

# St. Mark Parish November 10, 2013

MASS INTENTIONS			
Sun.	Nov	10	Mass for the People
Mon.	Nov	11	No Morning Mass
Tues.	Nov	12	Novena
Wed.	Nov	13	Novena
Thurs.	Nov	14	Novena
Fri.	Nov	15	Novena
Sat.	Nov	16	Anniversary of Ron & Dorothy Eline
Sun.	Nov	17	Mass for the People
Mon.	Nov	18	No Morning Mass
Tues.	Nov	19	Hank Clemen+
Wed.	Nov	20	Carmen McMahan+
Thurs.	Nov	21	AnnaLise Thorne
Fri.	Nov	22	Bert & Josie Golla
Sat.	Nov	23	Mercedes Thorne

STEWARDSHIP 2013-14				
The Sunday Collection through 11/3/2013				
Weekly Amount Needed	Last Week's Collection	Needed Year to Date	Actual Given Year to Date	Surplus Year to Date
\$ 14,560	\$ 17,926	\$ 262,080	\$ 269,794	\$ 7,714
Online Giving	# Online Givers All Funds: 31		Amount Collected Online: \$	
Online Giving is included in the above totals. 1,989				

## CALENDAR

Sun.	11/10/13	Rel Ed gr. K-8, 10 am, School
		<b>Seniors and Friends Pot Luck Lunch, noon, Cafeteria</b>
		3rd Order of Mary, 1:30 pm, Pastoral Center Chapel
Mon.	11/11/13	<b>Parish Offices and School closed.</b>
		Cub Scouts, 6 pm, Gym
		Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
Tues.	11/12/13	Gabriel Project, 6:30 pm, Sullivan Hall
		Dead Theologians Society, 7 pm, Pastoral Center Chapel
		Knights of Columbus Genl Mtg, 7 pm
		St. Vincent de Paul, 7:30 pm, Library
Wed.	11/13/13	School Planning Mtg, 7 pm, Gym
Thurs.	11/14/13	RCIA, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
		Oremus Class, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Fri.	11/15/13	Men's Basketball, 7 pm, Gym
Sun.	11/17/13	<b>KofC Real Meal Deal Breakfast after all Sunday Masses</b>
		Rel Ed gr. K-8, 10 am, School
Mon.	11/18/13	Cub Scouts, 6 pm, Gym
		Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria

## HOSPITALITY IN SULLIVAN HALL

**November 10**—Scout out the donuts in Sullivan Hall. Get it, scout...ie., **Scouts** are serving.

**November 17**— **KofC** Real Meal Deal Pancake Breakfast

### FREQUENTLY REQUESTED NUMBERS

**Boy Scouts:** Dennis Halpin (206) 365-1971  
**Cub Scouts:** Sean Monahan (608) 234-2931  
**Knights of Columbus:** Michael Gray (206-422-6630)  
 mgray7503@gmail.com  
**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 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

# 32<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*Brothers and sisters: May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who has loved us and given us everlasting encouragement and good hope through his grace, encourage your hearts and strengthen them in every good deed and word. (2 Thess 2:16)*

The Sadducees were an elitist Jewish religious sect that denied the resurrection of the body and immortality of the soul. An old pun on their name that you may have heard is *they were called Sadducees, since they didn't believe in eternal life, so they were "Sad, you see."*



In today's gospel, the Sadducees try to challenge Jesus with a hypothetical scenario where a bride has seven different husbands, all passing away without ever having children. Their intention is to show the absurdity of believing in eternal life and the resurrection of the body by asking, "...Now at the resurrection whose wife will that woman be? For all seven had been married to her." In his response Jesus is able to explain the reality of eternal life and dispel their misconceptions. He affirms that the just will indeed rise to eternal life, and once raised will no longer be subject to death. Today's gospel reminds us of the culmination of our profession of faith—the resurrection of the dead and in life everlasting.

As the catechism teaches, "We firmly believe, and hence we hope that, just as Christ is truly risen from the dead and

lives forever, so after death the righteous will live forever with the risen Christ and he will raise them up on the last day. The resurrection of the "body" or "flesh" means not only will the immortal soul live on after death, but that even our "mortal body" will come to life again. Confidence in this reality is displayed in our first reading from second Maccabees, where seven brothers are executed for refusing to violate their religious laws, but they express hope and faith that they will get their bodies back in a glorified state after death.

May all of us be strengthened by their witness and cherish the hope that God gives us.

