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ftom@skagitcatholic.org, 360-336-6622, ext. 22
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www.icrsweb.org
1321 East Division Street, Mount Vernon WA 98274
Phone: 360-428-3912, Fax: 360-424-8838
Principal: Ms. Gwen Rodrigues, Rodrigues@icrsweb.org
Secretary: Mrs. Gaby Oropeza, goropeza@icrsweb.org

New Parishioner
Welcome to our parish community. Please fill out a registration form found in the church entryway and place it in the collection basket.

Afterhours Emergencies Requiring the Presence of a Priest:
Please call the Skagit Valley Emergency number: 636-336-6771. This line is reserved for critical afterhours situations, including death and near death, where last sacraments are being requested. Please notify the parish office for all other requests.

Homebound and Hospital Ministry:
To request a visit and/or sacramental ministry for the homebound or infirm, please call the office of the parish in which the visit is requested.

Sacramental Prep/preparación sacramental
To make arrangements for Sacraments, please call your parish office for information/Pase a la oficina a completar documentos para cualquier Sacramento.

For bulletin submissions: Please submit bulletin articles to bulletin@skagitcatholic.org or to your parish office no later than Thursday at 5 pm.

Immaculate Conception Church/Iglesia Inmaculada Concepción
Office and Mailing: 215 N 15th St., Mount Vernon, WA 98273
Church: 400 N. 15th St., Mount Vernon, WA 98273
Administrative Assistant: Sandra Ruiz
Office Email: icc@skagitcatholic.org
Website: www.icc-mv.org
Phone: 360-336-6622 Fax: 360-336-5203
Office Hours: 8:30 a.m.-12:30, 1:30 to 4:50 p.m. Monday - Friday
Weekend Masses in English: Saturday 5 p.m., Sunday 9 a.m.
Misa en Español: Domingo 11:00 a.m. y 1:00 p.m., Jueves 7:00 p.m.
Weekdays: Mon., Tue., Wed., and Friday 12:15 p.m.
Confession: Saturdays 4:00-4:45 p.m. Thursdays, 6:00-6:45 p.m. or by appointment.

Sacred Heart
Church: 404 Douglas St., La Conner, WA 98257
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 757, La Conner, WA 98257
Ministry Coordinator: Lori Hansen Phone: 360-466-3967
Office Email: sacredheart@skagitcatholic.org
Website: www.SacredHeartChurchLaConner.org
Office Hours: 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday (Friday by appt.)
Mass Schedule: Sunday 9:30 a.m. and Friday 9:00 a.m.
Confession: Friday mornings 8:30 a.m. or by appointment.

Saint Charles Church/Iglesia San Carlos
Address: 935 Peterson Rd., Burlington, WA 98233
Website: www.stcharles-burlington-wa.org
Administrative Assistant: Brenda Rocha
Office Email: stcharles@skagitcatholic.org
Phone: 360-757-0128 Fax: 360-757-0418
Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Monday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Tuesday through Friday
Mass Schedule Weekend: Saturday 5 p.m., Sunday 11:15 a.m., Sábado 7:00 p.m. Español, Domingo 7:45 a.m. Español
Mass Schedule Weekdays: Monday, Thursday 10:30 a.m., Wednesday 6:00 p.m.
Confession: Wednesday, 5:15 p.m., Saturdays 4:00 p.m., 6:30 p.m. or by appointment.

Immaculate Heart of Mary/Iglesia Inmaculado Corazón de María
Address: 719 Ferry St., Sedro-Woolley, WA 98284
Administrative Assistant: Leslie Cornwell
Office Email: immaculateheart@skagitcatholic.org
Phone: 360-855-0077 Fax: 360-855-2282
Website: www.ihm-sw.org
Office Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Monday through Friday
Mass Schedule: Saturday 5 p.m., Sunday 11:15 a.m., Domingo 9:30 a.m. Español
Weekdays: Monday, Thursday 10:30 a.m., Wednesday 6:00 p.m.
Confession: Saturday 4:00 –4:45 p.m. or by Appointment.

