

# 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time • July 24, 2016

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sun.	July	24	Sunday Masses
Mon.	July	25	No Morning Mass
Tues.	July	26	For the repose of the souls of: Carmen & Bonifacio Torres+
Wed.	July	27	NO MASS THIS MORNING!
Thurs.	July	28	For the repose of the soul of: Jesse Houghtaling+
Fri.	July	29	For the intentions of: The Bachler Family
Sat.	July	30	For the repose of the souls of: Ildefonsa & Roberto Condez+
Sun.	July	31	Sunday Masses
Mon.	Aug.	1	No Morning Mass
Tues.	Aug.	2	For the intentions of: Thucuc Nguyen
Wed.	Aug.	3	For the repose of the soul of: Nicolas Cruz Jubane
Thurs.	Aug.	4	For the repose of the soul of: Robert Scarpelli
Fri.	Aug.	5	For the intentions of: Diane Lutovsky
Sat.	Aug.	6	For the intentions of: Mary Pat Lord

### AFTER MASS HOSPITALITY IN SULLIVAN HALL

July 24—Irene is doing the entire thing!  
 July 31—Double fair warning...can you help out?  
 August 7—Readin' & writin' & servin' donuts—it's the School.  
 August 13—Even months mean it's the Scouts.  
 August 20—Knights are in full charge.

### FREQUENTLY REQUESTED NUMBERS

**Boy Scouts:** Dennis Halpin (206) 365-1971  
**Knights of Columbus:** Sam Robles (425)-346-0183  
**St. Vincent de Paul:** Mary Kay Snedden (206) 364-7900  
**Heaven Guild:** Barbara Arnesen (206) 940-5010  
**Funeral Reception Volunteers:** Gini Harmon  
 (206) 364-6834  
**Marriage Help:** Retrouvaille (206) 706-2608  
**Seniors & Friends:** Judy Parsons (206) 367-1714  
**Holyhood Cemetery:** (206) 363-8404  
**Beck's Funeral Home:** (425) 771-1234  
**Harvey Funeral Home:** (206) 632-0100  
**Marian Caskets:** (206) 463-6245; mariancaskets.com

## STEWARDSHIP 2016-2017 The Sunday Collection through 7/17/2016

Weekly Amount Needed	Last Week's Collection	Needed Year to Date	Actual Given Year to Date	Surplus Year to Date
\$ 16,155	\$ n/a	\$	\$	\$
Online Giving	# Online Givers All Funds:	Amount Collected Online:		
		\$		

### CALENDAR

Sun.	7/24/16	Respect Life Rosary, 10:10 am, Affirmation of Life Monument n/o church
Mon.	7/25/16	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Light Weigh, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Tues.	7/26/16	KofC Officer Meeting, 7 pm
		St. Vincent de Paul, 7:30 pm, Library
Mon.	8/1/16	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Light Weigh, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Sat. & Sun.	8/6/16 & 8/7/16	St. Vincent de Paul food collection after all Masses
Sun.	8/7/16	YLI (Princess Angeline) Meeting, 12:30 pm, Library
		Life Chain on Hwy 99 and 220th Street Edmonds, 2:00-3:30 pm
Mon.	8/8/16	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Light Weigh, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
		KofC 4th Degree Assembly, 7 pm
Tues.	8/9/16	KofC General Meeting, 7 pm
		St. Vincent de Paul Meeting, 7:30 pm, Library
Sun.	8/14/16	3rd Order of Mary, 1:30 pm, Parish Center
Mon.	8/15/16	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Light Weigh, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Thurs. & Fri.	8/18/16 & 8/19/16	Divine Mercy Movie in Gym—see bulletin announcement
Mon.	8/22/16	Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Light Weigh, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall



# Guest Author's Letter:



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

**Isabel Glancy; Diane and Lee Lutovsky**  
**Dennis Gustafson**, brother-in-law of Vicky Russell  
**Mary Wittinger; Emmelia Olvena (1st grader)**  
**Allen Thorne; Natalie Hogan**, friend of Veronica Olson  
**Jeffrey Insley**, brother of Greg Insley  
**Erik Wyss**, son-in-law of Margaret and James Acheson  
**Dean Daniels; Barbara Arnesen; Hugo Draye**  
**John Burdett**

