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Baptisms: Please prepare for infant/child baptism by contacting the office at ext. 15. For adult baptisms, see OCIA.

Weddings: Please call the office, ext. 16. Coordinate with Mark before setting date.

Funerals: Contact the office at ext. 14.

OCIA (Becoming Catholic) and Learning About The Catholic Faith:
Everyone is invited to learn more about the faith or seek to become a Catholic. Contact the parish office at ext. 16.

Annulments: Confidential help is available. Please call the office at ext. 16.

Pastoral Care: Please contact the office at ext. 11 for ministry to the sick, homebound, disabled, incarcerated, or indigent.

Welcome to Holy Redeemer Parish

July 30th, 2023

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastor Father Thomas Nathe



GLORIFY GOD AND SANCTIFY SOULS!

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm

Church Open: 7:30am - 4:00pm daily

Mass Schedule: Saturday Vigil 4:30pm
Sunday 8:30am and 11:00am
Monday-Saturday 8:30am

Rosary: Saturday 4:10pm
Sunday 8:10am and 10:40am
Monday - Saturday 8:10am

Confessions: Friday 4:00 - 5:15pm
Saturday 2:30 - 4:15pm
Sunday 7:45 - 8:15am and 10:00 - 10:45am

Eucharistic Adoration: Friday 9:00am - Saturday 8:00am

Please remember Holy Redeemer Parish in your will.

**WEEK OF 7/30/2023
LITURGICAL SCHEDULE**

Please join us 20 minutes prior to Mass to pray the Rosary.

Sunday: 07/30

17th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Mass: 8:30am & 11:00am (Church)

Confession: 7:45-8:15AM, 10:00-10:45am

Monday: 07/31

8:30am~Daily Mass *Vivian Quidachay*+

12:00pm~ Angelus (Facebook Live)

5:00pm~ Evening Prayer (Facebook Live)

Tuesday: 08/01

8:30am ~ Daily Mass *Walter Jederberg*+

12:00pm~ Angelus (Facebook Live)

5:00pm~ Evening Prayer (Facebook Live)

Wednesday: 08/02

8:30am~Mass *Whyberneck Family*+

12:00pm~ Angelus (Facebook Live)

5:00pm~ Evening Prayer (Facebook Live)

Thursday: 08/03

8:30am~Mass *Fred Koch*

12:00pm~ Angelus and Prayer to Our Lady of Seattle (Facebook)

Friday: 08/04

8:30am~Mass *Margaret Valentine*+

All Day Eucharistic Adoration

3:00pm~Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Church)

Confessions ~ 4:00pm-5:15pm

Saturday: 08/05

8:30am~ Daily Mass *Darwin Carlson*+

4:30pm ~ Saturday Vigil Mass (Church)

Confessions ~ 2:30pm-4:15pm

Sunday: 08/06

Transfiguration of the Lord

Mass: 8:30 am & 11:00am (Church)



"Awesome is
God in his
holy place,
God who
unites those
who dwell in
his house; he
himself gives
might and
strength to his
people."

Psalm 68:6-7,36



**WEEK OF 7/30/2023
MINISTRIES & MEETINGS.**

Glorify God and Sanctify Souls!

Sunday: 07/30

17th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Monday: 07/31

9:00am ~ Monday Marian Movement

(Sacristy Meeting Room)

6:30pm~ Spanish Endow (Annex)

Tuesday: 08/01

5:30pm~ Knights of Columbus Council

(Church Sacristy Room)

6pm~ OCIA Meeting (Parish Center)

Wednesday: 08/02

5:30pm~ Forming Intentional Disciples Book Study (Church Sacristy Room)

6:30pm~ Healing of Families Prayer Night (Church)

Thursday: 08/03

9:15 am~ Marian Movement (Sacristy Meeting Room)

7:00pm~Young Adult Rosary (Annex)

Friday: 08/04

6:30pm~ Empty Nester BBQ (Parish Center)

Saturday: 08/05

9:00am~ Men of Faith (Parish Center)

9:15am~ Saturday Marian Movement (Choir Practice Room)

Sunday: 08/06

Transfiguration of the Lord

Please Remember in your prayers:



Sal Agosta, Amelia Austria+, Paul Bennett, James Lewis Boudreaux+, Tony Braunstein Jr.+, Darla Brock, Terry Channey, Cindy Crawford, Tina Marie Ellis, John Essman+, Evelyn Ferma, Allyn Gallant, Ken Greenlee, Dennis William Hamich+, Ralph Henry+, Aaron Kennedy, Don Knippel, Jack Mahoney, John Matthew, Carol Patrick, Diane Poissant, Karen Renner+, Matthew Reynolds+ and Family, Gene Slagle+, Jerry Alton Thompson, Bill Toohey+, Tami Tucker

Thank You for Your Generosity!

