

Stewardship Message

"You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything..." - Exodus 20:4 How many "gods" do you put before God? "Idols" do not always take the shape of physical things, things we can touch and feel. Those are easy to recognize. Many times they take the form of things we cannot touch and are much harder to spot like pride, power, ego, time, comfort or health. Pray for God's help to prune our vices and grow in virtue.

Every Day-Every Way Stewards

That we may learn to turn away from the false idols of our society – those visible and invisible.

Collection for February 28, 2021

Sunday Offerings	\$13,821.35
Building Fund Weekly Collection	\$1,086.00
Children's Offerings	\$1,597.00
School Donations	\$604.00
Diocese	\$284.49



Weekly Offering

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, 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, 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, Gabriele Bauer, Zara Husan, Ronald Campbell, Lindy Hobbs Styer, Michael Rainey, Xiomara Rainey, Ramon Mata, Raquel Cardoza, Rebecca Maltos-Carl,** 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!



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 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.

Help Save Lives in Kennewick

You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000 volunteers! Here's how to take part:



- ◆ Vigil location: Public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood (7426 W. Bonnie Place, Kennewick)
- ◆ Vigil Hours: 7:00 am - 7:00 pm daily
- ◆ Local contact: Casey Belew, 509-440-3665, 40daysfor-life.kennewick@gmail.com

Learn more and get involved by visiting our campaign: 40daysforlife.com/tricities

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



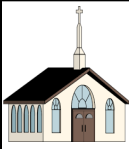
March 8-15

Monday	6:30 am (RIP) Elaine Loftus 8:30 am (Birthday) Jeanette Wilson
Tuesday	6:30 am (RIP) Michael Schons 8:30 am (RIP) George Lathim
Wednesday	6:30 am Maria Luisa Grandfield 8:30 am (RIP) Joe Gallegos
Thursday	6:30 am (Health) Joe Ponish 8:30 am (Birthday) Peter Haggard 7:00 pm
Friday	6:30 am 8:30 am (RIP) Colleen Wirtjes

Live Stream on Facebook YouTube Channel

Saturday	8:30 am (RIP) Joe Gallegos 5:30 pm (RIP) Joe Gallegos (RIP) Mary Mokler 7:00 pm (RIP) Raul Ramirez Ramirez
Sunday	9:00 am (RIP) Al Diamond 11:00 am (RIP) All Souls in Purgatory 1:00 pm (RIP) Brisia Villaseñor 5:30 pm (RIP) Anne Sweeny 7:00 pm (Health) Rosa Elena Gomez

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.



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.
- ◆ Attendance is limited to 50 persons.
- ◆ Volunteers will check people in. Attendees should sit in front pews.
- ◆ Physical distancing must be practiced at all times.

Monday-Friday 8:30 am daily Masses will be live-streamed on Facebook.



Reconciliation

Confessions will be heard from **3:30 pm - 5:00 pm every Saturday 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 call the Parish Office at 586-3820 for an appointment.

In addition, during Lent through March 25, confessions will be heard every Thursday from 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm in the Small Church.

Prayer for a Fruitful Lent

My precious and crucified Lord, I offer You this Lent.

I offer it to You with total abandonment and trust.

I offer You my prayers, sacrifices, and my very life this day.

Do with me, Lord, as You will.

I pray that this Lent will be fruitful.

I know You have much to say to me and much to do in my life.

May this Lent be a time through which Your mercy is poured in abundance into my soul and into the souls of all Your faithful.

Dearest Lord, help me to especially see my sin this Lent.

Humble me so that I may see clearly.

Give me courage and strength to confess my sins, and to turn from them with all my heart.

Enlighten me with Your Holy Word, dear Lord.

Help me to come to know You and to deepen the gift of faith in my life.

Show me the plan You have for me, and place my feet upon the path You have chosen.

My suffering Lord, I thank You for the fullness of Your perfect Sacrifice.

I thank You for holding nothing back, giving Your life to the last drop of blood. May I offer You my very life as a sacrifice, trusting in Your mercy with every offering.

Keep me faithful to my Lenten promises, and bring forth new life through these sacrifices of love.

Strengthen my prayer and make me holy.

Help me to turn to You each day, seeking Your sacred and pierced Heart.

Blessed Mother,

you stood by your Son in His suffering and death.

Stand by me, I pray, as I journey through this life.

Pray for me and offer me to your Son, that He may take me into His loving embrace.

Lord Jesus, Son of the Living God, have mercy on me, a sinner.

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Mother Mary, Mother of our Crucified Lord, pray for us who have recourse to thee.

Amen

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm English (livestreamed)

7:00 pm Spanish (livestreamed)

Sunday: 9:00 am, 11:00 am (live-streamed)

and 5:30 pm English

1:00 pm (live-streamed), 7:00 pm Spanish

Join us on **Facebook for live-stream Masses**

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: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805094ea9ab28a0fb6-mass1>

Register for Spanish Mass by using link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805094ea9ab28a0fb6-misa>

You can also participate in our Mass on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKmdNsgGWVlgSEd3bYnVidQ>

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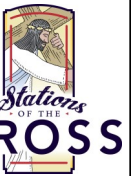


Join us for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Small Church every Thursday from 9:00 am – 6:30 pm with Reconciliation from 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm followed by Mass in Spanish at 7:00 pm.

Stations of the Cross

Join us every Friday during Lent to pray the Stations of the Cross. The Stations of the Cross are a beautiful expression of the core of our faith,

which is that Jesus embraced the dramas of every human life, our triumphs and failures, our joys and sorrows. In the Stations, we remember how the Lord is with us, especially when we seem to be stuck and have lost the way forward. He walks with us, trips with us when we stumble, and helps us to our feet again. Pray the Stations of the Cross at 5:30 pm in English and 6:30 pm in Spanish in the Big Church or participate virtually on Facebook.



Tri-Cities Prep is seeking a substitute teacher for the rest of the school year beginning mid-April. Interested candidates should contact Lisa Jacobs at ljacobs@tcprep.org or call 509-546-2465. Classes include Calculus and Algebra II.

Open House

St. Joseph Montessori Preschool & Children's Center

For new families enrolling in the 2021-2022 school year Tuesday, March 23, 6:00 pm -7:30 pm

Register for your time here: <https://sinup.com/go/NASCQWD>



A Note from the Tri Cities St. Junipero Serra Club

"We proclaim Christ crucified, the power and wisdom of God." Could Jesus be calling you to proclaim His life, death and resurrection as a **priest, deacon or in consecrated life?**



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/>