

# Third Sunday of Easter

Dear Parishioners,

Before I forget, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who offered prayers for my speedy recovery, your prayers worked! Thank you so much. As always our parish calendar is full of activities to keep us on our toes. First, this Saturday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, the Knights of Columbus are having a spaghetti dinner right after the 5 P.M. vigil Mass. I do hope and pray that you could come and join us for this fun event. Second, we have confirmation Mass on Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup> at 7 P.M.. Bishop Elizondo will be coming over to confer the sacraments to 19 of our youth. Please come and celebrate the liturgy with us and pray for these young individuals as their lives are marked and sealed with the Holy Spirit. Third, mark your calendars for Mother's Day which is May 11<sup>th</sup>. The Knights, once again, will be handing out corsages to all mothers in our parish acknowledging their undying and unconditional love to their families. Also during that day, we will be honoring the mother of all mothers, our Blessed Mother by praying the Rosary and reciting the litany, we will also be crowning our blessed mother during the 10:30 Mass. Finally on May 18, at the 10:30 Mass we will be witnessing some of our young brothers and sisters as they receive the precious body and blood of our Lord for the first time. Again I would like to extend an invitation to all of you to please come and join us in our liturgical celebration. It will be a nice show of support to our young brethren as they embark on a new phase of their lives, a life of grace and holiness.

On another note, I would like to remind everyone that the annual catholic appeal campaign has already started and that the archbishop has already sent out letter to all the faithful in the archdiocese asking for your help and contribution. I do humbly ask for your support and generosity in the Annual Catholic Appeal, our goal this year is \$86,241,00. I know that this is a huge sum of money and that it seems unattainable but so far, our parish has been very good in meeting its goal not to mention the fact that we have received recognition, two years in a row, from the archdiocese for an increase in donor participation. This year I would like to, if we have a rebate in the Annual Catholic Appeal, start an Elevator fund. I am hoping to have this project done before the auction this year. . So let us all work together to meet our goal! God bless. **Fr Ramon**

## Stewardship of Treasure

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Total
April 2013 income	\$14,563*	\$16,181*	\$10,786*	\$20,210**	N/A	\$61,740
April 2014 income	\$15,075*	\$17,628*	\$22,135***	\$9,947	N/A	\$64,784
				Monthly Expense		\$65,000

\* includes EFT \*\* includes Easter

April 2014 Income over Expenses (\$ 216)

## Prayers are Requested

- **for healing.** . . Ferne Olschewsky, Lois Van Every, Terry & Lynn Voss, Teresa Harrington, Emelia Baluyot, Geri Thiede, Elaine Rarsten, Peter Simmons, Jackie Lillian, Chuck Graff, Adrianna Smith, Janine Vaughn. Sheryl Kaiser, John Orth, Jonathan Janssen, Jim Hanken, Emma Rae Buren, Barry McDermott, Fabio Gobbo, Della Schmitz, Jody Spaulding, Sue Frederichs, Michelle Cohen, Inga Sprayberry, Sheryl Arquillano, Caron Wilberts, Mary Cromer, & Linda Thompson,
- **for those who have died.** . Kathleen Mellinger, Satoru Ozeki, Ted Poulos, Verlyn Geriene, Cynthia Condes, Anicia Cameros,
- **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, May 4

8:30 am Mass  
 10:30 am Mass (Baptisms)  
 1:00 pm Survivor Party CKCC  
 12:00 noon Confirmation rehearsal  
 Annual Esperanza 'annuals' plant sale  
 5:00 to 6:30 High School Trek meeting

### Monday, May 5

8:30 am Adoration  
 9:00 am Mass  
 9:45 am Bible Study of John  
 7:00 pm Hula in the Social Hall  
 7:00 pm Yoga in room 12

### Tuesday, May 6

8:30 am Adoration  
 9:00 am Mass  
 9:15 am Preschool  
 7:00 pm Bible Study of Hebrews  
 7:00 pm book group

### Wednesday, May 7

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 Confirmation Celebration Mass  
 7:00 pm Yoga  
 7:30 pm Boy Scouts

### Thursday, May 8

8:30 am Adoration  
 9:00 am Mass  
 9:15 am Preschool  
 7:00 pm Centering Prayer  
 7:00 pm Praise and Worship Band practice

### Friday, May 9

8:30 am Adoration  
 9:00 am Mass  
 9:15 am Preschool  
 9:45 am Bible Study Angels  
 5:30 pm 5th grade overnight

### Saturday, May 10

1:00-4:30 Party Family Fun Center-CKCC winner  
 3:30 pm Reconciliation  
 5:00 pm Mass  
 5:00 to 9 am Middle School Mass Dinner  
 & a Movie

