

# The Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Dear Parishioners!

Last Sunday we celebrated the Baptism of The Lord. This Celebration marks the end of the Christmas Season and the beginning of Ordinary Time in the Church's calendar. This means that as the last Christmas decoration is packed and stored away in our garages or attics we now face the daily grind of life. As we face life's challenges let us not forget the season we have just celebrated where Christ our Lord, the light of all nations, has come to shed light to our life. So when your road seems to be going uphill and the wind is against you, try to remember the baby Jesus born on that cold winter morn and gave life and love to our darkened world.

Speaking of Ordinary Time, one of the things that we are asked to face this new Liturgical Year is our commitment to our parish. Last Sunday I spoke and asked for your prayerful consideration in supporting our church. Please help our parish by renewing your financial pledge to St. John Vianney. Every dollar that you give benefit's our community as well as the people we help.

Please consider donating Christmas gifts that you might re-gift to this year's auction. We will be happy to accept them now. This would greatly help our auction committee in procuring items for this year's silent auction. Also while shopping at the post Christmas sales, look for items that would be great in the auction.

Finally I would like to thank all those who came last Sunday and helped take down our Christmas decorations. May our good Lord bless you for your generosity in sharing your self and time in serving our parish. God bless!

Fr. Ramon

## Stewardship of Treasure

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Total
January 2013 income	\$16,870	\$12,973	\$10,269	\$9,326		\$49,438
January 2014 income	\$13,589*	\$14,336*				\$27,925
Christmas Collection: \$15,961	Dec. total \$87,276		Monthly Expense			\$65,000
* includes EFT donations	January 2014 Expenses over income					(\$37,075)

## Prayers are Requested

**for healing.** . . Marcus Dunsmore, Jose Basilio, Harry Brighton, Les Stewart, Terese Graddon, Luke Bolger, James Ianelli, Josephine Abe, Linda Anderson, Mary Roth, , Bernadette Asher, Nate Simons, Pilar Guerrero, Jayden Anderson, Inga Sprayberry, Sheryn Arquillano, Caron Wilberts, Archbishop Brunett, Barry McDermott, Bill Mitchell, Mary Cromer, Mike Perreault, Linda Thompson

**for those who have died.** . Clair Korn, David William Parker, Emma Vitulli, Rebecca Maryatt, Marie Alice Sevigny, Dick Meyers, William Jones, Fr. Pat Brennan,

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

## Prayer Chain

***"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds to Christ Jesus."* (Philippians 4:6-7)**

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

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## Liturgies & Events

### Sunday, January 19

8:30 am Mass  
10:30 am Mass Baptisms

### Monday, January 20

8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass  
MLK Jr Day— office closed

### Tuesday, January 21

8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass  
9:15 am Preschool  
1:00-7:00pm Blood Drive room 6  
7:00 pm Boy Scouts

### Wednesday, January 22

8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass  
9:15 am Preschool  
9:15 am Mom's Morning Out  
9:30 am Faith Sharing Group  
7:00 pm Yoga  
7:00 pm Choir

### Thursday, January 23

8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass  
9:15 am Preschool  
7:00 pm Praise & Worship band practice  
7:00 pm Centering prayer  
7:00 pm RCIA

### Friday, January 24

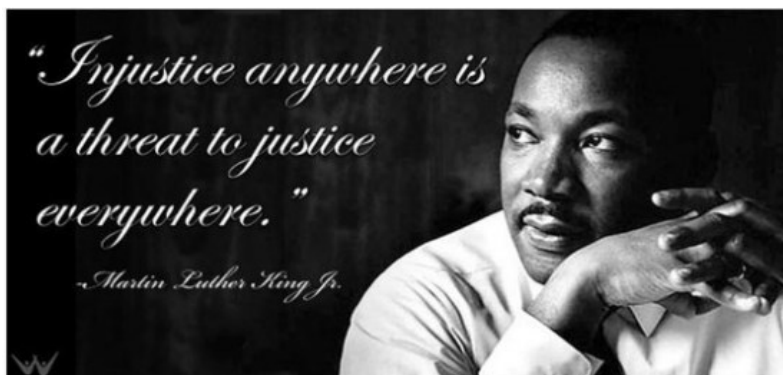
8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass  
9:15 am Preschool  
9:45 am Bible Study of Angels  
7:00 pm Sacramental Prep

### Saturday, January 25

9:00 am Sacramental Prep  
3:30 pm Reconciliation  
5:00 pm Mass  
6:00 pm K of C Spaghetti Dinner

### Sunday, January 26

8:30 am Mass  
8:30 and 9:15 am CKCC  
10:30 am Mass  
5:00 pm senior high youth group



## Mark your Calendar

Parish office hours 8:30 am — 4:30 pm

- January 19— MLK Day Parish office closed
- **\*\*time change \*\***January 21— Parish Blood Drive 1:00 to 7:00 pm.
- January 25— Knights of Columbus Spaghetti Dinner
- February 2 and 3 Catechism Club Superbowl Sundaes
- February 22— Knights CRAB FEED

### Second Sunday of Ordinary Time questions

- What encouragement do you find in today's readings for hearing and responding to God's call?
- What does it mean to you to be 'holy'? What do the readings teach?
- What call have you discerned from God lately and how are you responding?

