

St. Mark Parish July 21, 2013

MASS INTENTIONS			
Sun.	July	21	Mass for the People
Mon.	July	22	No Morning Mass
Tues.	July	23	Matt Kure+
Wed.	July	24	Lela Carroll
Thurs.	July	25	Marie Warner+
Fri.	July	26	Dave Browitt+
Sat.	July	27	Lynn Hall
Sun.	July	28	Mass for the People
Mon.	July	29	No Morning Mass
Tues.	July	30	Frances Hayward (100th Birthday)
Wed.	July	31	Tom Jeanott
Thurs.	Aug	1	Souls in Purgatory+
Fri.	Aug	2	Gene Hanson+
Sat.	Aug	3	Gus Gimness+

HOSPITALITY IN SULLIVAN HALL

July 21—This is the DAY that the **KNIGHTS** will come to our rescue and serve doughnuts.

July 28—You are invited to share in the doughnut duties on this **Special Parishioners Serve the Parish Sunday**.

FREQUENTLY REQUESTED NUMBERS

Boy Scouts: Dennis Halpin (206) 365-1971
Cub Scouts: David Hogle (425) 744-7292
Knights of Columbus: Michael Gray (206-422-6630) or
 mgray7503@gmail.com
St. Vincent de Paul: Duke Dungan (206) 364-7900 #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

STEWARDSHIP 2013-14				
The Sunday Collection through 7/14/2013.				
Weekly Amount Needed	Last Week's Collection	Needed Year to Date	Actual Given Year to Date	EXCESS YTD!
\$ 14,560	\$ 12,413	\$ 29,120	\$ 34,025	\$ 4,905
Online Giving	# Online Givers All Funds: 26	Amount Collected Online: \$ 1,859		
Online Giving is included in the above totals.				

CALENDAR

Mon.	7/22/13	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Cub Scouts, 6:30 pm, Gym
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
Tues.	7/23/13	St. Vincent de Paul, 7:30 pm, Library
Wed.	7/24/13	St. Vincent de Paul, 7 pm, Pastoral Center
Thurs.	7/25/13	Bible Timeline Study Group, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Sun.	7/28/13	Respect Life Rosary, 10 am, Respect Life Monument north of Church building
Mon.	7/29/13	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Cub Scouts, 6:30 pm, Gym
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
Mon.	8/5/13	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Cub Scouts, 6:30 pm, Gym
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
Sun.	8/11/13	Third Order of Mary, 1:30 pm, Pastoral Center
Mon.	8/12/13	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Cub Scouts, 6:30 pm, Gym
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
Tues.	8/13/13	Jazz Walk, 7 pm, Gym
		K of C General Meeting, 7 pm
		St. Vincent de Paul, 7:30 pm, Library
Thurs.	8/15/13	The Assumption of Mary, Holy Day Masses at 8 am and 7 pm

16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Christ in the House of Mary and Martha by Diego Velasquez, 1618

Dear Friends in Christ,

Diego Velasquez is another favorite artist of mine. He was from Spain and lived in the 1600s. One of his most famous paintings is that of the crucified Christ. I also like this depiction from today's gospel about two very different sisters, Mary and Martha. It certainly has a Baroque quality to it, so it does not depict what Mary and Martha actually looked like (or ate for that matter). We see in the upper right corner, out in the living area, Mary and her friend at the feet of Jesus, listening to him speak. Back in the kitchen, we see Martha grinding something in a pot, preparing a meal, and not looking too happy about it (for me, I'm happy she's cooking with garlic!). An old woman, perhaps their mother, is pointing out what's going on out in the living room. Is she the one who encourages Martha to go out to Jesus and say "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me by myself to do the serving?" Or, did Martha come up with that on her own? That is what has intrigued me about this painting. Often, our problems and anxieties are not our own. They are sometimes suggested to us by other people or by situations we find ourselves in. Our reactions may not be our own, but instead driven by someone or something else. Here, as the Lord Jesus urges, Martha perhaps needs to imitate more the action of her sister Mary, and not react to the urgings of her mother. In other words, Martha needs to listen to her own heart and follow the example of her good sister. Choices abound in all situations! Instead, she worries and frets, and believes she is tied to the burdens of something that is really not all that important. Jesus says there is need of only one thing...Mary has chosen the better part...and it will not be taken from her. As with Mary and Martha, we too have only need of one thing; to listen to Jesus and to let him be the Lord of our hearts and our lives! The choice is ours.