St. Catherine Mission
Church: 45603 Limestone St., Concrete, WA 98237
Office and Mail: 719 Ferry St., Sedro-Woolley WA 98284
Admin. Assistant: Leslie Cornwell
Office Email: immaculateheart@skagitcatholic.org
Phone: 360-855-0077 Fax: 360-855-2282
Office Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Monday through Friday
Mass Schedule: Saturday 8:30 a.m. (satisfies Sunday obligation)
March 29, 2020
Fifth Sunday of Lent

“Jesus said to her, ‘Did I not tell you that if you believe you will see the glory of God?’” JOHN 11:40

Many of us say that we believe in God. We go to church on Sunday. We volunteer for events at our parish. But when life gets hard, the pressure is on, when things aren’t going our way, do we really believe, do we really put our trust in the Lord? When we live a life of gratitude, being thankful for the gifts we have been given, we really do see that God is providing all that we need. It opens our hearts to see God’s active presence in our daily lives.

Dear Friends,

Next Sunday, April 5, we celebrate Palm Sunday of the Passion of our Lord with Catholics around the world. Please join us in our Skagit Valley Catholic churches for this powerful and poignant beginning to Holy Week.

In these final days of Lent I invite you to join me in praying for the 300+ children, young people, and adults preparing for Easter sacraments—Holy Baptism, Confirmation, First Communion—in our Skagit Valley Catholic parishes. These wonderful celebrations are reminders of the Holy Spirit’s continued presence and work among us.

I’m including photos here of the Rite of Election hosted by Immaculate Conception for our northern deanery churches on March 4th. Bp. Eusebio Elizondo was the presider and many Valley parishioners shared their gifts at this joyful liturgy.

Blessed Lent,

Fr. Tom
29 de marzo de 2020  
5º domingo de Cuaresma

“Jesús le dijo: ‘¿No te dije que si crees verás la gloria de Dios?’” JUAN 11:40

Muchos de nosotros decimos que creemos en Dios. Vamos a la iglesia los domingos. Somos voluntarios para eventos en nuestra parroquia. Pero cuando la vida se pone difícil, la presión continúa, cuando las cosas no van por nuestro camino, ¿realmente creemos, realmente confiamos en el Señor? Cuando vivimos una vida de gratitud, agradecidos por los dones que nos han dado, realmente vemos que Dios está proporcionando todo lo que necesitamos. Nos abre los corazones para ver la presencia activa de Dios en nuestra vida diaria.

Queridos amigos,

El próximo domingo 5 de abril todos los católicos de alrededor del mundo celebraremos el Domingo de Ramos de la Pasión de nuestro Señor. Únase a nosotros en nuestras iglesias católicas de Skagit Valley para este poderoso y conmovedor comienzo de la Semana Santa.

En estos últimos días de Cuaresma, los invito a unirse a mí para orar por los más de 300 niños, jóvenes y adultos que se preparan para los sacramentos de Pascua (Santo Bautismo, Confirmación, Primera Comunión) en nuestras Iglesias Católicas del Valle de Skagit.

Estas maravillosas celebraciones son recordatorios de la presencia y el trabajo continuo del Espíritu Santo entre nosotros.

Incluyo aquí unas fotos del Rito de Elección organizado por la Inmaculada Concepción para nuestras iglesias del decanato del norte el 4 de marzo. Él Obispo Eusebio Elizondo fue el celebrante y muchos feligreses del Valle compartieron sus dones en esta alegre liturgia.

Bendiciones de Cuaresma

El Padre Tom
Please remember the Church and School in your will.

**FIFTH WEEK OF LENT**
Opportunity to Dream Young people must be provided good nutrition to be able to pursue their dreams. Did you have the opportunity to dream? What can you do to give young people the opportunity to dream? Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

**QUINTA SEMANA DE CUARESMA**
OPORTUNIDAD PARA SOÑAR Los jóvenes deben recibir una buena alimentación para poder perseguir sus sueños. ¿Tuviste la oportunidad de soñar? ¿Qué puedes hacer para darle a los jóvenes la oportunidad de soñar? Visita crsplatodearroz.org para más información.

