

# Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Dear Parishioners,

What a Super Bowl Sunday that was. Aside from that awesome game the Seahawks played, I was also happy with the good turnout we had for our Tailgate Party, St. John Vianney style, in our social hall. We had at least thirty people who came and cheered our favorite team as well as shared the meal with us...hopefully this will become a part of our parish tradition.

Speaking of tradition, I know this community is well known for its active participation in supporting the many ministries of St. John Vianney however given the recent returns of our Stewardship Campaign, things do not look so bright for our parish. I know people get tired of hearing me speak about stewardship —I am like an old broken record but as I mentioned at Mass, a lot of the things that we do depend on the success of our Stewardship not to mention that we are also held accountable by the Archdiocese to support our parish. So once again I humbly ask for your help. If you have already returned your pledge cards, Thank you! If not, please consider supporting St. John Vianney. God loves a generous giver.

Next month, beginning the First Friday of Lent, Archbishop Sartain is introducing a new program in the Archdiocese called "The Light is on You." This program is all about promoting the Sacrament of Reconciliation to the whole Archdiocese. What it calls for is that all churches, every Friday in Lent, will have the Sacrament of Reconciliation offered to the faithful from 6-7 in the evening. This program will give the faithful not only the chance to be reconciled with God but also to develop an awareness of the growing presence of sin in our society and the need to rid ourselves of it and shield us from its continuing assaults. I hope and pray that the faithful will take advantage of this grace-giving sacrament during this coming Lent.

God bless!

Fr. Ramon

## Stewardship of Treasure

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Total
February 2013 income	\$17,967*	\$14,132	\$15,016*	\$13,974*	N/A	\$60,909
February 2014 income	\$15,878*				N/A	\$15,878
	Monthly Expense					\$65,000
	February 2014 Expenses over income					(\$49,122)

\* includes EFT donations

## Prayers are Requested

**for healing.** . . Taylor Johnson, Sue Frederichs, Michelle Cohen, Quincy Rader, Eadie & Ken Krismer, Mary Jo Thompson, Elizabeth Fitzgerald, Mina Amlag, Sheila Mansera, Jose Basilio, Harry Brighton, Les Stewart, Luke Bolger, James Ianelli, Josephine Abe, Linda Anderson, Mary Roth, Nate Simons, Pilar Guerrero, Jayden Anderson, Inga Sprayberry, Sherlyn Arquillano, Caron Wilberts, Archbishop Brunett, Barry McDermott, Bill Mitchell, Mary Cromer, & Linda Thompson

**for those who have died.** . Marcus Dunsmore, Jorge Lois Alvarez Tostada, Emma Vitulli, Rebecca Maryatt, Marie Alice Sevigny, Dick Meyers, William Jones, Fr. Pat Brennan, Kathy Hanken

**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, Feb 9

8:30 am Mass Bake Sale  
 8:30 and 9:15 am CKCC  
 10:30 am Mass Bake Sale  
 4:00 pm Middle and High School Medical Teams  
 International— field trip

### Monday, February 10

8:30 am Adoration  
 9:00 am Mass  
 9:15 am Preschool  
 10:00 am Bible Study—John  
 10:30 am Funeral Liturgy for Kathy Hanken—  
 Daughter of Jim and Mary Alice Hanken  
 7:00 pm CKCC

### Tuesday, February 11

8:30 am Adoration  
 9:00 am Mass  
 9:15 am Preschool  
 7:00 pm Baptism Class

### Wednesday, February 12

9:00 am Word and Communion Service  
 9:15 am Preschool  
 9:15 am Mom's Morning Out  
 9:30 am Faith Sharing Group  
 7:00 pm Yoga  
 7:00 pm NO CHOIR

### Thursday, February 13

9:00 am Word and Communion  
 7:00 pm KofC Rosary  
 7:00 pm Praise & Worship band practice  
 7:00 pm Centering prayer  
 7:00 pm RCIA

### Friday, February 14

8:30 am Adoration  
 9:00 am Mass & anointing

### Saturday, Feb 15

3:30 pm Reconciliation  
 5:00 pm Mass  
 6:00 pm Senior Single Valentine Dinner

### Sunday, February 16

8:30 am Mass  
 10:30 am Mass



## Mark your Calendar

Parish office hours 8:30 am — 4:30 pm

- **Feb. 8—9 after Masses Esperanza Valentine's bake & See's candy sale.**
- **February 14th—Don't forget your Valentine**
- **February 15—Senior Valentine dinner**
- **February 22—Knights CRAB FEED**
- **March 5— Ash Wednesday**
- **March 7 and all Friday's during Lent 6-7 pm Reconciliation, Stations of the Cross and ALL NEW FRI-DAY NIGHT SOUP NIGHT!**

### Fifth Sunday of Ordinary time questions

- In today's readings, where do you find the strongest encouragement to "lavish" care on others in difficult times?
- What attitudes do you have to change so the Spirit can work in you?
- In what ways can you change some of your "words" to "deeds"

### Children's Question

What does salt do for our food? How am I salt for Christ in the world? Where is the lamp of my faith placed?

### Readings for Feb 6, 2014 The Presentation of the Lord

Sirach 15:15-20  
 1 Corinthians 2:6-10  
 Matthew 5: 17-37

## 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 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 February schedule is here. Remember to put in your March dates. Contact Marti: 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 Far From the Tree by Andrew Solomon. Spend the evening discussing a good book and enjoying some chocolate and wine with some wonderful women.