### Children's Question

Why do you think John the Baptist called Jesus the "Lamb of God"? What does "Lamb of God" mean to you?

### Readings for January 26, 2014 The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 8:23-9:3  
1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17  
Matthew 4: 12-23

## St. John Vianney Parish News

### Interested in Becoming a Catholic?

Learn more about the Catholic faith. Adults and children 7 years-old and over who are interested, we invite you to contact the parish office and speak with Father.

### You & Adoration

Did you know that on the first Thursday of each month we sit in quiet Adoration from 9am — 7pm? If you have one hour once a month to honor the Eucharistic Presence of Christ in the Adoration Chapel, we have some slots still available. Contact Ferne Olschewsky at [Olschewsky1@frontier.com](mailto:Olschewsky1@frontier.com) or 425-213 0355 for more information.

### Stretch Your Mind & Body Yoga

**sessions on Wednesdays** Whether you are experienced or a beginner, join us Wednesdays at 7pm here at SJV for light stretching. Calm your mind and energize your body. Class sessions are \$10.

### Feel Inspired. Be inspiring.

Do you like to cook? Do you love making someone smile? If you have just one hour a month, please consider visiting someone who could use YOUR light or perhaps making your favorite meal for someone. If you have a few spare moments, give us a call at the Sonshine Ministry! If you or someone you know needs a little Sonshine (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 Kathy Egan 425-823-1720.

**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 January schedule is here. Remember to put in your February dates. Contact Marti: [marti-b1@earthlink.net](mailto:marti-b1@earthlink.net) or the parish office.

**Women's Book Group** Join us for our next Women's Book Group Tuesday, February 11th at 7pm when we will discuss Walk in a Relaxed Manner by Sister Joyce Rupp. Spend the evening discussing a good book and enjoying some chocolate and wine with some wonderful women.

### Financial Peace University for Your New Year's Resolution!

7 out of 10 Americans live paycheck to paycheck. We don't need this kind of stress in our lives. That's why for the 5th year we're offering Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University class here at church starting 7pm Monday, January 13th in Room 8. First class is FREE, so come check it out! This is the NEWLY REVISED 9-WEEK program. You will learn ways to better manage your finances. Imagine what it would feel like to be able to give freely and generously toward needs you feel passionate about, whenever God leads you to. Financial Peace University will walk you through the process that will get you there and make it incredibly practical in your daily life. Your only cost is about \$100 for the materials. Contact Dave Almond at [206-650-9449](tel:206-650-9449)/[dkalmond@msn.com](mailto:dkalmond@msn.com) to find out more or sign up and order your materials today at: <http://www.daveramsey.com/fpu/locations/org/17378/class/246571>. You'll be glad you did!

**Senior Dinner** The Senior Singles dinner will be Saturday January 18th. Any singles 55 and over are invited to attend. Bring a potluck dish to share. We gather in the social hall after the Saturday evening 5:00 pm Mass.

**Adopt-a-bed** Thank you to those of you who are taking such good care of your garden beds. A few beds are still available for adoption. If interested, call Tony at 425-823-9036

### Evening Bible Study on Hebrews.

Are you interested in learning more about the new and better covenant established by Jesus, or about how and why Jesus is our perfect High Priest? If so, join us for a Tuesday evening Bible study on the Letter to the Hebrews. The Bible study begins on Monday, February 10, and will be held each Monday evening from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM for 17 weeks. The cost for the Bible study is \$30.00. You can sign up

now, or, if you have any questions, contact Ron Petrusha at 707-548-1198

### You're Engaged? Congratulations!

**Now what?** Consider signing up for Marriage Preparation classes that will begin meeting in January. You are invited to come as a couple to the home of one of our marriage prep team members for a series of sessions with other engaged couples. Even if you are not getting married at St. John Vianney, consider attending these sessions together. They will help prepare you and your fiancé to make decisions together as a strong, spiritually based team. The Catholic Church is here to support you both and your marriage. Contact the parish office for a registration form.