**Catholic Relief Services**
CRS Rice Bowl and the USCCB’s Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRS Collection)

During Lent, Catholics in the United States have two opportunities to support the Church’s global mission to assist the poor. Visit [www.usccb.org/catholic-relief](http://www.usccb.org/catholic-relief) to find more information about who benefits from our support.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter**
“The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.” Let the Lord be the shepherd of your marriage.

**Please join us to help save the unborn!**
Feb 26th-April 5th in front of Planned Parenthood. 40 Days for Life is a Community based campaign with the goal of ending abortion through the use of prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil, and community outreach. Sign up for an hour or every week 6AM-6PM at [www.40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/mount-vernon/](http://www.40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/mount-vernon/)

¡Únase a nosotros para ayudar a salvar a los no nacidos! Del 26 de febrero al 5 de abril, frente a Planned Parenthood. 40 Días por la vida, es una campaña comunitaria con el objetivo de poner fin al aborto mediante el uso de la oración y el ayuno, la vigilia pacífica y la divulgación comunitaria. Regístrese por una hora o cada semana 6 AM-6PM en [www.40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/mount-vernon/](http://www.40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/mount-vernon/)
Our Mission
As the Catholic Community in the Skagit Valley, working with others, we address the problem of hunger by coordinating volunteers, food and monetary resources and ensuring their efficient distribution, without discrimination of any kind.

Our Vision
God’s love is known to all in the Skagit Valley because no one goes hungry.

Email addresses:
lilia@skagitcatholic.org
bonnie@skagitcatholic.org

Untie him and let him go. John 11:44
The story of Lazarus often reminds me of times when I felt spiritually dead and my friends at church helped me snap out of it. Now that we don’t see each other on Sunday, we have to invent other ways to renew our spiritual growth.

A very big thank you to all the volunteers who continue to come and serve at the food bank. We have set up a drive-thru system so volunteers will not be in direct contact with the public and clients will not have to get out of their cars to receive food. We are doing our very best to keep everyone safe during the COVID19 outbreak. This is an appeal to our young adults—can you please volunteer? Currently most of our volunteers are in the age range that should be staying home. We would greatly appreciate it if you could give them a break. For those of you who cannot volunteer, please consider supporting the food bank financially or with other types of donations. This outbreak has caused us to purchase many things that we normally would not spend money on (like paper bags). Our discount buying power helps stretch dollars for food, but if you would like to do the shopping we can always use canned goods; especially tuna, chili, stew, fruit, peanut butter in plastic jars, and dry foods like white rice or ramen noodles. Cans with flip tops are great for the homeless. And don’t forget baby diapers in larger sizes. You can drop off your donations between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Friday or Saturday, at the food bank, 935 Peterson Rd., Burlington, WA 98233 or mail your donations to the same address. We greatly appreciate your help during these difficult times.

Thanks, Lilia 360-610-1851 and Bonnie 206-380-0383

WORD OF LIFE
“We with great openness and courage, need to question how widespread is the culture of life today among individual Christians, families, groups and communities in our Dioceses. With equal clarity and determination we must identify the steps we are called to take in order to serve life in all its truth” (The Gospel of Life 95).

PALABRA DE VIDA
“Debemos preguntarnos, con gran lucidez y valentía, qué cultura de la vida se difunde hoy entre los cristianos, las familias, los grupos y las comunidades de nuestras diócesis. Con la misma claridad y decisión, debemos determinar qué pasos hemos de dar para servir a la vida según la plenitud de su verdad” (El Evangelio de la Vida 95).

Please remember the Church and School in your will.
H oly Mary, we come before you as spiritual children in great need, seeking your intercession, and asking that your mantle of love surround us to console, protect, and lead us to your son Jesus.

We entrust all of God’s family, especially the church in Western Washington, into your immaculate hands. With your son Jesus’ gentle power you can undo any knot in our church, and in the lives of believers who entrust themselves to your care.

Today I especially entrust to you (mention request/Coronavirus here), and I ask that — through your intercession, and that of St. James, our guardian angels, and the faithful in our archdiocese — we may be free from every spiritual and temporal ill, and be safely led to encounter your son’s merciful, sacred heart.

