Welcome to Our Parish!
If you are new to Star of the Sea, we welcome you to our Parish family. We hope that you will feel at home here. Please pick up a registration card in the Church vestibule or call the Parish Office. If you are seeking answers, we invite you to visit www.CatholicsComeHome.org or call the Parish Office to schedule an appointment to visit with Fr. Lappe about the Catholic Faith.

Bulletin Information Deadline
Noon on Monday, in writing, by fax or email bulletin@starofthesea.net.

Assisted Listening Devices
Available in vestibule. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Sacrament of Baptism
For information on infant Baptism please contact the Parish Office. We encourage parents to arrange for Baptism before the birth of the child.

Sacrament of Marriage
If you are seeking to receive the Sacrament of Marriage at Star of the Sea, please contact the Parish Office.

Adult Reception Into the Church
Classes of inquiry to join the Church are available throughout the year. If you are seeking to learn more or would like to become a member of the Catholic Church, we encourage you to contact Deacon Hamlin for more information.

Parish Staff & Ministry Directory
Go online at starofthesea.net

FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES
CALL PARISH OFFICE AT 360-479-3777 anytime

Natural Family Planning
Consultation and/or instruction call Lucy at 360-271-3611;
clemenlucy@gmail.com

Communion for the Homebound
If you have been injured, ill, or had surgery, please call the Parish Office so that you can be put on the Communion list.

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration
Our Church is open 24 hours a day for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. For info call Carolyn at 360-871-8447.

First Friday Mass & Family Night
6:00 PM Mass followed by Confession and a Family Night in Camerman Hall.

Prayer Line
Confidential prayer requests call Judy at 360-692-3077
judyjeniges@comcast.net

St. Vincent de Paul Assistance
1137 Callow Ave N, 98312
360-479-7017 | 10:30AM - 2:30PM
M-T-TH-F (Closed Wednesday)

Recurring Gifts
Would you like to set up a recurring gift? Visit starofthesea.infellowship.com

Contact Us! info@starofthesea.net | (360) 479-3777 | www.starofthesea.net
THIS WEEK . . .

Sunday, December 9
⇒ 9:30am FaithWorks/Sparks, School
⇒ 9:30am Teen Confirmation, School
⇒ 6:15pm Ignite, JP2 Center
⇒ 6:15pm Roots - Young Adults, Camerman Hall

Monday, December 10
⇒ 8am Mass followed by Confession
⇒ 9am Sister & Moms, lower JP2 Center
⇒ 9am Legion of Mary, upper JP2 Center
⇒ 7pm Advent Mission followed by Confession

Tuesday, December 11
⇒ 8am Mass followed by Confession
⇒ 9am Bible Study, upper JP2 Center
⇒ 7pm Advent Mission followed by Confession

Wednesday, December 12
⇒ 9am Rosary Makers, upper JP2 Center
⇒ 5pm Confession
⇒ 6pm Adult Faith Formation, Camerman Hall (see flyer)
⇒ 6pm Fraternus/Fidelis, JP2 Center
⇒ 6pm Children’s Faith Night, Church/School basement

Thursday, December 13
⇒ 6am That Man Is You, Camerman Hall
⇒ 6pm Adult Bible Study, upper JP2 Ctr.
⇒ 6:30pm RCIA, Camerman Hall
⇒ 6:30pm Youth Holy Hour, Church

Friday, December 14
⇒ 10am Mom’s Group, upper JP2 Center
⇒ 3:20pm Youth Bible Study, JP2 Center

Saturday, December 15
⇒ 10am Grief Support, upper JP2 Center
⇒ 10am Men’s Spirituality, lower JP2 Ctr

PRAYER REQUESTS

In your kindness and charity towards others, please pray for the sick, the homebound, the imprisoned, the unemployed, all our military overseas, those waiting for test results, and those who are held in our hearts:
Judy Papineau, Charlie Hall, Tim & Mary Conte, Carol Akerson, Teri Conklin, Ernie Secondez, Yvonne Margie, Anne Becker, Jo Witte, Keith Underwood, Justin Ellis, Mike Pearson, Felix Fabellano, Carrie Stemen, Rick Lauth, Patricia Clemen, Kathy Tomassi, Cecilia & Tim, Stella Johnson, Elizabeth Abuya, Donna Demos, Zeiger family, Sean McKenna, Stephen Ministry and the residents at the Northwoods Lodge

For the repose of all the souls who have died. May God grant them the joy of eternal life and peace for their families.

