

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Dear Parishioners,

The month of June is another busy month for the parish. We start off with the Knights of Columbus golf tournament happening this Monday at Willows Run Golf course. They were able to invite 11 teams of 4 to play. Thank you to all who are participating and supporting this fun event. Also happening in our church is our Ministry Fair next Sunday, June 8, in the social hall. If you are interested in knowing more about the different ministries in our parish and would like to be involved with one, come and check us out next Sunday. Then that same afternoon at 3 P.M. there will be a benefit concert in our church to support our Sonshine Ministry. Performers of the concert are youths and students of Margaret Graham who will also conduct and direct the show. There is no cost for the concert only a free-will donation.

On another note, I hoped you noticed that beautiful sporty car in our parish lot as you came into the church. That car is going to be raffled-off during our auction this coming November and ticket sales will begin this weekend. The price is \$100.00 each and that we will only sell 300 tickets to give the ticketholders a better chance in winning the car. You need not be present to win but as an incentive to all ticketholders **who would attend the Gala dinner** \$500 for gas will be given to the lucky winner...again **you have to be at the Gala dinner to get the cash.** . The car is a 1998 SLK 230 Mercedes hardtop convertible, power windows and retractable roof, chrome wheels, CD, AC and low mileage.

Finally, on our ACA, we are slowly climbing up to our goal. We are almost there but not quite. And so for all those who have generously supported the Annual Catholic appeal, thank you so much! And for those who have not yet turned in their envelopes please consider helping our archdiocese in carrying out their ministry but supporting the annual catholic appeal. The church relies on your help.

God bless you all!

Stewardship of Treasure

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Total
May 2013 income	\$15,215*	\$15,612*	\$11,325*	\$9,998	N/A	\$52,150
May 2014 income	\$14,840*	\$8,516	\$16,105 *	\$12,161	N/A	\$51,622
				Monthly Expense		\$65,000
				May 2014 Income over Expenses		(\$13,378)

* includes EFT

Prayers are Requested

- **for healing.** . . June Lord, Ken Schramm, Mark Reubish, Carrie Reeves, Barbara Aquino, Bob Watkins, Walter Odisho, Betty Brunette, Linda Parham, William Brown, Jr. Mike Samuel, Jean Waiblinger, Taswin Sutyono, Ferne Olschewsky, Lois Van Every, Emelia Baluyot, Peter Simmons, Jackie Lillian, Janine Vaughn. Jonathan Janssen, Fabio Gobbo, Sue Frederichs, Michelle Cohen, Inga Sprayberry, Sherlyn Arquilano, Caron Wilberts, Mary Cromer, & Linda Thompson,
- **for those who have died.** . . John Paribello, David Sorensen, Julie Rusk, Calvin Mosman, & Loa Mae Zaccaria,
- **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, June 1

- 8:30 am Mass
- 10:00 am YMP youth meeting
- 10:30 am Mass
- 12:00 Mission Trek final meeting
- VBS Planning Meeting following 10:30 Mass!

Monday, June 2

- 8:30 am Adoration
- 9:00 am Mass
- 9:15 am Preschool
- 9:45 am Bible Study of John

Tuesday, June 3

- 8:30 am Adoration
- 9:00 am Mass
- 9:15 am Preschool
- 11:00 am Funeral Julie Rusk
- 7:00 pm Book Group
- 7:00 pm Bible Study of Hebrews
- 7:00 pm Knights officers meeting

Wednesday, June 4

- 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
- 7:30 pm Boy Scouts
- 7:00 pm Choir

Thursday, June 5

- 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, June 6

- 8:30 am Adoration
- 9:00 am Mass & Anointing
- 9:15 am Preschool

Saturday, June 7

- 3:30 pm Reconciliation
- 5:00 pm Mass
- After Mass—ministry fair in social hall

Sunday, June 8 Pentecost

- 8:30 am Mass
- After Mass—ministry fair in social hall
- 10:30 am Mass
- After Mass—ministry fair in social hall



Mark your Calendar

Parish office SUMMER hours 8:30 am — 3:30 pm

- **June 7 & 8– Parish Ministry Fair after all Masses**
- **June 8th– Margaret Graham's Voice Students Fundraising recital for Sonshine Ministry**
- **June 21 Senior Singles Pot Luck after Mass**
- **Monday June 23–Thursday June 26– Weird Animals Vacation Bible School for kids 4 yrs. to those going into 5th grade.**
- **Saturday August 2– Parish Luau!**
- **Friday August 22–Sunday 24—Parish Yard Sale**

The Ascension of the Lord Questions

- In today's Scriptures, what qualities of "raised" or "ascended" life do you find from Jesus? For his Followers?
- What does the imagery of being "taken up" to God suggest to you about Jesus? About yourself as a Christian?
- What new kind of existence have you ever experienced because of the faith in Christ.

