

# St. Mark Catholic Church

## January 27, 2013 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun.	Jan.	27	Missa Pro Populo
Mon.	Jan.	28	No Morning Mass
Tues.	Jan.	29	Yolanda Sanchez Panganiban+
Wed.	Jan.	30	Jeri Dray+
Thurs.	Jan.	31	Souls in Purgatory+
Fri.	Feb.	1	Shirley Hirsch+
Sat.	Feb.	2	John Thorne
Sun.	Feb.	3	Missa Pro Populo
Mon.	Feb.	4	No Morning Mass
Tues.	Feb.	5	Timothy Pinard
Wed.	Feb.	6	Dolores Strenic+
Thurs.	Feb.	7	Frank Kure, Sr.+
Fri.	Feb.	8	Harold Warner+
Sat.	Feb.	9	Dean Ingram+

STEWARDSHIP				
The Sunday Collection through 1/20/2013.				
Weekly Amount Needed	Last Week's Collection	Needed Year to Date	Actual Given Year to Date	SHORTFALL Needed Now!
\$ 15,094	\$ 11,379	\$ 452,820	\$ 427,729	(\$ 25,091)
Online Giving	# Online Givers All Funds: 21		Amount Collected Online: \$ 1,946	
Online Giving is included in above totals.				

Mon.	1/28/13	School Book Fair, 12:15-4:00 pm, Library
		Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Infant/Child Baptism Session, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Tues.	1/29/13	School Book Fair, 12:15-3:00 pm, Library
Wed.	1/30/13	School Book Fair, 12:15-4:00 pm, Library
		RCIA, 7 pm, School Classroom
		Confirmation Class, 7 pm, School
Thurs.	1/31/13	School Book Fair, 12:15-4:00 pm, Library
		Bible Timeline Study Group, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Fri.	2/1/13	School Book Fair, 12:15-2:00 pm, Library
Mon.	2/4/13	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Gabriel Project, 7 pm, Parlor
		Young Married's Group, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Tues.	2/5/13	Cub Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
Wed.	2/6/13	Heaven Guild, 11:30 am, Sullivan Hall
		RCIA, 7 pm, Library
		Confirmation Class, 7 pm, School
Thurs.	2/7/13	Bible Timeline Study Group, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Sat.	2/9/13	KofC Crab Fest after 5 pm Vigil Mass, Gym

### HOSPITALITY IN SULLIVAN HALL

January 27—Doughnuts will be served by the **School Families in the gym** in celebration of Catholic Schools Week.

February 3—Déjà vu—it's the **School Families**.

February 10—Look for the winner of the Pinewood Derby as the **Scouts** serve your doughnuts. Last doughnuts before Lent!

### FREQUENTLY REQUESTED NUMBERS

**Boy Scouts:** Dennis Halpin (206) 365-1971  
**Cub Scouts:** David Hogle (425) 744-7292  
**Knights of Columbus:** Jim O'Sullivan (206) 533-0007  
**St. Vincent de Paul:** Duke Dungan  
(206) 364-7900 ext 150  
**Heaven Guild:** Barbara Arnesen (206) 940-5010  
**Ladies' Guild:** Lynn Waterson (206) 849-5546  
**Funeral Committee:** Gini Harmon (206) 364-6834  
**Marriage Help:** Retrouvaille (206) 706-2608  
**Seniors & Friends:** Judy Parsons (206) 367-1714  
**Holyrood Cemetery:** (206) 363-8404  
**Beck's Funeral Home:** (425) 771-1234  
**Harvey Funeral Home:** (206) 632-0100

*Let us keep our eyes fixed on Jesus, who inspires and perfects our faith!*



### Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

There's no doubt, this was one of the greatest seasons for the Seattle Seahawks, and it looks very promising for the years ahead as well. Players and fans alike attribute much of the success of this year's team, especially the perfect record of home victories, to the support of the "12<sup>th</sup> Man." (If you're not into football, the fans are the 12<sup>th</sup> man, along with the 11 men playing on the field). Hawk fans have the ability to impact the play of the opposing team and they give tremendous support to our own team.....their active participation in the game is crucial!

