

## Stewardship Message

"Render therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar's and to God the things that are God's." - Matthew 22:21 Everything we are and everything we have belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given each of us. All God is asking is that we give back a portion of what He gave us. This is the essence of Stewardship. God should be our first priority in everything. All else comes second, especially our money.

### Every Day-Every Way Stewards

That we realize we aren't "owners" of anything but merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us.

### Collection for October 10, 2020

Sunday Offerings	\$12,030.98
Building Fund Weekly Collection	\$539.00
Children's Offerings	\$34.00
School Donations	\$151.00
Diocesan Collection	\$55.00
St Vincent De Paul	\$125.00



## Ways to Continue Supporting 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. Through our 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 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, Nestor Barba, Rory Valdes, Elizabeth Torres, Eva Bratton, Kim Davis, 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 Tejeda, John Swart, Kim Sheldon, Jim Nicacio, Dominic Nicacio, Luca Nicacio, Gus Perez, Phyllis and Jack Pelletier, Kathryn Evans, Anselmo Alvarado, Cielo Ayala, Marlene Madrigal, Emily Harrington, Angelica Sotelo, Yaritzi Ayala, Brianna Ayala, Joanne Andrick, Katie Hackney, Hugo Garcia, Nancy Park, Sherri McKie, Vanessa Nicacio, Carol Smith, Pat Leskovar, 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, so we can make room for someone else on the list of prayers for the sick.

## 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 Catholic community, fill out a registration form available on our website. Welcome!

## St. Joseph Catholic Church, Kennewick

Also check out our updated website

[www.stjoseph-kennewick.org](http://www.stjoseph-kennewick.org)



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](http://formed.org) and click on sign up; then select "I belong to a Parish" and type in our zip code and select St. Joseph Parish. Type your name and email address.

## Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

October 19-25

Monday	8:30am (RIP) Augusta Tobin
Tuesday	8:30am (RIP) Elaine Loftus (RIP) Ray Sutton
Wednesday	8:30am (RIP) Bob Parenteau
Thursday	8:30am (RIP) Leonardo Duran
Friday	8:30am The intentions of all Priests in the Tri-Cities

## Live Stream on Facebook YouTube Channel

Saturday	8:30 am (RIP) Elaine Loftus 5:30 pm (Birthday) Rose Papez 6:30 pm Almas del purgatorio
Sunday	9:00 am (RIP) Robbie Cortez-Santenelli  10:30am  6:00 pm (RIP) Marcella Dorine Calkins  7:00 pm

Contact the Parish Office to request a Mass for a special intention or the repose of a soul or in honor of someone's birthday, feast day, anniversary, or in memory of the day someone died. The suggested donation is \$10.00. All Masses are available for intentions.



## Women of St Joseph

Thanks for your generous yard sale donations! Because of the number of donations we have received, we will be taking donations by appointment only. If you have any questions, please call Theresa Thomas, 366-5631.





Join us on Facebook for live-stream Masses.

## Masses

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

Currently we are limited to a maximum of 50 parishioners indoors. If you were able to attend Mass inside the Big Church this weekend, please wait until Wednesday to sign up for next weekend, if there is space.

Register by using link [signupgenius.com/go/805094ea9ab28a0fb6-outdoor2](https://signupgenius.com/go/805094ea9ab28a0fb6-outdoor2)

**Vigil Mass English 5:30 pm, 6:30 pm Spanish**

**Sunday Mass in English 9:00 am & 6:00 pm**

**Mass in Spanish 10:30 am & 7:00 pm**

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You can participate in our Mass on YouTube

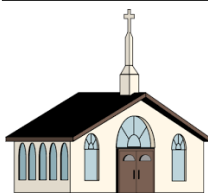
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## Daily Mass

Join us Monday–Saturday  
8:30 am in Small Church



- ♦ Daily Mass attendees do not need to register.
- ♦ Masks are required.
- ♦ Limit attendance to 50 persons.
- ♦ Arrive 15 min. prior. Volunteers will check you in.
- ♦ Sit in front pews.
- ♦ Physical distancing must be practiced at all times.

## Daily Meditations

Join Fr. Riccardo on Facebook live or YouTube Channel for the Daily Gospel Meditations at 11:00 am and every Wednesday the Sunday Liturgy Reflection for the upcoming Sunday readings.



## Volunteers Needed



We are in need of volunteers to help direct parishioners during indoor confessions as of Saturday, Oct. 24, and to help coordinate a team to disinfect after each Mass.

Please call the Parish office 586-3820 to sign up. We thank you for your support.

## 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 an appointment. Please bring a copy of the state-issued birth certificate for each child to be baptized.

**Baptisms:** Saturday, November 21, 2020; Saturday, January 16, 2021

### Baptism Classes

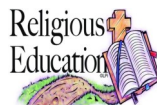
All parents and Godparents are required to participate in pre-Baptism classes that are on-line. Once you register we will give you the information. Classes are valid for 3 years.

