Our Lady of Fatima Parish

3218 W Barrett St. Seattle WA 98199 • 206.283.1456 • www.olfatima.org
Pastor: Rev. Phil Raether

Vision: Grow in Christ's Love

Mission: We, as stewards of Our Lady of Fatima Parish, keep Jesus Christ at the center of our lives by celebrating the Eucharist, nurturing our faith, building community, and serving others.

Welcome!
We invite you to be engaged in your community life.
Please register so we can become acquainted

Staff Members

Child & Adult Faith Formation:
Kathy Carr 206.503.2415

School Principal:
Nicholas Ford 206.283.7031

Parish Administrator:
Phil Hasenkamp 206.503.2393

Music: Kate Leen 206.503.2423

Bookkeeper:
Julieta Romero 206.503.2399

Administrative Assistant:
Lisa Smith 206.283.1456

Sacramental Celebrations

- **Infant Baptism** Contact Kathy Carr for the schedule of classes & dates the Sacrament is celebrated 206.503.2415
- **Marriage** Contact the parish six months in anticipation to prepare and determine readiness 206.503.2415
- **Anointing of the Sick** is given to those preparing for surgery, the elderly, the ill, and the dying. Please ask the priest following mass for an anointing. In the event of an emergency call the office 206.283.1456.
- **Eucharist** Contact the office for a home visit. For First Holy Communion contact Kathy Carr for both children and adults 206.503.2415
- **Reconciliation (Confession)** is celebrated on Saturdays from 4:00-4:30pm in the Reconciliation Chapel. Other times available by appointment 206.283.1456.

Liturgy Schedule

Monday-Saturday
(except Tuesday) 9:00 am

Tuesday: Communion Service
9:00 am

Saturday Vigil Liturgy:
5:00 pm

Sunday Liturgies:
8:30 am & 10:30 am

Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00-4:30 pm in the Reconciliation Chapel in the back of the church or by appointment
206.283.1456

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HE IS RISEN!

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

Join us each day at 3pm in the church for the Divine Marcy novena until and including the 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday April 28th). To read more about it and participate visit https://centrefordivinemercy.org/3-oclock-prayer-chaplet

CONGRATULATIONS & WELCOME

To the newly baptized at the Easter Vigil: Nancy Drummey, Jason Kunkel, Greg Hunter, Kim Hunter and Rees Hunter and Jack Hunter.

To those who made a profession of faith and entered the Catholic Church: Erin Burke, Will Crowthers, Tyler Leland, and Lenisa Ruddick.

We wish you all a Blessed Easter.
God Bless, Fr. Phil

PARISH VISION AND PLANNING

Our Lady of Fatima Parish has a parish council made up of members of our parish and Fr. Phil. The vision of the parish council is "to serve our parish by supporting our Pastor." The purpose of the council is "to act as a consultative body to our Pastor."

Through pastoral planning, the pastoral council assists our pastor in developing and living out the mission of our parish; forming community as a sign and witness of unity for our larger parish community; providing recommendations for parish priorities, directions, and policies; and promoting communication and understanding among parish organizations and between the parish, the Archdiocese, and the universal Church.

In 2015, the pastoral council surveyed our parishioners to get information for visioning and future planning. A large amount of data was collected and used as a foundation to define the parish long-range priorities and goals. Then, in 2016, with the help of the Archdiocese the parish council developed a five-year plan.

Three teams were formed to drive these goals, organized around the three priorities that were identified for our parish abbreviated as: Faith, Community and Service.

Since then, these teams, under the strong leadership of their volunteer leaders, have executed the vision and made significant progress towards the parish goals.

Another brief survey will be available on May 1st to help the parish council determine how we are doing so far in meeting the goals of the pastoral plan at this third-year junction.

Please read the bulletin in the coming weeks for related announcements. If you would like to make sure you receive this survey via email, please send your email address to LSMITH@OLFATIMA.ORG. Paper copies of the survey will also be available in May.

GROW

SCHOOL MINISTRY NEWS

Our school will be on Easter break this week. We hope you have a blessed Easter and joyful season.

OLF MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP NEWS

Happy Easter from Edge Youth Group!

Next Sunday, **4/28 is FAMILY GYM NIGHT**! Kids, bring your parents and siblings for dual basketball scrimmage and other awesome activities… See you at 5pm in the School Gym!

Edge Youth Group is for 6th - 8th graders - We have FUN with our faith, and we meet most Sundays in the Parish Center from 5:00 – 6:30 pm. Please email Kimberly at abadirk@hotmail.com with questions.

SANDWICH MAKING VOLUNTEER EVENT

Please join the Service Team on **Tuesday April 30th** for another group sandwich making opportunity for St. Francis House and TCSH Interbay in the parish center kitchen from **7:00 pm - 7:45 pm**. Families welcome. RSVP is requested, but not required. Sign up here. *We will have bread, ham and cheese, to make 200 sandwiches.* Any questions please email **service@olfatima.org** or call Jennifer at 206-295-3282.

