

# Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Parishioners,

Last Monday we bid adieu to a long time parishioner, Edith Godar, who was called home by her Creator on January 15th. A celebration of her life was held last Monday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>, with Fr. Kevin Duggan and Fr. Steve Szeman celebrating. Unbeknownst to some, Edith, as mentioned, was a long time parishioner and was very much involved with some of our programs like vacation bible school, funeral ministry and the Serra club (making sandwiches for the shelters). She was also a very generous to our parish supporting the different projects we have in our church, we at the office will certainly miss her.

On a different note, I would like to thank all those who supported our Knights of Columbus in their pancake breakfast last Sunday. The knights have another activity lined up for the month of February. On the 4<sup>th</sup> they will be having their annual crab feed. I know this is going to be another fun evening with plenty of good food, door prizes and fellowship. I want to thank in advance all those who supported the crab feed...see you all on the 4<sup>th</sup>!

Finally I would like to invite all of you to come, see and experience two of the most powerful and spiritual apparition sites of our Blessed Mother – Fatima and Lourdes. This year, 2017, Fatima is celebrating its 100<sup>th</sup> year anniversary of Our Blessed Mother’s appearance to three local peasant children Jacinta, Francesco and Lucia. Join other fellow pilgrims from around the world in praying to Mary asking for her powerful intercession. After Fatima we will also be visiting another special site, Lourdes in France. Here one will get an opportunity to visit the site where Mary appeared and also immerse themselves in the healing springs that our Blessed Mother showed to St. Bernadette. For more information about the pilgrimage please get in touch with me.

God bless!

Fr. Ramon

## Stewardship of Treasure

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Total
January 2016 Income	\$24,891**	\$8,688	\$14,904*	\$10,607*	\$9,923	\$69,013
January 2017 income	\$25,221**	\$9,161.	\$19,103*	\$10,868		\$64,353
	Monthly Expense					\$65,000
	January 2017 Income over Expenses					(\$ 647)

\* includes EFT

\*\* includes Christmas

### Prayers are Requested

- **for healing.** . . . , Lois Parks, Betty McAuliff, Chris Pattee, Jim Boyce, Kellie Wichser, Alice Karn, Margo MacIntosh, Chuck Graff, Bill Rilling, Larry Garlinghouse, Bill Thomas, Marty Zimmerman, Jason Hendrix, Barb Rizzuto, Carrie Reeves, Jane Ninomoya, Marilyn Fullmer, Mike McGee, Dorothy Berard, Jerry Marbett, Jeanette Eggerman, Michael Geraghty, Glenda Suarez, Rosa Singer, Rhonele Laurente, Pete Helstrom, Bob Bell, Marty McDermott, Al Knapik, Tom Kemp, Mina Victoria Barriga, Susie Gandee, Tom Falsetto, Esther Sellers, Arron Cleveland, Franco Calvo, Debbie Schmidt, Drew Stefan, Pete Hellstrom, Benny Gonzales, Bruce McCormack, Lin Leung, Julie Montgomery Slaton, Jade Wiswell, Maureen Halpin, Heidi Blake, Scott Kendall, Karen Webster, Nicholas Lindeback, Helen Larson, Greg Enslow, Jonathan Laird, Edward Deane, Robert Welch, Hank Mott, Theresa Hansen, George Cromo, Janie Campbell, Dean Ostlund, Anthony Brusati, Sophie Roman, Rene Haag, Carroll Stenson, Tom Barker, Mike Perreault, Sue Fisher, Barbara Aquino, Judy Smith, Angela DiSmuke & **and all those listed in the Book of Prayer.**
- **for those who have recently died**...William Stewart, Edith Godar, Elizabeth Purdy, Daisy & Eric Royales, Bogumila Grabowska, Joe Cameron, Pat Prince, Dan O'Brien, Mike Heinis, John Godar, Art Hobbs, David Clark, John Loutsis, Dorothy Rhodes, Marion Gibson & Reginald Carter
- **for those who are serving in harm's way**... Tom Pierce, Whitney Sellers Sutherland, Paul Clayborn and Nels Knutson, LTC

### 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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## *This Week at St. John Vianney*

### Sunday, January 29

8:30 am Mass  
8:30 & 9:15 CKCC  
10:30 am Mass  
5:00 pm HS Youth Group

### Monday, January 30

9:45 am Bible Study  
5:00 pm TJ Trekkers Taco Takeover at La Corona  
7:00 pm CKCC  
7:00 pm MS Youth Group