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

**CTT3 Alexander Thorne, USN**, son of John and AnnaLise  
Thorne  
**1st Lt. Owen Stratton, USA**, son of Tom and Cory Stratton  
**Andrew T. Kerrick, Airman 1<sup>st</sup> Class USAF**, grandson of  
Connie Hanson  
**Ensign Dylan Thomas Jessum, USN**, grandson of Tom and  
Mary Pat Lord  
**LCPL Isaiah Thorne, USMC**, son of John and AnnaLise Thorne  
**David Leitzen, SPC, USA**, nephew of Teresa and Elenor K.  
Schoen  
**Annika Jensen, IT3, USN**, 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, ITC (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...**

**Taylor Bresnan**

"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

**Parish Mission Statement**

"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

**Parish Vision Statement**

"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

**As a parish, we will fulfill the Mission and  
live the Vision by...**

- ***Becoming a worshiping people...*** who give praise and glory to God by keeping the Lord's day Holy, by celebrating Holy Mass on Sunday, and by encountering the Lord Jesus in the sacramental life and daily prayer.
- ***Becoming a missionary people...*** who live our Catholic faith on a daily basis in witness of the Lord Jesus to the world; to our family, our neighbors, our friends, and our co-workers. In this way Jesus is known by the fruit of our lives and in our love for others; this is at the heart of evangelization and catechesis.
- ***Becoming a merciful people...*** who put our faith into action by practicing the spiritual and corporal works of mercy:

***The Spiritual Works of Mercy:*** instructing, advising, consoling, and comforting

***The Corporal Works of Mercy:*** feeding the hungry, sheltering the homeless, clothing the naked, visiting the sick and imprisoned, and burying the dead

**WHEN WE TEACH OUR CHILDREN** to be good, to be gentle, to be forgiving, to be generous, to love others, to regard this present age as nothing, we instill virtue in their souls and reveal the image of God within them. This, then, is our task: to educate both ourselves and our children in godliness; otherwise what answer will we have before Christ's judgment seat?  
St. John Chrysostom

## ABOUT ONLINE GIVING

"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace." - 1 Peter 4:10

### Reasons to sign up for Electronic Giving:

- **No need to write checks or bring cash to church.**
- **Peace-of-mind knowing that the church is receiving your contribution even if you are unable to attend. The church is still operating even when you go on vacation!**
- **More secure than checks.**
- **All contributions are recorded for you on your bank statement with date of settlement.**

**IT COSTS YOU NOTHING!**

**You can manage your church giving or give a one-time gift right from your phone. Search the App Stores for Online Giving or go to OLGapp.com and register with our parish. Your support during summer months helps sustain our parish.**

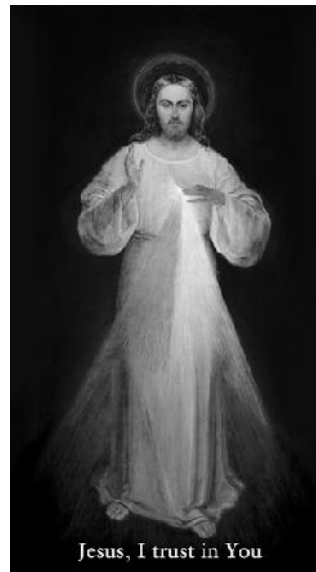
## ANOINTING OF THE SICK/HOMEBOUND/ HOSPITAL VISITS

Please call the parish office to inform us of an illness or hospitalization of a parishioner or family member. Privacy laws prohibit hospitals from releasing information to clergy about hospitalized church members without the specific consent and request of the patient or their immediate family.

## HELP FOR WOMEN

Please continue praying for our parish's Gabriel Project. This five-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.