**Godparents:** If there are two, one must be male and the other female. They must be practicing Catholics, at least 16 years of age, and have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist, Reconciliation and Confirmation.



## Confessions

- Confessions will take place outdoors in front of the PAC.
- There is no need to register.
- Everyone must wear a mask and keep social distance.
- *Confessions will take place indoors as of Oct. 24 in BC*



## Religious Education 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. For your safety and ours, we ask that only one parent come to each appointment, please.

## Serra Club News

**In only 2 weeks, United States dioceses will observe National Vocation Awareness**

**Week, Nov. 1-7.** This annual week-long celebration is dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life through prayer and education. Let us **renew our prayers and support** for those who are considering these vocations.



## Meditation

*"Teacher, we know that You are a truthful man" - Matthew 22:16*

In today's Gospel, the Pharisees use charm in their attempt to trick Jesus with their question about the payment of taxes, but they are unsuccessful. They have unknowingly spoken the truth about Him in saying He is a truthful man, yet they fail to see that He is even more. He is the Truth, and all who follow Him must abide in truth and love. But we all know how difficult that can be. Discerning the truth can be tricky, especially when confronted with complex moral questions.

A good place to begin the search for truth is in the Gospels, guided by Church teachings. This week, on October 22, we celebrate the Feast Day of St. John Paul II. This holy man undertook an examination of moral truth in his encyclical letter *The Splendor of Truth*. In it, John Paul states, "The Church knows that the issue of morality is one which deeply touches every person; it involves all people, even those who do not know Christ and His Gospel or God Himself. She knows that it is precisely *on the path of the moral life that the way of salvation is open to all*" (VS 3).

John Paul recognizes that "there always remains a yearning for absolute truth and a thirst to attain full knowledge of it. This is eloquently proved by man's tireless search for knowledge... It is proved even more by his search for the meaning of life... it spurs us on to face the most painful and decisive of struggles, those of the heart and of the moral conscience" (VS 1).

Empowered by the great gifts of the Holy Spirit, the guidance of the Church, and "the wisdom and power of Christ Crucified," (VS 117) we can discern "the splendor of truth shining forth in all the works of the Creator and, in a special way, in man, created in the image and likeness of God (cf. Genesis 1:26). Truth enlightens man's intelligence and shapes his freedom, leading him to know and love the Lord."

## **Week Behind/ Week Ahead**

To the Parishioners of Saint Joseph Parish in Kennewick

From V. Rev. Felipe Pulido

Date: October 17, 2020

### **Weeks Behind**

**Religious Education-** On Friday, October 2 and Wednesday, October 7, Amalia Del Pozo (Director of Religious Education in Spanish), Susan Marsh (Director of Religious Education in English) and many volunteers of the Religious Education Program helped distribute formation packages to our families. It is the generosity and kindness of these two wonderful women and their RE teams that make possible the different programs of Religious Education in our parish. The Lord has blessed Saint Joseph with the support of Susan, Amalia and the volunteers who teach our children. And, in addition, they help parents fulfill their responsibility to be the first teachers of our Catholic faith to their children.

**In-Service Day and Diocesan Mission Congress-** On Friday, October 9, the Diocese held its Teacher Excellence Day on-line. I am grateful to the many teachers and SJS principal Perry Kelly who joined the other schools virtually to learn about faith infusion resources and Catholic Charities' mental health resources. In addition, on Saturday October 10, our Religious Education teachers and coordinators attended our Diocesan Mission Congress virtually to learn about technology and how to connect with our youth during the pandemic. Great job to all who participated!

**Saint Joseph Catholic School-** The annual Fun Run took place on Thursday, October 8, on our school grounds. This year we had an amazing Fun Run event! All our students participated, and we were able to raise over \$32,000.00. This money directly helps teachers in their classrooms with technology and other classroom expenses. It is used to help families who need financial aid, and it helps support PTO activities. Thank you to Perry Kelly, our school principal, and the school staff for helping organize the event. Moreover, thank you for supporting our great school through this yearly event.

**Father Riccardo Keolker, Father Larry Reilly, and Father Cesar Izquierdo-** I am grateful to Fathers Riccardo and Larry for the many contributions they have made to Saint Joseph Parish, including the daily Gospel reflections, daily Masses, and weekend liturgies. I consider myself very lucky to have them in the parish. We are also fortunate to have Father Cesar Izquierdo who was able to fly to the United States from Rome Thursday afternoon. Thank you for all your prayers during his long journey through the immigration system. His October 14 interview at the U.S. Consulate was canceled but, after the Diocese applied for a "documentation only"

process, he unexpectedly was given an appointment on September 30 and his R-1 religious worker visa was quickly approved.

Week ahead

**Update on Covid 19-** It is with great happiness that I announce that all five modified phase 1 counties (Benton, Franklin, Chelan, Douglas and Yakima) are now fully in Phase 2 of Safe Start. Among other conditions, Phase 2 permits an increase in attendance for faith-based organizations up to 200 people (or 25% of capacity.) This is great news for us since we have been using Dillon Hall for extra people. Now we will increase the number of people who can register for Mass—that is from 50 to 200 per Mass. Thank you so much for all your prayers and your patience.