### Social Concerns

**Blood drive will be at Saint John Vianney on Jan. 21, 2014,**

**1 to 7 pm.**

**A, B, O or AB, negative or positive, your blood can save a life!**

*The Severe Weather Shelter for women and children has opened in downtown Redmond. The Shelter for men will open mid-November in Bellevue. These shelters allow the homeless to come in out of the cold for the night and hopefully receive a hearty meal. Many hands are needed to provide these meals. Please check out the website at <http://tinyurl.com/k987gtb> for detailed information on how you can help and a meal calendar on which you can sign up to bring a meal. Or feel free to email Andrea at Holy Family at [andrea@hfkparish.org](mailto:andrea@hfkparish.org) or call her at 425-822-0295, ext. 110. Thank you!*

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## Children and Family Life Ministry Events



### St. John Vianney Catholic Preschool

The Staff of St. John Vianney Preschool would like to wish everyone a happy and healthy New Year.

**Registration for the 2014/15 school year begins January 6,**

**2014.** An updated brochure and registration form is available on the parish web site or the welcome table.

We will start scheduling tours for new families January 6, 2014. Please contact Annette Schwientek at [aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org](mailto:aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org) or 206-234-3988 if you are interested. For more information visit our web site at [www.sjvkirkland.org](http://www.sjvkirkland.org) and click on the Preschool tab.

### Parish Nursery 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!

### Sacramental Preparation for First Communion and First Reconciliation

Congratulations to our Children who received their First Reconciliation in December. This growing up and being brave sacrament that reminds us that we need God and that we are loved no matter what! First Eucharist Preparation begins Friday January 24 at 7:00 pm or Saturday January 25 at 10:00 a.m.

### Catholic Kids' Catechism Club

WELCOME BACK! 2014 IS GONNA BE AN AWESOME YEAR! Save the date for Wednesday January 30th for our food life line field trip. (Maximum 30 people) more details distributed next week! Spring training camp for our big Superbowl Sundae party has begun!

**Baptism Class for children under the age of seven** is scheduled for this Tuesday February 11 at 7:00 pm with the Baptisms scheduled for Sunday February 16th during the 10:30 Mass. Down load the registration form from the parish website under sacraments and bring in a copy of your child's birth certificate with you.

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

**January 25, 5:00 to 9 pm** Mass, Dinner ( Knight's spaghetti) and a movie for all teens, all ages.

**High School meeting January 26, 5:00 to 6:30 pm**

**Confirmation 2014** Next meeting Feb. 2 noon to 1:45 pm. **NO meeting evening of Super Bowl Sunday...**

**YMP DAY Saturday, Feb 8 leave SJV 8:30 am return to 5:00 Mass together.** Donation was made to our youth group and so this event is **DONATION** only..no actual cost. **Space limited. Need drivers/ chaperones.**

**Middle School meeting February 9th 4 to 6:30 pm**

**Young Adult trek 2014 conversation has opened.** Jason Nadeau, Ryan Lewis, and Joel Jensen are gearing up. Contact Jan or see the St John Vianney young adult group facebook page.

### Confirmation 2014

Next meeting Feb. 2 noon to 1:45 pm. Thanks to team members Tom Dukart, John & Marla Gallagher, Adam & Asia Keiffer, Greg Leptich, Donna Matz, Klaus Schwientek & Emily Sandbo.

**Junior High Rally 2014 is March 1st at Archbishop Murphy High . We had an amazing donation to our parish youth program that allows us to offer this experience of fellowship and faith with 700 other young Catholics for \$25! Half price! Permission slips being emailed to all.**

**Marriage Help** – Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vī) helps couples rediscover each other and examine their lives together in a new and positive way. No matter the source of conflict in a marriage, Retrouvaille can help. For confidential information about, or to register for our upcoming program beginning January 24-26, 2014 call 206-706-2608 or visit [www.helpourmarriage.com](http://www.helpourmarriage.com)

**Rachel's Corner Hope and Healing After Abortion** "The angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for behold, I proclaim to you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. For today in the city of David a Savior has been born for you, who is Messiah and Lord." May the unending love of our Savior fill your heart with hope, grace and peace this Christmas. Do not be afraid to reach out for help. We are here waiting for you. Our next healing retreat is Feb 28-March 2, 2014 Call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673) You are loved with an everlasting Love! Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

**49th Annual O'dea Italian Dinner** Knights of Columbus Hall 722 East Union on First Hill, Seattle 98122 Saturday January 25th 2014 6:00-8:30 pm. Join us for a very special evening with parents, alumni, friends and faculty of O'Dea. Savor the best in Italian cuisine with Joe Salle '75 cooking the meal. This will be an exceptional dinner food and wine all for 30.00 per person! Contact Glen Looney 206-922-3556.