DEC 9 - DEC 15

Mass Intentions

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STEWARDSHIP

WEEKLY OFFERINGS
Registered Families: 1,410
Weekly Collection Dec. 2, 2018
Our Tithe to God
- Envelopes: $18,402.14
- Loose: $1,119.14
- Mail In: $6,851.00
- On-Line Giving: $8,723.14
Total Contributions: $35,095.42

Thank you to our Weekly Advertiser Miller-Woodlawn
We appreciate your help to supply our bulletin at no charge to the parish!

Benedict House:
If you would like prepare a meal at Benedict House during December please call April Burton: 360-271-4018.

The Knights of Columbus Breakfast is Back!
We are all excited that the kitchen is ready for use again, which means breakfast hosted by the Knights of Columbus is back. So join us for hospitality after the morning Masses of December 9 for a delicious breakfast meal!
ADVENT MISSION
With the Missionaries of the Most Holy Eucharist

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration

December
10-11
7:00 PM
Church

MISSION
Monday & Tuesday
7:00 PM
In the Church

CONFESSION
Monday & Tuesday
After 8:00 AM Daily Mass
&
After 7:00 PM Mission

About the Missionaries of the Most Holy Eucharist:
The “Missionaries of the Most Holy Eucharist” is a public clerical association, which has for its charism the promotion of Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration in parishes and dioceses. The association was erected by Bishop Dominique Rey, bishop of Fréjus-Toulon on July 17th 2007 in Paray-le-Monial, the sanctuary where Jesus made known to St. Margaret Mary his “thirst” to be loved in the Blessed Sacrament.
VIRTUE OF THE MONTH:

Star of the Sea has a school wide virtue program with the hope of teaching its students how to live a life of virtue and strive to become a saint. Each month we focus on a new virtue. This month we will be focusing on...

**Patience**
Waiting/enduring without complaint
Saints who model this virtue:

ST. ISAAC JOGUES

Isaac was the first priest to go to present-day New York. He & his companions traveled from France to North America to bring the Gospel of Christ to the Native Americans. In order to do so, Isaac had to learn the language of the Mohawks. Since he knew he was doing what God sent him to do, he persevered patiently, & many people converted.

SCHOOL EVENTS:

⇒ **Thursday, December 13**
   - Advent Store in Camerman Hall

⇒ **Friday, December 21**
   - Noon dismissal

⇒ **December 24—January 4**
   - No school, Christmas Break

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA CATHOLIC SCHOOL:

Pastor, Fr. Derek Lappe
Principal, Mrs. Jeannette Wolfe
Office Staff, Kara Geske & Teresa Shetler

1516 5th Street
360-373-5162
school@starofthesea.net

DECEMBER 9, 2018 NEWSLETTER

A huge thank you to Jennifer Annicchiario who made and donated this beautiful Advent wreath. It looks perfect in the school’s adoration chapel.

WITNESSES OF THE WEEK

Our Witnesses of the Week are John Brown and Ainsley Geske from 1st grade.

John and Ainsley were nominated by an OLSOS parent for demonstrating the virtue of empathy when they comforted a classmate who came to school upset.
Congratulations to our Humility Poster Contest Winners!

Molly Shurtz (1st Place)  
Jonah Pantig and Brandon Dalusong (2nd Place)

The Fulcrum Tuition Assistance Grant program is designed for families and students currently enrolled or applying for the next school year in any Catholic school in the Archdiocese of Seattle. A family must apply each year through FACTS Grant and Aid Assessment to qualify for a grant—all awards are made based on financial need.

Fulcrum's TUITION ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM
NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR 2019-20 SCHOOL YEAR

The Application Window Opens.
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<td>December 20, 2018</td>
<td>Last day the school office staff can help with the online application process. School will be closed for Christmas break. If you need access to a computer or have questions, please contact the school office BEFORE 4pm on Thursday, December 20.</td>
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Wednesday Evening Adult Faith Formation Series in December:
RESPONDING TO APOSTOLIC BETRAYAL

*With Dan Burke & John Johnson*

The Church is in the midst of pivotal and trying times. How should the faithful respond to the great scandal of apostolic betrayal? Join us for a three-part series using webinars from Avila Institute that gets to the root of the current crisis, and equip you with the resources you need to find understanding, peace, and purpose in the storm.

