

## Pastor's Message

Dear Parishioners,

Now that we are back to ordinary time, I would like to revisit some of the events that we had and who made them possible for us to enjoy. I want to begin with our church and thank all those who have made our church really festive and conducive for praying. The Christmas concert, this is an event that is becoming popular amongst our parishioners all because of the dedication of our choir and praise and worship band members and their respective directors Mary Thurtle and Margaret Graham. To our Filipino Community for singing in our Simbang Gabi celebration and for hosting a delicious dinner. To all who helped make our liturgical celebration meaningful and prayerful, thank you and finally to the Knights of Columbus, the Worship and Spirituality Commission and to the numerous volunteers who came last Sunday and helped us take down our decorations...thank you!

On another note, some parishioners have been asking about the equipment parked outside in our lawn. We have them there because of work that they are doing in front of our church. A company has volunteered their services in removing the gravel in our front yard for free and then spread top soil in the area before seeding it with grass. I know right now it maybe an eyesore for some but eventually it will help make our front yard look better.

Last Saturday tent city moved out of our parish grounds and transferred to St. Jude's. I would like to thank all the donors and volunteers who helped provide meals to our less fortunate brothers and sisters. In particular I would like to thank Mary Goodwin for coming last Saturday to make sure that the transfer would go smoothly, as well as provide food for them and also clean the kitchen and Social Hall. To all who have given so much to this Parish, God bless you all!

Fr. Ramon

### Stewardship of Treasure

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Total
January 2012 Income	\$13,004	\$10,168	\$11,379	\$10,953	\$12,160	\$57,664
January 2012 Income	\$15,470	\$9,499	\$12,665			\$37,634
					January 2013 Budget	\$65,000
Amount received from 12/22-12/25= \$24,084					January 2013 Income needed	<b>(\$27,366)</b>

#### Prayers are Requested

**for healing.** . . Stuart Levigne, Tim Gassler, the Boeckel Family, Melissa Kurfess, Amanda Thompson, Jerrie Drinkwine, George Norton, Dick Edwards, Linda Thompson, Dean Hendrickson, Gerry Kingery, Martha Shuker, John Phillips, Dennis DePape Cathy Orth, and Alvin Kline.

**for those who have died.** . . Irma Walker, Gene Carlson, Nicki Barm ,Fran Skogsbergh, (mother of Lee ), and Mariana Echavez, (grandmother of Monica Mutis)

**for those of our community who are serving in harm's way.** . . Bret Meyer, Bowe Bergdahl (prisoner of the Taliban), Whitney Sellers Sutherland, Paul Clayborn, Duane De Bruler, Capt

#### Stewardship of Treasure Pledges

Thank you to all of you who turned in a 2013 Stewardship of Treasure pledge card. This helps us as we plan our parish budget for 2013-2014.



#### Prayer Chain

Do you or someone you know need a prayer? If so, call Kay Smith and the prayer chain at 425-486-2528.

## *Liturgies & Events*

### **Sunday, January 20**

8:30 am Mass  
10:30 am Mass  
8:30 am and 10:30 am CKCC

### **Monday, January 21**

**(Martin Luther King Day office closed)**

9:45 am Bible Study  
7:00 pm Financial Peace University

### **Tuesday, January 22**

8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass  
9:15 am Preschool  
7:00 pm AA Meeting

### **Wednesday, January 23**

9:00 am Word and Communion  
9:15 am Preschool  
9:30 am Small Faith Sharing Group  
10:00 am Quilting  
6:30 pm Girl Scouts

### **Thursday, January 24**

8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass  
9:15 am Preschool  
6:00 pm Chatham Ridge HOA  
7:00 pm Centering Prayer  
7:00 pm Praise & Worship Band

### **Friday, January 25**

8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass  
9:15 am Preschool  
6:00 pm Auction Meeting  
7:00 pm First Eucharist Preparation

### **Saturday, January 26**

10:00 am First Eucharist Preparation  
11:30 am — 2:30 pm Pack 567 Pinewood Derby  
3:30 pm Reconciliation  
5:00 pm Mass

### **Sunday, January 27**

8:30 am Mass  
10:30 am Mass  
4:00pm Middle School meeting



“Faith is taking the first step even if  
you don’t see the full staircase. “

*-Martin Luther King Jr.*

## *Mark your Calendar*

Parish office hours 8:30 am—4:30 pm

- **January 18-20** Women’s Retreat at Far and Away
- **January 19** Senior Singles Potluck Dinner
- **January 21** Office closed (no morning Mass) MLK Holiday
- **February 2 Youth Group Mass, Dinner and a Movie**
- **February 9** 6pm Knights of Columbus Crab Feed  
Youth Trek Bake & Valentine See’s candy sale.
- **February 13** Ash Wednesday 9am & 7pm Liturgies
- **March 2** YMP Mission Day to Burlington

