



# ST. GENEVIEVE CATHOLIC PARISH

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### Child & Youth Protection:

Carmen Merrill - 1 718- 639-3188

### Parish Council:

Jim Brousseau - Chair, Carmen Merrill,  
Ginny Humling, Dennis Doyle, Tom  
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### Finance Council:

Nancy Kirner, Robert Gatlin, Tom Flynn

### Altar Society:

Sarah Salmon

### Bookkeeper:

Nancy Kirner

### Altar Servers:

### Religious Education:

**Program Coordinator:** Sarah Salmon

**Children:** April Stephens

**Adult:** Deacon Bill Wehmeyer

### Church Cleaning:

Julie Wehmeyer 425-830-0904

### Baptismal Prep:

Deacon Bill Wehmeyer 425-941-9171

### Sick & Homebound:

Deacon Bill Wehmeyer 425-941-9171

### Prayer Chain:

Sarah Salmon 996-9892

### Adoration scheduling:

Leah Kominak 997-3268

### Parish Bulletin:

Abby Brousseau 206-920-3811

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Deacon Bill Wehmeyer 425-941-9171

### Liturgy of the Word

*Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14 Those who fear the Lord honor their parents. Psalm 128 "Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways." Colossians 3:12-21 Clothe yourself with heartfelt mercy. or 3:12-17 Luke 2:22-40 The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom. or 2:22, 39-40*

*Today we hear practical guidance and wonderful inspiration regarding treating those close to us, particularly family members. Sirach, which has provided moral teachings since the second century BCE, speaks of the honor we owe our parents, especially as they age. Saint Paul counsels the early Christians in the virtues that should direct how we treat others. Luke relates the profound responses the child Jesus elicited in the temple when Mary and Joseph presented him to the Lord.*

**Question of the Week:** How does my faith affect the way that I treat the members of my family? How can my faith help me grow to be a better parent/sibling/daughter/son?



### ANNOUNCEMENTS



**THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!**

We have met and even exceeded our **2023 ACA Goal of \$14,793.**

**Total Pledged: \$16,870.00 | % to Goal: 114.0% | Participation: 50.7%**

**Caffeine & Calories:** The weekly social hour continues, after Mass.



• **Reconciliation: (Confession)** available, following Mass, on Sunday and Wednesday - please contact Fr Pedro, before mass, to confirm availability. Also by appointment.

• **Baptism:** Please contact the Deacon or Pastor, **at least one month** prior to desired date.

• **Sacrament of Marriage:** Please contact the Deacon or Pastor **at least six months** prior to desired date.



**BUILDING COMMITTEE** meets every 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 11: a.m. after Mass. All are welcome to attend. Thank you! Questions?

Contact Dennis Doyle 509-997-7311 or 360-807-3791

**PARENTS:** Please keep children away from the retaining wall behind the church. It is **NOT** a play area. Thank you!

### Financial Report:

**Weekly Budget: \$1,255.00**

12/17 \$1018.00

12/24 \$1521.00

12/25 \$1256.00

### Mass Schedule:

- ◆ Sun, 12/31 - @11:00 a.m. **Feast of the Holy Family** (Rosary 10:30 a.m.)
- ◆ Wed, 01/03- @9:30 p.m. (Adoration / Benediction will precede 5:00 to 9:00 a.m.)
- ◆ Sun, 01/07 - @11:00 a.m., **Epiphany of the Lord** (Rosary 10:30a.m.)



*Please Remember in your prayers:*

- Evangeline Grace Knox
- Levi & Kylee Knox
- Micah Knox
- Virgil Harstedt
- Melissa Larsen
- Bruce Person
- Piper & Humling Family
- Maggi (Sarah's Sister)
- Adeline Peterson
- Max Larsen
- JoAnne Fearing
- Terry & Barb Anderson
- Bernice Morgan



*Rest of the Soul of:*

- Brian DeBolt



**WELCOME: NO MATTER WHAT YOUR PRESENT OR PAST STATUS IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH. NO MATTER YOUR PERSONAL HISTORY, AGE, RACE OR BACKGROUND. YOU ARE INVITED, WELCOMED, ACCEPTED AND LOVED AT ST. GENEVIEVE CATHOLIC PARISH.**

