

Readings for this Sunday's Liturgy

First Reading : Isaiah 55:10-11

Isaiah uses the example of rain and snow seeping into the ground to make it fertile to show how the word of God filters into the hearts of men. It shall not be void and empty.

Second Reading: Romans 8:18-23

The sufferings and trials of the present are destined to be only a prelude to the glorious future of the children of God. During this life we await the redemption of our bodies.

Gospel: Matthew 13: 1-23 or 13:1-9

Jesus teaches in parables that can be easily understood. He speaks of sowing the message of salvation which by some is heeded for a while, or ignored. Others, however, listen intently and try to live according to the will of God. Jesus explains this parable in detail.

Please feel free to talk with one of the transition team members if you have any questions , concerns or feedback:

Team members are: Margie Berard– Staff Liason, Anne Dahlin, Jan Fenelon, Fred Janssen, Barb Kulesa, Greg Leptich, Ruth Norwood, Dawn Smith, Gerry Suarez, Patricia Wuertzer, and Judy Zaccaria.

Stewardship of Treasure

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Total
July 2016 Income	\$13,733*	\$10,443	\$18,224*	\$10,625*	\$8,214	\$61,239
July 2017 income	\$14,571*	\$7,869				\$22,566
				Monthly Expense		\$65,000
* Includes EFT			July 2017 Income over Expenses			(\$42,566)

Prayers Requested

- **for healing.** . . . Mike Perreault, Dan Schaub, Fabio Gobbo, Julie Morton, Steve Hastings, Inez Alvear, Jolene Barker, Leo Dube', Sharon Studley, Rhoda and Ruth Delacuesta. Wesley Hanson, Patricia Dorratcague, Mary Perreault, Michael Burns, Renee Johnson, Gary Bass, Jimmy Monroe, Julianna Santos, Dean Ostlund, Jean & Donald McCognahy, Judy Bethel, Sue Cholewczynski, Cathie Hendricks, Bill Rilling, Larry Garlinghouse, Barb Rizzuto, Mike McGee, Rhonele Laurente, Susie Gande, Tom Falsetto, Esther Sellers, Debbie Schmidt, Drew Stefan, Benny Gonzales, Lin Leung, Heidi Blake, Scott Kendall, Karen Webster, Nicholas Lindeback, Greg Enslow, Jonathan Laird, Edward Deane, Robert Welch, Hank Mott, Theresa Hansen, George Cromo, Janie Campbell, Tom Barker, Barbara Aquino, & **and all those listed in the Book of Prayer.**
- **for those who have recently died**.....Ken Meyer, Jim Dunn, Sam Calangi, Annette Herber, James Gizzard, Sue Fisher, Melody Jungle, Rene Haag, Catherine Janssen, Renate Hartmann,
- **for those who are serving in harm's way...** Tom Pierce, Whitney Sellers Sutherland, Paul Clayborn & Alex Rowe

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.

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

This Week at St. John Vianney

Sunday, July 16

8:30 am Mass
10:30 am Mass

Monday, July 17

8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Word & Communion Service

Tuesday, July 18

8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Word & Communion Service
7:00 pm Bible Study of St Matthew

Wednesday, July 19

8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Mass
9:00 am Mom's Morning Out
9:45 am Faith Sharing Group
10:00 am Quilters Group
7:30 pm Boy Scouts

Thursday, July 20

8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Mass

Friday, July 21

8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Mass

Saturday, July 22

3:30 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm Mass

Sunday, July 23

8:30 am Mass
10:30 am Mass



Mark your Calendar

Parish Summer office hours from
8:30am to 3:30 pm from Memorial Day to
Labor Day

- Feast Day Celebration of St. John Vianney the Weekend of August 5 & 6
- Parish Luau– Saturday August 26th 6pm.
- October 28-29 Parish Family Auction
- November 4 Parish Gala Auction & Dinner

15th Sunday of Ordinary Time

- Carefully read today's Gospel. Based on the text, what are the different types of soil mentioned in the parable and what do they represent?
- As you reflect on Jesus' parable of the sower and the seed, what kind of soil are you now? What do you need to do to become the "good" soil?
- Isaiah describes God's Word as gentle like rain. What imagery would you use to describe God's word in your life?