**Episcopal Council meeting** On Tuesday, October 20, Bishop Joseph Tyson and I will be traveling to Mount Angel Seminary to visit our two seminarians, Juan Nieves and William Lane. In addition we will be meeting with the vocations directors of other seminaries to discuss issues related to Mount Angel Seminary as a house of formation. Thank you to Rev. Msgr. Joseph Betschart, President-Rector of Mount Angel Seminary, for his leadership at this institution. Bishop Tyson and other vocations directors from the Pacific Northwest and California will be present at the meeting as well as Archbishop Alexander Sample (Diocese of Portland). I am grateful to be able to attend this meeting in person. Please keep me in your prayers.

Semana anterior / Siguiente semana

Queridos feligreses de la parroquia de San Jose

V. Rev. Felipe Pulido

Fecha: 17 de octubre de 2020

Semana anterior

Educación religiosa- El viernes 2 y miércoles 7 de octubre, Amalia Del Pozo (Directora de Educación Religiosa en español), Susan Marsh (Directora de Educación Religiosa en inglés) y varios voluntarios del Programa de Educación Religiosa ayudaron a distribuir paquetes de formación para nuestras familias. Es gracias a estas dos mujeres y sus voluntarios nuestros programas de Educación Religiosa son un éxito. Estamos bendecidos por la presencia de Amalia, Susan y tantos voluntarios que enseñan a nuestros hijos. Y además ayudan a los padres a cumplir con su responsabilidad de ser los primeros maestros de la fe católica.

Congreso misionero diocesano: el viernes 9 de octubre, la Diócesis celebró en línea el Día del maesfro. Estoy muy agradecido por las maestras y el director de SJS, Perry Kelly, que se unieron a otras escuelas virtualmente para aprender sobre cómo podemos infundir la fe en cada salon de clases y los recursos de salud mental que ofrece Caridades Católicas. Además, el sábado 10 de octubre, nuestras maestras y coordinadoras de Educación Religiosa asistieron virtualmente a nuestro Congreso Diocesano para aprender sobre tecnología y cómo poder conectamos con los jóvenes durante la pandemia. ¡Buen trabajo a todos los que participaron!

Escuela Católica Saint Jose- El Fun Run anual tuvo lugar el jueves 8 de octubre en los terrenos de nuestra escuela. Todos nuestros estudiantes participaron y pudimos recaudar más de \$ 32,000.00. Este dinero ayuda directamente a las maestras en sus salones con la tecnología y otros gastos de los salones. Tambien se utiliza para ayudar a las familias que necesitan ayuda financiera y ayuda a apoyar las actividades de la PTO. Gracias a Pen•y Kelly, el director de nuestra escuela y el personal de la escuela por su ayuda en la organización del evento. Y muchas gracias por apoyar a nuestra escuela.

Padre Riccardo Keolker, Padre Lawrence Reilly y Padre Cesar Izquierdo- Estoy muy agradecido por la presencia de los Padres Riccardo y Reilly por las muchas contribuciones que han hecho a la Parroquia de San José, incluyendo las reflexiones diarias sobre el Evangelio, las Misas diarias y las liturgias de fin de semana. Me considero muy afortunado de tenerlos en la parroquia. También tenemos la suerte de contar con el Padre César Izquierdo, quien viajo a los Estados Unidos desde Roma el jueves por la tarde. Gracias por sus oraciones. Su entrevista del 14 de octubre en el Consulado de los Estados Unidos fue cancelada, pero después de que la Diócesis solicitó un proceso de "solo documentación", inesperadamente se le dio una cita el 30 de septiembre y su visa de trabajador religioso R-1 fue rápidamente aprobada, Gracias a Dios.

## Siguiente Semana

Actualización sobre Covid 19: Con gran alegría les anuncio que los cinco condados que estaban en la fase 1 modificada (Benton, Franklin, Chelan, Douglas y Yakima) se encuentran ahora en la fase 2. La Fase 2 permite un aumento en la asistencia a Misa hasta 200 personas (o el 25% de la capacidad). Esta es una gran noticia para nosotros, ya que hemos estado utilizando el Dillon Hall para más personas. Ahora aumentaremos el número de personas que pueden registrarse para la Misa, es decir, de 50 a 200 por Misa. Muchas gracias por todas sus oraciones y su paciencia.

Reunión del Consejo Episcopal El martes 20 de octubre, el obispo Joseph Tyson y yo viajaremos al Seminario de Monte Angel en Oregon para visitar a los seminaristas, Juan Nieves y William Lane. Además, nos reuniremos con los directores de vocaciones de otros seminarios para discutir temas relacionados con el Seminario. Gracias al Rev. Mons. Joseph Betschart, presidente-rector del Seminario, por su liderazgo en esta institución. Por favor manténganme en sus oraciones.