*Fr. Brian List*

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

**Greg McBride; Alexis Heisel**, niece of Janet Abele; **David Dato; Lorraine Hoag**, mother of Jay Hoag  
**David Brancale**, son of Ann Brancale; **Jennifer Osburn; Dorothy LeFaive; Carolyn Apodaca**  
**Frank Martinez**, friend of the Apodaca and Ardiente Family; **Joyce Saas**, cousin of Jean Hunter; **Jeanne Connell**  
**Elsie English**, sister in law of Darlene English; **Rhonda Stegall-Webb**, friend of Paul Jensen; **Vicki Russell**  
**Patrick and Nicole Shepard & their newborn son**, granddaughter and family of Ted & Harriet Miller  
**Fred Zecha**, uncle of Steve and Janet Abele; **Gloria Abiang**, mother of Pauline Cruz  
**Richard Ronald**, brother of James Ronald; **Dale Cramer**, friend of Cornelia Miller; **Bill Clark**, son-in-law of Cornelia Miller  
**Jeannine Fitzsimmons**, grandmother of Jeff Olson; **Dorothy Scholze; Pat Pethigal;**  
**Mike Harb; Greg Asuncion**, nephew of Darrel Olvena  
**Marie Dunlap; Bernard Koslosky; Laura Alamillo; Tom Friedel; Cindy Stendera Gould**, daughter of Bertha Stendera  
**Ruben Gonzalez; Elmer Dalisky**, friend of Cheryl Keiffer; **Bob and Betty Robeson**  
**Marcy Teichman**, friend of Cheryl Keifer; **Kim Moss**, niece of Lee & Diane Lutovsky  
**Virginia Helbling**, sister of John Favero; **Maria Gabrielle Bongalon**, daughter of Fidel Bongalon; **Bob Amundsen**  
**Kim Menzer**, friend of Rebecca Anderson; **Sam and Don Glasnovich**, nephews of Cherie and Todd Chapman  
**Walker Chapman**, nephew of Cherie and Todd Chapman; **Hugo Draye; Marty Liwag**, friend of Maria Arntson  
**Genevieve Shelton; Isidro Bandoy; Desi Saraspi**, mother of Gilda Amort; **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; Consuelo Frodsham**

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

Please pray for those parishioners who are seeking employment.

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

**Alex Keiffer, SFC**, son of Nigel and Cheryl Keiffer  
**Zachary Sharp, USAR**, grandson of Nigel and Cheryl Keiffer  
**Aaron Collins, Sgt**, grandson of Bernard and Joyce Koslosky  
**Christopher Abele, IT1 (SW/IDW) USN**, 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**  
**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  
**Taylor Amundsen, US Air Force**, grandson of Bob and Mary Amundsen  
**Annika Jensen, USN**, daughter of Paul and Maryjane Jensen  
**Darryl W. Bradshaw, US Coast Guard**, nephew of Paul and Maryjane Jensen  
**Nathan Keiffer - Airman 1st Class, USAF**, son of Nigel and Cheryl Keiffer

**A TIME TO MOURN...**

**Rosy Pacheco**, mother of Nathaline Pereira  
**James Lynch**, father of Terence Lynch  
**Ignace Oosterman**

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

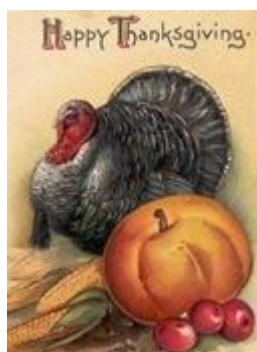
**WE HAVE RECEIVED DONATIONS** to our School Endowment Fund in memory of Dan & Doris Staber, Robert & Winona Wartinger, Zoilo & Soledad Silang, Owen Johnson, Linda Johnson, Helen McMenamin, Gene & Romaine Gotovac, Barbara Furlong, Rollie Blanchette, Fr. Ted Sullivan, Wanda Jensen, Ken Jensen, and several donations in memory of Sr. Eleanor. We want to acknowledge and *thank* everyone who regularly contributes to the Endowment Fund at St. Mark Parish School.

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**CHRISTMAS CARDS...**The Knights of our council are selling cards outside each of the Sunday Masses from November 10th through the 24th. We will have a tent with a variety of Christmas cards ranging from \$6 to \$15 per box.

