles cada noche, pero  
podemos alojar a 22 personas en caso de alguna  
emergencia. Por muchos años, Santa María, ha  
sido compañera con COAST (Community  
Outreach Association Shelter Team), así como  
junto con algunas de la parroquias locales, otros  
compañeros de la comunidad y OlyCAP, se han  
encargado de preparar y servir la comida, además  
seguridad y recolectando sombreros, bufandas y  
guantes. Si Ud. está interesado en saber como  
puede ayudar, favor de contactar a Kim Hammers  
al: 360-385-7774.*

## MOVIE PREMIER @ ST. MARY'S



**The 13th Day**  
A Film About the Miracle  
of Fatima  
*Una película sobre el Milagro de  
Fátima*

*Saturday November 14th ~ 7:00pm*

**\$5.00 per ticket/boleto or \$12:00 per family/por familia**  
**Tickets include hotdog, drink, and chips/popcorn**  
***El boleto incluye salchicha, refresco, papitas/palomitas***

TICKETS ARE FOR SALE AFTER MASS OR AT THE DOOR

### WELCOMING COMMITTEE

The St. Mary Welcoming Committee will be meeting again on Sunday, November 15, at 9:30am, between the two Sunday masses in the parish library. There are four different committees you can choose from to join. All who wish to attend are invited. Your input and support is very much appreciated and needed.

COMITE DE BIENVENIDA

*El comité de bienvenida de Santa María se reunirá otra vez el Domingo, 15 de Noviembre, entre las dos Misas en la biblioteca de la parroquia. Todos aquellos que deseen asistir están cordialmente invitados. Su asistencia y apoyo son necesarios.*



### CEMETERY WORK PARTY

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14,  
ST. MARY'S CEMETERY ON SAN JUAN AVE.  
WORK WILL BEGIN AT 8:00 AM.  
HOPE TO SEE AS MANY PEOPLE AS POSSIBLE.  
ANY QUESTIONS, CALL DEACON BILL @ 385-1662.

### Quilcene Masses During Advent

Father John will again be traveling to Quilcene in December to celebrate Mass at the Quilcene Presbyterian Church. Masses will be celebrated on Thursday, December 3, 10, and 17. Confessions will be at 4:00pm. Mass begins at 4:30pm.

*In Honor of*  
*Reverend Father John Tapel S.J.*  
 &  
*Reverend Father Raymond Heffernan*

*For blessed service to our parish .....*

*St. Mary Star of the Sea will be hosting a special*  
*Mass & Reception*  
*Sunday, November 22, 2009*  
*@10:45am*

*All parishioners, family and friends (past and*  
*present) are invited to attend this joyful event.*

*\*Rev. Father Cal Christiansen to officiate*

*En honor al*  
*Reverendo Padre John Tapel S.J.*  
 y  
*Reverendo Padre Raymond Heffernan*  
*por su servicio a nuestra parroquia...*

*Santa María Estrella del Mar oficiará una Misa*  
*y Recepción especial*  
*Domingo 22 de Noviembre del 2009 a las*  
*10:45 am.*

*Todos los feligreses, familiares y amigos (pasados y*  
*presentes)*  
*están cordialmente invitados a tan alegre*  
*acontecimiento.*

*El Reverendo Padre Cal Christiansen*  
*oficiará dicha Misa.*

ALL ARE WELCOME  
**THANKSGIVING DAY DINNER**  
 TODOS SEAN BIENVENIDOS ....A LA CENA DE ACCION DE GRACIAS

**TRI AREA COMMUNITY CENTER**  
 10 WEST VALLEY RD. ~ CHIMACUM

**November 26 12:00 Noon to 3:00pm**



**TURKEY, HAM, POTATOES, CARROTS, GREENS,**  
**ROLLS, DESSERTS, COFFEE, TEA .... & Good Company.**  
*Pavo, jamón, papas, zanahorias, chicharos, panes, postres, café, té ... y buena compañía.*

***If you or someone you know needs a meal delivered to their home, please call***  
***385-2571 ext. 6357 and get your name on the home delivery list.***  
***Si tú o algún conocido tuyo necesita comida servicio a domicilio***  
***favor de llamar al 385-2571 ext. 6357 y da tu nombre en la lista de entregas.***

All meals are complimentary ~ *Todas las comidas son complementarias.*

## Felicidades



Deseamos expandir nuestra alegría y oraciones especiales a dos bebés recién bautizados esta semana en Santa María en la Misa Hispana: Chiara Nila-Bernal, hija de Refugio Nila y Maria Bernal y Daniel Arrizon-Meza, hijo de Liver Arrizon y Felipe Meza. Bienvenidos a la comunidad de Santa María.