Our Lady of Seattle, Undoer of Knots, pray for us!

S anta María, venimos junto a ti como tus niños espirituales en gran necesidad, buscando tu intercesión, y pidiendo que tu manto de amor nos rodee para consolarnos, protegernos y guiaros a tu hijo Jesús.

Nos encomendamos a la familia de Dios, especialmente a la Iglesia en el oeste de Washington, a tus manos inmaculadas. Con el suave poder de tu hijo Jesús, tu puedes desatar cualquier nudo en nuestra iglesia, y en la vida de los creyentes que se encomiendan a tu cuidado.

Hoy especialmente pongo en tus manos (mencionar pedido sobre el coronavirus aquí), y te pedimos que —a través de tu intercesión, y de la de San Santiago, de nuestros ángeles guardianes, y de los fieles de nuestra arquidiócesis — podamos librarnos de toda afición espiritual y temporal, y que seamos guiados al encuentro del misericordioso y sagrado corazón de tu hijo.

Nuestra Señora de Seattle, Desata Nudos, ¡pueda por nosotros!

Rachel’s Corner Hope and Healing After Abortion

I feel like a new person. My hands, my heart, my soul are now free to give and receive love. I am a forgiven daddy!” - Testimonial

Have you forgotten what it feels like to be free, to connect with those you love without holding back a part of you that no one knows? Come on a Rachel’s Vineyard™ Retreat and join other women and men as they let God untie what has been hidden and bound.

Call for a compassionate, confidential conversation. English: (206) 920-6413 Español: (206)-450-7814

Email projectrachel@ccsww.org. Visit us at www.ccsww.org/projectrachel or www.facebook.com/projectrachelww.

Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

You are loved with an everlasting Love!

Rincón de Raquel Sanando el dolor del aborto

“Busqué al Señor y Él me contestó, y me libró de todos mis temores. Los que miran hacia Él quedan radiantes y su rostro no se sonroja más.” - Salmo 34:5-6

Todo comienza con el buscar a Dios y Su Misericordia. ¿Esta lista? El año puede comenzar bien al buscar Su misericordia y Él hará todo lo demás al librarlal de sus temores, arrepentimiento y vergüenza.

Extienda su mano y tocará Su corazón amoroso al invitarla a ir con nosotros a un Retiro del Viñedo de Raquel™.

Español: (206) 450-7814 (deje un mensaje confidencial) / English: (206) 920-6413

Correo electrónico projectrachel@ccsww.org, o visita www.ccsww.org/projectrachel.

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¡Con amor eterno te he amado!

Please remember the Church and School in your will.
Immaculate Conception Church
Vision Statement: A Christ Centered Church of Faith-Filled Disciples

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

ALL MASSES ARE CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Office is closed/ Oficina cerrada

All ministry events and meetings are suspended

Todos los eventos y reuniones se han suspendido

The year long altar volunteers are in dire need of help
We clean & arrange flowers on Thursdays: the 2nd through the 4th Thursdays of the month at 1 p.m.
The First Thursday is done on Friday at 1 p.m. because of First Thursday Adoration. It usually takes 1 ½ hours depending on the number of volunteers. Please call Socorro Alvarado at 360-336-6622.

The Special Feast Days, Easter, Christmas, etc. are done by the Hispanic community, so regular volunteers are actually needed for approximately 8 months. The need increases when someone needs time off. Please consider decorating the Lords’ home!

Status of Parish Finances

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Thank You For Your Continued Support!
*Does not apply to special collections or designated gifts. The weekly budgeted goal takes into account the $3,000 per week needed to make our loan payment.

Notice
If anyone picked up a khaki military hat in the narthex on March 8th at the 9 am Mass, it is a treasured family heirloom and is dearly missed by one of our parishioners. Please return it to the office if found.

Our Facebook page is up and running
Link for IC’s website with stream and Like option: https://www.icc-mv.org/
Link for our FB page: https://www.facebook.com/Skagit-Valley-Catholic-Churches-110931530530246/. You can also search it as Skagit Valley Catholic Churches.