### Sunday, May 11

8:30 am Mass  
 8:30 and 9:15 CKCC  
 10:30 am Mass

## Mark your Calendar

Parish office hours 8:30 am — 4:30 pm

**May 3-4** Esperanza Trek 'annuals' sale

**May 3** Knights of Columbus Spaghetti Dinner

**May 4 after Masses** Trekkers **May Muffin Mania** bake sale

**May 7 7 pm Confirmation** Bishop Elizondo celebrating

**Sunday, May 11** Mothers Day May Crowning of Mary

**Sunday May 18** First Eucharist Celebration 10:30 Mass

**May 17—24** Adult Esperanza Trek

### Third Sunday of Easter Questions

- In today's readings, what effects does Jesus's Resurrection have on his followers?
- What challenges did Jesus' resurrection pose to his earliest disciples?
- Where and how is Jesus; continuing presence made known to you??

### Readings for May 11, 2014

Acts 2:14. 36-41  
 1 Peter 2: 20b– 25  
 John 10: 1-10

### Annual Catholic Appeal 2014

Today we heard how your gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal Campaign supports over 60 ministries and services in the Archdiocese. We recognize that through our generosity to the Appeal, 30 seminarians are provided support, over 99,000 individuals who seek help through Catholic Community Services will be cared for, and support is given to our 11 high schools and 63 elementary schools serving over 22,000 students. Please join me in saying 'YES' to supporting the many faithful servants throughout our Archdiocese who continue to provide the services and ministries needed to provide a Future Full of Hope for all!

Our goal this year is \$86,241. Thank you if you have already made your gift to the Appeal! If you haven't please fill out a pledge envelope today or go online to donate: [www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate](http://www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate). You may also go to our parish website to donate: [www.sjvkirkland.org](http://www.sjvkirkland.org)

## St. John Vianney Parish News

### Funeral Reception Thank You.

Thank you to Judy Arnold, Bud Homan, Jerry & Carol Marbett and Jerry & Harriet Sramek for hosting the funeral reception for the Ted Poulos family on 4/24. Thank you also to Laurene Yarnell and all the people she called who donated the salads and desserts for the reception.

### 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 changed to Mondays beginning 5/5

Whether you are experienced or a beginner, join us Mondays at 7 pm 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 May schedule is here. Please put in your "can't serve" dates for June. Contact Marti: marti-

b1@earthlink.net or the parish office.

Women's Book Group Join us for our next Women's Book Group Tuesday, May 6, at 7pm when we will discuss *The Alchemist* by Paul Coelho.

Spend the evening discussing a good book and enjoying some chocolate and wine with some wonderful women.

Are you a senior over 55 and single? Fun was had by all at our April 26th Senior Singles potluck dinner.

Looking forward to seeing you at our next pot luck on May 17 after the 5:00 pm mass. This is a social activity and there is no cost to participate.

### 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.

Visiting a shut in: Would you like to visit a woman who is a shut in who would like a visitor once a week. Pray the rosary with her. Please contact the parish office at 425-823-0787. Background check required.

Is the Holy Spirit calling you? Driver wanted to pick up our brothers and sisters at The Garden's at Juanita formerly (German Retirement Home) and bring them to mass at 10:30 am. Everyone is able to walk, no wheelchairs, if you feel called, please let someone in the office know and we will fill you in on the details.

Auction 2014 We would like to remind everybody about this years "Winter Wonderland" Family and Gala Auctions on November 9th (please note this date correction on your calendar) and 15th. We hope you plan on attending and/or donating great items for this year's event. Last year's auction was a great success and a fun time for all. If you're short on time or ideas on what to donate, the committee will consolidate financial donations for purchase of great auction items for either the Live or Gala Auctions. Last year three family's donated cash to the

committee used for purchasing a 42' LCD TV for the Gala live auction. Any donation would be greatly appreciated and will be documented by the Parish as a tax deduction for 2014. If you wish to donate, please contact myself or Margie at the parish office. Hope to see you there at this year's Winter Wonderland event and thanks for all your support. Brian Kasen, Auction Committee Chairman

Anointing of the Sick If you are old or sick or about to have surgery, Please accept the gift of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Fr. Ramon administers the Sacrament the first Friday of every month following the 9:00 am Morning Mass. Or make an appointment with Father to have it here or if you are unable to make it to Church. Father can come anoint you at home or in the hospital.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Both youth and adult volunteers are needed for vacation bible school June 23-26th. There are many ways to use your gifts. Arts and crafts, carpentry you name it...we will find a place for it! Training provided... Contact Laura Stanger if your up for hanging with some Weird Animals at our VBS this year!

