

Stewardship Message

“What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?” (Matthew 16:26)

St. Francis of Assisi once said, “Remember, you are what you are in the eyes of God, and nothing else.” We often forget this stewardship wisdom when we spend all of our time, talent, and treasure to gain more of the world’s riches. We need to set our priorities based on God’s values and not the values of the material world. /

Collection for Aug 23, 2020

Sunday Offerings	\$7907.00
Building Fund Weekly Collection	\$671.00
Women of St Joseph	\$4,500.00
School Donation	\$449.00
Diocese	\$180.00
Priest Retirement	\$780.00



Ways to Support Your Parish



1. Drop off your offering envelope or check in the locked mailbox outside the Parish Office door.
2. Bill pay through your preferred bank.
3. Parish website: <https://stjoseph-kennewick.org/donate/>
4. Facebook-click on Shop now button <https://www.facebook.com/stjoseph.kennewick>
5. You may also mail your contribution to:

520 S. Garfield St., Kennewick, WA 99336.

Prayers:

For our Armed Forces at home and overseas including:

Christian Fraga, Steven Hahn, Ramon Vargas, Ian Dimmick, John Hylden, Christy Hylden, Andrew Jacobsen, Alexander Araujo, Tyson Kaas, Lt. Col. Lowell Howard, Jr., Christian Shink, Juan Borrego, Estrella Gomez, and Erick Miller.

For our sick including:

Gabriel Bauer, Juana Perez, Brittany Stewart, John Swart, Jason Alcoer, Drew Schreiber, Gil Gloria, Rob Jasso, Elaine Himes, Lois and Rick Rutherford, Fr. Lawrence Reilly, Silvia Rodriguez, Jan Billings, Kathleen Barone, Pat Ray, Monica Moore, Lourdes Nelson, Jessica Floeter, Billy Sickles, Christina Dimmick, Nestor Barba, Rory Valdes, Elizabeth Torres, Eva Bratton, Francisco Alvarado, Kathy Ramirez, Bill Roe, Donna Whitehead, John Curran, Jan McCallister, Alberto Carranza, Danika Whitsett, Fr. Tom Long, Bob and Mary Ross, Jerry Mikkelsen, Kelly Freeman, Arlene Callahan, Mary Houston, June Bullert, Rosa Tejada, Kim Sheldon, Jim Nicacio, Dominic Nicacio, Luca Nicacio, Gus Perez, Yesenia Arredondo, Phyllis and Jack Pelletier, Kathryn Evans, Anselmo Alvarado, Cielo Ayala, Marlene Madrigal, Emily Harrington, Angelica Sotelo, Yaritz Ayala, Brianna Ayala, Joanne Andrick, Katie Hackney, Hugo Garcia, Nancy Park, Sherri McKie, Vanessa Nicacio, Carol Smith, Pat Leskovar, Kristy del Pozo, Rubenna Marshal and all parishioners experiencing health problems and for those from our community who have passed away recently.

Be sure to call when your ill family member gets better.



Welcome to our Parish Community!

If you are new to St. Joseph, we welcome you – whether you have come here from another part of the country, from across the world, or simply from another parish. You have helped us celebrate the liturgy in a beautiful way. If you would like to become part of our

St. Joseph Catholic Church, Kennewick

Also check out our updated website



Remember to take advantage of this resource that St. Joseph’s Parish has been offering for many years: FORMED! The login procedure has changed. It’s easy and free to start enjoying FORMED! Go to formed.org and click on sign up; then select “I belong to a Parish” and type in our zip code and select St. Joseph. Type your name and email address.

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Aug 24-Aug. 30

Monday	(RIP) John Bernard Loftus
Tuesday	(RIP) Elaine Loftus (RIP) Robbie Cortez
Wednesday	(RIP) Pete Alejandrino (Annv) Colin and Meredith Hall
Thursday	(RIP) Rosario Pulido (RIP) William Martin
Friday	(RIP) Peter Bauer

Live Stream on Facebook / YouTube Channel

Saturday 5:30 pm	(RIP) Janet Haren
6:30 pm	(Rip) Arnulfo Sanchez (RIP) Inocencia Hernandez

Out Door - Mass on the Grass

Sunday 9:00am	(RIP) Bill McShane (40th Annv) Bill and Nancy Alsdurf
10:30am	(RIP) Teodoro Oliver
6:00 pm	(RIP) Jose A. Diaz
7:30 pm	(RIP) Marcella Dorine Calkins (RIP) Viviana Hernandez

Rel Ed. and RCIA Registration / DON'T DELAY!

