

St. Mark Shoreline

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June 23, 2024 Weekly schedule

Sunday - Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am - Sunday Mass (for Saint Matthew parish)
10:30 am - Sunday Mass (for Saint Mark parish)
11:40 am - Parish Rosary for Life, pro-life shrine

Monday

9:30 am - Daily Mass (Antenina Harvey, RIP)
2:00 pm - Parish Prayer Team, church
6:30 pm - Family Rosary, church
7:00 pm - Boy Scout troop meeting, cafeteria

Tuesday

No daily Mass (Father's day off)
7:00 pm - Women's Group craft night, hall
7:30 pm - Saint Vincent de Paul meeting, library

Wednesday

9:30 am - Daily Mass (Mrs. Garindo, RIP)
5:00 pm - Confessions

Thursday

9:30 am - Daily Mass (Therese Hui-lan Liu, RIP)

Friday

9:30 am - Daily Mass (V. J. Sood, RIP)

Saturday

7:45 am - Lion's Den meeting, hall
9:30 am - Daily Mass (Margaret Peterman, RIP)
3:00 pm - Confessions
5:00 pm - Vigil Mass (for the faculty & staff of Saint Mark & Saint Matthew parishes)

6:00 pm - Farewell Party for Father Maurer, hall

Mass times

Mon, Wed-Sat: 9:30 am
Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am & 10:30 am

Confession times

Wednesdays: 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Saturdays: 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
(appointments welcome - call Father)

For emergencies involving danger of death please dial (206)-364-7900 x9

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PARISH EVENTS & NEWS



June 16, weekly stewardship report (fiscal year July 2023 - June 2024) St. Mark parish

	Budgeted	Actual	Difference	Online	# In Person	# Online	Givers
Income							
Last Week	\$15,687	\$11,992	\$3,695	\$4,904	89	60	149
Year to Date	\$800,037	\$721,614	\$78,423				

Celebrate Father Maurer and thank him for his service to St. Mark Parish!

- Wine & cheese **June 29** after **Saturday** Vigil Mass
- Breakfast* after each Mass on **Sunday, June 30**



While gifts to Father will be received with his gratitude, he encourages you to consider donating to the school in his name. **To avoid confusion, donations to the school should be made directly to Saint Mark Catholic Classical School, with 'in honor of Father Maurer' in the memo line.**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

Thank you to all who have responded to the needs of our regional Church by supporting the **2024 Annual Catholic Appeal!** Our journey as Catholics is not undertaken alone. We are all a part of this one body of Christ and your generosity speaks to the impact that our community can have. Whether it is supporting parish staff through centralized services, supporting seminarian formation and education, or uplifting youth and young adult programs and events, your generosity matters. We have heard from roughly 20% of our parishioners and are over halfway toward our archdiocesan goal of \$71,000 (Any excess over our goal is returned to our parish for our parish project). For those of you who have not yet contributed, there is still time! **You can donate using the QR code, fill out a pew envelope, or go online to archseattle.org/GiveACA.**



Please pray for

Emma Shogren
Kip Van Alstine

Amalia Delgado, RIP
Stephanie Duggan RIP

Sandra Mitchell, RIP
Randie Cottingham, RIP

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Volunteers are needed to serve for Father Maurer's Farewell Breakfast on Sunday, June 30. If you can help, please email Tami Martin at tamimartin457@gmail.com.

Let's all work together to make this a wonderful send off!



PARTNERS
IN THE GOSPEL **UPDATE**

June 2024

Preparing for July 1st

Over the past few weeks, **new pastors and parochial vicars have been connecting with current parish leadership to set up transition plans** and coordinate administrative details. For some parish families, the new pastor has engaged consultative bodies regarding changes to the current Mass schedule. At other parish families, staff are busily planning both farewell and welcome events for the upcoming official changes. All of this preparation is laying the groundwork for the official start of parish families on July 1, 2024, which begins the three-year period of welcoming, restructuring and re-envisioning.

To help parish families with this transition, the **Archdiocese of Seattle hired 8 parish liaisons** who have been trained to support parish families in the process of becoming one parish. Each liaison has been assigned a group of parish families and has spent the last few weeks getting to know the pastors and parish staff at each of their locations as they prepare to journey with parish families over the next few years.

Specifically, **parish liaisons** will use the tools, resources, and other guidance to **help each parish family navigate how to approach prayer and worship**, evangelization, administration, governance and more in their new configuration — accounting for the gifts and needs of its community. They will also support the parish in the creation of the One Parish Plan, which will be presented to the archbishop before becoming one canonical parish in about three years.

In addition to the direct support from an assigned liaison, parish families will have a comprehensive parish support plan and many tools and resources to help them every step of the way. **Chancery teams are ready to support needs or answer questions with a new call center**, ongoing Partners in the Gospel online trainings, and dedicated team members to quickly address parish family needs.

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WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT?

- Father Jacob Maurer

The Lord is the strength of his people, a saving refuge for the one he has anointed.
Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage, and govern them for ever.

Cf. Ps 28 (27): 8-9

If there's gospel for every age, this would be it! The Lord's words ring true across every generation's struggle: "Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?" (Mark 4:40)

It is not that the Lord is callous to the fears of those He loves. On the contrary, the first thing He does is to calm the storm that has so frightened His Apostles. The wind and sea rebuked, He turns to His Apostles not to



rebuke *them* so much as to rebuke the storms yet in their hearts.

Even the words Jesus uses offer insight into His challenge: "Quiet! Be still!". Who among us couldn't use more quiet

and stillness in our life?! Even when the storms of life are raging around us - *especially* then! - ours is to take time to rest in the Lord.

This last week before the next phase of *Partners in the Gospel*, with the goodbyes we will offer each other and the hellos we prepare for our new priests, may we take care to daily sit with Jesus. Though He invites us to pour out our thoughts and feelings, He most of all enjoys the pleasure of our presence! Let us seek Him in prayer, responding to His invitation to still ourselves in quiet, allowing our faith in His love and care to carry us where He wills.

Monday, June 24 is the solemnity of the nativity of Saint John the Baptist. Though little is known about his early life, the miraculous circumstances of his conception certainly indicated that his was to be a special vocation!



Though John glorified the Lord even before he was born - leaping in the womb at the sound of Mary's voice - it was his humility that stands out: 'He must increase; I must decrease'. May we similarly orient our lives towards Christ, rejoicing at His presence and guiding others to encounter Him.

A prayer for our priests (current & future!)

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments.

Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Set their souls on fire with love for your people. Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom.

Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel. Allow them to experience joy in their ministry. Help them to become instruments of your divine grace.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest. Amen.