

# ST MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Rev. Paul Pluth, JCL, Pastor

## Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

9:00 am - 12 noon, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

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## MASS SCHEDULE

## PARISH MINISTERS

Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm	St Augustine	Pastor	Rev. Paul Pluth, JCL
<i>Filipino music</i>	<i>2nd Saturday</i>		Administration	Mary A. Waters
Spanish 1st Saturday	7:00 pm	St Augustine	Religious Education	Rowena Harless
Sunday	8:00 am	St Augustine	Music Director	Kathleen Dodge-DeHaven
	9:30 am	St Augustine	Receptionist	Peggy McCormick
	11:15 am	St Mary		
Thu, Fri & 1st Sat	9:00 am	St Augustine		
Thursday	12:10 pm	St Mary		

## CONFESSION

Friday	8:30 am	St Augustine
Saturday	4:00 pm	St Augustine
3rd Sunday	12:15 pm	St Mary

## ANOIDING OF THE SICK & HOLY COMMUNION

Mass Sunday: 11:15 am  
Coupeville, Wa Office 678-6536

Please call the Parish Office

Third Sunday of Easter

15 April 2018

Next Saturday at St Augustine, the following members of the St Augustine & St Mary Community will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation from Auxiliary Bishop Eusebio Elizondo:  
*Ericajoy Abrea, Sherilyne Fernandez, Anamae Herrera, Noah Herrera, Kurt Husler, Garrett Karney, Kiezy Lima, Katrina Martinez, Julia Pope, Liv Marie Quizmundo, Andrea Ruben, and Allison Wenzel.*

At the moment of Confirmation, the confirmand is anointed by the bishop with the oil of **Sacred Chrism** - the perfumed oil that is the *physical* symbol of the *spiritual* anointing of the Holy Spirit being poured out on the confirmand. The sweet aroma of the Chrism brings to mind what St Paul says, that we Christians

“are the aroma of Christ to God among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing..” (2 Corinthians

2:15). As each is anointed, the bishop says, “Be sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit.” By this anointing the confirmand receives the mark or *seal* of the Holy Spirit. A seal is a sign of ownership. This seal of the Holy Spirit marks the confirmand’s total belonging to Christ, their enrollment in Christ’s service forever, and the promise of divine protection in the trial at the end of time. (Revelation 7:3).

Just as Jesus was the Christ, the “Anointed One”, so these confirmands - these newly anointed ones - become Christs for the world.

Support our confirmands with prayer this week!

Father Paul Pluth





## WOMEN of ST MARY

### Annual Indoor Garage & Plant Sale

### Friday, May 18 & Saturday, May 19



Wow! It is that time of year again. Isn't it wonderful that Spring housecleaning and our Sale go hand in hand? So, as you do your house clean out, you have a way to dispose of unwanted items **that are clean and in good repair.**

**Please NO exercise equipment, large furniture or computers.** If you have questions about items you wish to donate or you need a place to store them, please call Diana at 360.720.7180.

Just think of the extra space you will be enjoying!



***Did you know:***

Sexual molestation is about the victim. Many people are affected by abuse but the individual most impacted is the victim who has suffered a violation of trust that can affect his or her entire life.

The abuser, the family of the abused, and the parish community are all affected by this sin and crime, but the primary person of concern must be the victim.

***Did you know:*** No one has the right to have access to children. If people wish to volunteer for the Church, for example, in a parish or school, they must follow diocesan guidelines on background checks, safe environment training, policies and procedures, and codes of conduct. No one, no matter who they are, has an automatic right to be around children or young people who are in the care of the Church without proper screening and with-out following the rules.

**APRIL IS  
NATIONAL CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH.**

Let us all pray for the eradication of child abuse and the protection of all children.

*For more information, on Child Abuse Prevention Month or the Safe Environment Program please call: (206) 274-3188 or email [sep@seattlearchsep.org](mailto:sep@seattlearchsep.org).*

### **Babies In The Womb Are “Pre-Born”**

Well chosen words have power.



Consider how the pro-abortion advocates marketed and sold their endorsement of abortion. It is not called pro-murder. It is called pro-choice. They appealed to the culture’s mentality; a mentality that we had been exhibiting since the 1960s. We

live in a cafeteria culture. Thus, the Madison Avenue advertising gurus cleverly chose “pro-choice” in promoting death, but also in concealing the truth; pro-murder.

Therefore, with the knowledge and scientific understanding that life begins at fertilization, and that we are living human beings in the womb, why don’t we all use the reference “preborn”? If we support life, and acknowledge that a child deserves our respect, support and protection while waiting comfortably in the womb until the birth process, why not give them the dignity they deserve and refer to them as preborn? Let’s proclaim life accurately. Because now that we know the truth, referring to them as anything less is not only unkind, it is also uninformed.





### Connect with Father Paul



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## Parish Stewardship

*Thank you for your  
Stewardship of Treasure!*

**Weekly Parish Expense \$3,055**

**March 25: \$2,603**

**April 1st: \$5,045**

**April 8th: \$3,466**

*Please remember St Mary in your will.  
(Please write your ID/envelope number  
on your checks.)*

## Prayers

Please pray for all of our families & friends including those who are in college or in the military at home and deployed:

Tre Cherochak, Dolores Morris,  
Richard Morris, Colleen Patmore,  
Carole Hart, Tom Shade  
Major Thomas Allan Bender - USAF  
PFC Zachary McCormick - Army NG  
Senior Airman Luke Tiffany - USAF

Please call the office at 360-678-6536 to add or delete someone's name.

**Permission is required from the individual in order to add their name to the prayer list.**

## This Week at St. Mary

Sun 4/15	10:00-11:00 am RE gr. K-6th (CR's) 10:45 am Rosary (C) 11:15 am Mass (C) 12:15 pm 1st Penance (Confessions) will be heard 12:15 pm Right to Life breakfast (HH) 1:00 pm Parking Lot closes 6:30 pm Lutheran Service (C, HH)
Mon 4/16	Office is open 9:00 am-12 noon & 1:00-3:00 pm
Tue 4/17	Office is Closed
Wed 4/18	Office is open 9:00 am-12 noon & 1:00-3:00 pm 9:30 am Choir practice (C) 6:15 pm RE Gr. 7-11(Cr 4)
Thu 4/19	Office is open 9:00 am-12 noon & 1:00-3:00 pm 11:30 am Rosary (C) 12:10 pm Mass (C) 1:00-2:00 pm Adoration (C)
Fri 4/20	Office is open 9:00 am-12 noon & 1:00-3:00 pm
Sat 4/21	No activity
Sun 4/22	<b>Annual Catholic Appeal begins</b> 10:00-11:00 am RE gr. K-6th (CR's) 10:45 am Rosary (C) 11:15 am Mass - RIP +Richard "Dick" Johnson (C) 12:15 pm Coffee & Donuts (HH) 1:00 pm Parking Lot closes 6:30 pm Lutheran Service (C, HH)

## Your attention please!



**On Sunday**, to avoid having your car locked up in the parking lot across the street from the church, please remove it from the lot by 1:00 pm.

## Food Bank information

FYI - We continue to collect non-perishable items for the local Food Bank "Gifts from the Heart."

A basket is located inside the Harrington Hall doors for you to place your donations

Thank you for your contributions

## EUCCHARIST to the Homebound & Careage

Do you know someone who is unable to come to Mass and would like to receive Communion whether on a temporary or long-term basis? If so, please call the parish office at 360-678-6536 to arrange a visit.

