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15. For adult baptisms, see RCIA.
Weddings: Please call the office, ext.
16. Coordinate with Mark before setting date.
Funerals: Contact the office at ext. 11.
RCIA (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. 14 for ministry to the sick, homebound, disabled, incarcerated, or indigent. Welcome to Holy Redeemer Parish

## May 7, 2023 5th Sunday of Easter

Pastor Father Thomas Nathe



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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 5/7/2023 LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

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

05/07

05/08

**5th Sunday of Easter** Mass: 8:30am & 11:00am (Church) Confession: 7:30-8:15AM, 10:00-10:45am

#### <u>Monday:</u>

<u>Tuesday:</u>

Sunday:

8:30am~Daily Mass Romeo Brien+ 12:00pm~ Angelus (Facebook Live) 5:00pm~ Evening Prayer (Facebook Live)

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8:30am ~ Daily Mass Harry Heppert 12:00pm~ Angelus (Facebook Live) 5:00pm~ Evening Prayer (Facebook Live)

#### Wednesday:

8:30am~Mass Fr. Ignatius Shen, SJ + 12:00pm~ Angelus (Facebook Live) 5:00pm~ Evening Prayer (Facebook Live)

#### <u>Thursday:</u>

8:30am~Mass Fr. Ignatius Shen, SJ+ 12:00pm~ Angelus (Facebook Live)

#### Friday:

8:30am~Mass Donald Brosius + All Day Eucharistic Adoration 3:00pm~Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Church) Confessions ~ 4:00pm-5:15pm

#### <u>Saturday:</u>

Sunday:

8:30am~ Daily Mass *Mary Ann Bock*+ 4:30pm ~ Saturday Vigil Mass (Church) Confessions ~ 2:30pm-4:15pm

05/14

6th Sunday of Easter Sunday Mass: 8:30 am & 11:00am (Church) Confessions ~ 7:45-8:15am, 10:00am-10:45am

#### Please Remember in your prayers:



Sal Agosta, Lynn Blair, Bonnie and Jim Bradburn, Romeo Brien+, Carol Crawford, Terry Channey, John Cothran, Bonnie Craig, Evelyn Ferma, Yvonne Gomes, Irma Gomez+, Bob Grenz, Aaron Hodges, Jim Hudson, Carlos Lourenco, Jack Mahonewy, Kate

McJanet+, Kay Magistrale+, John Matthew, Matthew Reynolds+ and Family, Bud Reynolds+, Bill Toohey+, Daniel Torres+, Vincent Troiano+, Tammy Tucker, Peg and Ed Uribi, Louise Marie Vaillancourt+ and the Vaillancourt Family, Ian Joseph Verzosa+, George Wetzel+.



"LORD, LET YOUR MERCY BE ON US AS WE PLACE OUR TRUST IN YOU." ~Psalm 33:22

#### WEEK OF 5/7/2023 MINISTRIES & MEETINGS.

Glorify God and Sanctify Souls!

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Sunday:	05/07
5th Sunday of Easter	
Monday:	05/08
9:00am ~ Monday Marian Movement	
(Church Sacristy Meeting Room)	
12:30pm Pinochle Group (Parish Cent	ter)
4:30pm~ AHG (Parish Center)	
6:30pm~ TLUSA (Parish Center)	
6:30pm~ Spanish Endow (Annex)	
6:30pm~ Endow (Zoom)	
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Tuesday:	05/09
9:00am~ Lay Apostles Prayer Group (	Parish
Center)	
6:00pm~ RCIA (Parish Center)	
Wednesday:	05/10
9:00am~ Women's Bible Study (Paris	h Cen-
ter and St. Francis)	
5:00pm~ Children's Choir (Choir Rm	ı)
6:00pm~ Fidelis and Fraternis	
Thursday:	05/11
9:00am~ Endow (St Cecilia Room)	
9:00am~ Marian Movement (Parish C	
7:00pm~ Adult Choir (Choir Practice	
7:00pm~ Young Adult Rosary (Annex	()

Friday: 05/12 10:30am~ Homeschool (Parish Center)

Saturday:05/139:15am~ Sat. Marian Movement (Choir Rm)6:30pm~ Empty Nesters Movie Night<br/>(Annex)

05/14

<u>Sunday:</u> 6th Sunday of Easter

Income	4/24-4/30	
Sunday:	\$	23,779.00
Realizing Hope:	\$	889.00
St. Vincent de Paul:	\$	595.00

#### Pastor's Column

May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023

#### Annual Catholic Appeal – Follow Up

Jesus Christ is Risen – Alleluia!

