

Dear Parishioners,

The Lord is Risen Alleluia! I would like to wish everyone a happy and Joyful Easter. What a great reason for us to celebrate. After forty days of journeying into the “desert” with Christ and witnessing his suffering and death we now celebrate his triumphant resurrection. For us who follow Christ, his rising from the dead offers us hope and courage to face the daily challenges of life. He gives us the courage that we all need when times are hard so have faith and rejoice for we are not alone in our struggles...Christ is with us.

I would like to welcome all of our brothers and sisters who were baptized and received into the catholic church, Kyla Becker, Aarik and Oliver Johanson, Dahlia Gemmer, Logan Nguyen, Erik Swanson, Kurt Kohn, Lela Mills, Aaron Lee and Rick Hanna. The Parish community and I are truly grateful for your generous response to his call. May our good Lord continue the work he has began in your hearts that all of you may become a true disciple and witness of Christ.

On another note, I would like to invite volunteers to please help in our upcoming events like the chili cook –off happening in August and parish picnic in September. If interested kindly get in touch with Laura in the parish office. Again I would like to wish you all a happy Easter. The Lord is Risen Alleluia!

God Bless, Fr. Ramon

Stewardship of Treasure

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Total
April 2011 Income	\$15,017	\$9,496	\$14,572	Easter \$22,249	N/A	\$61,344
April 2012 Income	\$13,065	Easter			N/A	\$13,065

April 2012 Budget \$67,000

Remaining income needed for April 2012 Budget **(\$53,935)**

Prayers are Requested:

For healing: David Thompson, Don McDonnell, Kathleen Hart, Susan Janssen Mary Jo Becker, Rose Zimmerman, Madonna Underland, Bill Rilling, & Marit Zimmerman,



For those who have died: Celia Kasony, Don Nelson, Joe Regan, Joe Spencer,

For those of our community who are serving in harms way: Bret Meyer, Bowe Bergdahl (prisoner of the Taliban), Whitney Sellers Sutherland, Paul Clayborn, and Duane De Bruler.

OPERATION: RICE BOWL (ORB)

Our celebration of the resurrection brings us new joy and hope! Throughout Lent, your support of ORB has helped offer hope to millions of people around the world who benefit from the work of Catholic Relief Services. For six weeks you have prayed for the people of Madagascar, fasted in solidarity with the people of India, learned about the challenges in the lives of people in Vietnam and El Salvador, and given sacrificially to create economic opportunities in Zambia. Their struggles—and the efforts of CRS—are far from over, but you have made a difference.

Rice Bowl Collections

Soup Nights: \$915.50

CKCC Sales: \$1,293.95

Misc. Rice Bowls: \$278.50

Total to Date: \$2,488.10

Prayer Chain

Is someone (or something) standing in need of prayer?
Please call Kay Smith at 425-486-2528.

THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN VIANNEY**Sunday, April 8 Easter**

8:30 am Mass (Easter egg hunt)
 10:30 am Mass (Easter egg hunt)

Monday, April 9

Office Closed
 7:00 Financial Peace University

Tuesday, April 10

Office Closed
 7:00 pm Finance Council
 7:00 pm Facilities Committee
 7:00 pm Women's Book Group TC4 Meal Prep.
 7:00 pm AA meeting

Wednesday, April 11

8:30 am Adoration
 9:00 am Mass
 9:15 am Mom's Morning out
 9:30 am Small Faith Sharing Group
 10:00 am Quilters
 6:00 pm Cub Scouts x 2
 6:30 pm Girl Scouts
 7:00 pm Auction committee
 7:00 pm Cub Scouts
 7:00 pm Choir
 7:30 Boy Scouts

Thursday, April 12

8:30 am Adoration
 9:00 am Mass
 7:00 pm Wolves scouts
 7:00 pm K of C Rosary
 7:00 pm Praise and Worship Band Rehearsal
 7:00 pm Centering Prayer Group
 7:00 pm Called to Protect for Families

Friday, April 13

8:30 am Adoration
 9:00 am Mass

Saturday, April 14

3:30 Reconciliation
 5:00 Vigil Mass– Mission Trek Bake Sale

Sunday, April 15

8:30 am Mass– Mission Trek Bake Sale
 8:30 and 9:35 CKCC
 10:30 am Mass– Mission Trek Bake Sale
 12 noon Confirmation
 12 noon Adult Trek meeting
 12 noon VBS meeting
 6:30 Youth Group

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR:**

(Parish Office Hours 9 am– 4:30 pm.)

- April 9- Parish Office Closed
- April 27, 28, 29 Confirmation Retreat
- May 6– First Communion Liturgy at the 10:30 Mass
- May 13– Mother's Day and May Crowning Celebration Flores de Mayo.
- Confirmation Celebration Archbishop Sartain Presiding May 10, 2012 6:30 pm
- July 16-19– Sunrise National Parks Vacation Bible Camp
- September 9, 2012– St. John Vianney Annual Parish Picnic 12 noon to 3:00 pm

Readings for Second Sunday of Easter

Reading I– Acts 4:32-35

Reading II– I John 5:1-6

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Questions for Easter Sunday

- What examples of changing or changed persons do you find in today's readings?
- At this point in your life, what priorities might you be asked to shift from "what is on earth" to "what is above"?
- How can you bear witness to Jesus' passage through death to Resurrection this week?

