

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time • August 9, 2015

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun.	Aug.	9	Sunday Masses
Mon.	Aug.	10	No Mass
Tues.	Aug.	11	Ljubica Georgevic+
Wed.	Aug.	12	Maria Pascucci Crisafulli+
Thurs.	Aug.	13	Alice McCullough
Fri.	Aug.	14	Tom Friedel+
Sat.	Aug.	15	Katherine Mulholland+
Sun.	Aug.	16	Sunday Masses
Mon.	Aug.	17	No Mass
Tues.	Aug.	18	Enrico Crisafulli+
Wed.	Aug.	19	Adrian Martin
Thurs.	Aug.	20	Fran Power+
Fri.	Aug.	21	Antenina Harvey+
Sat.	Aug.	22	Marilyn Urstad+

HOSPITALITY IN SULLIVAN HALL

August 9—On this day in 1483...yes, 1483, the Sistine Chapel was opened. Ponder this whilst you eat a donut served by the **Scouts**. A group of your fellow parishioners will be visiting the Chapel in October...you could be among them. Talk to Fr. Mulholland.

August 16—On this day in 1977 Elvis left the building for the last time. What does this have to do with the **Knights** serving donuts? Absolutely nothing.

FREQUENTLY REQUESTED NUMBERS

Boy Scouts: Dennis Halpin (206) 365-1971
Cub Scouts: Sean Monahan (608) 234-2931
Knights of Columbus: Jim O'Sullivan (206) 832-7231
St. Vincent de Paul: Mary Kay Snedden (206) 364-7900
Heaven Guild: Barbara Arnesen (206) 940-5010
Ladies Guild: Lynn Waterson (206) 849-5546
Funeral Reception Volunteers: 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 2015-16 The Sunday Collection through 8/2/2015

Weekly Amount Needed	Last Week's Collection	Needed Year to Date	Actual Given Year to Date	Surplus Year to Date
\$ 15,137	\$ 18,698	\$ 75,685	\$ 81,268	\$ 5,583
Online Giving	# Online Givers All Funds: 41	Amount Collected Online: \$ 3,106		

CALENDAR

Mon.	8/10/15	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Light Weigh, 7 pm, Parish Center Chapel
Tues.	8/11/15	Jazz Walk Shoreline!!
Wed.	8/12/15	St. Gianna Molla Women's Reading Group, 7 pm, Parish Center Chapel
Sat.	8/15/15	Solemnity of the BVM (not a holy day of obligation), 9 am Mass
		Pilgrimage Meeting, 6 pm, Sullivan Hall
Mon.	8/17/15	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Light Weigh, 7 pm, Parish Center Chapel
Tues.	8/18/15	Respect Life Mtg, 7 pm, Parish Center Chapel
Wed.	8/19/15	St. Gianna Molla Women's Reading Group, 7 pm, Parish Center Chapel
Sat.	8/21/15	Saturday morning Mass moved to 8 am 
Fri. – Sun.	8/21/15-8/23/15	Healing the Whole Person Retreat
Sun.	8/23/15	Respect Life Rosary, after the 9 am Mass, Affirmation of Life Monument n/o church
Mon.	8/24/15	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Light Weigh, 7 pm, Parish Center Chapel
Tues.	8/25/15	K of C Officer Meeting
		St. Vincent de Paul, 7:30 pm, Library
Wed.	8/26/15	St. Gianna Molla Women's Reading Group, 7 pm, Parish Center Chapel
Sat.	8/27/15	KofC Installation Dinner, 6 pm



Pastor's Letter:



Flight of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph into Egypt

Dear Brothers and Sister in Christ,

Last Sunday, I mentioned that the key to the *Bread of Life Discourse* from Chapter 6 of St. John's Gospel is the understanding that Jesus, the bread of life come down from Heaven, is a gift from God, who is our Father. As a father, God loves and cares for us, unconditionally! Hopefully, we have seen that, at least a little, in our own fathers. We certainly see it in the life of Jesus' earthly father, Saint Joseph. He is a silent man in the scriptures but his actions of caring and loving his family speak volumes about true fatherhood.