A few weeks ago, you received a letter from Archbishop Etienne, and one from me last week introducing you to this year's Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA). Each year at this time we pause and consider all the good that is accomplished because of your support of the ACA: the homeless are sheltered, retired priests and nuns are cared for, our seminarians are prepared to serve as our future priests, and so much more. If you haven't already done so, I pray you will join me in supporting the Catholic Church in Western Washington by giving to the 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal. The support of every parish is critical to the success of the Archdiocese and its many ministries.

Regarding the financial piece, our combined Archdiocesan & Parish goal for this year is \$175,000. With that said, the more important goal is <u>participation</u> and we have set that goal at 100%. I invite you to join your fellow parishioners, along with thousands of other Catholics across Western Washington to make a difference by making a gift today.

When we meet our Annual Catholic Appeal goal, we will fulfill our responsibility to support over 60 ministries of the Archdiocese, and we will be able to set aside much needed funds to install security cameras on our parish campus and to increase our disaster preparedness and recovery plans and equipment. Over the years we've had problems with trespassing, vandalism and cars being broken into, especially during Mass (clever devils). We also have an ongoing problem with reckless drivers in our parking lot at all hours of the day and night. It's your generosity that will make the ministry of the Archdiocese and this much needed parish project a reality. I hope to be able to count on you and your good stewardship.

I am asking every household in the parish to commit to 1% of your annual household income or \$1.50 a day (\$550) (whichever is more) over the course of the next year. Some of us can commit to more than that, and we really depend on you to do that if you can, yet every gift will make a difference so please commit to something. If you haven't already contributed to the 2023 ACA (which started April 20<sup>th</sup>) please do so today by scanning the QR code to the right, or going to <u>https://archseattle.org/giveaca</u>, or filling out the form you received from the Archbishop in the mail. For any questions



call the parish office at 1-360-885-7780 or the Archdiocese at 1-800-809-4921. For those of you who have already made a commitment – thank you for your generosity!

Finally this: bequests, please remember Holy Redeemer Parish in your will. Because we are a new parish, we don't get as many bequests as most parishes our size, yet bequests are so helpful in funding our many large projects – especially our future multipurpose building. If you haven't yet put Holy Redeemer in your will, please do so. It is a gift that keeps on giving long after we've parted this world, a gift for which generations of Holy Redeemer parishioners will be eternally grateful.

May the Risen Christ Bless You,

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Fr. Thomas Nathe

## **Annual Catholic Appeal**



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PICTURED FROM TOP LEFT: Suicide prevention training, Women in Leadership, Hospital ministry

Through the **Annual Catholic Appeal**, we have the opportunity to support our local Catholic community. This archdiocesan-wide campaign provides vital funding for ministries that serve people and parishes throughout our region.

#### Your gift helps support ministries that bring Christ's light to others, such as:

- Youth and Young Adult
- Mental Health
- Hospital and Healthcare
- Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)
  - Camps and Athletics
- Immigrant and Refugee
- Diaconate and lay formation

- Priest and seminarian support
- Support services for parishes
- ... and dozens more

To learn about all ministries in the Archdiocese of Seattle, please review the Annual Report at https://archseattle.org/finance

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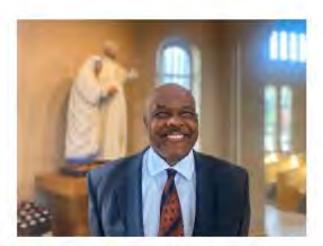
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BULLETIN 2

## Meet Our New Administrator: Don Anderson

Words cannot express how honored and fortunate I feel to be asked to serve this parish



as the new administrator. I am writing to provide you with a brief biographical statement.