Please consider starting on-line giving if you haven't already. It will greatly help our parish during these unusual times.
Set up your gift today or consider an additional gift via our website: www.icc-mv.org or by registering online giving at: https://osvonlinegiving.com/3075 choose your donations using your checking account or your debit or credit card. It’s super easy to program! !
God bless you all.

DONATE DIAPERS

Diapers Needed
Please donate diapers for our Diapers Drive. Sizes 4, 5, 6. Please drop your donation at the parish office Monday thru Friday, from 8:30 a.m.-4:40 p.m.
Thank you.

E-MAIL ADDRESS
If you want to be included in our email address list, please update your email address by emailing us to our parish office at icc@skagitcatholic.org. Thank you.
**Banco de Pañales** Necesitamos donaciones de pañales. Tamaños 4, 5, 6. por favor deje su donación en la oficina parroquial de lunes a viernes de 8:30 a.m. a 4:40 p.m. Muchas Gracias.

En estos tiempos que nos encontramos viviendo, nuestra parroquia sigue necesitando de nuestro apoyo. Una manera en la que podemos dar nuestra ofrenda ahora que no tenemos celebraciones de la Santa Misa, es por internet, considere hacer sus donaciones registrándose en línea, lo que tiene que hacer es buscar: [https://osvonlinegiving.com/3075](https://osvonlinegiving.com/3075) y elija sus donaciones utilizando su cuenta de cheques o su tarjeta de debito o crédito. Es super fácil de programar! Y de ese modo nuestra parroquia recibe sin falta nuestra donación que siempre es necesaria e importante para sacar adelante los gastos semanales! Dios se los pague!

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**Saint Catherine Mission**

**Options for Prayer**

*Mass:* Pope Francis’ morning Mass will be broadcast live. You can view it in real time and find English narrations at 7:00 a.m. Central Time on [www.vaticannews.va](http://www.vaticannews.va).


*Bishop Mueggenborg’s Sunday Gospel Reflections:* Sacred Heart Radio [http://sacredheartradio.org/](http://sacredheartradio.org/) (Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday after the 1:00 p.m. Rosary)


**Rosary:** Sacred Heart Radio: [https://sacredheartradio.org](https://sacredheartradio.org)

**Stations of the Cross:** Busted Halo: [https://bustedhalo.com/video/virtual-stations-of-the-cross](https://bustedhalo.com/video/virtual-stations-of-the-cross)

**Prayer for Spiritual Communion:** My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most holy Eucharist. I love you above all things. And I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you.

Amen

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**Sunday March 29th, 2020 Fifth Sunday of Lent, Year A**

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Sunday, March 29th, 2020 Fifth Sunday of Lent, Year A

With our catechumens preparing for their Baptism at Easter, the Gospel today calls us to reflect on Baptism as a dying and rising with Jesus. In Baptism we die to sin’s power over us, rising as children of God. In Baptism we join ourselves with Christ, who conquered death once and for all so that we who believe in him may have eternal life. With Martha and Mary, we are called to profess our belief that Jesus is indeed the Resurrection and the life. Loyola Press

Domingo 29 de marzo de 2020 Quinto domingo de Cuaresma, año A

Con nuestros catecúmenos preparándose para su bautismo en Pascua, el Evangelio de hoy nos llama a reflexionar sobre el bautismo como un morir y resucitar con Jesús. En el bautismo morimos por el poder del pecado sobre nosotros, resucitando como hijos de Dios. En el bautismo nos unimos a Cristo, quien conquistó la muerte de una vez por todas para que los que creemos en él podamos tener vida eterna. Con Marta y María, estamos llamados a profesar nuestra creencia de que Jesús es realmente la Resurrección y la vida. Prensa Loyola

CHURCH CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 29th:
- NO Faith Formation Classes
- Spanish Mass at 9:30 a.m./Canceled
- English Mass at 11:15 a.m./Canceled
- Knights of Columbus Breakfast /Canceled

March 31st:
- Baby Bank/ Canceled

April 1st:
- Daily Mass at 9:00 a.m./Canceled
- Rosary in Church at 9:30 a.m./Canceled

