

The Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Parishioners,

With Labor Day behind us that only means one thing, kids are back to school and everything goes back to the daily grind of bringing them to school, helping with their homework, taking them to soccer practices to mention a few. With all these activities top with the demands from our work place and running a family, it is so easy to be caught up and forget our main focus who is Christ. And so I encourage all of you to not be distracted by the demands of this world but to keep your eyes on the Lord.

On another note, I would like to give you an update on what is happening in our parish. Our elevator project is in the negotiation process with the Archdiocese. We have contacted a company who will provide the services as well as with the contractor that the Archdiocese has provided. My goal is to have it ready before the auction but of course that all depends on how quick the elevator company and the contractor from the Archdiocese can reach an agreement.

Also another change is taking place within the staff: I was recently approached by Jan Kline with a proposition regarding her work. Because of the demands stemming from taking care of aging parents as well as a new grandchild, she has asked to work part time and focus on outreach only. She would still continue to run the different outreach ministries that she has handled for so many years. In the meantime, I will be coming up, with a job description to hire a new youth minister to take care of the needs of our youth. So keep your eyes and ears open.

Finally, our fall classes for RCIA will begin on the first Thursday of October. If you know anyone who is interested in becoming a Catholic or someone who is already a Catholic and is interested learning more about the faith please let us know in the parish office. God bless!

Stewardship of Treasure

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Total
August 2013 income	\$15,691*	\$14,876*	\$13,252*	\$7,752	N/A	\$51,571
August 2014 income	\$13,724*	\$9,549	\$15,727*	\$13,472*	\$9,513	\$61,985

Monthly Expense \$65,000

* includes EFT

August 2014 Income over Expenses <3,015>

Prayers are Requested

- for healing.** . . Ferne Whalen, Anne Moore, Tracie Byrne Takisaki, Ron Kelley, Ruth Dangelmayer, Sue Maddox, Shirley Kaltenbach, Mason Nettelton, Fred Engelbretson, Chris Connors, Don Thiede, Andrew Farrington, Corbin Gardner, Mary Anne Chase, Bil Cavender, Rainier Pirk, Francine Weir, Kathleen Huddleston, Gary In-Masche, Jean Waiblinger, Terri Rossi, Ruth Enriquez, Barbara Aquino, Bob Watkins, Peter Simmons, Jackie Lillian, Janine Vaughn, Jonathan Janssen, Fabio Gobbo, Sue Frederichs, Inga Sprayberry, Sherlyn Arquillano, Caron Wilberts, Mary Cromer, & Linda Thompson,
- for those who have died.** . . Lt. Col. Morris Fontenot, Merle Wilson, Katie Schroder, Bill Brumlow, William Gordon Richards, Rebecca Scollard, Jim Klansnic, Idie Hannah, Walter Dangelmayer, Mary Anna Smart, Margaret Schwientek, & Christopher Dube',
- for those of our community who are serving in harm's way.** . . 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, September 7

8:30 am Mass
10:30 am Mass
Parish picnic

Monday, September 8

8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Daily Mass
9.30am Bible Study

Tuesday, September 9

8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Daily Mass
9.30 am Serra Club Sandwich
7:00 pm Auction Meeting
8.00 pm Scrapbooking
Book Group

Wednesday, September 10

8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Daily Mass
9:30 am Mom's Morning Out
9:30 am Faith Sharing Group
10.00am Quilters
6.00pm Choir Practice
7:00 pm Yoga
7.30pm Boy Scouts

Thursday, September 11

8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Daily Mass
7:00 pm Centering Prayer
7:00 pm Praise and Worship Band practice
7.00pm K of C Rosary

Friday, September 12

8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Daily Mass
Anointing
9.30am Bible Study

Saturday, September 13

3:30 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm Sunday Vigil Mass
Spaghetti Dinner

Sunday, September 14

8:30 am Mass
10:30 am Mass
12pm-3pm Youth OSL Cookie bake day

Love YOUR
neighbor
as yourself.
MATTHEW 22:39

Mark your Calendar

Parish office hours 8:30 am — 4:30 pm.