I was born and raised in Portland, Oregon and I attended college at the University of Oregon and at Pepperdine University. While at the University of Oregon I met my wife Linda, and we got married while still in college. We are currently in year 42 of marriage. (The picture to the left is from our 4<sup>th</sup> year of marriage) We have been blessed with four wonderful children, a daughter in law, and two grandchildren who all attend Holy Redeemer.

After my college days ended, I attended Officer Training School with the USAF, and was commissioned a Lieutenant. I was a contracts negotiator for Space Systems Division at Los Angeles Air Force Base for five years. I have had a number of professional roles since my Air Force days to include managing pharmaceutical sales representatives, owning a sports performance business, and owning a recruiting firm as well.

My spiritual journey began early in life. My parents were Southern Baptists, and I was raised in that tradition. My grandfather was a Baptist preacher. By the time I came along, he was retired so I only heard him preach one time. But I do remember it was a "hell fire and brimstone" sermon. The Baptist tradition in which I was raised spent more time on hell than heaven!!

Every Sunday from as early an age as I can remember, it was Sunday School, followed by the church service, followed by dinner at my grandparents home. And it was that way for everyone in my social network. It was a wonderful way to grow up.

When I left home for college, I followed the traditional path of young people; I didn't set foot in a church again unless it was for a funeral or for a wedding for about 15 years. Then along came children. My wife insisted that children should be raised with a moral foundation, and she was raised Catholic. So off to the Catholic church we went. I agreed with her that children should be raised with a moral foundation, and I attended church because I wanted to set a great example for them. Not the best reason, but a good reason nonetheless.

I just wanted to warm the pew from 11:00am to 12:00pm and call it good. You know, sneak in and out of the side door and not get noticed. But God had different ideas. After about 5 years of listening to Fr. Mitchell, I began to wonder if what he was saying was true. I began to research and I began to think. (Thinking is always a dangerous business!!) Then an usher asked me to become an assistant usher. (I thought, oh no...I KNEW they would start asking for my active engagement!)

Then Fr. Mitchell asked me to be a part of the Evangelization Team. (Again, I thought, oh no....I KNEW they would start asking for more engagement.) Then Fr. Nathe asked me to be Administrator. (And I thought, "You've got to be kidding me!! More active engagement?")

I felt like Jonah.....the more I try to run, the more I get called!! (What will God send next, a whale?) But here has been the blessing: the more engaged I became, the more I grew in my faith.

The more I grew in my faith, the more I grew in my relationship with the parish.

The more I grew in my relationship with the parish, the more I grew in my relationship with God.

So, there is the short version of my faith journey story. The moral to the story I think is this: get engaged.

What I learned was this: the more you put in, the more you get out. (Or as they used to say in the South: "What you give, is what you get".)

I am thrilled to be given an opportunity to serve you all, and I am thrilled to be given an opportunity to serve our God.

And I am also scared to death to follow in the footsteps of the greatness of Mr. Ed!

But fear is a great motivator.

And with your love and support I'm sure that together we will grow our parish in its mission to Glorify God and Sanctify Souls.

I am looking forward to serving you all in this new role.

Viva Cristo Rey!

Don Anderson

Don Anderson



Don and his oldest son Reggie at his wedding! (That's Reggie's Uncle Ed with all the hair.)

# All are invited to the MASS OF ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

## John Paul Tomassi & Sylvester Chanda



Saturday, June 3, 2023 10:00am St. James Cathedral, Seattle



The Knights of Columbus have reserved 2 buses for the ordinations! Tickets are \$40 and include a sack lunch. Buses will leave the Holy Redeemer parking lot at 6AM on June 3rd and return about 4PM. Spaces are limited! Scan the QR code to reserve your spot!