Fatherhood is the key to understanding who we are as God's creation as His sons and daughters; part of His family. Pope Benedict once wrote:

“To remember that God is a good and loving Father helps us know who we are—it forms our identity! Identity is critical for us as human persons. I might say that most, if not all, psychological disorders come from identity problems, especially through distortions that come from abuse and neglect.”

If we have lost our true identity, especially if we ourselves have not experienced the unconditional love from our biological fathers, then now is the time to truly receive that gift from God, who is our father. As you continue to pray and reflect upon St. John's gospel, pay attention to God as father, and pray that you may come to know Him and relate to Him in that way. You will be truly blessed as you receive His love, care, protection, and security!

Blessings to you all!

Fr. David Mulholland

A TIME TO HEAL...physically, emotionally, or spiritually

Kathi Hunter, daughter of Jean Hunter; **Joyce Richardson; Jeanne Connell**
Aliza Lyubomirski, friend of Todd & Cherie Chapman; **Paz Posadas; Holly Weller**, daughter-in-law of Dennis and Joanne Weller
Sean Kerrick, son-in-law of Connie Hanson; **Mamie Hutson**, friend of Vicki Russell
Kaylee Alvarado, granddaughter of Dan & Doris Staber; **Alice McCullough; Earl and Willma Calvin**, parents of Laura Reed
Mary Ann Boley, sister of Rose Buckley; **Veronica Rains; Gene Savitz**, friend of Janet Abele; **Frank Cook**
Jeanett Herrera, cousin of Josie Martinez;
Silvester Mendoza; Don Isham, Lynette Campbell, and Rodney Campbell, friends of Julie Bandy
JoAnne Boschee, mother in law of Trevor Schneider; **Roger Lageschulte**, friend of Steve and Janet Abele
Grace Prueter; Myrlen Tagam; Zenaida Zimmerman; Gil Martelino and Rolando Polintan, friends of Lourdes Maganis
Doris and Marvin, wife and brother-in-law of Walter Smith; **Mary Spalding and Stan Sifferman**, friends of Julie Bandy
Don Dadula; Dorothy Munson; Greg Naputi, son of Joan Naputi; **Baby Jacob Quehn**, great-nephew of Joan Naputi
Jean Tiberio; Bobbie Sours; Shari Amundsen; Dick Amundsen, brother-in-law of Mary Amundsen
Maritza Nolasco, friend of Mary Lou Jimenez; **Judy Arlene Smith**, sister of Gayle Hanks
Stephanie Bird, niece of Charlotte Arthur; **Timothy O'Neill**, brother of Charlotte Arthur; **Dorothy Holm**, sister of Veronica Rains
Laurel Quinn, niece of Millie Stevens; **Neil Pearson; Susan Riley; Joe Kassuba**, brother-in-law of Mary Amundsen
Sister Anne Cornelia, sister of Cornelia Miller; **Lynn Waterson; Angela Zamberlin**, niece of Rose Buckley
Patrick Buckley, brother of Bill Buckley; **Loraine Hoag**, mother of Jay Hoag; **Kari Stockholm**, friend of Julie Bandy
Bienvenido Mendoza, father of Flordeliza Atieneza; **Kristin Cornuelle and Leland Stamm**, members of the Lombard Family
Annette and Rod Fischer; Alan Schneider, brother of Bob Schneider
Lori Tamayo, friend of Zeny Manaloto; **Donna Barlett**, mother of Sheila King; **John Arnesen**, son of Barbara Arnesen
Emilio Gonzalez, grandson of Marsha Gonzalez; **Stephanie Hartung; Franky San Nicholas Naputi**, nephew of Joan Naputi
Christopher Lasher, friend of Janina Pacunski; **Makenzie Garlock**, friend of Steve and Janet Abele; **Hugo Draye; Scott Halfrich**
Mary Schantz; Ursula Skinner, friend of Jim and Barbara Doughty; **Vivian Russ**, aunt of Janet Abele; **Laura Alamillo**
Scott Strandberg, brother of Stephanie Hartung; **Frank Martinez**, father of Claire Becker; **Jeff Cornwell**
Marta Cady, sister of Kathy Keck; **Ann Marie Kurtz**, mother of Lisa Haynes; **Dolores Strandberg**, mother of Stephanie Hartung
Audi Edwards; Willis Parsons, son of Judy and Loren Parsons; **Patricia Arntzen**
Maria Shafer; Elvin Dick, father of Sidd Dick; **Dan Hine; Noah Amundsen**, grandson of Mary Amundsen
Doris Sykes; Charlene Loback; Todd Munger; Ernesto Ladrido; Danilo Taliman, friends of Julie Bandy;
Bob and David Brancale, sons of Ann Brancale; **Jennifer Osburn**
Rhonda Stegall-Webb, friend of Paul Jensen; **Logan Shepard**, great grandson of Ted & Harriet Miller
Gloria Abiang, mother of Pauline Cruz; **Cindy Stendera Gould**, daughter of Bertha Stendera
Walker Chapman, Sam and Don Glasnovich, nephews of Cherie and Todd Chapman; **Marty Liwag**, friend of Maria Arntson;
Randy Rains, son of Veronica Rains; **Ann Gordon; Riliegh McConaughy**, great granddaughter of Betty Robeson
Rena Britz; Joaquin Naputi; Cherie Chapman; Mary Olson; Darlene English