## THE DIVINE MERCY MESSAGE



The message of The Divine Mercy is simple. It is that God loves us – all of us. And, he wants us to recognize that His mercy is greater than our sins, so that we will call upon Him with trust, receive His mercy, and let it flow through us to others. Thus, all will come to share His joy.

The Divine Mercy message is one we can call to mind simply by remembering ABC:

A - Ask for His Mercy. God wants us to approach Him in prayer constantly, repenting of our sins and asking Him to pour His mercy out upon us and upon the whole world.

B - Be merciful. God wants us to receive His mercy and let it flow through us to others. He wants us to extend love and forgiveness to others just as He does to us.

C - Completely trust in Jesus. God wants us to know that the graces of His mercy are dependent upon our trust. The more we trust in Jesus, the more we will receive.

This message and devotion to Jesus as The Divine Mercy is based on the writings of Saint Faustina Kowalska, an uneducated Polish nun who, in obedience to her spiritual director, wrote a diary of about 600 pages recording the revelations she received about God's mercy. Even before her death in 1938, the devotion to The Divine Mercy had begun to spread.

The message and devotional practices proposed in the *Diary of Saint Faustina* and set forth in this web site and other publications of the Marians of the Immaculate Conception are completely in accordance with the teachings of Church and are firmly rooted in the Gospel message of our Merciful Savior. Properly understood and implemented, they will help us grow as genuine followers of Christ.

## DON'T BE SHY! BE A PART OF THINGS!

Next weekend we will be having a Registration Event. Our new Assistant for Faith Formation, Laurie McCloskey, will be waiting to talk to you in Sullivan Hall after all Masses. If you are a current parishioner or a new parishioner or a current parishioner who has never registered...please stop by and talk to Laurie. Maybe you just need to update your records, or add an email address, or ask a Faith Formation question...Laurie's the person of the hour. Father's goal is to have everyone who attends Masses register in the parish. Next week come to Mass prepared to write down your name, address, phone and email. AND as a special added bonus, at the end of the weekend, Father will be picking a registrant to receive a very special present that he has hand-picked and blessed. It's worth it! Stop by after Mass next weekend.



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

## THE GREAT DAILY MASS HOLY CARD GIVE AWAY

**Back by popular demand!**

Attend daily Mass, and just maybe, a holy prayer card will be given out at the end of Mass. You never know when, so plan to come to daily Mass each day at Saint Mark! Collect all holy cards and be assured of this great help to your salvation!



## SAVE THE DATE

On Thursday, August 18 and Friday, August 19 at 7 pm the Respect Life Committee will host two screenings of **The Original Image of Divine Mercy**. Please plan to attend on one, or both, of these dates. This movie is about how the original image was kept secret from the world for many years as the message of Divine Mercy spread. It is an amazing testament to faith and the dedication to this important message. To view the preview and get a glimpse of this awesome film, go to: <http://www.divinemercyfilm.com>

## RACHEL'S CORNER - HOPE AND HEALING AFTER ABORTION

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and receive His abundant and boundless mercy. Next retreat is August 12-14, 2016. Call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673) You are loved with an everlasting Love!  
Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Our chapter of St. Vincent's has received a request from a family with 5 children...they are in need of a dresser. A four-foot one would be perfect. If you have something to donate, please call 206-364-7900 ext. 150. Thank you.

## WORLD YOUTH DAY

Enjoy WORLD YOUTH DAY coverage on Sacred Heart Radio AM 1050! WYD is July 25-31.

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## PERPETUAL ADORATION

Perpetual Adoration, ongoing at St. Mark parish for over 25 years, is the practice of praying in front of the exposed Blessed Sacrament. It is a meaningful way to strengthen your prayer life and deepen your personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Please consider sacrificing one hour of your week to be with our Lord and Savior. We currently have the following hours open:  
Sunday: 11pm-midnight  
Friday: 2 am-3 am, 11 am-noon  
Saturday: midnight-1 am

## WHERE THANKS ARE DUE...

If you are in the Shoreline Safeway, please stop by and thank the bakery people for the great job they do of providing our donuts. They often go out of their way to make things work for us. Please tell them thanks.