- **Sunday, September 7, 2014** Parish Picnic 12 noon-3 pm FREE PARISH EVENT! PLEASE SIGN UP TO HELP!
- **September 9** Auction meeting 7PM
- **October 4-5 after Masses** Outreach-Mission Appreciation presentation
- Parish Auction– Family Auction; November 9th
Gala Auction; November 15th

23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time Questions

- Consider where, in today's readings, you might see some glimpse of your own experience.
- How could you "incline your ears" to the words of God?
- If Jesus came to save rather than condemn the world, how might that influence your attitude about it?

Readings for September 21, 2014

Isaiah 55:6-9
Philippians 1:20 c -24, 27a
Matthew 20:1-16a

St. John Vianney Parish News

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.

YOGA for the body and brain

Feel good! Increase flexibility, improve balance, breathing and circulation while reducing stress. Join us Wednesdays at 7pm as you have fun while creating a happier, healthier and more peaceful you. Please wear loose fitting clothing and bring a yoga mat. \$10 per session. Resumes in September in room #12.

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.

Liturgical Ministers Is 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 September schedule is here. Please put in your “can’t serve” dates for October. Contact Judy Zaccaria or the parish office.

Women’s Book Group Join us for our next Women’s Book Group Tuesday, October 7, at 7pm when we will discuss “Without Buddah I could not be a Christian” by Paul Knitter. Please e-mail Laura if you have questions.

Are you a senior over 55 and single? Mark your calendars for September 20th! After the 5:00pm mass is a potluck for anyone over 55 and single. Hope to see you on the 20th!

Auction 2014 - November 9th & 15th. If you wish to donate items or would like to work on the committee or the day of the auction, please contact Margie at the parish office or Brian Kasen, at bkasen@gmail.com. There is an auction meeting on September 9 at 7:00pm.

PARISH PICNIC: In the midst of all the other events going on at the parish we don’t want to forget the Parish Picnic! The parish picnic is scheduled for Sunday September 7th from 12 noon to 3 pm! IT IS A FREE PARISH EVENT to celebrate US! Pony Rides, Games, Prizes, Entertainment the dedication of our New Playground! It will be a super fun event! Save the date!!!

Sign ups to help with this event are located in the Narthex. Please think about helping our parish picnic.

Anointing of the Sick Anyone needing anointing of the sick, come to Mass the first Friday of each month and Father Ramon will administer the Sacrament to all those in need. If you can not make it to church, make an appointment with Father to come to you.

Fall Morning Bible Study Now is the time to sign up for the **FALL Bible Study of The Gospel of Matthew**. Study begins September 8th and materials cost ap-

proximately \$50. Two mornings are available to choose from: **Monday or Friday, 9:30 to 11:30 AM**. Many of the mass readings this year are from Matthew. What better way to come to a fuller understanding of the Gospel than to take time to study it. Info: Cynthia Kemp 425 823 6125.

Wednesday Morning Quilters:

Our group will be taking the month of August off and will resume quilting on Wednesday, September 3rd. Please join us (@10:00am—1:00pm) in the parish social hall.

Yard Sale Thanks to all who donated items and worked the yard sale. Special thanks to the Boy Scouts who helped hall stuff and put tables away at the end of the Sale and to St. Vincent DePaul society for scheduling the truck to take the left overs away.

Social Concerns

St Vincent appreciates all your help & support. SVDP needs your help. The shed is extremely low on the following, could you help? **Pancake mix & syrup, Top Ramen, Canned soups & Mac & Cheese**. The next time you do your shopping, please consider picking up an item or two to help stock our Pantry. Thank you.

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

Esperanza Trek blogs.

Operation Sacklunch 25th anniversary is this year.

Sjvesperanza.wordpress.com

Next Blood Drive

Go to the psbc.org web site to make your date to donate blood **September 25 at Holy Spirit Lutheran.**

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Children and Family Life Ministry Events



St. John Vianney Catholic Preschool As the summer is winding down, the teachers have been busy cleaning, organizing and setting up classrooms. Come on downstairs and check out the joyful space we have created for our 50 incoming preschoolers! Preschool

orientation dates are September 4th and 5th. Classes begin the week of September 8th. More detailed information can be found under the Preschool tab on our website at www.sjvkirkland.org

Coming Soon to a preschool near you

Our new play structure will be professionally installed on September 2nd and 3rd. Please come and join us for the blessing, dedication and ribbon cutting at the beginning of our fun **Parish Picnic on Sunday, September 7th at Noon**. All children are invited to take part in the procession, led by Fr. Ramon, towards the new play area after the 10:30 mass.