I was thinking about the 12<sup>th</sup> Man in relation to the Mass....yes, the Mass. Often, Catholics assume the priest is the one who celebrates Mass for the people. And that is true. But in fact, everyone who comes to Mass celebrates the Mass, each in their own unique way. That is what Vatican II meant by conscious, active participation. At the beginning of the Eucharistic prayer, the priest says: "Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the Almighty Father." At each Mass, everyone, priest celebrant and lay celebrant, are called to offer sacrifice. We are called to offer our very lives to God so that we may be transformed by Him as we receive the body and blood of Christ. At a Hawk game, the 12<sup>th</sup> Man helps the team win the game so everyone may share in the joy of victory. And a similar outcome happens at Mass as well. We offer to God ourselves so we may share in the Lord's victory over sin and death. Seahawk fans at the game and Catholics in the pews at Mass are not passive spectators.....we are all active participants. And where a Seahawk victory is only temporary, for our Sunday celebration at Holy Mass, the victory we share in is God's own eternal life! Never ending victory!

God's blessing for the week ahead!

In Christ the Lord,

*Fr David Mulholland*

***"To everything there is a season and a time for every affair under the heavens."***

***Ecclesiastes 3:1***

***A time to heal... physically, emotionally, or spiritually***

Margaret Toepfer, sister of Stella Bischel; Ron Eline; Rose Buckley; Jean Hunter; Maribel Santos  
Riliegh McConaughy, teenage great granddaughter of Betty and Bob Robeson  
Jerry Hirsch, brother-in-law of David Latta; Trent Kaivo, friend of the Beattie Family  
Suzy Fearn, friend of Janet Abele; Helen Coghlan; Carol Coghlan; Mary Amundsen  
Bob Hegamin, friend of Nigel and Cheryl Keiffer; Emily Hemmingson, daughter of Nigel and Cheryl Keiffer  
Shirley Steele, mother of Andrew Steele  
Arlene Timss, longtime friend of Joe and Marylee Schaeffer  
Jan Zambrano; John Zamberlin, brother of Rose Buckley; Rena Britz  
Robert Roberts, uncle of Rebecca Anderson; Joaquin Naputi  
Sheila Alipayo, niece of Cora Slechter; Kathy Turner, friend of Cathy Henricks  
Dorothy Pinney; Carol Monahan, mother of Hugh Monahan; Lynn Waterson  
Corinne Zamberlin, sister-in-law of Rose Buckley  
Robert Schultz, father of Lynn Schultz; Sam Rains, husband of Veronica Rains  
Cherie Chapman; David Hall, friend of Veronica Olson  
Joyce Koslosky; Gloria Rodgers, friend of Julie Bando-Langlie;  
Isidro and Juanita Bando; Hugo Draye; Rose de Santis, sister of Vic Scarpelli  
Darlene English; Dorothy Holm, sister of Veronica Rains  
Leonard English, brother of Darlene English; Patty Alberts  
Don Glasnovich, nephew of Cherie and Todd Chapman; Consuelo Frodsham; Rosemarie Rochlitzer;  
Marie Dunlap; Mary Olson; Helen Murphy; Carmen McMahan, sister of Anita Schultz

***A time to rejoice and pray without ceasing***

We will pray for you—just call or email the office and tell us what you need.