In Christ the Lord,

Fr David Mulholland

A TIME TO HEAL...PHYSICALLY, EMOTIONALLY, OR SPIRITUALLY

Richard Ronald, brother of James Ronald
Darcy Kain, daughter of Sylvia Ebert; **Dale Cramer**, friend of Cornelia Miller; **Bill Clark**, son-in-law of Cornelia Miller
Jeannine Fitzsimmons, grandmother of Jeff Olson; **Leroy White**, uncle of Jeff Olson
Dorothy Scholze; Pat Pethigal; Rex Desgroseillier, brother of Jean Hunter
Paul Adams, son-in-law of the Topolinskis; **Mike Harb; Greg Asuncion**, nephew of Darrel Olvena
Marie Dunlap; Bernard Koslosky; Laura Alamillo; Tom Friedel; Mary Ann Boley, sister of Rose Buckley;
Cindy Stendera Gould, daughter of Bertha Stendera;
Don Glasnovich, nephew of Cherie and Todd Chapman; **Ruben Gonzalez**
Elmer & Doris Dalisky, friends of Cheryl Keiffer; **Bob and Betty Robeson**
Marcy Teichman, friend of Cheryl Keifer; **Kim Moss**, niece of Lee & Diane Lutovsky
Frank Martinez, friend of Gina Ardiente; **Virginia Helbling**, sister of John Favero; **Neil Conley**
Maria Gabrielle Bongalon, daughter of Fidel Bongalon;
Bob Amundsen; Kim Menzer, friend of Rebecca Anderson; **Christopher Jasper**;
Sam Glasnovich, nephew of Cherie and Todd Chapman; **Walker Chapman**, nephew of Cherie and Todd Chapman;
Hugo Draye; Marty Liwag, friend of Maria Arntson
Genevieve Shelton; Margaret Beatte, sister of Harriet Miller; **Fr. William Fulco; The Chapman Family**
Isidro Bandoy; Desi Saraspi, mother of Gilda Amort
Noelle Reese Golla and the Golla Family; Dorothy Holm, sister of Veronica Rains
Randy Rains, son of Veronica Rains: **Ann Gordon**
Maribel Santos; Riliegh McConaughy, teenage great granddaughter of Betty and Bob Robeson
Jerry Hirsch, brother-in-law of David Latta; **Suzy Fearn**, friend of Janet Abele; **Helen Coghlan; Carol Coghlan**
Jan Zambrano; Rena Britz; Joaquin Naputi
Kathy Turner, friend of Cathy Henricks; **Dorothy Pinney; Carol Monahan**, mother of Hugh Monahan
Lynn Waterson; Robert Schultz, father of Lynn Schultz; **Cherie Chapman; Mary Olson**
Darlene English; Leonard English, brother of Darlene English; **Consuelo Frodsham; Rosemarie Rochlitzer**

**A TIME TO REJOICE; A TIME TO SHARE YOUR BURDENS;
AND A TIME TO PRAY WITHOUT CEASING**

Thanks to Seminarian **Greg Snyder** for truly being a Good Samaritan.
Please pray for those parishioners who are seeking employment.
Please pray for families traveling on vacation this summer.

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, deployed
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
Taylor Amundsen, US Air Force, grandson of Bob and Mary Amundsen

A TIME TO MOURN...

Please pray for all those who have no one to pray for them.

Welcome to our visitors this weekend, visiting Catholics and those of other faith traditions... and to all of our parishioners... God bless you all!

ROSARY FOR LIFE – FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH On July 28 please attend this month's Rosary at about 10:10 am (after the 9 am Mass) at the Affirmation for Life memorial north of the church.

Our Lady of the Rosary, pray for us!

SPARE CHANGE FOR LIFE BABY BOTTLES...Please return your baby bottles, hopefully full of money, before all Masses on July 27-28. Thank you for supporting Life Changing Billboards. Matt & Georgene Ulrich

CHRISTMAS IN JULY! St. Mark Parish is committed to reaching out to the Carmelite Sisters in our Shoreline community! Please return your items to Sullivan Hall, unwrapped, by July 28. Thank you very much for your generosity!

JAZZ WALK IS BACK! The annual North City Jazz Walk will be on Tuesday, August 13 with Danny Quintero & Critical Mass doing the "Sinatra/Basie at the Sands." Tickets are available online and also through Todd in the Parish Office.

ST. MARK SCRIP will be available after Masses on the weekends of July 27-28, August 10-11, and August 24-25. Please plan to buy your SCRIP on those dates. If you have any questions or need help, go to the school website, stmss.org and the Quick Link on the left side that says: How to Order Scrip.

INFANT BAPTISMS AT ST. MARK

This coming year, we are scheduling infant baptism classes, along with the celebration of baptism, at four times during the year (roughly once every quarter). The following is the current schedule:

Baptism Preparation Session:

Saturday, September 14, 2013

Saturday, January 11, 2014

Saturday, April 12, 2014

Celebration of Baptism (outside of Mass)

Saturday, September 21, 2013

Saturday, January 18, 2014

TBD during the Easter Season

Baptism is celebrated after the Saturday daily Mass. There will also be an option to celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism during a weekend liturgy as well. For more information, please call Veronica Olson at the parish office 206-364-7900 or stmarkoutreach@gmail.com

WE HAVE RECEIVED DONATIONS to our School Endowment Fund in memory of John and Dorothy Favero, Dorothy McCool, Charles Combe, John Dunlap, Don Hopfinger, Margaret Osgood, Wanda Jensen, Ken Jensen, Roland Blanchette, Robert & Winona Wartinger, and in celebration of the birthday of Mark Anthony Silang.

We want to acknowledge and *thank* everyone who regularly contributes to the Endowment Funds at St. Mark Parish School.

LOW GLUTEN HOSTS AVAILABLE FOR CONSECRATION If you have health issues associated with celiac disease and you are not able to receive the Precious Blood of the Lord at Holy Communion, you may request that a *low gluten* host be consecrated at the Mass you are attending. The procedure is simple: Prior to the beginning of Mass, ask a sacristan that a low gluten host be consecrated for you at Mass. At the time of communion, proceed to the credence table, under the shrine of the Blessed Mother. The sacristan will administer Holy Communion to you at the time. If you have any questions, please speak to a sacristan after Mass.