Readings for June 8, 2014

I Acts 2:1-11
1 Corinthians 12:3b-7,12-13
John 20: 19-23



Annual Catholic Appeal 2014

*This year's campaign is in the final weeks and we still have not heard from everyone - you can pledge something, whether financially or prayerfully. Please return a pledge envelope so we don't have to mail you another reminder. **Your gift, no matter the amount, WILL MAKE a difference! It***

is not too late!

Our Goal is \$86,241.00. So far we have reached 97% of our Goal at \$83,624 with 210 Families donating. **However, we have only heard from 38% of our parish households.** Any money over the goal will be returned to us in the form of a cash rebate, and this year we are putting those rebate checks towards installing an elevator in the building. Please help us with this project - to help those unable to use the stairs to get down to the lower level.

You can go online to donate at: www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate. You can also go to our parish website to donate: www.sivkirkland.org. **Thank you to those households who have already made a pledge this year!**

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.

VOLUNTEER MINISTRY FAIR!

Have you wanted to share your gifts here at the parish and not been sure who to ask or what ministry would be best for you? On the Weekend of Pentecost our parish ministries will host a Ministry Fair. Tables will be set up in the social hall with representatives from different parish groups to let you know about the many ways you can serve Christ through this community. Special Thanks to Margie Berard and Joanne Barker for coordinating this ministry.

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 back to Wednesdays beginning June. 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 updat-

ed? Be sure to click on 'request sub' when you aren't able to serve on an assigned day. The June schedule is here. Please put in your "can't serve" dates for July. It is ok to put in dates for the rest of summer as well. Contact Marti: martib1@earthlink.net or the parish office.

Women's Book Group Join us for our next Women's Book Group Tuesday, June 3rd, at 7pm when we will discuss *David & Goliath by Gladwell*. 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? Our next pot luck is June 21 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.

Auction 2014 We would like to remind everybody about this years "Winter Wonderland" Family and Gala Auctions on November 9th 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 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 appreciates all your help & support. We are in need of the following non-perishable items: Macaroni & Cheese, Jelly, 5LB Sugar & Flour, Mayonnaise, Cooking Oil & Tuna fish. The next time you do your shopping, please consider picking up an item or two to help stock our Pantry."

"Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you?" Matthew 25: 31-46

Thanks to all who participated in giving the gift of life at our Blood Drive on May 27.

Esperanza Adult Trek blog.. go see what we did

tjposada@blogspot.com

Amazing grace was had by all.

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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 or call:206-234-3988 to schedule a visit.

Catholic Kids' Catechism Club Catholic Kids' Catechism Club ended with a close race. Our Busy Bee's won this year by a small margin! We had a great time. Catechism Club will resume next October! Looking forward to another great year!

Called to Protect for Ministries: Thursday June 12th at 7:00 pm in the social hall. All adults who work with children and vulnerable adults will need to take this class in order to work with our kids and visit the sick and homebound. It is a class that helps you to recognize the signs of sexual abuse and the steps to follow if your suspect abuse. Sign up for the class at <http://www.seattle.setanet.org/classes.php>

VBS 2104! VBS PLANNING MEETING SUNDAY June 15th AFTER 10:30 MASS. VBS DATES ARE: 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

Sunday, June 1

10:00 am YMP meeting

12:00 Final Esperanza trek meeting

Sat. June 7 Medical Teams International auction "Field of Dreams".

Over 60 SJV folks are volunteering for this amazing event.

Coming this summer, Tuesdays with the YMCA lunch program.

The "Y" hosts weekday lunch prep and serving for kids of low income families. These 11:00 to 2:00 Tuesdays are open to anyone over 15, let's field a team to feed the hungry in our community. Please call for more info.

Youth Migrant Project August 3 to 8. Close, yet far away. We will live at St. Charles, Burlington and can only take 15 youth. St. James Cathedral will join with 10. What a great way to serve and meet Catholics from our cathedral group. Applications are on the hall bulletin board by youth office. * see meeting above

Goodwin Grupo trek is July 5 to 12, 2014 and all are welcome. Contact Mary or Ken at Goodwin.hp@gmail.com

Witnesses of the Faith: Attention Public and Non-Catholic Teachers: Archbishop J. Peter Sartain would like to offer a special mass for you, Local Public and non-Catholic Private Schools and Colleges and University teachers with your families at St. James Cathedral on August 10, 2014 at 12 Noon. For more information, contact the office on Catholic Faith formation at 206-382-4593 or at OCFF@seattlearch.org

Volunteer work day at the Palisades Interested in "giving back" to the Retreat Center? We are seeking volunteers to help with: Weeding • Planting Flowers • Trail Repair • Statue Cleaning Painting • Window Washing • Pressure Washing 8:00AM—4:00PM, beginning with Morning Prayer. Lunch provided. (You do not need to stay all day to participate) Contact Margaret Shelton for more information: margaret.shelton@seattlearch.org