***A time to remember those who serve our country in the military***

Alex Keiffer, USAR, son of Nigel and Cheryl Keiffer  
Zachary Sharp, SFC, grandson of Nigel and Cheryl Keiffer  
Aaron Collins, Sgt, grandson of Bernard and Joyce Koslosky  
Christopher Abele, IT1 (SW/IDW) US Navy, son of Steven and Janet Abele  
Raynor Wales, US Army, friend of Bob and Mary Amundsen  
Matthew Johnson, US Air Force, grandson of Helen Bradley  
Mark Anthony Silang, USMC, deployed  
Michael Angelo Silang, USN  
Richard Johnson, PFC, US Army, Afghanistan, family friend of Todd and Cherie Chapman  
Bryant McDaniel, Air Force, Iraq, nephew of James and Lynn Ronald  
John E. Eaton, S/Sgt USMC, grandson of Evelyn Combe

***A time to mourn...***

Dan Dorgan, father-in-law of David Webster

The deadline to submit articles for the upcoming week's bulletin is noon on the Monday before publication. Anything submitted after that may not appear in the Sunday bulletin.

## PERPETUAL ADORATION

*We need to fill three hours* in the chapel again: Tuesday, 3-4PM (Divine Mercy hour), and the wee hours of Saturday morning, 3-4AM and 4-5AM. Please understand this is a very sincere commitment, and be sure to give it proper regard and prayer before agreeing to an hour. Perpetual adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is one of the most valuable ministries we can undertake as a parish family, and the love we show to our Lord in doing so does not go unnoticed. Just as Fr. List spoke in last Sunday's homily of God's love for us being in super abundance, exemplified by the water Jesus turned into wine at the wedding feast, so today Jesus makes Himself available to us in that same super abundance, not only at Mass in the Eucharist, but 24 hours a day, seven days a week exposed in the adoration chapel. If we can only express our love for God to an infinitesimal degree of His expression of love for us, take solace (or trembling!) that He knows our hearts. Make haste then to show Him your love, perhaps by committing to an extra hour of prayer each week in the adoration chapel.

Adoration Coordinator, Mat Connolly: 206-465-0710

## RESPECT LIFE

*40 Days for Life Springs into Life* on Ash Wednesday. What will be your Lenten journey this year? How about participating in 40 Days for Life? The spring campaign begins Ash Wednesday, February 13 and ends March 23. Can you think of a better way to witness to the love and mercy of God than by standing up for those most vulnerable among us - unborn babies and their mothers? We are blessed to have local efforts praying for an end to abortion. Specific details to follow.

*Have you had an abortion* or know someone who has? The next Project Rachel retreat will be February 8-10, 2013. To register or for more information, call Valerie at 1-800-822-HOPE (4673). Know that you are loved with an everlasting Love! Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

## RESPECT LIFE cont.

*Looking for a few good people...* Our Respect Life group survives and thrives with the help of a few committed souls. The need is never greater than now. If you haven't found a ministry to be involved in, think about joining our efforts at St. Mark Parish. Watch this bulletin for the next monthly meeting in February. Join us and see if this isn't something that God is calling you to be involved in at our parish!

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*Prayerful Witness Continues...* The Helpers of God's Precious Infants prayerfully witness in front of local abortion sites as a weekly ministry all year. Please join them. Also, continue to pray for the change of hearts of those who are exposed to this public, prayerful witness. Pray for parents of unborn children considering abortion. Pray that our country will return to its founding principle that all human life is sacred, from conception to natural death. To join this effort, contact Matt Ulrich at: [mgulrichpl@gmail.com](mailto:mgulrichpl@gmail.com) or visit [www.seattlehelpers.org](http://www.seattlehelpers.org)

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*Gabriel Project* Please continue to pray for our parish's Gabriel Project. This group ministers to women facing crisis pregnancies. There are many ways for all parishioners to be involved. Contact Linn Bartram 206-368-0390 if you know someone in need of help or if you are interested in helping.

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*Support our Parish Knights of Columbus, Support Life!* Come to the KC Crab Feed on Saturday, February 9<sup>th</sup>. When you attend an event hosted by our Knights of Columbus council you are supporting life. This great group of unsung heroes is one of the strongest supporters of life in our parish.



