

Bulletin for May 2026

Annual Catholic Appeal 2026

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CAMPAIGN BEGINS
SUNDAY, APRIL 26



Weekly Mass schedule
Tuesday to Friday: 8:30 am
Sunday: 8:30 am and 10 am

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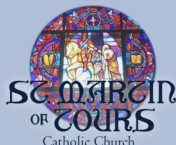
Catholic Church

2303 54th Ave E - Fife, WA 98424

Our Parish Family



All Saints Parish



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(253) 922-7882

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**Holy Rosary
Bilingual Academy**
(253) 272-7012
holyroarybilingual.org

Mass Intentions

Names of deceased marked with †

Sunday, April 26

(8:30 am) all parishioners
**(10 am) Demetria Cava and
Tess C. Nailog †**

Tuesday, April 28

(8:30 am) Tom Cross †

Wednesday, April 29

(8:30 am) Betty Burgi †

Friday, May 1

(8:30 am) Jacob Wolf †

Sunday, May 3

(8:30 am) Roberta Berrens †
(10 am) all parishioners

Tuesday, May 5

(8:30 am) Betty Pasinetti †

Wednesday, May 6

(8:30 am) Larry Neether †

Thursday, May 7

(8:30 am) Karen Ewaskow †

Friday, May 8

(8:30 am) Angie and Jim Novak †

Sunday, May 10

(8:30 am) all parishioners
**(10 am) Demetria Cava and
Tess Nailog †**

Tuesday, May 12

(8:30 am) Kay and Ingwer Hanson †

Wednesday, May 13

(8:30 am) Gaylord Fabre †

Friday, May 15

(8:30 am) Betty Burgi †

Sunday, May 17

(8:30 am) Mary Ann Veney †
(10 am) all parishioners

Tuesday, May 19

(8:30 am) Tom Cross †

Wednesday, May 20

(8:30 am) Mike Tight †

Thursday, May 21

**(8:30 am) students of
Holy Rosary Bilingual Academy**

Friday, May 22

**(8:30 am) Carmen Evangelista,
Leonor Jacinto and Sunny Gallardo †**

Sunday, May 24

(8:30 am) Pat Guida †
(10 am) all parishioners

Tuesday, May 26

(8:30 am) Betty Burgi †

Wednesday, May 27

(8:30 am) Cathy Bettinzoli †

Thursday, May 28

(8:30 am) Jeff Lott †

Friday, May 29

(8:30 am) Rudy Martinez †

Sunday, May 31

(8:30 am) all parishioners
**(10 am) Dr. Antonio Cava and
Danny Cava †**

Call (253) 922-7882 to add Intentions

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Parish events and updates

Sunday, April 26

Kickoff of 2026 Annual Catholic Appeal campaign



Annual Catholic Appeal

**Together
in Faith**

We are the Catholic Church
in Western Washington

The Appeal invites all parishioners to support the mission of the Church of Western Washington. Your donation benefits our seminarians and clergy, provides necessary services to St. Martin of Tours, and much more. Find details on the insert page.

Help this Parish reach its 2026 Appeal goal of \$36,388! Funds raised above this goal will go towards enhancing our church roof.

Give today by visiting ArchSeattle.org/GiveACA, scanning the QR code above, or picking up an Appeal envelope at church.

Sunday, April 26

Holy Hour on World Day of Prayer for Vocations
Prayer and Adoration throughout our Parish Family will begin at 11:15 am (St. Martin of Tours), 12:15 pm (All Saints), and 3:15 pm (Sacred Heart)

Saturday, May 2 (5 pm; Parish Hall)

Esperanza Auction for Parish School
Be a part of Holy Rosary Bilingual Academy's biggest fundraiser of the year! To purchase tickets (or donate if unable to attend), visit the school's website: HolyRosaryBilingual.org.

Tuesday, May 5 (10:35 am; Social Room)

Altar Society monthly meeting
All ladies of the Parish welcome! Light lunch served

May 6 and 20 (10:35 am; Social Room)

St. Vincent de Paul Conference meetings
Open to adults 18 and older; details on next page

May 6, 13, 20 and 27 (6—7:30 pm; Parish Hall)

Youth Group for Grades 7 to 12
Food, fun and faith! See right column for details

May 6 (6:30 pm; All Saints Church)

Holy Hour for Peace
Gather with our Parish Family for an evening that includes time with the Blessed Sacrament and a special Liturgy of the Word; if there are questions, call Morningstar at All Saints: (253) 845-7521.