Opportunities for Adult Involvement at St. John Vianney Parish

Are you called to become Catholic?

Contact Fr. Ramon in the parish office with questions.

Parish Pilgrimage: Join Fr. Ramon for a 14 day Pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Turkey on September 17-30th. 3799+ tax from Seatac. Round-trip airfare, First Class hotel accommodations double occupancy. Breakfast and dinner daily. Deluxe motor coach. Professionally guided. All entrance fees to the sites and daily Mass. Registration forms are available at the welcome table.

Women's Book Group:

At our April Session we will be preparing a meal for Tent City IV residents. We will meet Tuesday April 10th at 7:00 pm to prepare the meal together and then deliver it on Saturday April 14. Our May book is *Cutting for Stone* by Abraham Verghese. All women, wine and chocolate are welcomed.

WOW (Women of Wonder):

Our meeting day is Tuesday, April 17. We will have our popular games night. Watch for an email to help us choose your favorite game(s). We are also asking you to start RSVPing so we can judge how many ladies may be coming to the meeting.

Saturday Senior Single (potluck)

SupperOur next dinner is scheduled for April 21 after the 5:00 Saturday Night Mass (over 55 years old and single) following the Saturday 5:00 pm Mass.

Liturgical Ministers: Be sure your email address is current. Contact Marti Bolcer at martib1@earthlink.net, or leave your information in the parish office. It is important to input your "can't serve" dates each month as soon as possible. The April schedule is here. Be sure to check the lists posted on the kiosk to sign up for Palm Sunday and the Triduum.

Quilting Group: Come join us if you are interested in making quilts for charitable purposes. Beginners to experienced Quilters are welcomed. We meet on Wednesdays at 10:00 am. For more information please call Sue Cholewczynski 425-488-9447.

Choir: meets Wednesday Evenings at 7:00 pm in the Church. Contact Mary Thurtle if you are interested in joining the choir.

Auction 2012 Anyone interested in being part of the planning for our 2012 Fall auction please contact Margie Berard in the parish office.

FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY On the first Saturday of each month, please join Nora Aranas in the chapel at 4:00 pm for the Rosary.

Lenten Library Books: Stop by the table in the narthex by the bulletin board for some Lenten Selections from our Parish Library.

Newspaper Recycling Recycle your newspapers at SJV and help our local boy scout troop (Troop 565). The recycling bin is located at the back parking lot by the boy scout shed. Thanks!!

Parish Picnic DATE: September 9, 2012 from 12 noon to 3:00 pm

Interested in helping: We need chair persons for a number of subcommittees. Contact Laura Stanger if you are interested in helping! Next meeting First meeting Sunday April 22 following the 10:30 am mass.

Liturgical ministers are needed: Our parish is in need of liturgical ministers. If you would like to be a lector, Eucharistic minister, altar server or hospitality minister please let us know in the parish office or let Marti Bolcer know at martib1@earthlink.net.

A big Thank you to those that helped with Spring Clean up!

Thank you to **Ted Brown** for the donation of compost and a thank you to Knights of Columbus for their donation of money for more compost. Thank you to the Youth Group and everyone else, younger and older, who gave of their time to get the job done. For those of you who brought tools to work with and took them home, if you found a shovel that may not be yours, please bring it to the office. A couple of volunteers could not find their large scoop shovels when they were finished in the morning. More flower beds are availa-

ble for adopting and if you are so inclined, a bed can be tailored to your needs. Again, THANK YOU FROM SJV AND TZ!

CALLED TO PROTECT CLASS

If you volunteer in the parish and have not taken the called to protect for Ministries class. It is being offered here at St. John Vianney this Thursday from 6:30 to 8:30 in the Social Hall. If you think you would like to volunteer at any time with children and or vulnerable adults you are asked to take this class within 90 days of your volunteer efforts. Contact Laura if you are interested in attending.

Parish Rummage Sale: Please donate your usable items to our parish rummage sale this summer. No clothes please. Contact the parish office if you are able to donate items.

Social Concerns

Our social concerns group is committed to educating our parish in the United States Catholic Conference of Bishops position on a variety of issues.

If you are interested in learning English, or know someone who may be interested, ELL (English Language Learner) classes are provided through Hope Link and Chris Gaines is an excellent contact. Chris can be contacted at 425-481-3431.

HOMELESSNESS ADVOCACY LINE FOR King County is 211.

There is also a Severe Weather Shelter that does not screen.