Catholic Kids' Catechism Club **Volunteers needed to be CATHOLIC KIDS CATECHISM CLUB LEADERS AND ASSISTANTS!**

You do not need to prep anything. Show up and prepare to help support your clubhouse to meet challenges presented to them. A lesson plan will be e-mailed to you before the club meeting. Qualifications: fun loving, free spirited and an ability to jump into a whole lotta fun filled learning!

Sacramental Preparation for kids 7 years old and older for First Reconciliation and First Eucharist begins September 19th at 7:00 pm or September 20th at 10:00 am. We will meet once a month and parents will continue instruction at home. See website or pick up a schedule and registration form at the parish welcome table.

Infant Baptism Contact Laura Stanger if you would like to have your little one Baptized. All the information dates and paperwork on the parish website.

Middle & Senior High School, Young Adult and Outreach Experience

Operation Sack lunch returns. **September 14, noon to 3**, YOUTH GROUPS will bake 140 dozen cookies (cake, brownies) in loving and SWEET dessert to 4 OSL food locations. We also welcome ALL BAKERS to contribute to our sweet mission. Thanks Colleen, Cheryl, Tim, Lisa,

Mission Appreciation weekend Oct 4-5. Power point presentation in the social hall after Mass.

Oct. 12, 4-6 pm Opening Youth Group Middle School

Oct. 19, 5-6:30 pm Opening high school, Confirmation & Esperanza trek meeting

Youth Migrant Project We have already scheduled an **Oct 3-4 mini trek** for the food bank at St Charles. Dec 5-6 will be next. **Space limited!** Email jkline@sjvkirkland for a permission form.

Confirmation 2015 Process requires attendance at all youth group regular meetings beginning in October and the Sacrament specific classes beginning in January. If you're 16 by May 1, let Jan know. Love to have you with us for this wonderful faith journey.

Widowed, divorced, or separated? If you are ready to deal with the grief of being widowed, divorced or separated, there is help. As a faith-based organization, Beginnings Experience offers men and women the opportunity and skills to build deeper self-respect, to cope with the pain of loss, and to move into the future with renewed hope. Join us for a weekend away for a lifetime of change— available twice a year in April and October. This coming Fall's Puget Sound area weekend is Friday-Sunday, October 3-5, 2014 in Lacey. Please call Chris, our BE Registrar, at 253-223-2645 of more information and a brochure.

Job Opening: Music Director

Holy Innocents Church in Duvall is seeking a part-time 10 hour per week Music Director. Primary Responsibilities include developing and overseeing the parish music program. Vocal, keyboard and choral directing skills desired. For Application form, call 425-788-1400 or e-mail office@holynn.org. Application deadline is September 15th.

Healing Mass, Wednesday, 9/17 at 7PM at St. Michael Church in Olympia. You are invited to participate in a special Mass for healing. "Where your treasure is, there is your heart." cf. Matt. 6:21. The celebrant will be Fr. Michael Barry, SS.CC. Praise and Worship music starts at 6:45pm. St. Michael's is located at 1021 Boundary Street SE in Olympia. Originally from Ireland, Fr. Mike comes to us from San Bernardino, CA. A member of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary Religious Community, he is active in retreat work and teaching on healing and charismatic spirituality. Fr. Mike has a Scripture based radio ministry and serves Mary's Mercy Center, (which provides long-term men's transitional shelter and more), and also at Veronica's Home (for homeless mothers and their children).

What are your healing needs? Are they physical, emotional or spiritual? Singles, families, parents, youth, Please come! Sponsored by Western Washington Catholic Charismatic Renewal. For more information contact WWCCR at 206-364-2272 or www.wwccr.org.