Sunday, May 10 (Mother's Day)

Enthronement of Santo Niño

New statue for church honors Holy Child in long-standing Filipino tradition; enthronement at 10 am Mass with reception following in Parish Hall

Sunday, May 17 (The Ascension of the Lord)

Coffee Hour after Masses in Parish Hall

Hosted by St. Vincent de Paul Conference; cards also available to purchase through Altar Society

Sunday, May 24 (Pentecost)

Coffee Hour after Masses in Hall

Hosted by Altar Society; cards also available to purchase

Monday, May 25 (Memorial Day)

Parish Office and school closed

School also closed on May 22

Monday, July 6

Altar Society begins accepting donations for Rummage Sale (July 31 and August 1)

Bring your clean, gently used household items!

Growing our Faith together

Youth Ministry

Reminders for teens in Confirmation program:

**5 pm Confirmation Mass on May 17 at All Saints
(6:30 pm rehearsal on May 14 at All Saints)**

Pray for our Candidates: Marco, Irene, Hugo, Diego, Sophia, Alonso, Manuel, Marely, Camilla, Leslie, Jason, Valeria, Aaron, Joseph, Guadalupe, Victor, R. Elyno and R. Carlo

For details, email faith@stmartinoftoursfife.com.

OCIC (Order of Christian Initiation of Children)

Please call the Parish Office for more information.

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

This program is for those refreshing their Catholic Faith or seeking Sacraments for Full Communion with the Church—call the Parish Office for details.

Baptism for children

Families seeking Baptism for their child(ren) can call the Parish Office to learn about the next preparation class and receive paperwork. Parish registration is required—sign up at church, or online at stmartinoftoursfife.com/join-us.

Pastor's Message

(first appeared in April 9 Parish e-Newsletter)

Dear parishioners,

On April 1st, NASA's Artemis II crewed mission launched four astronauts into space for a 10-day test flight to orbit the Moon. The goal of the mission is to verify the Orion spacecraft's life-support, communication, and navigation systems in order to prepare for future lunar landings.

One of the astronauts, Victor Glover, a Christian, gave an interview to a CBS News reporter on April 4th, the day before Easter. The reporter asked if he wished to share any Easter thoughts with everyone on Earth. Although he didn't have anything prepared, what he shared extemporaneously was a beautiful Easter message. "In all of this emptiness—this is a whole bunch of nothing, this thing we call the universe—you have this oasis, this beautiful place that we get to exist together," he said of Earth. "I think, as we go into Easter Sunday, thinking about all the cultures all around the world, whether you celebrate it or not, whether you believe in God or not, this is an opportunity for us to remember where we are, who we are, and that we are the same thing, and that we've gotta get through this together."

Glover's Easter message speaks to me about the importance of unity, solidarity, and of honoring

and cherishing each other and our common home, this "oasis" that we call Earth. I believe his words offer profound insights into this Season of Easter and what Christ's Resurrection means for us.

Romans 6:5 says: "For if we have grown into union with him through a death like his, we shall also be united with him in the resurrection." We are all united and in solidarity with each other because we are united to Jesus through His Resurrection. Because Christ, through His Resurrection, lives within the lives of all believers, we honor and cherish the dignity and immense worth that we all have, and together in unity and solidarity with each other, we honor and cherish our common home, which has been created by God for us.

I am extremely grateful for the many (too many to count!) individuals and groups from all three of our worship sites that helped us get through Holy Week, the Sacred Triduum, and Easter Sunday. To everyone who helped decorate our churches; to our catechists who, over many months, prepared our neophytes (those baptized at last weekend's Easter Vigil) and candidates to receive their Easter Sacraments; to our liturgical teams who generously served at all of the liturgies over the past week, THANK YOU! I am immensely grateful.

Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!

Blessings and peace,
Fr. Cal

Opportunities to give

PARISH COLLECTION TOTALS (as of March 31)

\$276,122 (fiscal year to date)

÷ \$268,550 (budget to date)

102% (percentage to budget)

Make a one-time or recurring gift securely at
[Pushpay.com/g/stmartinoftoursfife](https://pushpay.com/g/stmartinoftoursfife).

Fife-Milton Community Food Bank

Please support us! Give at the Pushpay link above; leave non-perishables and egg cartons at church; or volunteer. For details, call (253) 922-0960.

St. Vincent de Paul Conference

Blue SVDP giving envelopes are at church (or use the Pushpay link above). Call (253) 970-9037 if seeking assistance with rent or utilities.

A look back

Sacraments at Easter Vigil in our Parish Family



(St. Martin of Tours; picture courtesy of Carmela)



(Sacred Heart; picture courtesy of Sacred Heart Parish)



All Saints; picture courtesy of Andrew)

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