## Congratulations

*We wish to extend our joy and special prayers to two babies baptized at St. Mary's this weekend at our Hispanic Mass. Chiara Nila-Bernal, daughter of Refugio Nila & Maria Bernal; and Daniel Arrizon-Meza, son of Liver Arrizon & Felipa Meza, both babies are cherished and welcomed into our St. Mary family.*

## **3RD ANNUAL HOLIDAY SALE IT'S RIGHT AROUND THE CORNER DECEMBER 12 & 13**

**PARISHIONERS HAVE JUST FOUR WEEKS TO DROP OFF THEIR DONATIONS OF BOTH NEW AND VERY GENTLY USED GIFT ITEMS. DROP OFFS CAN BE LEFT IN THE HALL ON SUNDAYS UNTIL DECEMBER 6.**



The sale will also include the annual Christmas Cookie Sale as well. Anyone interested in baking Christmas cookies, specialty baked goods and candies should contact Marie Schipper 732-4125.

### ¡YA ES HORA DE LIMPIAR EL VESTIDOR!

*The Ladies Guild está aceptando cosas nuevas y usadas para la tercera anual venta de regalos. Favor de traer tus donaciones al salón hasta el día 6 de Diciembre. La venta también incluye la venta de galletas de Navidad. Cualquier persona interesada en hornear galletas para vender, favor de llamar a Marie Schipper 732-4125.*

**Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ November 8, 2009**  
*Domingo Trigésimo Dos de Tiempo Ordinario*



*Congratulation to  
 Amy Castanda & Jan Carver  
 who were joined in  
 the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony  
 at St. Mary Star of the Sea  
 On Saturday, November 7, 2009.*

**Altar Servers / Monaguillos**

**9:00 am sábado**  
 Angela Carrillo-Burge  
**5:30 pm Saturday**  
 Sam & Avery Selisch  
**8:15 am Sunday**  
 Caleb & Tyler Johnson  
**10:45 am Sunday**  
 Michael Kithcart

**There will be a mandatory training meeting at 5:00 pm on Tuesday, November 17th.**  
*El 17 de noviembre a las 5:00 pm hay una reunion obligatoria para todos los siervos.*


**Our Prayers and Sympathy.....**  
 We are saddened to announce the recent passing of the following people:

Mildred Tynor, mother of Diana Logue this past Monday, November 2. A memorial Mass in her honor was celebrated this past Friday at St. Mary's.

Also, long time parishioner Ruth Scott passed away on Wednesday, November 4 at Seaport Landing after an extended illness. Funeral arrangements to be announced.

The unexpected passing of Alvah C. Luce II who perished in an auto accident on October 20, 2009. Alvah was the brother of parishioner Cathy Luce. Our deepest sympathy and prayers go out to the families and loved ones.

**THIS TUESDAY**  
**IN THE PARISH HALL**  
**DON'T FORGET THE**  
**FOOD HANDLERS**  
**TRAINING CLASS FROM**  
**2:00 TO 3:30PM. IF YOU**  
**HAVE NOT YET**  
**REGISTERED, YOU MAY**  
**STILL COME.**




**Don't forget when you are shopping to include the Brinnon Food Bank.**  
 St. Mary Parishioners generous-  
 Donated a whopping 108 lbs. of food to the Brinnon Food Bank



### THE ANGEL TREE / EL ARBOL DE LOS ÁNGELES

The Angel Tree will go up this next week. The tree will contain gifts for children, as well as adults. It is St. Mary's way to help fellow parishioners of all ages who might not otherwise have gifts under the Christmas tree. *If you are a parishioner of St. Mary's and you need assistance with Christmas gifts, clothing or food or if you know of a fellow parishioner who might need such help, please stop by the office and fill out an Angel Card. Application. All requests are confidential.*

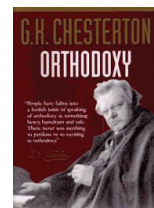
*Ya estamos cerca de la Navidad, y ya es hora para el Arbol de Angeles. Este es el manera en que Santa María ayuda a los feligreses de cualquier edad quienes no tendrán regalos para sus familias esta Navidad. Si Ud. necesita ayuda con regalos, ropa o comida esta Navidad, o si conoces a otro feligres que necesite esta ayuda, favor de pasar por la oficina y llenar una tarjeta de Angel.*

#### Housecleaning For the Holidays

St. Mary's is blessed to have several parishioners who have excellent credentials and experience in housecleaning who can help you or loved ones lessen the load. Please call the office at 385-3700 for phone numbers.