Thank You to our generous parishioners who regularly make sandwiches and hard-boiled eggs for St. Francis House. Please continue to provide this valuable gift of your time and treasure. Drop off is between 8:00 am and 9:00 am every Wednesday morning in the parish center on the coffee table.

Volunteers…

Save the Date

Volunteer Appreciation Dinner

June 6th, 6:00pm Parish Center

PARISH EVENTS THIS WEEK APR 21-28

Sun	•EASTER SUNDAY •8:30am Mass, Church •10:30am Mass, Church
Mon	•8:25am Recitation of the Holy Rosary •1-7pm, Community Blood Drive, PC
Tues	•8:25am Recitation of the Holy Rosary •9:00am Word & Communion Service
Wed	•8:25am Recitation of the Holy Rosary •9:00am Mass, Church
Thurs	•8:25am Recitation of the Holy Rosary •9:00am Mass, Church
Fri	•8:25am Recitation of the Holy Rosary •9:00am Mass, Church
Sat	•8:25am Recitation of the Holy Rosary •9:00am Mass, Church •5pm Mass, Church
Sun	•8:30am Mass, Church •9:30-10:20am, Children's RE, School •10:30am Mass, Church •5-6:30pm, EDGE Youth Group, gym

Please note there is no daily mass on Monday, April 22nd.

UPDATED DIRECTORIES

Parishioners who had their photo taken, can pick up their updated directory in the parish center.

LUCIA GUILD LUNCHEON - MAY 8

Catered lunch featuring a trio of salads; rolls & dessert. $15 per person; reservations and payment must reach Diane Masterson by May 6. Everyone is welcome - bring your family members & friends and celebrate the last meeting of the Lucia Guild year.

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

First Reading: Acts 10:34a,37-43

Second Reading: Col 3:1-4

Gospel: John 20:1-9

MASS INTENTIONS

To request an intention, please visit the Welcome desk after a weekend liturgy or stop by the office during the week.

Apr 24	9am	James Nelson, Sr
Apr 25	9am	Sarah Walsh
Apr 26	9am	Diane Berge
Apr 27	9am 5pm	John Charles Joseph Prevost
Apr 28	8:30am 10:30am	For our Parishioners Bessie Cook OCDS

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Thank you for all your gifts!
Please remember your parish in your will.

All Gifts given April 11-17:	$14,611.
Budgeted amt. needed each week:	$16,520
Gifts given to date:	$654,739
Budgeted year to date (beginning July 1)	$693,840
Deficit:	($39,100)

In the second reading today, St. Paul reminds the Colossians that they have been raised with Christ, exhorting them to "think about the things above rather than things of earth." We, too, have been raised with Christ. Let us rejoice and be glad!

PRESENTING THE GIFTS AT MASS

Sign Up here.

You may need to press "control" at the same time

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME

Thank you to all of those stewards
who serve so faithfully.

If you would like more information about any of the parish ministries, please visit the information desk or contact the parish office at (206) 283-1456 or LSMITH@OLFATIMA.ORG.

Next Weekend our Volunteers at Mass will be:

Liturgy	Sat, Apr 27 5pm	Sun, Apr 28 8:30am	Sun, Apr 28 10:30am
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EM)	Lee B. Maria G. Richard D. Sheila M. Lois L.	Judie S. Karen C. Jane T. Anne F. Jenny H.	Theresa S. Jim S. Luisa S. Emie R. Aimee M.
Sacristan	Colleen R.	Maureen B.	Kate S.
Lector	Doug G.	Art S.	Paul R.
Altar Servers	Ella H. Gabe K. Odinn H.	Sydney C. Cadelle K. Elin K.	Natalie M. Lucy B. Bradyn B.
Welcome Desk	Erin B.	Barbara O.	TBD
Social Hour		Lectors	Lectors

CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

Sunday Religious Education Classes for Children
9:30-10:20 am

Sunday Classes for Children 9:30-10:20 am	Schedule for Children's Liturgy of The Word 10:30am Liturgy
April 28, May 5,19 June 2	May 5

Our Lady of Fatima provides Religious Education on designated Sundays that are listed here. Sunday School for Pre K-Jr. High takes place from 9:30-10:20 in the school. The curriculum is grade specific. All parish children are encouraged to register.

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) takes place during 10:30 mass for children pre-k through 6yo or who are not preparing for 1st Holy Communion. Lessons are specific to this age group. Younger children are welcome accompanied with an adult.

