

**Stewardship Message**

*“Rejoice always, pray constantly, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.” – 1 Thessalonians 5:16 - 18* This Scripture reading sums up stewardship. “Rejoice always” means place your trust in God; He will provide all that you need. “Pray constantly” means prayer should be a running conversation with God throughout the whole day, every day. “Give thanks in all circumstances” means even in bad situations, thank God. Suffering a little bit helps build empathy for others in similar situations and shows our dependence on God.

**Every Day-Every Way Stewards**

That we realize suffering is a gift and helps us build empathy for others and build our dependence on God.

**Collection for December 6, 2020**

Sunday Offerings	\$16,989.66
Building Fund Weekly Collection	\$1,616.50
Children’s Offerings	\$622.00
School Donations	\$345.00
Diocesan Collection	\$722.00
St Vincent De Paul	\$175.00



**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. Donate 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, Jan Billings, Fr. Lawrence Reilly, Silvia Rodriguez, 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, Rosa Tejada, John Swart, Kim Sheldon, Jim Nicacio, Dominic Nicacio, Luca Nicacio, Gus Perez, Phyllis and Jack Pelletier, Katie Hackney, Kathryn Evans, Anselmo Alvarado, Marlene Madrigal, Emily Harrington, Sherri McKie, Hugo Garcia, Nancy Park, Vanessa Nicacio, Carol Smith, Pat Leskovar, Rubenna Marshal, Joseph Ponish, Armando Rodriguez, Tony Wise, Jose Del Angel, Roy Lopez** and all parishioners experiencing health problems and for those from our community who have passed away recently, especially **Ruben Day**, uncle of Cheri Rockstrom, Fr Jesus Ramirez.

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 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 e-mail address.

**Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK**

**December 14-20**

Monday	6:30 am (RIP) Elaine Loftus 8:30 am (RIP) Audrey La Blanc
Tuesday	6:30 am 8:30 am (RIP) Terry Holt
Wednesday	6:30 am 8:30 am (RIP) Monica Duncan
Thursday	6:30 am 8:30 am (RIP) Grace Ransom 7:00 pm
Friday	6:30 am Eileen Johnston and family 8:30 am (RIP) Mary Jo Sullivan <b>Live Stream on Facebook YouTube Channel</b>
Saturday	8:30 am 5:30 pm (RIP) Jadwiga Mosio 7:00 pm (RIP) Cielo Campuzano
Sunday	9:00 am (RIP) Mary Jane Wendt (RIP) Mary Jo Sullivan 11:00 am (Health) Sue Pockrandt and family (RIP) Ruben Day 1:00 pm 5:30 pm Michael Driver and family 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.

**Knights of Columbus News**

Keep Christ in Christmas!  
 The Knights of Columbus will be selling Christmas cards after all weekend Masses through December 13 in the foyer area.





### Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm English (livestreamed)  
7:00 pm Spanish (livestreamed)

Sunday: 9:00 am, 11:00 am (livestreamed) and 5:30 pm English  
1:00 pm (livestreamed), 7:00 pm Spanish

Join us on Facebook for live-stream Masses  
[Facebook.com/stjoseph.kennewick](https://www.facebook.com/stjoseph.kennewick)



Currently we are limited to a maximum of 200 parishioners indoors. Please pre-register. This gives you a *fast-pass* when you check-in before Mass.

Register for English Mass by using link: [signupgenius.com/go/805094ea9ab28a0fb6-mass1](https://signupgenius.com/go/805094ea9ab28a0fb6-mass1)

Register for Spanish Mass by using link: [signupgenius.com/go/805094ea9ab28a0fb6-misa](https://signupgenius.com/go/805094ea9ab28a0fb6-misa)

You can participate in our Mass on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKmdNsgWVlGSEd3bYnVidQ>



### Christmas Tree Sale

Knights of Columbus Council 8179 members are selling live Christmas trees in our parish parking lot. Stop by and check out the wide variety and sizes of beautiful trees.

### Daily Mass

Join us Monday – Friday 6:30 and 8:30 am and Saturday 8:30 am in the Small Church.



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

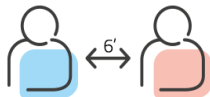
*Monday-Friday 8:30am daily Mass will be livestreamed on Facebook.*

### Please help us prevent the spread



**WEAR**

a cloth face covering.



**WAIT**

6 feet apart and avoid close contact.



**WASH**

your hands often or use hand sanitizer

### ADORATION

Join us for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Small Church every Thursday from 9:00 am –6:30 pm followed by 7:00 pm Mass in Spanish.



### Catholic Charities News

Your offerings on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day help Catholic Charities become the hands and feet of Jesus to 50,000 people throughout Central

Washington. Catholic Charities brings hope to life by embracing people, strengthening families, and empowering both to thrive. Your generosity helps us reach out in your name. For more information about the Catholic Charities network of services, visit [www.catholiccharitiescw.org](http://www.catholiccharitiescw.org).



### Christmas Mass Schedule

All Masses in the Big Church

**Christmas Eve, Thursday, December 24**

Mass in English 4:00 pm, 6:00 pm and Midnight

Mass in Spanish 8:00 pm and 10:00 pm



**Christmas Day, Friday, December 25**

Mass in English 9:00 am

Mass in Spanish 11:00 am

**Vigil: Mary, Holy Mother of God**

Thursday, December 31

Mass in English 5:30 pm

Mass in Spanish 7:00 pm



**Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God**

Friday, January 1

Mass in English 9:00 am

Mass in Spanish 11:00 am



### Register for Flocknote

Join St Joseph Parish on Flocknote which will allow you to receive parish information electronically through text or e-mail. Sign up for this free service at <https://sjk.flocknote.com/>



### Sunday Liturgy Reflection

Join Fr. Riccardo, Fr. Felipe and Fr. Cesar on Facebook live or on YouTube Channel every Wednesday for the Sunday Liturgy Reflection for the upcoming Sunday's readings.

### A Note from the Tri Cities St. Junipero Serra Club



Happy Gaudate Sunday! "The One Who calls you is faithful." Will you be faithful to His call? **Listen**; God may be inviting you to be a priest, deacon or consecrated religious.

### Reconciliation of Advent

Because of Corona Virus Pandemic limits gatherings of an appreciable size, there will be **NO ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES THIS YEAR**. Instead of



these we will have Confessions start at **3:30 pm-5:00 pm every Saturday**.

- Will take place in the Big Church.
- There is no need to pre-register.
- Check in at foyer area.
- Everyone must wear a mask and keep social distance.

Or by appointment by calling the Parish office at 586-3820.