### Senior Single's Valentine Dinner **Hearts filled with love and for this community...**

The Senior Singles dinner will be Saturday, February 15th, please bring \$5.00 per person to the parish office by Tuesday February 11th and leave your name with the staff. The committee will be preparing a special dinner for all those attending. Any singles 55 and over are invited to attend. 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 the Book of

**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

### 10:30 Coffee and Donuts Volunteers

Please help us out with donuts after the 10:30 mass. We need individuals or families to host and clean up. This is great way to meet fellow parishioners and a way to serve your parish community. Please call the parish office if you can help us out with this hospitality ministry.

### DRUMMER NEEDED

auditions now going on for a drummer for our Praise and Worship band. Contact Margaret Graham if you would like to play mgraham@sjkirkland.org



### Can you help someone with a ride to Mass?

Someone in the Juanita Beach area needs a ride to church and will pay for gas. Contact Maya at 425-658-7470 if you would like give her a lift!

### DID YOU KNOW...Natural family planning couples?

Couples who use natural family planning have a divorce rate under 5%! Come to a complete natural family planning course to be held at St. Brendan's Parish in Bothell. Learn about your Catholic faith and discover a modern, natural method of family planning that is 99% effective. The course consists of three sessions on the following Sundays: Mar. 2, Apr. 6 and Apr. 27 @ 6:30pm. To register for class go to [www.ccli.org](http://www.ccli.org).

For more information, call: Marie and Scott Elmenhurst at (425)788-2453. Or Email: [book.maven@comcast.net](mailto:book.maven@comcast.net)

### Social Concerns

Sophia's Way would like to invite interested members of our community to tour their beautiful Women's Shelter at St. Luke's church in Bellevue. They are trying to build awareness about their agency and the services they offer to homeless women on the Eastside. If you are interested, or know others that might be, please pick a date and RSVP to Nicole [nicole@sophiaway.org](mailto:nicole@sophiaway.org) This would be especially good for people who work in Outreach such as St. Vincent de Paul volunteers or people who might want to help support their work in other ways.

Thanks for spreading the word!

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

Our Second session for First Eucharist Preparation will be on Friday February 28th at 7:00 pm or Saturday March 8th at 10:00 a.m. NOTE Date change for Saturday DATE! LAURA DOUBLE BOOKED HERSELF! SURPRISE!

### Catholic Kids' Catechism Club

Sunday Faithful Followers won the Big Game on Sunday for our Super bowl. SERVICE PROJECT MARCH 1 FOR FAMILIES at the Tri-Cities food bank at St. Charles Parish in Burlington!

**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

February 9th 4 to 6:30 pm Middle school and others interested. FIELD TRIP TO MEDICAL TEAMS INTERNATIONAL EXHIBIT IN REDMOND. LEAVE PROMPTLY AT 4:00. PERMISSION SLIPS EMAILED. Need drivers.

**Midwinter break means no meetings Feb 16.**

**Feb 23 5pm to 6:30 pm Senior High Meeting.** Fr Ramon will be with you. All Confirmation candidates and Mexico trekkers are expected everyone else is welcomed.

**March 2 Confirmation** meeting at noon.

**March 2** Middle School meeting 4PM

**Young Adult trek 2014 conversation has facebook group.** Jason Nadeau, Ryan Lewis, and Joel Jensen are gearing up. Cost will be approx. \$300 for the trek this year. Thanks Joan Capili and Kathy DePape.

**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.

**Adult Trek 2014** will take place May 17 to 24, 2014. A meeting is March 16 at noon. You can still get on board for a concrete- faithful experience of love. Cost is your own airfare to San Diego and \$500

**Goodwin Grupo trek** will take place July 5 to 12, 2014. This is a wonderful combination of various ages including recent h.s. grads that choose to stay an extra week and friends and family. Cost is similar to the adult trek. Contact Mary or Ken at [Goodwin.hp@gmail.com](mailto:Goodwin.hp@gmail.com).

### Rachel's Corner Hope and Healing After Abortion

This healing can be yours! Join us on a Rachel's Vineyard™ retreat. You don't have to wait any longer to feel whole again. Feb 28-March 2, 2014 or March 14-16, 2014 Call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673)

You are loved with an everlasting Love! Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

**The Ignatian Spirituality Center is pleased to announce two big events coming up in late February / early March.** The first, on **Wednesday February 26th**, is an evening of reflection, prayer and conversation. "**Pope Francis and the Future of the Church**" will feature speaker **Fr. Mark Bosco S.J.** of Loyola University Chicago, as well as a panel of local leaders who will reflect on how the papacy of Francis has affected their lives, the church and the world.

The second event is ISC's annual **Novena of Grace**, which will take place this year from **Wednesday, March 12 - Thursday, March 20, 2014**. This year's theme, "**There is Something Greater Here,**" will

be presented by **Matt Barmore, Fr. Peter Ely S.J., and Marilyn Nash.**

**Want to have fun while you support children and families in need?** Join us for the ACC online auction!

[www.Laborofloveauction.org](http://www.Laborofloveauction.org) Register to bid, donate, sponsor.

**Association for Catholic Childhood funded 9 agency grants this fall.**

Family and Children's Services – Everett	\$6,000
Family and Education Support – Tacoma	\$5,000
Harrington House for Homeless Mothers	\$10,000
Pregnancy Support – Pierce County	\$10,000
Pregnancy and Parenting Support – Seattle	\$10,000
Supervised Visitation – Whatcom Family Center	\$7,500
The Community Kitchen – Olympia	\$2,500
Youth Tutoring Program – Grays Harbor	\$10,000
Youth Tutoring Program – Seattle	\$10,000

For more information see [www.forthethechildrenww.org](http://www.forthethechildrenww.org)