### Looking for LUAU helpers!

Looking for volunteers for set up on Aug 1st & 2nd for luau. Also still need dancers for our luau Aug 2nd. Pls call Maria Laufasa@ 206-949-5971 or [mlaufasa1990@comcast.net](mailto:mlaufasa1990@comcast.net) if you can help or know of anyone who would like to do Polynesian dance....ages 5 yrs old - 55+ if you can follow along with a music / drum beat.

### Social Concerns

St Vincent de Paul wants to THANK our great Parish for responding to our plea for non-perishables to help the needy in our area. Your continued support is greatly appreciated. We are presently in good condition in our pantry!

**"Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you?"**

**Matthew 25: 31-46**

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## Children and Family Life Ministry Events



### St. John Vianney Catholic Preschool

We have currently some openings in our Pre-3 class for this coming fall. If your child turns 3 years old between 8/31/14 and 12/31/14 and you are looking for a fun and faith-filled preschool

experience for your little one, please come and see us.

We are looking forward to hearing from you. Please contact Annette Schwientek at [aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org](mailto:aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org) or call: 206-234-3988 to schedule a visit.

**Sacramental Preparation for First Communion** Retreat at St. Edward's Park on Sunday April 27th was awesome! The next time we meet will be on Friday May 16th at 7:00 pm for our rehearsal, Please wear your First Eucharist Clothes. First Eucharist Celebration will be on Sunday May 18th at the 10:30 Mass.

**Catholic Kids' Catechism Club** Catholic Kids' Catechism Club celebrates our ANNUAL END OF YEAR SURVIVOR PARTY on Sunday May 4 from 1-3:30 pm. Our lucky winner will go to the Family Fun Center in Edmonds on May 10th from 1-4:30 pm.

**VBS 2104!** June 23-26th! You will see some Weird Animals around here where Jesus' love is one of a kind! If you have a weird animal you would like to share with us call Laura Stanger! We would love to have you present your animal to our kids. We are collecting,

- bottle caps and lids from milk bottles and juice drinks, and **the frozen juice can lids.**
- odds and ends from your garage that the kids can create weird animal yard art with, examples are: Hooks, screws, nails, left over assembly parts that the kids can hammer or screw into scrap pieces of wood.
- Small broken electronics that the kids can open up with screwdrivers, (not rivets) to take apart and create more weird animals.
- Scraps of wood, cut into squares and triangles that can be mounted on sticks to put in the yard
- Various Wire
- Beads



Kids age 4 years through 5th grade will be welcome to participate and Junior High on up are encouraged to help!!! So save the date and bring your wonderful weird self to VBS!

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

Knights of Columbus college scholarship applications are out. Contact Jan for your package.

**MAY 3 and 4, Esperanza trek ANNUAL ANNUALS SALE.** Blessings to all who have already made a purchase and to the Goodwin Fam for leading the sale. All the profit goes to our trekkers.

**May 4 Trek May Muffin Mania final bake sale until fall. Have a favorite to contribute to our cause? Bring them!**

**May 4 5:00 to 6:30 Senior high & trek meeting**

**May 10, Saturday 5:00 Mass to 9 PM... youth Mass, dinner and a movie! Friends welcome!**

**Adult Esperanza Trek 2014** will take place May 17 to 24, 2014. Parishioners and friends include Nick Aldridge, Deana & Kelsy Barrow, Zac Chambers, Dennis Dooley, Barbara Harrington, Jan & Mike Kline, Sandy Kubishta, Steph, Chris & Ben Larson, Karen Maxwell, Jen Mullis, Susan Nadeau, Chris & Ruth Norwood, Nick Petlow, Annette & Klaus Schwientek, Greg Seiler, Robert Smith, Dan & Margaret Soukup, Jeff Vargo, & Steve Zeller. Join us for a faithful experience of love. Call Jan for more information.

**Goodwin Grupo trek** is July 5 to 12, 2014 and all are welcome. Contact Mary or Ken at [Goodwin.hp@gmail.com](mailto:Goodwin.hp@gmail.com)

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

*"With the Lord there is kindness, with Him is full redemption."* - Psalm 130:7 Come to a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and experience the mercy and kindness of Christ Jesus. Come be filled with God's healing light in your life, on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat. August TBA, 2014 Call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673) *You are loved with an everlasting Love!*

*Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.*

### Archbishop J. Peter Sartain

will be the keynote speaker at the **Family Life Conference on Saturday, May 10th**, at St. Pius X Catholic Church in Mountlake Terrace. This exciting event is an all day affair from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. and will feature internationally known speakers such as Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, Pia de Solenni, and radio host of My Catholic Faith, Tom Curran. Please go to St. Pius X's website, [www.stpx.org](http://www.stpx.org), for more information and to register, or call (425) 775-7545.