That number is 425 417 4815

Movie presentation coming

April 24 7 PM

"Dying to Live" and "Strangers No Longer" amazing Catholic documentaries on immigration. Powerful.. as an Esperanza trekker... WE watch these in Mexico.

Our St Vincent shed is short

on Mac n Cheese

Chili Tuna Fish Mayonnaise

Cooking Oil Top Ramen

5Lb Sugar 5Lb Flour

Breakfast Cereal



St. John Vianney Catholic Preschool
 PSSST.....have you heard? St. John Vianney Catholic Preschool still has openings in their Tue/Thu program.

We meet to learn and have fun from 9:15AM until 11:45AM . If your child is 3 years old on or before 12/31/12, this is the place for you....please pass it on ! If you would like more information, please pick up a brochure at the Welcome table in the Narthex or go to our website at www.sjvkirkland.org and click the Preschool tab. If you would like a tour please contact Annette Schwientek at: aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org or 206-234-3988. If you are doing some spring cleaning please think of us before discarding any gently used toys, games and books. The Preschool kids appreciate your donations. THANK YOU!!!

Children and Family Life Ministry

Parish Nursery The Parish Nursery is available for children during Masses both at 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 am on Sundays. There is no fee. The nursery is right down the stairs past the "Here I am Lord" Mural.

Infant Baptism: Parents who are seeking Baptism for children who are newborn up to 7 years old participate in the infant Baptism Program. We ask that you attend one group session and a rehearsal and be registered members of the parish 6 months prior to the Baptism. Our next Baptism Class is scheduled for April 17 The Baptism will be at the 10:30 Mass on Sunday April 22.

First Eucharist Preparation

Our Third Eucharist Preparation session is scheduled for

Friday April 27 at 7:00 pm or Saturday April 28 at 10:00 am. We will do the same session twice, you choose which ever session you prefer to come to. We will also be doing an additional optional session the Sunday afternoon following the Friday and Saturday session from 2-3:30 pm. Contact Laura Stanger with Questions.

Catholic Kids' Catechism Club- WOW! Our CKCC Lenten Rice bowl fundraisers blew us out of the water this year. Thanks so much to your generous hearts. Raffle results winners were: Cynthia Kemp won the Starbucks gift card, Marlys Schmaus won the Garden Basket and Michelle Rocamora won the Wine Basket. Special thanks to all those who donated and to the clubhouse leaders who coordinated our sales crew. CKCC raised over 1400.00 for Operation Rice Bowl to help feed the hungry through operation rice bowl. AMAZING! GOD IS GOOD AND THROUGH YOUR GENEROUSITY OUR KIDS LEARNED ABOUT MICROLOANS AND ABOUT DOING GOOD WORK FOR THE LOVE OF OTHERS.

Parent's Night Out: The Third Saturday of each month will be Parent's night out at St. John Vianney from 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm. Register your name and e-mail address with Laura at lstanger@sjvkirkland.org to reserve your spot each month. Pay \$20.00 per family or \$10.00 per child for 4 hours of care while you and your spouse have time to yourselves. Mission trekkers can receive money for their service to fund their treks by helping at Parents night out. E-mail Laura if you are interested, I will put you on the e-mail list and you will receive an e-mail notice.

Vacation Bible School Planning meeting The date is set: July 16-19th SAVE THE DATE for Son Rise National Parks VBS!. If you would like to help in planning for this years VBS **Our next meeting will be Sunday April 15 at 12 noon Join us!**

Junior & Senior High, Young Adult, Outreach

NO YOUTH GROUP APRIL 1- SPRING BREAK

April 1 Palm Sunday. ** CHANGE No Confirmation, rescheduled to April 15 with Fr Ramon; forming a Catholic Social Conscience

April 7: Holy Saturday trip to Burlington for YMP day in the food bank, clothing bank, maybe an egg hunt, visit elder in Anacortes. then home. Permission slips emailed to all families. Thanks to Sherry Krainick, Dave Allemeier, and Kathleen McGuinness for saying YES to chaperoning and driving!

April 15: Youth Group

2012 Adult & young adult Esperanza treks Adult trek May 19 -26. Airfare went up, but come anyway!~ Cost after air fare about \$500 includes everything! 25 on the roster, can go to 32. Young Adult trek June 15 to 24. Young adult Brick and Block sale.. thanks to our parish for the \$1600 in so far! We sure could use more aid, and you get brick load of good spirits from our trekkers!

Quo Vadis Days 2012 Attention all Catholic young men ages 13-18! Do you know where your life is going? The Lord Jesus has a great plan for you! You are invited to attend Quo Vadis Days camp to spend time with other young men your age looking at the Lord's call in your life while having a great time. QVD is led by priests and seminarians of the archdiocese and is supported by the Archdiocesan Office of Vocations. QVD will be held on from Sunday June 24th to Wednesday June 27th at Camp Don Bosco near Carnation, WA. The cost of the camp is covered by the Serra Club and the Knights of Columbus. Check us out at the www.qvdays.org if you are interested. All registration is online!