Income	7/17-7/23
Sunday:	\$ 22,857
St. Vincent de Paul:	\$ 2,195

Pastor's ColumnJuly 30th, 2023

The Precepts of the Catholic Faith
Part Five of Seven Part Series

You can read the first part on our website www.holyredeemervan.org under "Resources – Pastor's Columns"

Jesus Christ: Yesterday, Today, and Forever ~

This week we continue our series on the Precepts of the Catholic Church: “pre” meaning “before”, and “cept” meaning “life” – before there can be full life in God, these seven laws must be observed. Failure to live them out would constitute a mortal sin: when one has knowledge of them, and acts without undue coercion to disregard them. “The obligatory character of these positive laws decreed by pastoral authorities is meant to guarantee to the faithful the very necessary *minimum* in the spirit of prayer and moral effort, in the growth in love of God and neighbor”. *Catechism #2041*. This week we continue working our way through them by exploring the fifth precept. They are listed here again as a reminder.

The Precepts of the Catholic Church

1. To attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation and rest from servile works.
2. To observe the days of abstinence and fasting.
3. To confess our sins to a priest at least once a year. Traditionally, during the seasons of Lent or Easter.
4. To receive Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist at least once a year: preferably during Lent or the Easter Seasons.
5. To contribute to the support of the Church [Stewardship of time, talent, and treasure (tithe)].
6. To obey the laws of the Church concerning Matrimony [Catholics who marry are obligated to wed in the Catholic Church].
7. To participate in the Church's mission of Evangelization of Souls.

There is no Jesus without the Catholic Church, and hence, there is no salvation without the Catholic Church. Let me explain. Jesus Christ is God, and He founded only one Church, and that Church is the Catholic (Greek for ‘universal’) Church. Before the Catholic Church, God made a covenant with the chosen people, now called Jews. If you belong to a religion other than Judaism or Catholicism, then God is not your founder. Jesus is the sole Redeemer of the human race. With His revelation, passion, death, and resurrection, a new covenant of salvation was created through the one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. Everything we know about Jesus Christ, the Holy Trinity, the Communion of saints, heaven, purgatory, and hell comes from the Catholic Church. It was the Catholic Church that wrote the New Testament and decided what books and letters would go into the Bible. It has been the Catholic Church passing on the same faith and sacraments for 2,000 years going back to our first Pope, Peter (“pope” is Greek for “leader”). It is through the font of baptism and the seven sacraments that the doors of heaven are opened for us and God’s grace can reach us in life saving ways. It is through the Catholic Church on earth (militant), in purgatory (suffering), and in heaven (triumphant) that we can be united to God and saved for eternal life. If you’re going to heaven, then you will become a member of the Catholic Church either in this life, or in the life to come.

Without an organization that was and still is divinely inspired and protected, the truth of Jesus Christ, as well as his entire mission of salvation, would have died with the Apostle’s generation in the first century AD.

That organization, the Catholic Church, has to be supported with her members' time, talent, and treasure or she will fail to achieve what the Lord has set out for her to achieve: the greater glory of God and the salvation of souls. In order for the Church to proclaim the gospel, administer sacraments, teach the faith, and perform the works of mercy, you and I have to practice the precepts and be stewards of the Church.

We gain more by giving than we do in receiving. Others have a great need for us to share our faith through our time, talent, and treasure to the Church, and we have an equally great need to share it. Please volunteer in whatever ways you can, and incrementally move toward tithing 10% of your income to the Church: 5% to the parish, and the other 5% to other Catholic charities. Jesus and souls are counting on us.

