



# SACRED HEART CHURCH

A Parish Family with St. Monica, Mercer Island

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## SUNDAY - APRIL 26, 2026

### LITURGY SCHEDULE

#### Sunday Mass

9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, and 5:00 PM Mass

#### Saturday Vigil Mass

5:00 PM (Live-streamed)

#### Confessions

Wednesday 8:15 - 8:35 AM

Saturday 3:00 - 4:30 PM

#### Weekday Rosary

Monday, Thursday and Friday

8:15 AM

Wednesday

8:00 AM

#### Weekday Mass

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

8:45 AM

First Friday of the Month Mass 7:00 AM

#### Rosary Group

Monday 7:00 PM

#### Weekly Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday 2:00 - 4:00 PM

First Friday of the Month Eucharistic Adoration

9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

#### Sacrament Preparation

425-454-9536

#### OFFICE HOURS

##### Parish

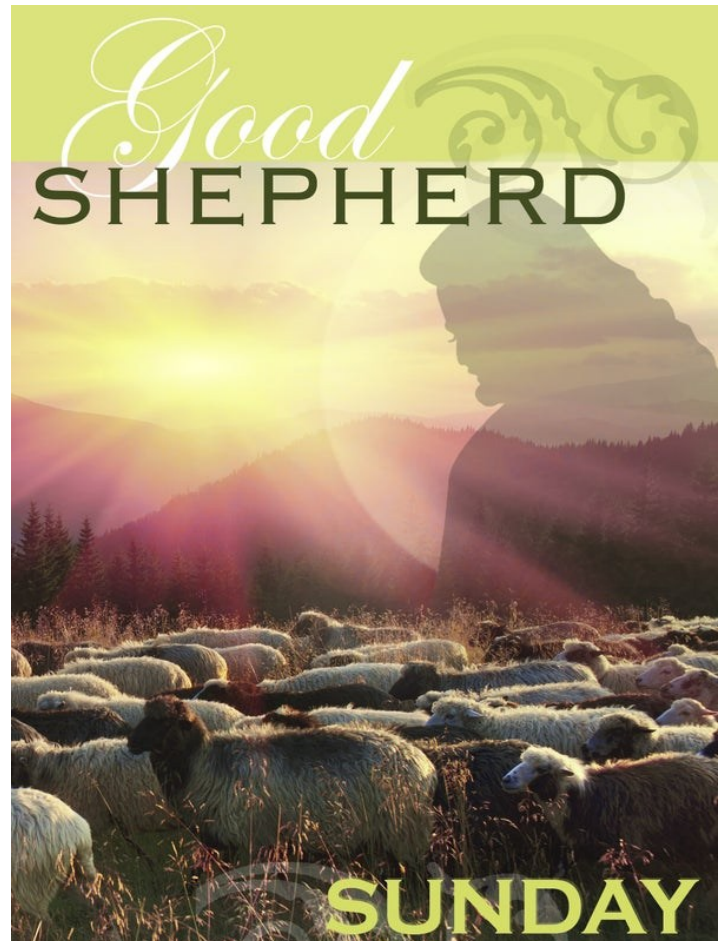
8:30 AM - 4:00 PM Mon - Fri

##### School

8:00 AM - 4:00 PM Mon - Fri

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Sacred Heart Parish  
is a welcoming Catholic community,  
which inspires faith in God,  
through prayer, sacraments, and service,  
while living Gospel values,  
as faithful followers of Jesus Christ.



Good  
SHEPHERD

SUNDAY

## PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday April 26

*FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER*

9:00 AM **Mass**  
 11:00 AM **Mass** (with CLOW)  
 12:30 PM Sunday School  
 5:00 PM **Mass**

Monday April 27

*Easter Weekday*

8:15 AM Rosary  
 8:45 AM **Mass**  
 7:00 PM Rosary Group

Tuesday April 28

*Easter Weekday*

*Saint Peter Chanel, Priest, Martyr;*

*Saint Louis Grignon de Montfort, Priest*

8:30 AM Morning Bible Study Group  
 10:00 AM Stitchers with Heart Group

Wednesday April 29

*Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin, Doctor of the Church*

8:00 AM Rosary  
 8:15 AM Confessions  
 8:45 AM **Mass** (school attending)  
 11:00 AM Funeral Mass for Hannah Takemori  
 at Blessed Sacrament, Seattle  
 4:00 PM Middle School Youth Group  
 at Sacred Heart  
 6:25 PM High School Youth Group  
 at Sacred Heart

Thursday April 30

*Easter Weekday*

*Saint Pius V, Pope*

8:15 AM Rosary  
 8:45 AM **Mass**  
 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration

Friday May 1

*Easter Weekday*

*Saint Joseph the Worker*

7:00 AM First Friday of the Month **Mass**  
 8:15 AM Rosary  
 8:45 AM **Mass**  
 9:30 AM First Friday Eucharistic Adoration  
 until 11:00 AM

Saturday May 2

*Saint Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor of the Church*

8:00 AM Women's Group & Men's Group  
 10:00 AM Parish Family Listening Session at  
 St. Monica Family Center  
 3:00 PM Confessions - Reconciliation Chapel  
 5:00 PM Vigil **Mass**

Sunday May 3

*FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER*

9:00 AM **Mass**  
 10:00 AM Knights of Columbus  
 Pancake Breakfast until 1:00 PM  
 11:00 AM **Mass** (with CLOW)  
 5:00 PM **Mass**

## PARISH STAFF

### PARISH OFFICE

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 Erica Pierson, Vice-Principal

### PARISH LEADERSHIP

- Pastoral Council:  
*Charlie Herb*
- Finance Council:  
*Douglas Withers*
- School Commission:  
*Charlie Herb*
- Community Outreach Commission:  
*Diana Schiro & Jackie Weeks*
- Worship Commission:  
*Phoebe Kwan*

**Sacred Heart Church is open weekdays from 8:00 am - 3:00 pm. (Thursdays until 4:00 pm)**

## SACRED HEART NEWS

### Upcoming Funeral Mass Hannah Takemori

Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup>  
11:00 AM

Blessed Sacrament Church,  
Seattle

A Rosary for Hannah  
will be held at 10:00 AM



*Hannah was a former staff member of Sacred Heart and St. Monica Parishes and a beloved teacher at St. Monica School. We pray as a community for repose of her soul and peace and healing be granted to those who mourn.*

### Behold the Lamb Quick Weekly Lessons on the Sacred Liturgy



After the Priest makes intercession for all holy Church in and through Jesus Christ made present in the Blessed Sacrament, he says the *concluding doxology* which concludes the Eucharistic Prayer. Taking and raising the chalice and the paten he says, "Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, for ever and ever." Here he offers up the everlasting Sacrifice made present on the altar, for the glory of God, on behalf of God's people. In affirmation all the people respond with the great, "Amen!" As we conclude all prayers with "amen" which means "I believe" or "I affirm", so the greatest prayer of our faith is concluded with our belief in the great miracle of the Eucharist and our willful affirmation of all petitions made, uniting our "yes" to that of holy Church. At the conclusion of the Eucharistic Prayer, we stand as we enter into the Communion Rite.

## Silver Rose Pilgrimage

May 4, 2026 | 5:00 PM

Sacred Heart Church



Join us for a night of prayer with the traveling Silver Rose, as we honor Our Lady of Guadalupe and pray for the protection of all human life



## Knights of Columbus

Part of the "One Life, One Rose" campaign

## WORLD DAY OF Prayer for Vocations

This Sunday, we pray to the Lord of the harvest, to call from among us young men and women to follow him in a life of total self-gift. In giving of themselves in service to the Church, these young men and women who answer the call to the priesthood and religious life help sustain the life of our Church, strengthening it by their prayers and works. Learn more about vocations on our Archdiocese's website: [arch.seattle.org/office-ministry/](http://arch.seattle.org/office-ministry/)

*"O God, Father of all Mercies, Provider of a bountiful Harvest, send Your Graces upon those You have called to gather the fruits of Your labor. Preserve and strengthen them in their lifelong service of You. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen."*

## Celebrate the Easter Season

April 5 to May 24

Visit [archseattle.org/easter](http://archseattle.org/easter) to learn more.



## ADMINISTRATION & STEWARDSHIP

# Annual Catholic Appeal 2026 Together in Faith

Please make your **2026 ACA** gift today!



### THE 2026 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL BEGINS

Together in faith is the theme of this year's Annual Catholic Appeal, and this weekend kicks off the 2026 campaign! The Annual Catholic Appeal funds ministries and services for your local Catholic community across Western Washington. This combined effort of parishes and the Archdiocese of Seattle ensures the availability of outreach ministries, education, faith formation, administrative services for parishes and much more!

This year, our parish's goal is \$165,630. All gifts exceeding our goal will be returned to the parish for a project that Fr. Nagel will share more about soon. Please prayerfully consider how you can participate in helping our parish be a light to others. It's easy to give to the 2026 Annual Catholic Appeal.