**Congratulations** to the St. Mark Parish School Speech Team for their remarkable accomplishments at the Seattle Prep Speech Tournament on January 19. We had several finalists and trophy winners. Bellamy Perez finalled in both Editorial Commentary and in Impromptu Speaking. Earning third place trophies were Matthew Keck in Oratory, Korrina Murphy in Children's Storybook, and Hannah Van Hollebeke in Editorial Commentary. Ivy Hawksford won in two categories: third place in Impromptu and second place in Dramatic Interpretation. The team of 28 is working very hard to prepare for their next tournament at Eastside Catholic on February 9. Please keep them in your prayers!

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***We are out of the cold...***in fact, we need to replace one of the upright freezers in the cafeteria. Do you have one that you are not using? The Knights of Columbus and the entire parish would be most grateful if you would donate it. It must be in **very good** working condition; the Knights can arrange to pick it up.




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*"America needs no words from me to see how your decision in Roe v. Wade has deformed a great nation. The so-called "right to abortion" has pitted mothers against their children and women against men. ... It has aggravated the derogation of the father's role in an increasingly fatherless society. It has portrayed the greatest of gifts—a child—as a competitor, an intrusion, and an inconvenience. It has accorded mothers unfettered dominion over the independent lives of their physically dependent sons and daughters ... Human rights are not a privilege conferred by government. They are every human being's entitlement by virtue of his humanity. The right to life does not depend, and must not be declared to be contingent, on the pleasure of anyone else, not even a parent or a sovereign." ~ Mother Teresa ~*

**ST. MARK CONFERENCE**

December, 2012 MONTHLY PARISH REPORT

# of families in St. Mark helped by St. V de P ..... 139

# of individuals helped by St. Mark St. VdeP ..... 472

**Cash Expenditures:**

Rent .....\$ 1,682.00

Light..... 328.23

Utilities..... 551.09

Fresh Food/Rx..... 937.67

St. VdeP clothing/other ..... 67.40

Transportation..... 100.00

Christmas Gifts ..... 157.70

**Total Expenses: .....\$ 3,824.09**

**Christmas Day Deliveries: 79 families/333 people served**

**195 presents given out**

Meeting collections .....\$ 36.92

Poor Box Donations ..... 274.47

Envelope Collection .....4,521.00

**Total Income .....\$ 4,832.39**

**Net .....\$ 1,008.30**

**In-kind Assistance:**

Boxes of food ..... 5

Religious Pamphlets..... 84

Bags of food/supplies given out ..... 30

Bags of Diapers ..... 3

Bus Tickets ..... 64

Referrals & references..... 8

Blankets from American Heritage Girls .. 11

17 boxes of food to St. Edward StVdeP; 4 boxes of food to Carmelites; TV set donated by parishioner and 2 new children's coats given out.

**Next weekend is the monthly St. Vincent collection day. Please donate cereal, toilet paper and cleaning supplies!**

**Mortgage Counseling:**

Solid Ground 206-694-6766

**Work Searches:**

Worksource 206-440-2500 or 425-673-3300

***You Can Help Your Marriage*** – Retrouvaille

(pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It is designed to provide the tools to help get your marriage back on track. It will give you the opportunity to rediscover each other and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. For confidential information about or to register for the February program beginning with a weekend on February 1-3, 2013, call [206-706-2608](tel:206-706-2608) or visit the web site at [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com)



YEAR OF FAITH 2012  
2013

**A FAMILY PRAYER FOR THE  
YEAR OF FAITH**

***O God our Father,  
in Jesus you call all Chris-  
tian families and homes  
to be signs of living faith.  
By the light of the Holy  
Spirit,  
lead us to be thankful for  
the gift of faith,  
and by that gift  
may we grow in our rela-  
tionship with Jesus, your  
Son,  
and be confident witnesses  
to Christian hope and joy  
to all we meet.  
In the name of Jesus Christ  
our Lord.  
Amen.***

