

St. Cecilia Parish

Mission 1908 Parish 1981

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Masses:

Saturday Vigil ~ 5:00pm

Sunday ~ 9:00am, 11:00am
(Rosary at 8:30am)

Daily:

Tuesday - Saturday ~ 9:00am
(Morning Prayer at 8:40am)

Every Thursday ~ 9:30am Eucharistic Exposition
Benediction at 6:00pm (closing prayers start at 5:45pm)

Reconciliation ~ by appointment or
Tuesday and Friday ~ 9:30am - 10:00am
Saturday ~ 3:30pm - 4:45pm
Sunday ~ 8:00am - 8:45am

Regular Office Hours (Sept 1-May 31)

Monday - Thursday 8:30am - 3:30pm

Summer Office Hours (June 1-Aug. 31)

Monday - Thursday 8:30 am - 12:30pm

Closed Friday

In Residence: Fr. Charles Garrity, O.C.D.

Brother Mark Moran, O.C.D.

Staff ~

Administrator: Don Allen

Parish Secretary: Debbie O'Grady

Administrative Assistant: Tammy Geubelle

Faith Formation/RCIA: Kenneth Kron

Youth Minister: Karen Boespflug

Choir Director: Kim Maloney

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Regular Hours: Tues, Wed, Thurs., 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Call for Saturday Hours.



March 14-15, 2020

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE . . .

**Precious Blood will NOT be offered at
communion time.**

**Also, the Holy Water Fonts will
remain empty.**

Prayer Request: All those on St. Cecilia's Prayer Chain along with continued prayers for Anne Doohan, Michael Burrows, Leroy Dahl, Jeanneine Moore, Stephen Marl, Joan & Chuck Ruscha, Jean Dangel, Steve Dangel, Bruce Baillie, Lydia Buckley, Ligaya Del Mundo, Duane Durand, Bill Vincent, Larry Shaw, Dwight Mallot, Bertha Davidson, Alyssa Kirkman, Kay Wells and all our military parishioners & others serving the country outside the United States.

Prayer for the repose of the soul:



Weekend Mass Intentions

03/14: 5pm Larry Shaw, INT
 03/15: 9am: St. Cecilia's Parishioners
 11am: Nikola Gawronski, RIP

Weekday 9 am Mass Intentions

03/16: **NO Mass**
 03/17: Polly Thompson, RIP
 03/18: Holy Souls in Purgatory
 03/19: Greg Bloom, INT
 03/20: Ed Collins, INT
 03/21: Holy Souls in Purgatory

Weekly Giving: 02/24-03/01

Online giving:
 \$2,849.00

Offertory Envelopes:
 \$4,710.35

As always, please write church number on check.
 Also, want to give online? Call the office!



ATTENTION ALTAR SERVERS . . .

It's that time of year again to celebrate with the Knights of Columbus the gratitude of your services to St. Cecilia's. Please reserve Sunday, May 3rd from 1-3:30pm at Twin City Lanes. Remember your permission slip and please RSVP to the Parish Office 360-629-3737.



MONDAY, March 16th
 11am-5pm here at St. Cecilia's
 Sponsored by Knights of Columbus!



Bloodworks NW reassures every precaution will be taken for the safety of our donors.
 Many donors are needed for those who have cancelled.

CANCELLED!

- ♦ **SOUP SUPPERS**
 Stations of the Cross will begin at 7:00 pm
- ♦ **DONUTS after 9:00 am Mass**
 Until further notice
- ♦ All Committee Meetings

What's happening this week . . .

Saturday, March 14:
 ~ **5pm Mass**

Sunday, March 15:
 ~ **9am Mass** ~ NO Donuts
 ~ **10am St.VdP / cxl'd**
 ~ **11am Mass**
 ~ **1:00 pm RCIA /2nd Grade room**

Monday, March 16: **NO Mass**
 ~ **11am-5pm Blood Bank**

Tuesday, March 17:
 ~ **9 am Mass**

Wednesday, March 18:
 ~ **9am Mass**
 ~ **4-7:45pm Faith Formation Program**

Thursday, March 19:
 ~ **9am Daily Mass**
 ~ Adoration/Benediction
 ~ **10-12 Bible Study / cxl'd**
 ~ **10-12 Women's Guild/cxl'd**
 ~ **4-5pm RCIC / Conference Room**

Friday, March 20:
 ~ **9am Daily Mass**
 ~ **6pm "NO" Soup Supper**
 ~ **7pm Stations of the Cross**

Saturday, March 21:
 ~ **9am Daily Mass**
 ~ **5pm Mass**

Corona-Virus

The Archdiocese has requested the following:

- ♦ No sharing of books including Missals & Hymnals; including the color pages provided weekly
- ♦ No face-to-face confessions; all confessions will be behind the screen provided
- ♦ Communion can still be received on the tongue; or if preferred into the hand. OR...have a spiritual communion and come forward for a blessing
- ♦ Hand sanitizer will not be provided by the church, but please feel confident to carry your own into the church.
- ♦ Parishioners will receive dispensation for any and all Masses unattended during this outbreak.