Readings for the Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Wisdom 12:13, 16-19
- Romans 8:26-27
- Matthew 13: 24-43

Visiting the Sick We are REALLY in need of more Eucharistic Ministers to visit the sick and homebound. If you are interested in this ministry, please contact the parish office about receiving training.

Divorced? Considering getting an Annulment?

Schedule a meeting with Father 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. Our next book is **Nothing is Impossible with God** by John Michael Talbot. The book is available by the Social Hall for \$3. We will skip July and meet on Tuesday, August 1 at 7 pm with wine and chocolate in the parish office.

Are you a senior over 55 and single?

If you are new to our parish we would like to welcome you to join our Single Seniors. We have a great group of people and we have a fun evening sharing a meal on the third Saturday of the month after Mass. Then for those interested we play a game called "Left, Center, Right" at the end of the evening. You will need to bring four quarters for this game and you might go home with the whole pot! Contact the Parish office if you are interested in learning more about this group. Our next pot luck will be Saturday, July 15th, after the 5:00pm Mass.

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.

Quilters 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 10-12:30 pm (contact person Kathy 425-823-1720).

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.

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.

Knights Korner: We are always looking for new Knights of Columbus in our parish. If you are a Catholic male and at least 18 years old, consider joining our fraternal order. Please call Colin Radford at 425-825-9153 for more information.

Funeral Reception Ministry Helpers Needed: We are so blessed at St. John Vianney with such generous hands and hearts. Our funeral ministers help serve a reception in our social hall following a funeral. If you are not able to help serve the funeral, perhaps you would be able to donate a salad or dessert for a funeral reception. If you are interested in this ministry please contact Margie in the parish office at 425-823-0787 or e-mail mberard@sjvkirkland.org.

Celebrate Fatima! Queen of Heaven, Mary's Battle for You. Coming in September. Embark on **an 8 week journey that begins before time itself**, when Mary was only an eternal thought in the Mind of God, and extends into her life in Scripture. Discover Our Mother throughout centuries of Church history, as she intervenes at pivotal periods—especially at her most famous apparitions, when she made **roses bloom on a hillside in Mexico**, when she made a miraculous spring of **water rise from the ground in Lourdes**, and when she made the **sun dance at Fatima**. Sign up now with Cynthia Kemp at daycaredazy@gmail.com

Gospel of St. Matthew Bible Study. St. Matthew wrote his Gospel above all to show Jews living in the diaspora that Jesus was the promised Messiah, the Son of God. In reading Matthew's Gospel, we can learn not only about Jesus, but about the ways in which Jesus fulfilled God's Old Testament promises to his people. Join us as we study St. Matthew's Gospel each week on Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:30 PM starting on June 27. The cost of the course book is \$14.00. If you have any questions, please call Ron Petruscha at 707-548-1198. A sign-up-sheet and some copies of the course syllabus are available at the welcome table.

Barre

Join us for BARRE CLASS with Karan & learn healing movement. Barre takes the best of yoga, ballet, & Pilates to produce a workout that will help you throughout your day. Each movement builds strength, endurance, & grace, while creating longer & leaner muscles that are far more resilient.

Karan is a licensed trainer & massage therapist with years of body & movement experience. Learn master level body movement in an environment open to beginners & up. Barre will be on Saturdays from 9:30-10:30am in room 6 from Sept 9 through Oct 28. Package purchase only (8 classes for \$96 with late comers welcome till 4th class). Ages 18 & older with all abilities welcome so long as a person can get up & down from the floor on their own. Bring a yoga mat & water bottle. If you have questions contact Maybeth Terashima.