Next week: the sixth precept

May Our Lord Jesus Christ Eternally Bless You,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Fr. Thomas Nathe". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Fr. Thomas Nathe

-----> **Featured Ministry**
MMP Cenacle
(Marian Movement for Priests) <-----



THANK YOU



For Your Dedication and Prayers



Every week, three times a week, a community of prayer warriors come together at Holy Redeemer for the Marian Movement of Priests, otherwise known as the MMP Cenacle. It began in Europe in 1972.*

At Holy Redeemer, parishioner Romeo Brien (recently deceased) brought the Marian Movement of Priests to us. The MMP meets weekly to pray the Rosary in support of the Pope and the Magisterium. They read a message from Our Lady's "Blue Book" and consecrate themselves to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Meetings typically last one hour. The MMP has been a wonderful continuing source of instruction, consolation, and fellowship for many in our parish.

MMP Cenacle meets every Monday, Thursday, and Saturday in the Sacristy Meeting Room or Choir Practice Room after morning Mass. The MMP Cenacle welcomes all. If interested, please contact Ruth Iversen at 360 281-0096.

Please join us in praying with and for the MMP Cenacle at Holy Redeemer.

History of the Marian Movement for Priests

**The MMP Cenacle began in 1972 from an interior inspiration which Fr. Stefano Gobbi received in prayer while on pilgrimage to Fatima. The first meeting in the United States was held in 1973. By 1996, Fr. Gobbi had visited six continents. Today the M.M.P numbers 400 cardinals and bishops, over 100,000 priests and millions of religious and faithful around the world. For more information about MMP in the US, see <https://mmmp-usa.net/>.*

17th Annual Rosary Bowl NW

"The family that prays together, stays together"

Sat., Oct. 7th, 2023 | 9am-3pm
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Confession

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DIAPER DRIVE:
Bring diaper donations
to benefit Salem Right
to Life Education
Foundation

Location:

East Salem Community Center
1850 45th Ave. NE, Salem

Date: Sat., Oct. 7, 2023

Time: 9am-3pm

Info: rosarybowlnw.org

overflow parking at Blanchet Catholic School



GROWING IN HOLINESS

NEW TO HOLY REDEEMER?

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00am-4:00pm

Contact the Faith Formation Office to meet and discuss how we can work together to build God's Kingdom in East Vancouver! Sacramental needs? Education? Let us know how we can help. Contact Mark: 360.885.7780 ext. 16, or markm@holyredeemervanc.org

OCIA (Becoming Catholic) and Learning About the Catholic Faith: Contact Mark MacKenzie

PRAYER GROUPS

Marian Movement Groups: The Marian Movement has three groups that meet on different days of the week. The first group meets on Monday in the Sacristy meeting room, the second group meets Thursday in the Parish Center, and the third group meets on Saturday in the choir practice room. All groups meet at 9:00am. Contact Ruth Iversen at 360.281.0096, or ruth_iversen@icloud.com

Anne, a lay apostle: Anne, the author of *The Volumes*, received a message to have a prayer group meeting once a month. The Lay Apostle prayer group holds their meetings on the second Tuesday of the month at 9:00am in the parish center. Contact Jean Marie Amos at 360.260.7352, or jmamos1@juno.com

St. Joseph Cenacle Apostolate: Will not meet in the Summer and will return in the Fall. Members offer a weekly holy hour of prayers for our priests and will meet as a group on the third Wednesday of the month at 3:00pm in the parish center. Contact

Sandra Kocaja at ITEADIOSEPH2020@gmail.com

ADULTS

Bible Study: The morning Bible study sessions have ended for the season and will resume in the fall 2023. Stay tuned for upcoming evening Bible Study details in the bulletin.

Men of Faith: All men in the parish are invited to attend our monthly gatherings. We meet on the first Saturday of the month at 9:15am in the parish center. For more information contact Mark by email at markm@holyredeemervanc.org

Endow Women's Spiritual Studies: Through their small groups, women are learning how to be the best version of themselves—made in the image and likeness of God—and reaching out to those around them. For more information contact Jamie at jamiek@holyredeemervanc.org

Endow en español: Es un grupo para Mujeres donde podemos aprender acerca del amor de Jesus y María Ven y unite a nuestro grupo Todos los lunes de 6:00pm a 8:00pm en el Annex. Para mayor información Maria Chavez 360.513.4824 or angel77uver@gmail.com



Why is there something rather than nothing?

Why is everything so obviously messed up?

What if anything has God done about it?

How should I respond?



Ever ask yourself these questions?
We invite you to join us for The Rescue Project.

Together we can discover The Story.