Knights of Columbus . . .

CANCELLED

- ♦ **March 21st ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER**
 For precautionary reasons, the Knights of Columbus have cancelled the St. Patrick's Day Dinner. Refunds will be available the weekend of March 21-22 for those who purchased tickets in advance. Please see a Knight in the Social Hall for further information.
- ♦ **March 28th 4th Degree District Meeting**
- ♦ **March 29th Breakfast**



ATTENTION...

MARRIED AND ENGAGED COUPLES

Has anyone ever clearly explained for you WHY the Catholic Church does not approve of unnatural birth control? For most of us, the answer is NO. Come learn about your faith and discover a method of family planning at a 3-class session. These classes begin Tuesday, March 24th from 6-8 pm at Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Hensen Hall. Register online at <https://ccli.org/> or call Kirk and Adrienne Wieber for more information at 425-239-4995 or emails can be sent to kirkadrienne@gmail.com.

Project Rachel . . .

Upcoming Spring Retreat: Offering incredible opportunities for profound healing, with the help of a priest, a counselor, and other experienced team members to walk with you on your journey.

Dates: April 24-26 and May 1-3 (Spanish)

SPRING GRIEF SUPPORT GRUP WEEKLY MEETINGS STARTING MARCH 31st . . .

Men and Women: Please join us for our eighth GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP SERIES to be held this Spring.

DATES: March 31st through May 19th

DAY & TIME: Tuesdays, 6-8 pm

PLACE: St Cecilia downstairs in Youth Room

See some of the comments below from participants of the previous sessions regarding what was most valuable to them. This might be just what you need to help you on your journey through grief. Remember that you may be suffering from many kinds of grief. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

"Sharing the grief experience. I didn't know where to start after moving to a new place; then my husband died. You were the answer to my prayers!! I can go back to the wonderful books."

"Learning that I cannot go through grief alone. I need God and I also need the people that understand grief and wat to share my burden."

Members of the Grief Ministry will be in the Parish Hall after all Masses on March 21-22 and again March 28-29 to answer questions and sign you up. If you still have questions, please contact Joan Love at 360-387-4577.

ST. RITA'S OUTREACH . . .

Using an abundance of caution arising from the corona virus outbreak, the St Rita's Outreach outing scheduled for March 17th has been cancelled. Future outings for the group will be announced here.

St. Cecilia Grief Ministry



HISTORY OF THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

While the practice of following the Way of the cross can be dated back to the Blessed Mother's practice of visiting the holy sites of Christ's passion, the formalized prayers and Stations of the Cross came centuries later.

After Christianity was legalized under the rule of emperor Constantine, he had the Church of the Holy Sepulchre builds around the site of Christ's tomb. Soon after, pilgrims began praying at the site before visiting others from Jesus' passion, where more churches were later constructed. This tradition began what is now the practice of walking the *Via Dolorosa*, Latin for the "Sorrowful Way."

This devotion continued throughout the centuries, but it was not until the 1300s when the holy sites and churches in the Holy Land were entrusted to the care of the Franciscans. About a hundred years later, the term "stations" was first used by an English pilgrim, William Wey, and the word soon became popularized as the practice was adopted through images of each station displayed inside European churches.

LENTEN MISSION SCHEDULE . . .

"Mary, the new Eve"

CANCELLED

March 23—24—25

RICE BOWLS ~ RICE BOWLS

Parents, please remember to keep your child/children engaged with this Lenten Rice Bowl project. It's a great opportunity to teach them about sacrificing and paying alms for the poor. These will be collected after Easter. And please.... Remember to change the coin into paper money or write a check to help our counters. Thank you!

Still Feeling Lucky?



The Fourth Degree Assembly 3223 of the Knights of Columbus will be drawing the winning two tickets for their **MEAT RAFFLE** on **April 18th**.



Could you win one of two 160 pounds of cut & wrapped beef provided by Schenk's Packing Company?

There will be 2 winners of 160 lbs each!

Tickets are \$10 each and **only 300 tickets will be sold**.

This will help support St. Cecilia Honor Guard and Military Seminarian Fund.

Tickets are almost sold out . . .

Less than 50 left . . .

Have you bought yours???