Children preparing for First Eucharist and older accompany their parents and participate in the sacrifice of the Mass in church. Please contact Kathy Carr for more information KCARR@OLFATIMA.ORG or 206.503.2415

INFANT BAPTISM POLICY

For information contact Kathy Carr
KCARR@OLFATIMA.ORG or 206.503.2415

Each Infant baptism celebration is limited to six children. Children must be age six or younger. (Children seven years old or older are initiated through the RCIA process). Parents are required to:

1. Submit the necessary paperwork prior to scheduling a date for the baptism.
2. Reserve an open spot for their child(ren).
3. Have attended the class within the last 2 years.
4. Attend the rehearsal for each occurrence.

In general, baptisms should be celebrated in the parish boundaries where you live. Requests from outside Our Lady of Fatima are considered on a case by case basis.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

The St. Vincent de Paul Donation Truck will be at Our Lady of Fatima on Sunday, June 2nd - 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM. This is an opportunity to provide inventory for the St. Vincent de Paul thrift stores, and to do some Spring Cleaning.

RACHAEL'S CORNER
HOPE & HEALING AFTER ABORTION

"All grace flows from mercy, ... Let no one doubt concerning the goodness of God; even if a person's sins were as dark as night, God's mercy is stronger than our misery. One thing alone is necessary; that the sinner set ajar the door of his heart, be it ever so little, to let in a ray of God's merciful grace, and then God will do the rest."

- No. 1507 / Diary of Saint Faustina

Are you ready to open the door of your heart just enough to invite God in so He can show you how His mercy is stronger than your post-abortive pain? Join us on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and come alive again as you are warmed by the rays of His healing mercy.

Call for a compassionate, confidential conversation (206) 920-6413

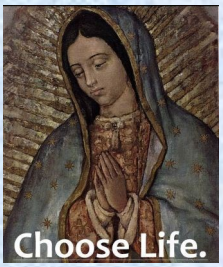
www.ccsww.org/projectrachel
Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.
You are loved with an everlasting Love!

Since purchasing our new hymnal *Ritual Song,* many have wandered away, around 40 copies actually.

If you know to where they wandered could you please let them know we'd like for them to return so we can worship together again?

Each book costs $29 so they're valuable to us and we need to use them for many years to come.

God Bless.



"All of us must put our energy and effort into ending the legal protection for abortion. It is, and must be, the primary political objective of American Catholics—it is difficult to imagine any political issue with the same significance as the sanctioned killing of children."

Denver Archbishop Samual J. Aquila - January 22, 2013

CAN YOU HELP?

MARY'S PLACE: Needed: baby wipes, twin bed sheets & beddings, new underwear for all ages, new women's bras; baby & adult socks & winter coats.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: Use your envelope or place your check in an envelope marked "St. VdeP" in the Sunday collection to help local neighbors.

OLF WINTER SHELTER: We would like to thank all parishioners for the time, energy and resources given again this year as we end our 13th season. We'll see you in the fall for our 14th season!

ST. FRANCIS HOUSE: Sandwiches, individually wrapped & put back in labeled bread bags as to what kind, plus hard boiled eggs—please deliver to the Parish Center on Wednesdays by 9:00am. Our dedicated Volunteers deliver every week. Other needs include clean men's clothing such as jeans, t-shirts, sweatshirts and shoes. Sign up here for hard boiled egg donations. Email questions to: service@olfatima.org

TCSH INTERBAY: Backpacks, shoes and jackets are greatly appreciated. Whole bean coffee and bags of sugar are requested. Please put in the bin in the Parish Center donation area on the Barrett side of the church. Our homeless neighbors are located right beneath the Magnolia Bridge on 15th and it gets windy and chilly there.

FOOD BANK: Non-perishable food items can be placed in the large wooden box in the parish center. No expired food items please.

CATHEDRAL KITCHEN: We accept clean plastic food containers with lids from butter, yogurt, etc.

WALKING + WITNESSING
FOR IMMIGRANT FAMILIES

Join people from parishes across Western Washington in a prayerful walk showing solidarity with immigrant families. Whether you're able to participate in a short leg, the full two weeks, or only in prayer... all are welcome. The walk will conclude with a Mass at the Northwest Detention Center on May 11th.

APRIL 29 - MAY 11, 2019

DESTINATION: THE NORTHWEST DETENTION CENTER
[1623 EAST J STREET, TACOMA, WA 98421]

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON PARTICIPATING AS AN INDIVIDUAL OR A PARISH, VISIT:
WACATHOLICS.ORG/PRAYERWALK2019

BLOOD DRIVE

Bettering our community, drop by drop.

Apheresis & Whole Blood

Monday, April 22

1:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Magnolia Community

Our Lady of Fatima Social Center

*Walk-in ONLY Drive** for whole blood

For an apheresis appointment please call 1-800-398-7888

For more information, contact: Doug Gehrke at 206 282-4400

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