April 3rd:
- Daily Mass at 9:00 a.m./Canceled
- Rosary in Church at 9:30 a.m./Canceled
- Bilingual Stations of the Cross /Canceled

April 4th:
- Confessions at 4:00 p.m./Canceled
- English Mass at 5:00 p.m./Canceled
- Steak Fry Canceled

April 5th:
- Spanish Mass at 9:30 a.m./Canceled
- English Mass at 11:15 a.m./Canceled

Mass Intentions

April 1st: Intentions of Kristina Kind
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IHM Meetings

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Groups under 10 people may meet in the Parish Office or Church if recommended preventative hygiene is followed from the local Health Dept.
Stations of the Cross will continue as scheduled. People are to spread out in the pews.
Rosaries will continue as scheduled. People are to spread out in the pews.
Confessions times will continue as scheduled.

Reuniones de IHM

Aquí hay algunos detalles para las reuniones a lo largo de la semana en Inmaculado Corazón de María.
Grupos menores de 10 personas pueden reunirse en la Oficina Parroquial o la Iglesia si La higiene preventiva recomendada se sigue desde el Departamento de Salud local.
Las estaciones de la Cruz continuarán según lo programado. Las personas deben distanciarse en las bancas.
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Remember to take home a Rice Bowl. Consider putting your change in the Rice Bowl at the end of each day.
**Church Calendar**

**Mon./Lun. 03/30/2020**
- 8:30a.m Administrative/cancelled
- 9:00a.m RCIA Meeting/cancelled
- 10:30a.m Mass/cancelled

**Tue./Mar. 03/31/2020**
- 6:30p.m St. Charlie’s Angels/cancelled
- 7:00p.m Spanish Bible Studies

**Wed./Mié. 04/01/2020**
- 5:15p.m Confessions
- 6:00p.m Mass/cancelled
- 6:30p.m Faith Formation/cancelled
- 7:00p.m Youth Group/cancelled

**Thu./Jue. 04/02/2020**
- 10:30a.m Mass/cancelled
- 5:30p.m Stations of the Cross
- 5:45p.m Choir Practice/cancelled
- 5:30p.m Stations of the Cross
- 7:00p.m San Carlos SP Choir/cancelled
- 7:00p.m Youth Group/cancelled
- 6:30p.m Faith Formation/cancelled

**Fri./Vie. 04/03/2020**
- 3-10p.m Silent Adoration
- 7:00p.m Spanish Rosary

**Sat./Sáb. 04/04/2020**
- 8:00a.m Retiro de Cuaresma/cancelled
- 4:00p.m Confessions
- 5:00p.m English Mass/cancelled
- 7:00p.m Spanish Mass/cancelada
- 8:30p.m SP Coffee Hour/cancelado

**Sun./Dom. 04/05/2020**
- 7:45a.m Spanish Mass/cancelada
- 8:30-9:30a.m SP Coffee Hour/cancelado
- 11:15a.m English Mass/cancelled
- 12:15p.m Coffee Hour/cancelled
- 12:30p.m El Shaddai/cancelled
- 4:30p.m Byzantine/cancelled
- 6:00p.m Confirmation class/cancelled
- 6:30p.m Youth Ministry/cancelled

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**Church Calendar**

**We are still looking for Altar Server Coordinator**

Your role as a altar server coordinator will be instrumental to St. Charles Church and the community. If you feel spiritually motivated to lead children to serve God, come forward and apply.

**Please contact me, Denise Rhone, at the Parish Office**

**Seguimos buscando al Cordinador/a de Servicio de Altar**

Su papel como coordinadora/o sera fundamental para la Iglesia San Carlos y la comunidad. Si se siente espiritualmente motivado para guiar a los niños a servir a Dios. Porfavor ponganese contacto conmigo, Denise Rhone, en la Oficina de la Parroquia.

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**Mass and Prayer options to consider:**

**Word on Fire with Bishop Barron**

[https://www.wordonfire.org/daily-mass/](https://www.wordonfire.org/daily-mass/)

**Mass:** Pope Francis’ morning Mass will be broadcast live. You can view it in real time and find English narrations at 7:00 am Eastern time on [www.vaticannews.va](http://www.vaticannews.va).

