

# Fifth Sunday of Lent

Dear Parishioners,

What a joyful time it is for our Church and for me! First I am very happy to be back in our parish celebrating the Liturgy with all of you. Secondly my heart is filled with joy and excitement because the church has finally elected a new Pope to shepherd and guide her. Last Wednesday the Vatican has declared Cardinal Jorge Mario Bergoglio, S.J., Archbishop of Buenos Aires, Argentina to be our new Pope, he has chosen the name Francis I. I am sure my brother Jesuits are happy as well as the Franciscan order for having their founder's name chosen as the pope's name. And so I would like to congratulate Pope Francis I for his election as our new Holy Father.

Speaking about the church, I would like to comment on how beautiful our church decorations are and I have been informed that the women of wonder (WoW) are responsible for donating the lovely vases we have in our sanctuary...thank you so much for your generous support to our parish. I also would like to thank the members of the liturgy committee for preparing our church for the Lenten season. It really makes a difference and makes our place conducive for prayers.

Finally in these coming days I would like to invite you to take advantage of some of the things we are offering; first our Penance service. We will be having our penance service this Tuesday, March 19 at 7 pm. There will be five visiting priest who will be hearing confessions and at the same time offer advice and guidance to some of your life's concerns. Then on March 25, at 7 P.M. St. Luke's production is doing a one man play on the Passion of Christ by Leonardo de Fillippis. I have seen the play last year and was truly impressed by the presentation. I highly urge and encourage you to please come and immerse yourself in God's word through the passion play. Maundy Thursday, March 28, we will have the Mass of the Last Supper at 7. Then March 29, good Friday, there will be film showing at noon followed by a recitation of the sorrowful mystery rosary and stations of the cross. At 7 in the evening we will have the veneration of the cross. March 30, Saturday, at 8 pm. I would like to encourage you once again to please come and join us the greatest liturgical celebration in the church...the Easter Vigil. Here we will recall his glorious resurrection and triumph over sin and death. I hope to see you in some or all of our celebrations. God bless!

## Stewardship of Treasure

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Total
March 2012 Income	\$16,389	\$15,574	\$10,920	\$8,983	n/a	\$51,866
March 2013 Income	\$16,285	\$15,581			n/a	\$31,866
					March 2013 Budget	\$65,000

March 2013 Income needed **(\$33,134)**

### Prayers are Requested

**for healing.** . . Wendy Petersen, Bob Day, JoAnne Tallman, Reanna Thatcher, Joan Johnson, Chuck Graff, Danika Davis, Gloria Millo, Alan Snider, Christen Heye, Linda Thompson, Dean Hendrickson, Gerry Kingery, Martha Shuker, John Phillips, Dennis DePape, and Alvin Kline.

**for those who have died.** . . Cathy Orth, Shelley Wilson, Dode Eckmann, Ariel Lapurga, John O'Shea, Madeleine Scranton, Clinton Kelson, Steve Currie, Darrell Vaughn, David Mitchell, Dolores Rybak, and Karen Sandas.

**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 William James Lewis (Germany) (Afghanistan) and Daniel Bilyard (Afghanistan).

### Drinking Clean Water in Pakistan: ORB (Operation Rice Bowl)

This week we focus our prayers, fasting and almsgiving on Pakistan, where poor communities often do not have access to clean water. CRS helps communities build water pumps so they can have clean water nearby for use at home and on their farms. This week, consider fasting from all beverages except for water, and donate what you saved to your Rice Bowl.



### Prayer Chain

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



### AUCTION 2013

Help us plan this year's Nov. 16th Auction. Contact Margie in the parish office for more information: 425-823-0787 or

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## Liturgies & Events

### Sunday, March 17

8:30 am Mass-Bake Sale  
10:30 am Mass - Bake Sale  
8:30 am and 9:35 am CKCC Session  
5-6:30pm High School & trek & Confirmation '14 meeting

### Monday, March 18

9:00 am Mass & Adoration  
9:15 am Preschool  
9:45 am Bible Study  
6:00 pm Soup Night  
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross  
7:00 pm CKCC

### Tuesday, March 19

9:00 am Mass & Adoration  
9:15 am Preschool  
6:30 pm Girl Scouts  
7:00 pm AA Meeting  
7:00 pm Parish Penance Service

### Wednesday, March 20

9:00 am Mass & Adoration  
9:15 am Preschool  
9:30 am Small Faith Sharing Group  
10:00 am Quilting  
6:30 pm Girl Scouts  
7:00 pm Choir  
7:00 pm RCIA  
7:00 pm Pastoral Council Meeting

### Thursday, March 21

9:00 am Mass & Adoration  
9:15 am Preschool  
7:00 pm Centering Prayer  
7:00 pm Webelos  
7:00 pm Praise & Worship Band  
7:30 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting

### Friday, March 22

9:00 am Mass & Adoration  
9:15 am Preschool  
9:15 am Lenten Faith Sharing Group