### Tuesday, January 31

8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass

### Wednesday, February 1

8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass  
9:15 am Preschool  
9:30 am Mom's Morning Out  
9:45 am Faith Sharing Group  
10:00 am Quilters Group  
6:00 pm Soup Night  
7:00 pm Auction Planning meeting  
7:00 pm Choir  
7:30 pm Boy Scouts

### Thursday, February 2

8:30 am Adoration  
9:00 am Mass  
9:15 am Preschool  
5:30 pm Centering Prayer

### Friday, February 3

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

### Saturday, February 4

3:30 pm Reconciliation  
5:00 pm Mass  
6:00 pm Knights of Columbus Crab Feed

### Sunday, February 5

8:30 am Mass  
8:30 & 9:15 CKCC  
10:30 am Mass  
5:00 pm HS Youth Group



## *Mark your Calendar*

Parish office hours from  
8:30am to 4:30 pm

- Monday, January 30 La Corona Esperanza Taco Take over! 5 to 8 pm
- Wednesday February 1 Parish Soup Night
- Saturday February 4, 2017- K of C Crab Feed
- February 11-12 Esperanza BAKE SALE
- Wednesday, March 1, 2017 –Ash Wednesday
- Fridays in Lent: Stations of the Cross 6pm
- Sunday, March 19-Tuesday March 21– Parish Mission with Rev. John Cusick

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- Which one of the Beatitudes inspires your ministry?
- How does Paul's teaching give you courage in your discipleship?
- In what way do you "seek" the Lord?

### Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Isaiah 58:7-10
- 1 Corinthians 2:1-5
- Matthew 5:13-16

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## ST. JOHN VIANNEY PARISH NEWS

### **STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE PLEDGE CAMPAIGN:**

If you are registered in the parish you should have received a letter and pledge card from Fr. Ramon asking you to prayerfully consider what you are able to financially pledge (on a weekly, monthly, quarterly, annually or other basis) to help support the operations and faith formation programs of our parish. Please prayerfully consider what you are willing to share with your parish family. *There are extra pledge cards in the pews if you either didn't get one or you forgot yours.*

**Funeral Receptions:** On January 23rd we had the funeral for Edith Godar. It was followed by a reception. Thank you to Judy Arnold, Joan French, Lee Healow, Jerry & Carol Marbett and Jerry & Harriet Sramek for hosting, and to Laurene Yarnell and all the people she called who donated food for the reception. You are a true blessing to SJV.

**Visiting the Sick** We are in need of more Eucharistic Ministers to visit the sick. If you are interested in this ministry, please talk to Fr Ramon about receiving training.

### **Divorced? Considering getting an Annulment?**

Schedule a meeting with Fr. Ramon and he will let you know the details. Roberta Hatfield is our amazing Advocate and will meet with you and help you through the process. If you have questions, please contact the parish office.

**Women's Book Group** All are welcomed and there is always wine and chocolate. February's book is *Immortal Diamond: the Search for our True Self* by Richard Rohr. We are an informal book group so don't stress out too much, Just know that we will talk about the book. We will meet Tuesday February 7th at 7 pm in the parish office.

**Are you a senior over 55 and single? A very Happy New Year to everyone.** For those of you new to our parish who are single and over 55, this is a great way to meet new people and enjoy a meal together. I hope you will join us in 2017 when we meet on the third Saturday of the month after 5:00 pm mass in the social hall. Our next pot luck dinner will be Saturday, February 18th.

**Sonshine Ministry News:** If you know someone in our parish who could use a little extra love (a card or meal), please call the SJV office at 823-0787. If you feel called to help in this ministry, we are always looking for volunteers to help support those in need by cooking a meal. It is such a wonderful & flexible way to support one another. Please call Mimi Eyster, 425-823-2991, for more information.

**Quilt Group** Wouldn't it be fun to spend one morning a week learning a new skill? Quilting is one of those rare activities that is fun, relaxing and engages both sides of the brain. If you would like to join our great group of quilters, but are inexperienced with quilting, we would love to get you started. We meet each Wednesday in the social hall from 10-12:30pm. (contact person Kathy 425-823-1720)

**Liturgical Ministers** If you are a liturgical minister, is your email address updated and "can't serve" dates current? Be sure to click on 'request sub' when you aren't able to serve on an assigned day. Please put in your "can't serve" dates for next month. Contact Judy Zaccaria at 425-823-1688 or the parish office. If you are interested in serving as a liturgical minister, please contact the parish office.