A TIME TO REMEMBER THOSE WHO SERVE OUR COUNTRY IN THE MILITARY

1st Lt. Owen Stratton, USA, deployed overseas, son of Tom and Cory Stratton;
Andrew T. Kerrick, Airman 1st Class USAF, grandson of Connie Hanson
Ensign Dylan Thomas Jessum, USN, grandson of Tom and Mary Pat Lord
PFC Isaiah Thorne, USMC, son of John and AnnaLise Thorne;
David Leitzen, SPC, US Army, grand-nephew of Mrs. Elenor Loarie Schoen, and nephew of Teresa and Elenor K. Schoen
Annika Jensen, IT3, USN (deployed), daughter of Paul and Maryjane Jensen
Taylor Amundsen, USAF, grandson of Mary Amundsen; **John E. Eaton, S/Sgt USMC**, grandson of Evelyn Combe
Bryant McDaniel, USAF, nephew of James and Lynn Ronald; **Michael Angelo Silang, USN**
Mark Anthony Silang, USMC; Matthew Johnson, USAF, grandson of Helen Bradley
Christopher Abele, IT1 (SW/IDW) USN, son of Steven and Janet Abele
Nathan Keiffer, Airman 1st Class, USAF, son of Nigel and Cheryl Keiffer; **Zachary Sharp, USAR**, grandson of Nigel and Cheryl

A TIME TO MOURN...

John Desjarlais

"May He support us all the day long, till the shades lengthen and the evening comes, and the busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done. Then in His mercy may He give us a safe lodging, and a holy rest, and peace at the last." J. H. Cardinal Newman



ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, AUGUST 15

This year the Assumption is on a Saturday and is not a Holy Day of Obligation. The Solemnity Mass will be celebrated at 9 am.

REMEMBER THE PARISH AUCTION?

It happened last April and the final tally has just come in. It is amazing! This auction made more than any other auction in school history, over \$105,000. Eámaer and Katie want to thank everyone who helped make this such a fantastic event...and we in the parish want to thank Katie and Eámaer for all the work and long hours that they put in to accomplish this fine result.



This is how we can get things done; when the school and the parish team up, there's no stopping us. Big, big thanks again to the chairs and the volunteers and the attendees.

CHURCH DOORS

Due to the staffing schedules for summer, there may be times in which the church is closed. If you are coming up to pray, it might be worth a quick call to the office to be sure that the church is open. 206-364-7900.

SAVE THE DATE!

Be sure to mark your calendars on Saturday, October 3 to attend our parish Respect Life/Knights of Columbus Salmon Dinner. More details to follow.

GABRIEL PROJECT

Please continue praying for our parish's Gabriel Project. This four year old apostolate ministers to women facing crisis pregnancies. We are all called to be Christ to others. Pregnant women can request assistance by calling 888-926-2643.

Let us pray for medical personnel who are involved in the destruction of human life through abortion and euthanasia. May they have the courage to turn away from destroying life and return to the practice of protecting and healing all life.