### Saturday, March 23

3:30 pm Reconciliation  
5:00 pm Mass Palm Sunday Vigil

### Sunday, March 24

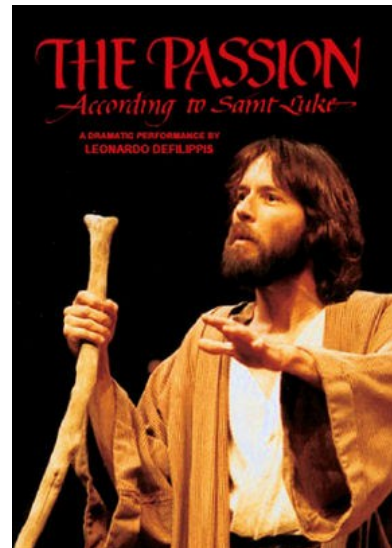
8:30 am and 10:30 am Masses  
8:30 am and 9:35 am CKCC Session  
4-6:30 pm Middle School meeting

Please join us!

Invite your friends  
and neighbors.

Monday of Holy  
Week 7:00

Live stage  
Performance  
Suitable for  
children who can  
sit for up to one  
hour.



## Mark your Calendar

Parish office hours 8:30 am—4:30 pm

- **Mondays during Lent 6:00 pm** Soup Nights followed by Stations of the Cross at 7:00 pm
- **Tuesday, March 19 7:00 pm** Lenten Penance Service
- **Monday March 25 7:00 pm** A very special event: St. Luke Productions Presents: The Passion. FREE WILL OFFERING
- **Holy Thursday March 28 7:00 pm** Liturgy
- **Good Friday March 29 3:00 pm** Stations of the Cross  
**7:00 pm** Liturgy
- **Saturday, March 30 8:00 pm** Vigil Mass
- **Easter Sunday March 31 8:30 am and 10:30 am** Liturgies with an Easter Egg hunt following the Masses.
- Knights of Columbus spaghetti dinner April 6

### Readings for Palm Sunday

Isaiah 50 :4-7  
Philippians 2:6-11  
Luke 22:14-23-56

### Questions for The Fifth Sunday of Lent

- Point to the different ways today's readings describe being brought to new life.
- What do you need to bring to God for restoration or renewal at this time?
- In what ways are you called to act on faith in Jesus this week and turn it into love?

## St. John Vianney Parish News

### Lenten Events at St. John Vianney

#### Mondays throughout Lent: Soup Nights & Stations of the Cross

Warm your heart, stomach and soul every Monday night beginning at 6:00 pm throughout Lent with **Soup Night**, a long standing tradition here at SJV. Enjoy a bowl of soup that has been prepared, or bring a pot of soup or bread to share. Next Monday, March 18 is our last soup night. There will be no soup night on the 25th. Donations will be made to support Operation Rice Bowl. *A total of \$510 has been donated through 3/4. (this is not including the money raised by the Lenten businesses from CKCC for rice bowl) Thanks for your generosity.* This will be followed by **Stations of the Cross** at 7:00 pm. (This replaces 7:30 Stations of the Cross on Fridays during Lent.) Booklets will be available for families or individuals to do stations of the cross on their own during office hours on Fridays.

#### "The Passion" Live Event March 25th:

Mark your calendar for a very special live event presented at St. John Vianney. St. Luke Productions Presents "The Passion" on Monday, March 25th at 7pm. Begin your Holy Week experience with a powerful, live production for your entire family. Freewill offering will be accepted to offset the price of the production.

#### How to Make Yourself Feel Amazing

Every one of us has a gift. Perhaps you make people around you happy just by your infectious optimistic personality. Maybe your lasagna is so good it makes people swoon. Did you know that the quickest way to feel good about yourself is to do something for someone else? Think about the reaction you would get if you prepared a warm meal for someone who needs cheering up? What if by visiting someone, you made their day or *even week*? If you have a little time, think about giving us a call at the Sunshine Ministry. If you or someone you know needs a little Sunshine (a meal or a card) call us at 425-823-0787.

#### SJV Quilters Ministry

Please join us for quilting on Wednesdays at 10:00 am. It's a stitch! Call Sue Cholewczynski 425-488-9447. **A request: does anyone have a simple (straight stitch) sewing machine to donate for the quilters to use every week? Contact the parish office.**

#### A Winning Combination: Wine, Chocolate & Books

Need a time out with other women? All women of the parish are invited to join our Women's Book Group on Tuesday, March 5th. We are reading The Devil in Pew Number Seven by Rebecca Nichols Alonzo. Come meet other women of the parish and enjoy a lively discussion *plus* wine and chocolate. Join us in the parish office space.

#### Lift up Your Voice! "ALL GOD'S CHILDREN GOT A PLACE IN THE 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 [mthurtle@sjvki8rkland.org](mailto:mthurtle@sjvki8rkland.org) or talk with any current choir member.

#### 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. The March schedule is here. Please ignore the mass listed for Saturday, March 30, I forgot to delete it from the schedule. That is Vigil night and we will have a separate sign up sheet. Please remember to input your 'can't serves' for April. Contact Marti: [marti-b1@earthlink.net](mailto:marti-b1@earthlink.net) or the parish office.