**St. Mary Book Club**  
**Don't forget the Book Club**  
**meets this Wednesday evening**  
**at 7:00pm in the**  
**Rectory. This**  
**month's read is:**  
**"Orthodoxy" by G.K.**  
**Chesterton.**



Dear brothers and sisters in Christ:

Last week you received the parish annual report, and Bill Conklin's report that the parish is in good shape and the proper safeguards are in place to manage your contributions wisely. In fact, Bill made such a good case, that it was hard to see why the parish was asking for an increase in Stewardship monies in this year's budget. I want to address that issue in this letter, rather than during a homily.

Last year your stewardship pledge for Sunday collections accounted for 87% of our total income. Of that \$370,000 Sunday income, 62%, almost \$229,000, went to clergy and lay salaries and benefits. This is not exorbitant: we have not achieved our goal of 90% of metropolitan Seattle Archdiocesan salaries. The next highest level of expenditure (17.5% of your contribution) is for utilities and maintenance, \$65,000. We spent \$34,000 for Archdiocesan tax and insurance, another 9.5%. We disbursed \$27,000 to the poor (7.3%) and spent \$20,000 on faith formation (5.5%) If you're counting, that adds up to 101.8%. The rest is made up by your holiday collections, other donations, and miscellaneous income.

In preparing this year's budget, we could cut only \$6,000 out of our expenses. The Archdiocese froze all salaries for this year. On the other hand, we had rises in fixed costs of \$8,200: medical insurance rose by \$3,066, we added \$3,000 to care for the cemetery (and that, it turns out, is too little), and our parish assessment from the Archdiocese increased by \$2,200. Our projected Annual Catholic Appeal rebate dropped by at least \$12,000. That leaves us a shortfall of \$14,200, which can be made up only by increased Stewardship giving. Therefore we had to set a goal of a 2% increase in our stewardship over last year's budget. The good news is that this is only .7% over what you actually contributed in Sunday collections last year. Looked at this way, the 2% increase is not only necessary, but reachable. As always, I know you will be generous.

In Christ, Father John

### ***Estimados hermanos en Cristo,***

*La semana pasada recibieron el reporte anual de la parroquia, diciendo que la iglesia está en buena condición financiera y que hay la seguridad que manejamos bien sus contribuciones. Con esta información, se hace difícil entender porque la parroquia pide un aumento este año de los ingresos de la coresponsibilidad. Quiero tocar este tema aquí en esta carta, en vez de tocarlo en un homilía.*

*El año pasado su promesa de coresponsibilidad de la colecta dominical justificó 87% de nuestros ingresos totales. De este ingreso de \$370,000, 62%, casi \$229,000 se gastó por el clero, los salarios de los laicos y los beneficiarios. Este no es exorbitante: no hemos alcanzado nuestra meta de 90% de los sueldos de la Arquidiócesis de Seattle, de la área metropolitana. El próximo nivel más alto de gasto (17.5% de su contribución) es para los utilidades y mantenimiento, \$65,000. Gastamos \$34,000 por nuestros impuestos y seguridad de la Arquidiócesis, otro 9.5%. Desembolsamos \$27,000 a los pobres (7.3%) y gastamos \$20,000 en la formación de la fe (5.5%). Si usted toma cuentas, esto suma a 101.8%. Lo demás viene de sus donaciones en días férias y ingresos variados.*

*Al preparar el presupuesto financiero para este año, solo podríamos cortar \$6,000 de nuestros gastos. El Arquidiócesis no permitió ningún aumento en los sueldos este año. Al otro lado, nuestros gastos fijos subieron \$8,200: la seguridad médica subió por \$3,066, añadimos \$3,000 al mantenimiento del panteón (es este monto, ya parece, es demasiado poco), y nuestra evaluación financiera del Arquidiócesis subió por \$2,200. Nuestro reembolso de la Petición Católica Anual bajó por lo menos, \$12,000. Esto nos deja con una insuficiencia de \$14,200, la que solo se puede recuperar con un aumento en las donaciones de la coresponsibilidad.*

*Por eso, tuvimos que hacer la meta de un aumento de 2% más del presupuesto financiero de las donaciones del año pasado. La buena noticia es que este aumento es solo 0.7% más de lo que Uds. donaron en la colecta el año pasado. Pensado así, el aumento de 2% no solo es necesario, sino que también posible al alcanzar. Como siempre, yo sé que serán generosos.*

*En Cristo, Padre Juan*