### **Readings for The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Nehemiah 8:2—4a, 5— 6, 8—10  
1 Corinthians 12:12—14, 27  
Luke 1:1—4; 4:14—21

### **Questions for The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

- In which specific words and images in the First Reading do you find God’s mercy expressed?
- At what moments have you been especially conscious of the Incarnation—the presence of Christ in the midst of your earthly life?
- When has someone urged you to do something helpful before you felt ready? How did it turn out?

## St. John Vianney Parish News

**Senior Singles:** Our next gathering will be on January 19th for single Seniors over the age of 50. Bring a potluck dish to share to the social hall immediately following the Saturday Night 5:00 pm Mass.

**New Bible Study: The Book of Ruth**  
You are invited to join us on Monday mornings after 9:00 am mass for two hours of faith building. Beginning in February we will be studying Judges. Sign up now so we can order your materials in time. For dates and cost contact Cynthia Kemp at 425-823-6125.

**Would you like a CD from this year's parish concert?** Contact Jeff Berosik or drop by the parish office. \$5.00 donation per CD.

**Wine, Chocolate and Books:** Our next Women's Book Group book is "Crossroads" by Wm. Paul Young. All women of the parish are invited to join us on Tuesday, February 5th for a lively discussion, wine and chocolate. We will gather in the parish office space.

**Lift up Your Voice!** Have you ever thought it might be fun to sing in the Church Choir? Now is your chance! Choir members have the choice to sing at either the 8:30 or 10:30 am Mass each week. Rehearsals are at 7:00 pm every Wednesday. Please consider joining us and sharing the talent God gave you! For more information, please contact Mary Thurtle at 425-466-4190 or talk with any current choir member.

**Come Quilt With Us!**  
SJV quilters returned to our regular schedule (every Wednesday at 10 am) on January 9th. New and experienced quilters are invited to join our friendly group in making lap quilts for our parish outreach ministry. Sue Cholewczynski 425-488-9447.

**Liturgical Ministers:** Are your email address and "can't serve" dates updated? Be sure to click on 'request sub' when you aren't able to serve on an assigned day. It's time to put your 'can't serve' dates in for February. Contact Marti: martib1@earthlink.net or the parish office.

**Praise & Worship Band Auditions**  
Are you an experienced bass player or drummer? Think about auditioning for the Praise and Worship Band! We rehearse on Thursdays @ 7pm and play on Saturday at the 5pm Mass. To arrange for an audition, contact Margaret Graham [mgraham@sjvkirkland.org](mailto:mgraham@sjvkirkland.org) or the parish office.

### EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE

**Visio Divina:** Contemplating visual images to express our inner experiences. Friday, February 1, 2013 10:00 am – 3:00 pm St. Joseph Parish Center Sue Magrath, facilitator

Powerful visual images can speak to us more clearly of God than any language we could hear or utter. Come and join us for a day of enrichment as we explore a variety of images and the ways in which we can use these images. Cost is \$40, \$20 for students. To register, visit [www.ignatiancenter.org](http://www.ignatiancenter.org) or contact Carolyn Hickman at (206) 329-4824 x2. Sponsored by the Ignatian Spirituality Center.

**Rachel's Corner: Hope and Healing After Abortion** "By attending the retreat, I was finally acknowledging how broken I was. The mercy and love of Christ helped me to name and acknowledge my wounds." - Testimony after a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat. Come to a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat and experience the healing balm of Christ's mercy and forgiveness. Next retreat: February 8-10, 2013. Call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673) *You are loved with an everlasting Love! Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.*

**Bishop Blanchet High School** cordially invites all CYO grade school basketball players, along with their parents and coaches, to be our guests at BBHS' "CYO NIGHT" on Friday, January 25<sup>th</sup> at Bishop Blanchet. We invite you to be our guests, receive special recognition, and enjoy an evening of basketball contests on Gilligan-Wilkinson Court. The Braves will compete against Lakeside; Junior Varsity Girls start at 3:15pm, Junior Varsity Boys at 4:45pm, Varsity Girls at 6:15pm and Varsity Boys at 8:00pm. All CYO basketball players are asked to wear their jerseys in order to receive free admission for themselves and their parents on this evening. Please join us as we honor the Catholic youth of Seattle.

