

Baptism of the Lord

St. Therese is a Spiritual Home where together we
Worship with Joy • Work for Justice • Grow in God's Love

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Upcoming Parish Events...

- Sun Jan 13 **Feast of the Baptism of the Lord**
- Tue Jan 15 Weekday Mass 5:30pm
Spirit Choir Rehearsal 8pm
- Wed Jan 16 Staff Meeting Noon
Shelter Steering Committee 6pm
- Thu Jan 17 Shades of Praise Rehearsal 6:30pm
Finance Council meeting 7pm
- Fri Jan 18 Park Shore Mass 11am
- Sun Jan 20 **Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**
- Tue Jan 22 Weekday Mass 5:30pm
Spirit Choir Rehearsal 8pm
- Wed Jan 23 Fr. Maurice Scripture Study 6pm



ST. THERESE DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR DAY MARCH

MONDAY, JANUARY 21

March begins 12:30pm

St. Therese parishioners meet at the
north doors of Medgar Evers Pool,
500 23rd Ave., at 12:15pm.

All are welcome!

All parishioners are invited to wear
red and black. St. Therese Catholic
Academy students are invited to
wear your St. Therese
t-shirts or sweatshirts.

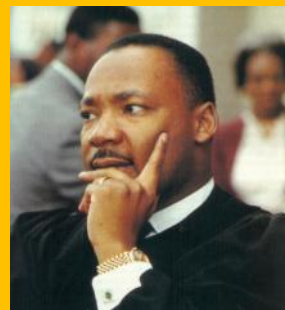
St. Vincent de Paul in Our Parish

ST. VINCENT de PAUL NEWS – Please remember to bring food donations to all Masses. (When not under the altar, the food baskets are in the Reservation Chapel near the north vestibule.) Our donations for Leschi Elementary School homeless students and the Food Bank at St. Mary's Church are an important part of our mission. Your help is greatly appreciated!

Next Sunday, the third of the month, will be our financial collection. With your generosity and assistance from some of our friends outside the parish, we have been able to pay rents so no one who has requested help has gone homeless. This is the most important goal of our conference and those throughout King County.

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ARCHDIOCESE OF SEATTLE DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. MASS



MONDAY, JANUARY 21, 11AM MASS

SEATTLE UNIVERSITY—ST. IGNATIUS CHAPEL
901 12TH AVE. SEATTLE

The Black Catholic Advisory Circle of the Archdiocese of Seattle, in partnership with the Seattle University Institute for Catholic Thought and Culture, will host a Mass celebrating the legacy of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. The Mass and celebration are an ongoing acknowledgement of our call to discipleship which draws Catholics of all backgrounds from around the Archdiocese. This Mass will not only celebrate the memory of Dr. Martin Luther King, but will inspire us to continue in unity to stand up for justice.

Our guest speaker will be author, radio and former television host, Deacon Arthur L. Miller. Deacon Miller is a certified trainer in Dr. King's nonviolence philosophy as well as a Certified Spiritual Director and is a board member for Connecticut Center for Nonviolence.

Liturgical Ministers
Sunday, January 20

Bread Baker Marty Koenigs

Deacon

All Masses Greg McNabb

Eucharistic Ministers

8:30am Ann Kuder, Kim Dawson
Noon Henry Jerez, Louise LaDay
Sue Jackels, Matthew Dill

Lectors

8:30am Jim Yearby, Catherine Pagès
Noon Sharon Spence-Wilcox,
Dave Tawatao
5pm Gwen Peeté, Steve Dunphy

Greeters

8:30am Gary Edwards, Margaret Carter
Noon Alec Stephens, Chuck Jackels
5pm James & Lucita Valiere

Hospitality

8:30am Tim & Marie Allen
Noon Jen Tawatao
5pm Barbara Peete

January 13, 2019

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Reading 1 [IS 42:1-4, 6-7](#)

Responsorial Psalm [PS 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10](#)

Reading 2 [TI 2:11-14; 3:4-7](#)

Gospel [LK 3:15-16, 21-22](#)

8:30am Fr. Maurice Mamba
Spirit Choir

Noon Fr. Maurice Mamba
Shades of Praise Choir

5pm Fr. Maurice Mamba
Jubilation Choir

Weekday Mass on Tuesday at 5:30pm
Mass at Park Shore
at 11am on 1st & 3rd Fridays

8am Masses on Wednesday, Thursday
& Friday in the rectory Chapel
and 5pm Vigil Mass in the church
at our sister parish, Immaculate Conception Church,
820 18th Avenue, Seattle
Reconciliation by Appointment 206-720-7275

Catholic Advocacy Day

Join us **Thursday, February 7**, and make your voice count for the common good in this crucial state legislative session.