#### Praise & Worship Band Auditions

Do you enjoy playing the drums? 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.

#### Senior Singles

Have a Happy St. Patrick's Day! We'll see you on April 20 for our next get together.

#### Funeral Ministry Help

We are in need of more people to help with our funeral receptions. You can either deliver either a salad or a dessert to a funeral reception here at our parish or you may volunteer to help with set up and clean up after the reception.

**Spaghetti Dinner Coming!** Save the date! The Knights of Columbus will offer a Spaghetti Dinner on April 6, 2013, after the 5PM liturgy.

#### 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.

#### St. Vincent de Paul reminder

The food shed is now FULL! Thanks so much for your generosity!

**Thank You to everyone.**

Please continue to support SVDP though out the year.

Peanut butter, jelly, macaroni & cheese, flour and sugar 5 lb., canned chili or stew, tuna fish, mayonnaise, pancake mix, syrup, cooking oil, Ramen noodles and canned Fruit. Cash donations always help fill the pantry, too. Food can be dropped in the box in Narthex, cash donations with the office. Thank you for your generosity!

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## Children and Family Life Ministry Events



**St. John Vianney Catholic Pre-school** Registration for the 2013-14 school year is full and we have a waiting list. Brochures for the preschool are available at the Welcome Table or for more information, visit our website at [www.sjvkirkland.org](http://www.sjvkirkland.org) and click the Preschool tab. Contact Annette Schwientek, our preschool director,

at: [aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org](mailto:aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org) or 206-234-3988 for more information about the preschool.

**Catholic Kids' Catechism Club** Thank you so much for supporting Catholic Kids Catechism Club and their support of Operation Rice Bowl and their microloan businesses. See the table below for the funds raised so far by our club-houses.

Sunday Lucky 7's pretzels	\$328.00
Sunday Busy Bee's care bags	\$147.00
Monday Meal Makers Cards	\$111.25
Sunday and Monday God's Gang	\$256.21

**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. **Sacramental Preparation Infant Baptism:** Our next Baptism preparation class is scheduled for Tuesday April 2, 2013 at 7:00 pm. The celebration of the Baptism will be on Sunday April 7th at the 10:30 Mass. We don't perform Baptisms during the season of Lent except in case of an emergency. Parents, download the paperwork at the parish website under the sacraments tab. Contact Laura Stanger for more information.

**First Eucharist Classes:** Our next first Eucharist Session for kids and their parents is scheduled for Friday, April 26th at 7:00 pm or Saturday April 27th at 10:00 am. The Sacrament of First Eucharist will be celebrated on Sunday May 5, 2013 at the 10:30 Mass.

**Vacation Bible Camp: Summer 2013: SonWest Round up!** Save the date for this rip-roarin good time at Vacation Bible Camp. From June 24-June 27th from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm for children ages 4 years old to 5th grade. Saddle up, we will discover the wild west! We will travel through the old testament and enjoy food, games, music, crafts, and fun! Registration forms will be out a the end of this month!



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

**March 16-17 St Pat's bake sale for high school Tj and YMP trekkers after Masses**

**March 17 5- 6:30 pm High school—trek— pre Confirmation meeting (St Pat's dinner cancelled)**

**March 24 Middle School meeting 4—6:30pm**

**College Trek June 14 — 23rd Since 1996!** INCREDIBLE thanks to Jan & Mike Fenelon for saying yes to lending a van to our trekkers. Do you miss the college brick and block sale? Our group is up to 17 "yes" and we have amazing leaders Ryan Lewis, Joel Jensen and Jason Nadeau returning. We could use your help for gas money. See the house in the social hall and make your donation.

**Goodwin Grupo Trek July 7 — 13** Want to feel perhaps the best you ever have? Join us making people feel they matter while building homes in Tijuana the week of 7/7 with the Goodwin mixed group and [www.esperanzaint.org](http://www.esperanzaint.org). For many trekkers there is little else in our life that gives us a more profound sense of purpose than being community while on these trips. We'd love to have you! We know your presence will enrich the experience for all of us. Contact Ken+Mary [goodwin.hp@gmail.com](mailto:goodwin.hp@gmail.com), 425.466.4460

### Events in the Diocese

**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. To learn more about an upcoming retreat call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673) *You are loved with an everlasting Love! Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.*

**Archdiocesan Mass for the Special needs community:** Archbishop J. Peter Sartain invites us to celebrate a mass for our special needs community, including families, friends and our faith communities. "Everyone is Welcome!" Saturday March 23rd, 2013 11:00 am St. James Cathedral— Seattle Reception to follow in the Isaac Orr Conference Center. All persons with disabilities have the capacity to proclaim the Gospel and to be living witnessed to its truth within the community of faith and offer valuable gifts. Their involvement enriches every aspect of Church life." United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, 2005. For more information please contact Erica Chen Moore— 206-382-4852 [ericac@seattlearch.org](mailto:ericac@seattlearch.org)