Holy Redeemer Catholic Church 17010 NE 9th Street Vancouver, WA 98682 www.holyredeemervan.org/parish-events/ordinations



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Please return bottles May 20th and 21st to the Narthex

## **GROWING IN HOLINESS**

#### <u>NEW TO HOLY REDEEMER?</u> 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 Jean Marie Amos at 360.260.7352, or

#### <u>jmamos1@juno.com</u>

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:** 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 Koceja 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

#### <u>NEW-Women's Bible Study-</u> <u>Bring Your Children-NEW</u>

Please join other women for a seven week Bible study on the Feminine Genius! We will meet Wednesdays from 9:30 -10:30 am in the Parish Center. Materials will be provided, and there is no homework or outside reading. This study is open to women who may need to bring their children with them. Come with a plan for patience and flexibility as we trial what

works best to accommodate both moms and kids! We will have some quiet toys and coloring pages/supplies in one part of the room to help occupy the kids. Moms will be responsible for their own children. Please plan to arrive between 9:15-9:20 to allow children to get settled before the study

begins at 9:30. Please contact Teresa Martin at <u>trmakar@gmail.com</u>to RSVP.

#### 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

#### YOUNG ADULTS

Join other young adults of the parish for prayer and fellowship! Meet in the Annex weekly on Thursdays at 7pm to pray a rosary, and support one another in our faith!

#### MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE Celebrate Divine Mercy

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Middle School Intensive:

JULY 17-21

Vacation Bible School: AUGUST 7-11



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#### PARISH HAPPENINGS

#### **IN & BEYOND OUR PARISH**

### Ordínatíon Mass June 3rd!

Support Vocations by attending



the Ordination Mass for **Deacon John Paul** Tomassi who will be ordained on Saturday June 3rd at St. James Cathedral in Seattle! The Knights of Columbus

have reserved two busses to go up and back that day. The Serra Club will be selling tickets in the Narthex after all Masses on 5/6-7 and 5/20-21 @ \$40 per person (includes lunch). See the bulletin insert for details.

The next day, 6/4, Fr. Tomassi will come back in Vancouver to celebrate his first Mass at Holy Redeemer at the 11:00am Mass with a reception thereafter in the Parish Center.

## Mother's Day is May 14th



Mother's Day is next week! You can honor the special ladies in your life by including them in the Mother's Day Novena of Masses this year. Names

need to be submitted to the Parish Office by May 12th Friday at 4pm to be included in the Mass intentions during the Mother's Day Novena of Masses. Cards are available at the entrances to the Church.

#### **Prepares** Holy Redeemer



Chapter is hosting their first annual Baby Bottle Fund Drive during the weekend of Mother's Day, May 13th and 14th. Volunteers will be handing out bottles next weekend and will collect them

May 20th & 21st. See bulletin insert for more details!



Graduate Calling all Holy **Redeemer families** with graduating High

School Seniors! Feature your Grad in the Graduate Email Blast — an online Senior "yearbook" from Holy Redeemer Parish. See the weekly eblast for how to sign up or call Annie at the Parish Office for more info!

### Safe Envíronment VIRTUS Training

Do you want to volunteer at Holy Redeemer but still need to take your VIRTUS Safe Environment Class? There will be a Safe Environment Class on Tuesday May 16th at 6PM in the Sacristy Meeting Room go to virtusonline.org to register.

## Public Square Rosary



There will be a Public Square Rosary Crusade on Saturday May 13th at 12:00pm at the corner of SE Mill Plain and Chklov, put on by the America Needs Fatima Campaign.

## New Women's Bíble Study (with Littles)

You are invited to a new Women's Bible Study in the Parish Center. Women are welcome to bring children



under parent's supervision. The study runs Wednesday mornings May 3rd

through June 14th at 9:30am for an hour. Contact Teresa Martin by email at <u>trmakar@gmail.com</u> to RSVP.

## Your Rachel's Corner

The Project Rachel ministry invites anyone wounded by abortion to allow Jesus to bring new life through His mercy and healing. Come and see what it feels like to not carry around shame and regret anymore. Contact English: (206) 920-6413 (leave a confidential message) or Español: (206)-450-7814 (deje un mensaje confidencial)

Email projectrachel@ccsww.org. See www.ccsww.org/projectrachel or www.facebook.com/projectrachelww.

Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services. You are loved with an everlasting Love!

## WorldWide Marriage Encouter

"...I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly." Live your married lives "more abundantly" by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experiences on June 23-25 In Salem, Oregon or August 25-27 in Beaverton, Oregon. To apply for YOUR WWME Experience or search other dates go to rediscoverthespark.org. For information about WWME call 503-704-0836 or by email at reservations@rediscoverthespark.org

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