Mission Statement

for our parish:

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age.”
- Matthew 28:19-20

Vision Statement

for our parish:

“They devoted themselves to the teaching of the apostles and to the communal life, to the breaking of the bread and to the prayers. Awe came upon everyone and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles...they ate their meals with exultation and sincerity of heart, praising God and enjoying favor with all the people. And every day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.” - Acts 2:42

HEARTFELT THANKS

To our dear Friends at St. Mark, As I mark “one year post heart transplant,” I and my family would like to express our deep gratitude to all of you for your prayers and support. Healing and recovery wouldn't have been possible without the profound power of prayer. You will always remain in our prayers of thanksgiving. Please, pray for our donor. THANK YOU,

Hugo Draye and Family

CONSIDERING SEPARATION OR DIVORCE?

There is an alternative – it's called Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-v). Retrouvaille has helped tens of thousands of troubled marriages, bringing reconciliation and healing to seemingly hopeless situations. You are not alone. For confidential information about, or to register for our upcoming program beginning Sept 18-20, 2015 call 360-671-6479 or visit our website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

*Don't let your worries get the best of you;
Remember, Moses started out as a basket
case.*



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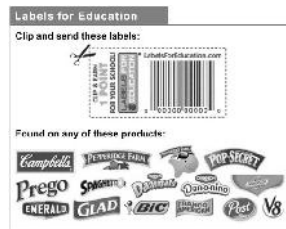
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NOW HIRING

The Archbishop Brunett Retreat and Faith Formation Center at the Palisades is hiring a full time Account and Event Coordinator. This member of our staff will use excellent written and verbal communication skills to sell the ministry of the Retreat Center and to welcome guests. Additionally, this person will be responsible for helping to coordinate events in collaboration with our operations staff. The successful candidate will have excellent customer service skills, a love of the Catholic Church and strong initiative. Good salary and benefits in accordance with Archdiocesan norms. Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume and completed Archdiocesan application form to Deacon Eric Paige, Director at eric.paige@seattlearch.org or 4700 Dash Point Road, #100, Federal Way, WA 98023. Information may also be faxed to (253) 382-3482. Archdiocesan application forms and more information are available at www.palisadesretreatcenter.org/employment.

SAVE THOSE LABELS!

St. Mark School collects BoxTops for Education, do you? In just the past three years we have collected over 22,000 BoxTops and it couldn't have been done without parishioners' help. Thank you for helping us raise \$2,200!



We also collect Labels for Education for new PE/recess balls and games. Each year we receive over \$500 in new equipment from this program.

Please clip and save *BoxTops* and *Labels for Education* and give them to your favorite St. Mark student, drop them off in the box in Sullivan Hall, or easiest yet, put them in the collection basket at Mass.

What a great way to help the school!

SCHOOL REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR

Your Catholic school is enrolling for the 2015-2016 school year. If Catholic Education is a priority for your family, we will work with you to make it fit in your budget! Give the gift of Catholic Education to your child or grandchild! Call today:

206-364-1633

St. Mark Parish School is "Catholic to the Core"!

School Families, please remember, if you bring in a new family and they register, \$250 (registration fee) will be credited to your tuition next year.

You are St. Mark's best advertisement.

Bring in a new family!

PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR

Three year olds Tuesday – Thursday 8:50-11:30

Four year olds Monday – Thursday 12:15 – 3:10

206-364-1633

YEAR-ROUND PRAYER VIGILS...

Abortions happen every day in our community. Striving to serve the unborn and their mothers by giving them lifesaving choices, the local chapter of Helpers of God's Precious Infants prayerful prays at local Planned Parenthood locations most Saturdays all year long. Contact Helpers of God's Precious Infants at www.seattlehelpers.org for more details check out the "Come Pray With Us" link.

EDUCATOR BLESSING

Archbishop J. Peter Sartain will honor, recognize and bless Catholics who teach at local public and non-Catholic private schools, colleges, and universities as Witnesses of the Faith. Teachers, staff and their families are invited to attend the Mass at 12 pm on September 6, 2015, at St. James Cathedral, with a casual reception to follow on the courtyard. For info call 206-382-4593.

REGISTRATION BEGINS HERE!

**SUNDAY FAMILY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION-Grades 1-8
FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
CONFIRMATION**

**Sign up forms are located on the table in
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**** CONTACT JENNA HOLLOWAY WITH QUESTIONS****

206-364-7900 or via email: jennah@saintmarkshoreline.org