Dates for 1st Session: Sept 9, 16, 23 & 30 / Oct 7, 14, 21 & 28

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ST. JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC PRESCHOOL NEWS

"Preschool is over and we've had lots of fun. Now it's time to say good-bye, so good-bye everyone".

See you in September!



We ended another wonderful school year with a delightful puppet show by "Puppets Please" and an awesome all preschool picnic lunch.

We are blessed with an amazing community of parents, teachers and little ones.

At this time we still have openings in our 4's class. We have a wonderful early literacy program, Storybook Adventure which supplements our 4's class with an optional additional morning of learning fun. Come check out our cheerful environment, beautiful and safe playground and our welcoming and family oriented atmosphere.

If you are interested in scheduling a tour of the classrooms, please email Annette Schwientek, Dir. at aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org or call the preschool cell at: 425-305-9662.

A Preschool brochure is available on the parish website at www.sjvkirkland.org under the Preschool tab and the preschool bulletin board.

CHILDREN AND FAMILY LIFE NEWS

Catholic Kids' Catechism Club is over for 2016-17 school year What an awesome year we had this year! We have postponed our 5th Grade overnight to a 6th Grade overnight on Friday September 8th- Saturday morning September 9th here at the parish. NOTE DATE CHANGE! Any 6th Grader is welcome to join us. Special thanks to our volunteers and helpers who did so much to support our children as they went on this wild CKCC learning adventure! Looking forward to another great year next year. Club house meetings begin the first of October.

Infant Baptism Our next Baptism is scheduled for Sunday July 30th during the 10:30 am mass. The class and rehearsal for the Baptism is Tuesday July 25th at 7 pm. After Fr. Vu Tran has been here for a bit we will revise and update the Baptism Schedule with upcoming dates. 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! Due to high demand, we would like to have children 18 months through 4 years old in the nursery.



St. John Vianney Vacation Bible School WE HAD AN AMAZING WEEK!

Thanks to everyone who, donated recycled products, prayed for good weather, helped with prep, clean up, food, babysitting and everything in between. We had some wonderful Youth helpers from our Parish Middle and High school youth group along with some generous adult volunteers! Adventures with Zero and Somebuddy were here all week with us to help bring the lessons of God's Amazing Creations.

We had some pretty amazing creations being created at the fun factory! Special thanks to the Lefohn family who helped get us all set up for Camp! To the Tran family for the fun photo booth and 3D printer at the potluck.

Zero and Somebuddy will be doing some awesome theater camps here at the parish this summer through their Adventure Children's Theater. There are brochures on the bulletin board in the narthex if you are interested.

We are blessed to have such amazing Children and Youth here at our parish. It gives me great great hope that the light of Christ will continue to shine in the world! Thanks so much everyone, Laura Stanger

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MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

SJV Youth Group wishes you a wonderful summer & note these dates:

- August 6th 12:00 pm *What is Youth Group About* meeting for those moving up and new
- Sept 10 after 10:30am mass *HP Retreat Professor & Youth Leader Training*
- Sept 17 after 10:30am mass *Confirmation Mentors & Youth Leaders Meeting*
- Sept 30—Oct 1 Harry Potter Retreat: save the date. Registration starts in August.

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*** All adult volunteers must complete a background check. Please go to www.virtus.org to submit your information and be cleared to volunteer with our youth!

Thanks so much!



Social Concerns and Outreach for Adults and Youth

New Bethlehem Project? HELP NEEDED with the new overnight shelter at St. John's Episcopal in Kirkland. Check their website www.nbpshelter.org

ESPERANZA - 2017 update

Adult Trek complete! 27 folks from SJV and beyond made an incredible concrete difference in Tijuana communities the week of May 20-26. 2 floors and a roof were poured, walls were built, and home # 1000 is being built for a family of 5 women and our adults tore down the old and terrible structure. This is a compelling story of compassion. <http://www.esperanzaint.org/blog/2017/05/08/building-hope/> Please go take a look!