**O'Dea Italian Dinner- Saturday, January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2013** Join us as the "Irish Go Italian" The O'Dea High School Fathers' Club is again putting on their famous Italian Dinner, raising funds for boys' activities and scholarships. Joe Salle's preparing another excellent meal and serving good red and white wine as we sit down to an Italian feast you will not soon forget. Tickets are \$30.00 per person. Reservation form at [www.odea.org](http://www.odea.org) (click on Upcoming Events then Italian Dinner) or contact Clement Neil at [cdgneil@frontier.com](mailto:cdgneil@frontier.com) Questions, call (425) 822-7545.

### 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.*

### Catholic Advocacy Day in Olympia.

March 22, 9 am to 3 pm. Contact [DialogueForJustice@ccsww.org](mailto:DialogueForJustice@ccsww.org) All parish members and staff, parish leadership, and Catholic service and justice organizations are invited to join us to ensure that the Gospel message to care for our brothers and sisters is heard in Olympia. There will be a bus from Holy Family, Kirkland. Reservations must be made by Feb. 22.

# Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

## St. John Vianney Catholic Preschool



Registration for the 2013-14 school year began January 7. Brochures for our program are available at the Welcome Table or for more information, visit our website at [www.sjvkirkland.org](http://www.sjvkirkland.org) and click the Pre-school tab. For a tour, Annette Schwientek would be delighted to show you around. Contact her

at: [aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org](mailto:aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org) or 206-234-3988.

**Catholic Kids' Catechism Club** Children ages 3 through 5th grade are welcome to attend Sunday School. Children ages 3-5 yrs. attend our 8:30 am Sunday Class. While the older kids (first graders through fifth graders) join us from 9:35-10:25 on Sunday morning or from 7-8 pm on Monday

Evenings. Training camp begins for Superbowl Sunday! Which is coming up February 3, 2013! New members are welcome any time. Please sign up at the welcome table or e-mail Laura Stanger.

**Parents, there is a nursery available during our Sunday 8:30 am and 10:30 am Masses.** Just down the stairs, the first room on the right is our parish nursery. It is staffed and free! Please bring your children down if you are in need of a bit of peace while you are celebrating Mass.

### **First Eucharist Preparation**

We begin our preparation for First Eucharist on Friday January 25 at 7:00 pm or Saturday January 26 at 10:00 am.

## ***Middle & Senior High School, Young Adult and Outreach Experiences***

**January 20** MLK weekend, no meetings—**Service: Everybody can be great, because anybody can serve. You don't have to have a college degree to serve. You don't have to make your subject and verb agree to serve. You only need a heart full of grace. A soul generated by love.** Martin Luther King, Jr.

**Sunday January 27** 4pm—6:30pm Middle School meeting

**Saturday February 2** 5 pm to 9 pm 6 to 12 grades Mass, dinner & movie

**Sunday February 10** 5PM senior high meeting

**March 2** (note new date) YMP day-long mission to Burlington

**College Trek June 14 — 23rd** Dates are firm. Call for more info. We need another van!

**Ghana Trek 2013 July 13 to 29** Join Chris Norwood, Chris Dube, Jason & Susan Nadeau and Jan Kline for 2 amazing weeks celebrating clean water. SJV community again contributed financially to digging wells. There is still room for you to join us! Call Jan Kline or visit [wateraccessnow.org](http://wateraccessnow.org).

**Valentine See's Candy** sale coming soon. See's is now working towards fair trade! Support trek!



## **Institute for Catholic Thought and Culture invites you to the second Catholic Heritage Lecture of the 2012 – 2013**

**academic year:** *"Vatican II at 50: Toward a Dynamic Understanding of Conciliar Reception"* By Mary Ann Hinsdale, IHM January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2013 7:00 pm Pigott Auditorium What does it mean to say that an ecumenical council's teaching has been "received"? This lecture will explore how a dynamic understanding of conciliar reception must involve dialogue, participation, and even "re-invention". Mary Ann Hinsdale is an associate professor of systematic theology at Boston College. A member of the IHM Sisters, she received her Ph.D. from the University of St. Michael's College in Toronto, earned a License in Sacred Theology from Regis College, and a Masters of Religious Education from Catholic University of America. This lecture is free and open to the public. For more information please visit [www.seattleu.edu/missionministry/chl](http://www.seattleu.edu/missionministry/chl)

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