**Centering Prayer Group** Thursday Evening Centering Prayer Group meets at 5:00 pm every week in room #12. For more information call Jerry Baldwin at 425-821-1008.

**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.

**Singers needed:** If you can carry a tune and want to raise your voice in thanks and praise to God, then talk with Margaret Graham following one of our masses. You don't have to read music. You don't have to have a solo-type voice. You will learn how to sing your part at rehearsals on Wednesday nights. Choir members sing at either 8:30 am (traditional setting) or 10:30 am (contemporary setting) mass or at both! For more information contact Margaret Graham at [mgraham@sjvkirkland.org](mailto:mgraham@sjvkirkland.org) or ask a choir member!

**Knights Korner:** We are always looking for new Knights of Columbus in our parish...if you're a Catholic male at least 18 years of age, then consider joining our fraternal order. Please call Darryl Zaccaria at 425-823-1688 for more information

**Are you newly engaged?** Come to the parish welcome table and fill out a Marriage information Sheet so we can get you set up for our Marriage Preparation Program "Learning to Live in Love". You are invited to come as a couple to the home of one of our marriage prep team members for a series of sessions. 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 both of you and your marriage, fill out a Marriage information form at the welcome table or print one off the parish website and turn it in to the church office.

**Parenting teens is hard support group:** We are reworking the format of our Parent support group, due to low attendance. Our Parish ministry team wants to be here to offer support during the challenging years of raising teenagers. Please let Maybeth Terashima or Laura Stanger know if you have thoughts or ideas of how we can serve you as parents better. More information will be in next weeks bulletin.

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## ST. JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC PRESCHOOL NEWS



A very Happy New Year from SJV Preschool.

**Preschool Registration for the 2017/18 school year**

**began January 9th 2017** and is in full swing.

If you are interested in scheduling a tour of the classrooms, please email Annette Schwientek, Dir. at [aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org](mailto:aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org) or call the preschool cell at:

425-305-9662. An updated Preschool brochure is available on the parish website at [www.sjvkirkland.org](http://www.sjvkirkland.org) under the Preschool tab and the preschool bulletin board.

**We still have a few openings in our 4's and Pre-K class** for the current school year. We have added a wonderful early literacy program, "Storybook Adventure" which will supplement our 4's class with an optional additional morning of learning fun. Come check out our cheerful learning environment, fun and safe playground and our welcoming and family oriented atmosphere.

## CHILDREN AND FAMILY LIFE NEWS

**Catholic Kids' Catechism Club** is our faith formation program for kids ages 3 years -5th Grade. Our 3-5 year olds join us at 8:30 am in room #6 downstairs and our 1st through 5th Graders can choose between Sunday at 9:15- 10:20 am or Mondays at 7:00-8:00 pm. Registration forms are available at the welcome table. CKCC has begun jump right in! Check schedule online for dates! Catechism Club begins back again this weekend for Training camp as we prepare for Superbowl Sundae!

**Children's dismissal at 10:30 Mass** Children are encouraged to join us for dismissal during the 10:30 Mass. Kids up through about 5th grade are encouraged to attend. No registration form or fee. Just join us, Parents are welcome to join their kids as well. We read the same gospel reading as is read in the church, but simply give the kids a chance to talk about it and we may have an activity or storybook that fits with the Gospel reading. The kids will join their parent/guardian after the homily.

**Sacramental Preparation:** Our second First Eucharist Preparation Session is scheduled for February 24th at 7 pm or February 25th at 10 am.

**Infant Baptism** Our next Infant Baptism Preparation session will be Tuesday, February 21 at 7:00 pm with rehearsal immediately following the session. The class and rehearsal usually run until about 8:20 pm. We will celebrate the Baptisms on Sunday, February 26 at the Sunday 10:30 am Mass. Registration forms and information are at the parish website. If you have questions, please contact Laura Stanger.

**The nursery is available and staffed at both the Sunday 8:30 and Sunday 10:30 Masses** it is right down the stairs, parents are welcome to stay with their children if it makes them more comfortable, the nursery is free!