High school Esperanza 2 week trek is priceless. God bless all for the incredible ongoing support of our parish teams who have taken the Gospel of LOVE IN ACTION to Tijuana since 1990. (Esperanza since 1992.) Our high school trek leaves Sunday, 25 June and we will have some part in the building of the 1000th home of Esperanza. Over the years, 566 folks have served from 1 to 2 weeks. We are humbled by the families we have helped realize their dream of dignified housing. Please go check out the Esperanza website (above). Trek youth leaders Adrian Goodwin, Jack Johnson, Sabrina Ollestad, Melissa Shavey and Gina Svab will lead Christian Akeroyd, Cade Alonzo, Orion Atlee, Caylynn Berosik, Jarrod Byers, Matt Culver, Jasmine Elazrak, Michael Geraghty, Grace Harrington, Anabel Hilerio, Taylor Ann Kacatin, Angelique & Gregory Lum, Mikah Macarro, Marty McDermott, Kali Ortiz, Johanna Schultz, and Danny Wick. Adults are Mary & Ken Goodwin, Joe Byrne, Greg Leptich, Joel Jensen and Jan Kline. Keep us in prayer!

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Youth Migrant Project Parish youth will serve **July 30th-August 4th at the Youth Migrant Project** in Burlington. As most of you know, this Mission trip is part of the Outreach Program at SJV. It provides an opportunity for middle school youth, high school leaders and chaperones to make a difference in the lives of needy members of Skagit County community.

- **When:** Sunday July 30th (3:30 pm) to Friday August 4th (approximately 4:00 pm)
- **Where:** Tri Parish Food Bank, Burlington adjacent to St Charles Parish and several other locations in the greater Burlington area.
- **Who:** Middle school youth and high school leaders from St John Vianney and, new this year, we welcome youth and leaders from St Teresa of Calcutta in Woodinville! Slots are limited and are filled on a first come, first served, basis. While priority is given to SJV youth, we are open to others attending so please contact Aileen with questions.
- **Chaperones:** Aileen Hammar and Keith Harrington have set aside the week to be with our Youth. We do need several more adults to support the trip by providing transportation to/from Burlington and to join us as chaperones for portions of the full week.
- **Cost:** There is a fee of \$250 for this trip. A small portion pays for food and transportation with the remainder going directly to the Youth Migrant Program. *Scholarships are available for SJV Youth. Children of chaperones attend at an adjusted rate with no charge for children of full week chaperones.*

Contact Aileen Hammar, SJV's YMP Volunteer Leader, for more information (aileen.hammar@comcast.net or 206-683-7001)

Donations

We have been asked to provide donations of gently used clothing and shoes, as well as school supplies. **You can make a difference!**

Clothing: Clothing in all sizes and for all weather is needed. In addition, diapers are always needed for families with young children.

School Supplies: School will start shortly after our YMP week. Items needed include: backpacks, #2 pencils, ball-point pens (black or blue ink only), red ballpoint pen for correcting, binders, binder paper, graphing paper notebook, folders with pockets, ruler (standard and metric), protractor, compass, scissors, notebooks, colored pencils, graphing Calculator (Recommended: TI-84 Plus).

Craft Supplies: The children enjoy play dough, coloring books, crayons, colored markers, Bendaroos/Wicky Sticks, bouncy balls, stickers, face paint, lanyard making and more!

Sports: Soccer balls, socks and shin guards of any size in good condition—

BRING ALL DONATIONS TO THE PARISH OFFICE.



PARISH SUMMER LUAU
Saturday, August 26th at 6 PM
TICKETS WILL be AVAILABLE Next Weekend!
SIGN UP to HELP With the event!
Bartenders, ticket Sellers, greeters,
Server Uppers, table and chair Movers, Cleaner Uppers, greeters,
Food prep HELPERS and KITCHEN cleaner Uppers!
SIGN UP SHEET ON the WELCOME table!