**Bishop Mueggenborg Sunday Gospel Reflections**

Sacred Heart Radio [https://sacredheartradio.org/](https://sacredheartradio.org/)

(Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday – after the 1pm Rosary)


**The Church is Open**

Group under 10 people may still meet in the Parish Office or Churches as long the recommended preventative hygiene is followed from the local health department.

Stations of the Cross will continue as schedule.

Rosaries will continue as long people are spread out in the pews.

Confession times will continue as schedule.

Funeral Masses have been postponed; graveside committal will continue with follow up.

Memorial Masses when public Masses resume.

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**At home with the Faith**

The Archdiocese of Seattle has put together a great resource of sites that can be accessed while you are at home with your children. These sites will provide the opportunity to help your children grow closer to God. These resources are so great that you may want to access these sites all year round for all children not just those in parish faith formation classes.

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**God Gives It All And Then Calls Us to Share**

Everything we Have and everything we are is a gift from God. Stewardship is the ability to share our gifts of life, time, talent, and treasure with others - with no strings attached and no conditions. We share these gifts out of our love for God and gratitude to him. During this time when we cannot gather as a community, please consider some of the following options for your giving:

- Place your contribution in the mail
- Drop your contribution off at the parish office.
- Sign up for Online Giving at the following site: [https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1060](https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1060)

Online Giving is an easy way to help sustain our church until we are able to meet again on a weekly basis.

We are grateful for your support of the parish during this COVID-19 pandemic. Thank you for your generosity to the parish.

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**Status of Parish Finances**

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*We are grateful for your generous support of the needs of our Parish... Thank You.*

Please remember the Church and school in your will.
March 29th, 2020
God call each of us from death to life, from sin to repentance, from apathy to generosity.

Church Calendar:
March 29th: Join Catholics in this area with the live streaming of the Mass in the Skagit Valley with Fr. Tom McMichael, Fr. Paul Magnano, and Fr. Ben Bray! They will be livestreaming the Mass for this weekend at 5 p.m. on Saturday. Follow it live on Facebook by searching Facebook for: Skagit Valley Catholic Churches and then “like or follow” the page / or use this link… https://www.facebook.com/Skagit-Valley-Catholic-Churches-110931530530246
If you can’t view it live, you can go to the Facebook, or the link later and view it! We are so happy to have the Mass in the Valley with our priests and friends!

Happy Birthday!
Mar. 30th: Christine Lemrick
Mar. 31st: John Gerner - Beth Sheils
April 1st: Christopher Collins - Rachel Cram – Siobhan Kotal - David Lohman
April 2nd: Jared Loller - Paul McGuire
April 3rd: Janice Ebeling - Stanley Shimkus
April 4th: Landon Gibbons

Giving of Your Time: Please Help.
Please sign up to clean the church for a Sunday Mass in April, May, or June. You can also sign up ahead to bring flowers for our Masses in the summer! You can signup by e-mailing Lori Hansen at: lori@skagitcatholic.org Thank you so much!

Sacred Heart Status of Parish Finances

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Weekly Sunday Collection - Please use Online Giving
Feb. On-line giving total: $ 4,019

Thank you for your Stewardship!

We need your help! Please sign up for On-Line Giving:
Please consider starting On-line Giving if you haven’t already. This will greatly help our parish at this time!
Set up your gift today or consider an additional gift via our website or your smart device.
To sign up visit our website at www.sacredheartchurchlaconner.org

Want the latest information about what is happening with the Skagit Valley Catholic Churches?
Join the Skagit Valley Catholic Churches on Facebook! Give us a “like” and share with your friends! https://www.facebook.com/Skagit-Valley-Catholic-Churches-110931530530246

Daily Prayer Podcast: The God Minute
https://famvin.org/en/2019/03/05/daily-prayer-podcast-the-god-minute/ Led by a Vincentian priest, a wonderful way to start your day!

Save the Date:
VBS at Sacred Heart
June 22-25th
9-12pm
Pre-K through 5th grade
(Middle School helpers needed)