**WEDNESDAY EVENINGS AT 6:00PM IN CAMERMAN HALL**

- **December 5 WEBINAR 1:**
  Righteous Anger in the Mystical Tradition (Dan Burke)

- **December 12 WEBINAR 2:**
  Judas and the Secret of the Beloved Disciple (John Johnson)

- **December 19 WEBINAR 3:**
  Victory Over the Current Scandal—a Practicum (Dan Burke and John Johnson)
PERPETUAL EUCHARISTICADORATION
O Sacrament Most Holy, O Sacrament Divine, All Praise & All Thanksgiving Be Every Moment Thine
Day Captains and Adorers are needed.
The following hours are vacant:
Sunday: 3 am.; 4 am
Tuesday: 11 pm
Wednesday: Midnight; 7 - 7:30 am
Thursday: 8 pm (partner); Fridays: 2 am
Saturday: Noon; 1 pm.; 7 pm. (partner)
If you can assist as a Day Captain or adore any of these hours, please contact Carolyn at (360) 871-8447
Learn more about Adoration during the Parish Mission with the Missionaries of the Most Holy Eucharist, December 10-11, 7 pm in the Church.

ATTN. OLSOS School Parents:
All parents are invited to come pray a rosary for the school staff and students in the school’s chapel every Wednesday morning after drop-off (8:45am). Our Lady Star of the Sea, Pray for us!

Mary’s Place: Anyone that is interested as a regular or a substitute volunteer, please call Michelle at 360-525-3481 or try skedcoordinator@gmail.com—Thank you for your generous support!

To Africa, With Love—Write to our brothers and sisters in Christ in our Sister Parish this Advent Season.
Address: Mary, Queen of Martyrs, Nyakishenyi Parish
c/o Bishop’s House, PO Box 200, Kabale, UGANDA.
Questions? Contact Tammi at 360-990-0900 or tammi.murray1967@yahoo.com

St. Vincent DePaul: our current needs - Top Ramen, boxed meals, bath and laundry soap. Thank you!

Simbang Gabi Annual Commissioning Mass—St. James Cathedral, Dec 15 at 11am followed by reception. Novena of Masses to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary & prepare our hearts for Christ this Christmas. Contact Dcn. Chilo, 206-475-0368

Rachel’s Corner
Hope & Healing After Abortion
Would you like to be found in your howling desert where you feel so alone since your abortion decision? He yearns to shield you, care for you and remind you of His mercy. Join us on the next Rachel’s Vineyard™ Retreat and let Him walk you out of the desert.
Call for a compassionate, confidential conversation.
Now registering for our next healing retreat: March 8-10, in English
Call Aleah: 800-822-HOPE (4673)
You are loved with an everlasting Love.
Project Rachel is a program of CCS.

Lighthouse Catholic Media
CDs & Books
located in the church vestibule
CD: A Journey Through Advent
By: Bishop Robert Baron
Get the most out of Advent and Christmas by following along with Bp. Barron’s homilies as he unpacks the seasons profound Scripture readings.
“Fr. Barron delivers a great message.” Mickey- Philadelphia, PA
$4/CD; $3/booklet; $5/book
Thank you!
www.lighthousecatholicmedia.org

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION
youth.starofthesea.net
Middle/High School (Grades 6-12)
Sun Mornings 9:30am-10:45am: Sparks Middle School Youth Group (Gr. 6-8), JP2 Youth Center
Sun Mornings 9:30-12:00pm:
Teen Confirmation, meets in 7th gr class
Sun Evenings 6:15-8:15pm: Ignite High School Youth Group (Gr. 9-12) JP2 Youth Center
Wed Evenings 6:00-7:30pm:
Fraternus (guys gr 6-12), JP2 Youth Ctr.
Fidelis (girls gr 6-12), JP2 Youth Ctr, followed by Night Prayer until 7:45pm
Fri after school 3:20-4:30pm:
Art Class & Bible Study (alternating weeks) lower JP2 Center

CHILDREN’S MINISTRY
Contact Ashley: ashley@starofthesea.net

All Children (Grades preK-5):
Sun Mornings 9:30-10:45am:
FaithWorks, school basement
Register Online
2nd Wednesdays 6:00-7:30pm:
Children’s Faith Night (for boys & girls), school basement, followed by Night Prayer until 7:45pm.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION
Contact info@starofthesea.net

RCIA:
Thurs, 6:30-8:30pm, in Cameraman Hall
Questions about becoming Catholic or returning to the Church? Contact: deacon.hamlin@starofthesea.net

Bible Study:
NEW STUDY begins Dec 11
‘Saved’ by Fr. Mitch Pacwa
Tuesdays, 9-10am, JP2 Youth Center
Contact Lucy: clemencraft@gmail.com or 360-271-3611

That Man is You
Interactive men’s focus group
Thurs, 6am breakfast in Cameraman Hall
Contact Rene LaMarche: 360-861-674 or tmiy@starofthesea.net

Young Adults:
ROOTS - after Sunday 5pm Mass, Cameraman Hall
For updates visit starofthesea.net, facebook.com/staryoungadults or contact jessica@starofthesea.net