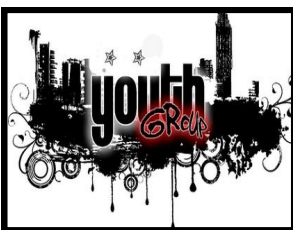


**St. John Vianney Vacation Bible School** is around the corner! It is scheduled for June 26-29th. We are doing Group Publications "Maker Fun Factory" Created by God, Made for a purpose! The Factory will open its doors on June 26th-June 29th for kids age 4-5th grade. Adults and youth are encouraged to help! Contact Laura Stanger if you up for helping with all the Fun! We are already collecting items for a creation station! If you have Rectangular empty Kleenex boxes, all types of plastic and metal lids, empty aluminum cans, or plastic tubs, tubes or containers, or wire along with Peg board, I will have an orange bin inside The social hall for you to put your items into.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

**SJV Youth Group presents Spoons, Skittles & the Beatitudes:**  
(newcomers always welcome)

- High School Youth Group (9th-12th) on **Sunday, January 29, 2017** from 5:00-6:45pm
- Middle School Youth Group (6th-8th) on **Monday, January 30, 2017** from 7:00-8:30 pm



**-SJV the place to BE lieve, BE loving, BE a witness-**

\*\*\* All adult volunteers must complete a background check. Please go to [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org) to submit your information and be cleared to volunteer with our youth! Thanks so much!

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## Social Concerns and Outreach for Adults and Youth

### Youth Migrant Project mini Trek Feb. 10—11.

This is a wonderful outreach and learning experience at our back door. ( Burlington, WA). SJV has been committed to this ministry for 30 years. Volunteer leader Aileen Hammar invites us to come serve those who are in need in the Skagit Valley. A special call out to families who wish to serve together. Options of Friday night (teens) and Saturday morning for those non overnights. This is a starting point for Esperanza trek. Please consider with open heart this gratifying opportunity. For more info call Aileen 206-683-7001 or email [aileen.hammar@comcast.net](mailto:aileen.hammar@comcast.net)

### **TACO TAKE OVER to benefit Esperanza trekkers La Corona Restaurant Jan. 30, 5 to 8 pm**

#### New Bethlehem Project

Our high school youth group's frozen meals are all gone. Do YOU like to cook? Does your teen need some community service? You can create a meal and deliver it to NBP yourself. Check their website [www.nbpselter.org](http://www.nbpselter.org)  
Next youth group opportunity to help is March 12 and 13. Parent help is so welcome!

### **Esperanza Trek Valentine Bake Sale**

Feb 11 & 12, home baked treats, See's candy, flowering potted plants.  
Shopping for your loved ones with a purpose! LOVE LOVE LOVE IT!

#### ESPERANZA - 2017 dates!

**Adults May 20-27**—all are welcome! Email [jkline@sjvkirkland.org](mailto:jkline@sjvkirkland.org) We have group airfare booked. Total cost including airfare will be around \$800.

**Young Adults Trek 2017.** College June 17-24, Pen Toland and Conor Goodwin have stepped up to lead.

**High school Esperanza 2 week trek is priceless.** As you may know, our high school trek fund raises for the 2 week trek, All youth and adults who are going work as a team to bring in the money. God bless all!



This Winter, CKCC & Youth Ministry at SJV will offer one sexual abuse prevention course to your youth. In our efforts to protect our vulnerable population, the Archdiocese of Seattle has integrated abuse prevention material into our faith formation and youth ministry curriculum in the context of teaching our youth about our Catholic faith.

To help you understand what your youth will be offered, we ask you to visit:

<http://www.seattlearchdiocese.org/SEP/faithformation.aspx>. This will provide you with "Parent/ Guardian Resources," to inform you about the curriculum being used while also making available the actual lessons.

As the guardian, you have the right to opt your child/youth out of this lesson. You may do so by clicking on the link "Opting Out." You will need to fill this form with your Catechetical Leader.

This announcement is to notify you of our new initiative to provide abuse prevention curriculum to our youth in Faith Formation/Youth Ministry. Unless you would like to opt your youth out of this lesson you are not required to do anything.





St. John Vianney Church



# Knights of Columbus Crab Feed

Dungeness Crab  
Cole Slaw  
Garlic Bread

February 4th, 2017  
After 5:00 Mass

\$35

12600 84th Ave NE  
Kirkland, WA  
(425) 823-0787