Supplies are being ordered. Please call the Parish Office, 586-3820, to set up appointments to register your children for the upcoming 2020-2021 Religious Education Program, Sacramental Prep, and Confirmation. Only one parent comes to each appointment please.

Masses

Join us on **Facebook** for live-stream Masses.
Saturday 5:30 pm English, 6:30 pm Spanish

[Facebook.com/stjoseph.kennewick](https://www.facebook.com/stjoseph.kennewick)



[https://www.youtube.com/channel/
UCKmdNsgGWVlgSEd3bYnVidQ...](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKmdNsgGWVlgSEd3bYnVidQ...)



Outdoor Mass in English 9:00 am & 6:00 pm

Currently, you can sign up for Mass every Wednesday if there is space. Register by using link. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805094ea9ab28a0fb6-outdoor1>

Outdoor Mass in Spanish 10:30 am & 7:30 pm

register by using link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805094ea9ab28a0fb6-misas1>

KHSS Catholic Radio / Sunday 11:00 am English on 100.7 FM
Sunday 1:00 pm Spanish on 105.7 FM



Sacrament of Baptism for Infants

Deadline: All baptismal registrations MUST be completed **one month** prior to Baptism. To reserve a place, parents must register at the Parish Office in person. Please call the Parish Office to set up

Appointments. Please bring copies of state-issued birth certificates for each child to be baptized.

Baptisms: Saturday, September 26, October 24

Baptism Classes: All parents and Godparents are required to participate in pre-Baptism classes that are on line. Once you register we will give you the information. Classes are valid for 3 years.

Invitation to a Life-Changing SEEL Retreat. Interested in growing closer to Christ, improving your prayer life, and/or finding a spiritual director? The Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life (SEEL Tri-Cities) could be just what you need. This year, SEEL group meetings will be held online on the second Saturday of every month from September through May, 9 to 11 AM. Application deadline is September 5. During the Spiritual Exercises, participants learn to pray using meditation, contemplation, imaginative prayer, and discernment. We provide prayer materials, assign you a trained spiritual director and provide a monthly meeting for instruction, prayer and sharing. For more information or to download application, please visit <http://spiritual-exercises.com>; email info@spiritual-exercises.com or call Ellen at 509-628-8626.

Meditation

“The word of the LORD has brought me derision and reproach all the day. I say to myself, I will not mention him, I will speak in his name no more. But then it becomes like fire burning in my heart, imprisoned in my bones; I grow weary holding it in, I cannot endure it.” Jer 20:8-9 / Jeremiah, called to prophesy for the Lord, experiences such persecution and misery that he resolves to stop speaking the Word of God. Yet love for God and His Word burns within his heart until he can keep silence no longer, and so he continues the difficult task of speaking the truth to a hostile and hardened world, regardless of the cost. He, like Jesus, does not accomplish his work with ease but with suffering and tears. Only his love and zeal for God keeps him from giving up. In the Gospel reading, Jesus rebukes Peter for suggesting that God’s victory can be won without cost. Only by His suffering, death, and resurrection will the sting of death be overcome and the victory won. The followers of Christ must be prepared to suffer and give their lives for love of God. Both Peter and Jeremiah are unlikely heroes in the biblical story. They are fallible, hesitant at times, perhaps reluctant to face suffering as we all are. But what makes them heroic is their perseverance. Despite their moments of fear and failing, they stand up and try again. In the end, with Christ, they are victorious. Because with Christ, even if we die, we shall live forever.

Daily Meditations

Join Fr. Riccardo on Facebook live or YouTube



Now accepting

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for Out Door Mass!

Confessions



- Each Saturday there are 40 slots available.
- Times are listed on the sign-up registration link.
- You can bring your immediate family members but must indicate names on the sign-up.
- The confessions will take place outdoors in front of the PAC.

YouTube!

Help us reach 1000 subscribers on YouTube so that those who don't have Facebook can access the live-stream Masses too!

Subscribe by clicking on the link <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKmdNsgGWVlgSEd3bYnVidQ...>



Mask'Parade GALA

A Drive Thru
Extravaganza to say
Good-Bye to Fr Jacob.

When: Sunday, Sept. 27th

Time: 10am-11:30am

Place: Big Church Parking Lot / Enter
from 4th Street / Exit through Garfield

**This will be the last time to see Fr
“mask to mask” to say good-bye.**