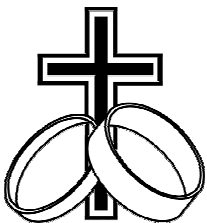
***TIDBITS FOR THE "YEAR OF FAITH"...***

**FAQ #13: (PART IV)**

What then can be made of the situation in which informed lay Catholics were placed? On one side, they heard the essential principles and doctrine of *Humanae Vitae*, yet on the other side, was a barrage of dissenting Catholic theologians saying something quite different. What or who were the lay faithful to believe? We have to keep in mind, that this was a period of time when many Catholics believed that the Church would change her stance, and allow married Catholic couples to use contraception. But when the Church did not do this, but further reaffirmed her traditional teaching on the matter, such couples were now faced with the decision to either (1) do what *they* wanted to do, or (2) do what was *objectively, the only morally permissible thing to do*, as revealed to us by Christ and His Church. Yet, aside from the decisions which needed to be made by individual Catholic couples who were caught in the middle of all this, was the fact that those dissenting Catholic theologians—who SHOULD have known better—were guided by one very simple rule of the discipline of theology: *no matter what theological or philosophical conclusion is made, in regards to the faith, nothing is allowed to contradict that which the deposit of faith has already determined to be an eternal truth (that is, God's Truth) of Christianity, and therefore, the Catholic Church.* Yet, these dissenting theologians failed in their adherence to this one, simple rule of the science of theology. What then is the origin of such lack of intellectual discipline? A poor understanding of Christian theology! For, surprisingly, even the rector of a Catholic seminary in Massachusetts stated, "The Holy Spirit is present first of all in the community of God's people, and those who fail to reflect the consensus of this community damage the effectiveness of the Church's mission." In other words, according to him, TRUTH is determined by the democratic vote of the people. Do you think that is how God operates? *(To be continued...)*

***Hello Young Married's whoever you***

***are..***Or are you engaged? Are you in the beginning years of your marriage? Want to meet other young couples in your parish? Come to a potluck at St. Mark on Monday, February 4th at 6:30pm. We will meet in the church for the family Rosary, then proceed to Sullivan Hall for food, fellowship, and discussion, with focus on marriage within the teachings and tradition of the Catholic Church. Bring a dish, and a dessert or drink to share. Paper goods will be provided by the Faith Formation Office. RSVP to Melissa Steele at [Melissacsteele@gmail.com](mailto:Melissacsteele@gmail.com) so we can plan accordingly. Hope to see you there! God bless!



Check out our display of CDs in the vestibule of the Church. Cost of each CD is \$3.00.

**Feminine Genius:** Building upon Blessed Pope John Paul II's writings about "the feminine genius", Colleen Carroll Campbell discusses the uniqueness of the makeup and vocation of women from God. She uses the lives of several female saints to help women recognize and use their gifts to live out their faith as Christians in the modern world. Author and columnist Colleen Carroll Campbell hosts EWTN's *Faith and Culture* program.

# The Knights of Columbus of St. Mark Parish



## Invite you to their Annual Crab Fest

### All-You-Can-Eat Dungeness Crab!

**With Ivar's Clam Chowder, Salad, Pasta, Rolls,  
Rice & Dessert. For a minimum donation you  
can also have Wine and Beer on Tap.**

**Saturday, February 9, 2013**

**St. Mark Church - Parish Gym**

**18033 15th Place NE**

**Shoreline, WA 98155**

**Doors Open at 6:00 pm**



## **50/50 Raffle and Door Prizes**

*Proceeds to benefit:*

**Council Charity Programs (Pro Life, Seminarians, Youth, etc.)**

**Tickets:**

**General Admission: \$35.00**

**Senior Citizens (65 and up) \$30.00**

**Kids (13-18 yrs old and Non-Seafood Eaters) \$15.00**

**Kids (Under 12 years old) - Free**

**For Information and Ticket Reservation Contact:**

**Michael Gray (425) 984-2700, ext 172**

**Michael Connell (206) 446-4577**