What is Catholic Advocacy Day?

Catholic Advocacy Day is an opportunity to meet with your legislators to advocate for just and equitable policies.

What will Catholic Advocacy Day Include?

- Legislative issue briefings and examples of advocacy making an impact
- Over 130 appointments with state legislators
- Mass

Transportation Available?

There will be buses for the trip to Olympia. All bus departures will be early in the morning (6 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. depending on the location). We anticipate stops at Bellevue, Seattle and Tacoma.

To register and for questions:

It is FREE to participate and you can register [online](#). If you can't register online or if you have any questions, you may contact the Intercommunity Peace & Justice Center at catholicadvocacyday@ipjc.org or 206-223-1138.

PARISH FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Received Dec. 23 - Jan. 6: \$37,527
This fiscal year since July 1: \$191,802
Last fiscal year at this date: \$197,929

PLEASE REMEMBER TO RETURN YOUR STEWARDSHIP PLEDGE CARD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE! Thank you!

Bible Study with Fr. Maurice Resumes!

The next Bible Study with Fr. Maurice begins Wed., Jan. 23, at 6pm, in the Parish Center. The group will explore text from the Acts of the Apostles. *Newcomers are always welcome.*

Peace and Spirituality Center

Peace Days for Women

"Questions Jesus Asked" led by Sr. Carmel Little, CSJP, **Wed., Jan. 16**, at 9:30am for coffee and fellowship. 10am till 2pm for the program.

Bring a sack lunch – Free Will Offering

LIFE AND DIGNITY OF
THE HUMAN PERSON

CALL TO FAMILY, COMMUNITY & PARTICIPATION

CARE FOR GOD'S
CREATION

SOLIDARITY

OPTION FOR THE POOR
AND VULNERABLE

RIGHTS AND
RESPONSIBILITIES

DIGNITY OF WORK &
RIGHTS OF WORKERS

CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHINGS

The Social Justice Commission (SJC) is committed to act as leaven for the St. Therese parish in becoming a more just community and a community for justice. Each month, in an effort to be that leaven in action, the SJC will share information and resources on one of the seven themes of Catholic Social Teaching. Our hope is to inspire and support all of the wonderful ministries that the St. Therese family engages in and enrich our understanding of these precious themes.

This month we focus on

CALL TO FAMILY, COMMUNITY, AND PARTICIPATION

The person is not only sacred but also social. How we organize our society—in economics and politics, in law and policy—directly affects human dignity and the capacity of individuals to grow in community. Marriage and the family are the central social institutions that must be supported and strengthened, not undermined. We believe people have a right and a duty to participate in society, seeking together the common good and well-being of all, especially the poor and vulnerable.

Scripture

Only if you thoroughly reform your ways and your deeds; if each of you deals justly with your neighbor; if you no longer oppress the alien, the orphan, and the widow; if you no longer shed innocent blood in this place or follow after other gods to your own harm, only then will I let you continue to dwell in this place, in the land I gave your ancestors long ago and forever.

Jeremiah 7:5-8

You have been told, O mortal, what is good, and what the LORD requires of you: only to do justice and to love goodness, and to walk humbly with your God

Micah 6:8

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord.

Luke 4:17-19

Above all, let your love for one another be intense, because love covers a multitude of sins. Be hospitable to one another without complaining. As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace.

I Peter 4:8-10

Questions for Reflection?

In our families and faith communities, how can we cultivate a sense of responsibility for building a society in which the dignity of each person is recognized and protected?

How does your own participation in one or more communities enable you to contribute toward creating a global community in God's vision of justice?

Prayer to Build Communities in God's Vision of Justice

Holy Spirit, We praise and thank you! You anoint us to bring glad tidings to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives, recover sight for the blind, free the oppressed, and build communities in keeping with God's vision of justice. Show us how to be light of the world, salt of the earth, seeds that sprout love, and leaven that infuses humanity with the desire to promote human dignity and solidarity. Help us to listen so that those in poverty can lead our efforts to proclaim a more hopeful vision, liberate captives from injustice, heal the blindness of the powerful free us all from self-centeredness and build community to overcome poverty. Amen.

The above was obtained from the following sources. For more information, videos, and handouts, go to:

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops: <http://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/what-we-believe/catholic-social-teaching/life-and-dignity-of-the-human-person.cfm>

Catholic Relief Services: <https://www.crs.org/resource-center/CST-101>

We Can Do It!

YOU'RE INVITED

2019 St. Therese Catholic Academy Dinner & Auction

March 9, 2019
5:30-9:30 pm

SoDo Park
3200 1st Ave S | Seattle



Tickets on sale now

\$100 Individual | \$1,000 Table of 10

Purchase at STCAsSeattle.org - Click on Auction