### Annual Catholic Appeal 2026

“As the living body of Christ in the world today, we form disciples, celebrate the sacraments, welcome people, care for the sick, accompany people on their faith journey and much more.

– Archbishop Paul D. Etienne



This year, we invite you to consider giving online. While checks and cash are still welcome, online giving is safer, faster and more efficient for our parish and the Archdiocese. Scan the QR code or visit [archseattle.org/giveaca](https://archseattle.org/giveaca).

#### Why Give Online?

- Safer: No need to mail checks or cash—online gifts are processed securely.
- Efficient: Saves time for parish staff and volunteers.
- Accurate: Online gifts are recorded promptly and reliably.
- Eco-Friendly: Reduces paper use and mailing.

Since the ACA is processed centrally, online giving ensures your gift is received and recorded quickly. The Archdiocese provides weekly reports to help us track your support.



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Scan the QR Code for  
Online Giving to  
Sacred Heart Parish.



### Stewardship of Treasure

Sunday collection totals

July to March 31, 2026 Budget \$1,224,127

July to March 31, 2026 Actual \$1,232,173

+\$8,046

Prior year actual (July– March 2025) \$1,235,687

Thank you for your generosity!!

*Stewardship recognizes that all we have, all we are, is a gift from God.*

## WEEKLY READINGS

### **Sunday 4/26**

Acts 2:14a,36-41  
Psalm 23:1-6  
1 Peter 2:20b-25  
John 10:1-10

### **Tuesday 4/28**

Acts 11:19-26  
Psalm 87:1b-7  
John 10:22-30

### **Thursday 4/30**

Acts 13:13-25  
Psalm 89:2-3,21-22,25,27  
John 13:16-20

### **Saturday 5/2**

Acts 13:44-52  
Psalm 98:1-4  
John 14:7-14

### **Monday 4/27**

Acts 11:1-18  
Psalms 42:2-3;43:3-4  
John 10:11-18

### **Wednesday 4/29**

Acts 12:24—13:5a  
Psalm 67:2-3,5-6,8  
John 12:44-50

### **Friday 5/1**

Acts 13:26-33  
Psalm 2:6-11b  
John 14:1-6

### **Sunday 5/3**

Acts 6:1-7  
Psalm 33:1-2,4-5,18-19  
1 Peter 2:4-9  
John 14:1-12

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Sunday 4/26

9:00 AM Mass: RIP PATTY RITZMAN  
by Ritzman Family

11:00 AM Mass: RIP JUDY LIVINGSTON  
by Jeff & Cristy Livingston

5:00 PM Mass : PRIEST PRIVATE INTENTION

### Monday 4/27

RIP MARY MCGOWAN by the Schiro Family

### Wednesday 4/29

RIP LINDA ROGERS by Dottie McGowan

### Thursday 4/30

RIP MICHAEL WIECK by Kathleen & David Wieck

### Friday 5/1

INT CORY ROURKE by Nila Snyder

### Saturday 5/2

INT THE PARISHIONERS OF SACRED HEART

### Sunday 5/3

9:00 AM Mass: RIP BARBARA GALLUCCIO  
by Gemma & Jerome Thielges

11:00 AM Mass: RIP DARRYL SUTHERLAND  
by Lucy Paulsen

5:00 PM Mass : PRIEST PRIVATE INTENTION

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

### **The Sick**

Pray for the sick of Sacred Heart  
& St. Monica Parish Family

### **The Deceased**

Pray for the deceased of Sacred Heart  
& St. Monica Parish Family

### **ARE YOU UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS?**

If you are unable to attend Mass in person due to poor health, advanced age or recovering from surgery and would like to receive Holy Communion at home, please contact Linda Geere in the parish office at 425-454-9536.

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Eucharistic Adoration is the beautiful devotion of praying before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. You are invited to attend Adoration, scheduled for **2:00-4:00 pm** on Thursdays and **9:30-11:00 am** on first Fridays of the month.



“Our faith in the Eucharistic presence of Christ naturally leads us to moments of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.” *Archbishop Etienne*

## POPE’S PRAYER INTENTION - APRIL

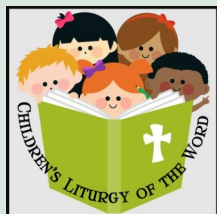
### **For Priests in Crisis**

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

### **EMERGENCY HELPLINE NUMBERS**

**988: Suicide and Crisis Lifeline**  
**Narcotics Anonymous: 206-790-8888**  
**Alcoholics Anonymous: 206-587-2838**  
**Suicide Crisis Hotline: 206-461-3222**  
**WA State Domestic Violence: 1-844-762-8483**  
**National Domestic Violence: 1-800-799-safe**  
**Teen Link: 1-866-833-6546**  
**Al-Anon: 206-625-1000**

## CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION



**Sunday School and CLOW  
this Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>**



**Congratulations and  
God's Blessings to the  
2026 First Communicants  
of Sacred Heart Parish**

Alexis Asiodche	Grayson Kimborough
Riviera Bemis	Max Kovit
Jamyson Billmaier	Alexander Larkin
Josie Bobek	Luke Lee
Inema Butera	Peter Lemker
Ganza Butera	Emilia Mar
Olivia Campbell	Nicole Margain
Kellen Canfield	Elena Montalvo
Laura Carrano	Mairead Mooney
Sebastian Chodorski	Ethan Mueller
Benjamin DePue	Josephine Nash
Emiliano Estrada	Chance Oiness
Emmett Fitzpatrick	Chase Pack
Emily Frias	Isabella Phoenix
Brandon Garten	Gabrielle Ryu
Henry Gosalia	Griffin Ryu
David Hayden	Andrew Sargent
Ava Hauser	Jordan Schwab
Theodore Hauser	Capri Timpani
Aquinnah Hill	Arden Truitt
Waverly Herb	Delaney White
Juliette Jones	Oliver Zangari



**Vacation Bible Camp  
June 22-26**

**@ Saint Monica Church**

Online registration for Vacation Bible Camp is now open! This year's theme is **Snowball Mountain Challenge** - come join us for a snowy winter sports adventure centered around Philippians 4:13 (I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me)!

**Who:** Preschool (potty-trained) thru rising 5th grade

**When:** June 22 - 26 from 8:45AM - 12:00PM

**Where:** St. Monica Campus

Scan the QR code for registration (deadline is Monday, June 15.)

With questions contact Melissa Stewart, PA for Faith Formation at [faithforward@stmonicami.org](mailto:faithforward@stmonicami.org) or (206)232-2900 ext. 112.

**Want to volunteer to help with Vacation Bible Camp?** We're looking for adults and teens to help on the wintry slopes.

[archseattle.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/7794/responses/new](http://archseattle.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/7794/responses/new)



**EMMAUS YOUTH MINISTRY**

**Wednesday, April 29:** Youth groups meet at Sacred Heart this week. Middle School at 4:00 PM and High School at 6:25 PM in the Youth Room.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH - COMMUNITY EVENTS

# PANCAKE BREAKFAST



Come celebrate with your Knights of Columbus mens group and our FAMOUS BREAKFASTS!  
Pancakes • Eggs • Sausage • Coffee & Juice  
May 3rd, 10AM - 1:00PM



Take a Break!  
NEXT SUNDAY  
Yummmmm!

Please RSVP



Want to join Council #8136 Knights of Columbus? Ask any Knight for details.

You are invited to Carpe Diem's 50yrs+



## Spring Luncheon

### Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup>

11:30am, Sacred Heart Narthex

Special Presentation:  
"Befriending Your Digital Devices Q&A"  
by Jacqui Orgovan,  
Sacred Heart Tech Support

**\$20--advance payment required**  
**Tickets: May 9-10 & 16-17**

Info: Linda Geere 425-450-3908 or  
lgeere@sacredheart.org



Registration is Now Open  
Infant Baptism Class  
May 9<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM

Registration is now open for the upcoming infant Baptism preparation class on Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM in the Parish Hall. The class provides Baptism preparation for newborn infants to six years old.  
Email [sacraments@sacredheart.org](mailto:sacraments@sacredheart.org) to register.

Join Catholics from across the Pacific Northwest for the ASCEND Eucharistic Revival, a one-day Catholic conference and Eucharistic Event at the Meydenbauer Center in Bellevue on May 16<sup>th</sup>. Scan the QR code to learn more and register. Come be part of the movement!

Registration Now Open!



SATURDAY  
**MAY 16, 2026**  
@ Meydenbauer Center

Scan the QR code to register.




Groceries for Families Program

Join the Sacred Heart community to help with groceries for the GFF Program. Over 200 bags are needed weekly to help with food security and hope! Scan the QR code to sign up!



*Rachel's Corner*  
Project Rachel Post Abortion Healing Retreats

Spanish Retreat: June 5 - June 7, 2026  
English Retreat: Sept. 25 - Sept. 27, 2026  
**Men's Healing Retreat:** Oct. 10 - Oct. 11, 2026

To leave a confidential message please call  
English: (206) 920-6413 Spanish: (206)-450-7814  
Email [projectrachel@ccsw.org](mailto:projectrachel@ccsw.org). Visit us at  
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