POSTPONED TO AUGUST 17TH

THURSDAYS @ 6:30PM
IN THE PARISH CENTER

LIMITED SPACE

BOOKS \$15 CALL FF OFFICE TO SIGN UP

MEAL | EPISODE | DISCUSSION
All Adults and Teens are welcome!



GROWING IN HOLINESS

Faith Formation Enrollment Is Now Open

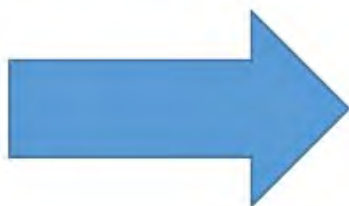
PLEASE READ ALL DIRECTIONS!

We have a new enrollment Process at Holy Redeemer!



Enroll your youth now in our parish based programs
for the 2023-2024 School year.

Scan the QR Code to enroll

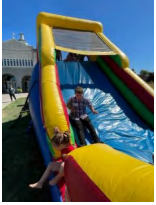


PARISH HAPPENINGS

Volunteer at Clark Co. Right to Life at the Clark County Fair 2023

Volunteers are needed to staff the Right to Life exhibit at the Clark County Fair this **August 4-13**. Interested? Contact Gerry Parmantier gerry1968@q.com or call/text 360-831-7542 for more information. More info at Fair Exhibit page at www.ClarkRTL.org

Parish Picnic August 27th ~12pm-3pm



Family fun and games return this year with burgers and hotdogs, potluck, popcorn, snow cones, bounce house, kids games, Bingo and more.

We're now accepting prizes for games, Bingo and the raffle. Interested in helping out? Bring prizes to the Parish Office or contact Don Anderson by email at dona@holyrredeemervanc.org.

St. Vincent de Paul Needs/Request

This summer more families are visiting the pantry at St. Vincent de Paul and the shelves are in high need of hygiene and food items. Bring items to the Narthex of the Church or deliver directly to their facility at 2456 NE Stapleton Road, Vancouver on Mon-Friday, 9am-3pm. Questions? Call 360-694-5388.

Prepares Holy Redeemer Chapter provides pregnancy and

parenting support services to local families from pregnancy to the child's fifth birthday and is open to all. You can volunteer to assist with organizing the clothing closet, filling PREPARES bags, and as family companions. Contact Nancy Kern at (360)798-0229 or prepares@hrvan.org.



IN & BEYOND OUR PARISH

Rachel's Corner



Hope and Healing After Abortion
If the thoughts and feelings you have carried inside since the day of your participation in an abortion decision have burdened you with regret and remorse, join other women and men for healing and forgiveness.

Eng.: (206) 920-6413 / Sp: (206)-450-7814

Email projectrachel@ccsw.org. Visit us at www.ccsw.org/projectrachel or www.facebook.com/projectrachelwv.

Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.



Retrouvaille

Considering Separation or Divorce?

Wait! There is an alternative. Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi) has brought healing to tens of thousands of troubled marriages worldwide. Your situation may seem hopeless, but there is always hope, and you are not alone in your struggle. For confidential information about Retrouvaille, or to register for upcoming programs call 206-706-2608 or go to www.helpourmarriage.org.

Save the Date! Annual Rosary Bowl ~ October 7th, 2023

The 17th Annual Rosary Bowl NW will be held at the East Salem Community Center from 9am-3pm. See the insert in this week's bulletin for the description or go to their website www.rosarybowlnw.org.

IN & BEYOND OUR PARISH

World Wide Marriage Encounter (WWME)



"The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field, which a

person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and buys that field." Find the buried treasures in your marriage by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on Oct 13-15, 2023 at Archbishop Brunett Retreat Center at the Palisades, Federal Way, WA, or on Oct 6-8 Immaculate Heart Retreat Center in Spokane, WA or Aug 25-27 in Beaverton, OR. For more information about Worldwide Marriage Encounter, please visit www.wwme.org. For questions, or to find out more about a Virtual Encounter Weekend, feel free to contact: Jeff and Sandy Corneil 360-930-2321. Follow WWME on Instagram and Facebook!

Catholic Job Opportunity



Regina Caeli Academy, a homeschool hybrid has two open tutor positions for this school year. If you are

interested in working with students in a Catholic, classical education setting, please consider applying!
<https://rcahybrid.isolvedhire.com/jobs/country/us/state/Washington-WA>

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