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**DID YOU JUST SAY THANKSGIVING?...** Yes, it's right around the corner. Before heading off to your family Thanksgiving celebration, start Thanksgiving Day with your "parish family" and show your appreciation to God by coming to Mass at 9 am followed by a cinnamon roll reception. If you haven't attended before, start a new tradition this year! More and more people are coming each year, and we hope to see you there before you head home to put the bird in the oven! The Thanksgiving Day collection always goes to our St. Vincent de Paul Chapter.



## THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS

Our St. Vincent de Paul Society will be distributing food baskets to needy families in our area. If you would like to share your holiday joy by donating a box of food that would make a Thanksgiving dinner, please sign up after Mass in Sullivan Hall, or call Jean Hunter at 206-261-2447.



**AUCTION NEWS!** Get ready for our 21st Annual School/Parish Auction. Family Night April 30th Gala Night May 3rd. The theme this year is, "A NIGHT IN PARADISE" (Hawaiian). Your Auction Chairs are Irene Foz, Cathy Bellande, and Simon Villanueva. **If anyone is interested in helping in any way: procuring items, donating an item with a minimum value of \$50, donating a scrip (gift) card, or just making a plain old cash donation, we would greatly appreciate it.** Thank You.

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**SENIORS AND FRIENDS POTLUCK TODAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2013, FOLLOWING 11:00 A.M. MASS**

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### I'M NOT BEING FED

Jeff Cavins explores and responds to some of the reasons why so many people have left the Catholic Church for evangelical Christianity. As he presents the story of his return to Catholicism, Cavins also builds a case for why the Catholic Church is the Church founded by Christ.

CD available in the vestibule.

**THANK YOU...**on behalf of the Build Hope collection, thank you for your parish's donation of \$1,289. This ongoing expression of stewardship will make it possible for the Church locally and nationally to fight injustice and poverty and to share the good news through the U.S. and Western Washington. We gratefully acknowledge your personal support for this collection and for your community's faithful response.

J.L. Drouhard  
Director  
Catholic Campaign for Human Development



The St. Mark Community is engaging in a process to create a five year strategic plan to commence in 2014-2015. The School Commission is steering the process and would like to invite you to share your thoughts and help us build this plan. The St. Mark Parish School Five-Year Planning Meeting will be held in the gym on Wednesday, November 13, 2013 at 7:00 pm. There will be babysitting available in the cafeteria. We look forward to seeing you in person on November 13, and we are especially grateful for your investment in the future of our students and our parish school.

Thank you,  
St. Mark School Commission and Administration

### CALLING ALL BAKERS! HELP SUPPORT OUR BAKE SALE!

Dear St. Mark Parishioners,

St. Mark Parents Club has a great opportunity to participate and provide bake sale goods for the Shoreline Holiday Crafts Market. This event takes place Saturday November 23rd, from 9:00 to 4:00.

How can you help? We need homemade baked goods to sell!  
cookies, pies, breads, muffins, brownies, candy, etc.

If you can support us, please bring your homemade baked goods to St. Mark Parish School on Friday, November 22nd during school hours 8:45 to 3:15. Please label all donations especially if they contain nuts or peanut butter.

Thank you for your support to St. Mark Parish School. If you have questions, please contact Marion Hogle at 425-744-7292.

Please visit our St. Mark Parish School booth at  
*Shoreline Holiday Crafts Market*  
*Saturday, November 23rd, 9:00 to 4:00*  
*Spartan Recreation Center, 202 NE 185<sup>th</sup> Street, Shoreline 98155*

# RESPECT LIFE

**LOOKING FOR A LOT OF GOOD PEOPLE...**Our parish Respect Life committee thrives with the help of a few committed souls. Imagine what we could do with more people! Come to our meeting this month **Tuesday, November 19**. See if our committee is something that God is calling you to as part of your stewardship for 2014. We now meet in the Pastoral Center Chapel at 7 pm.

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*Couples to Couples League – Natural Family Planning*  
<http://www.ccli.org/>

*Healing the Culture – organization dedicated to helping spread the message of life*  
<http://healingtheculture.com/>

*Sacred Heart Radio – 1050 AM*  
<http://www.sacredheartradio.org/>

*LifeNews.com – source for news pertaining to life*  
<http://www.lifenews.com/>

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**GABRIEL PROJECT** Please continue to pray for our parish's Gabriel Project. This two year old apostolate ministers to women facing crisis pregnancies. Contact Linn Bartram 206-368-0390 if you know someone in need of help or if you are interested in helping. We are all called to be Christ to others.



## **MANY ARE CALLED, BUT FEW ARE CHOSEN...MATTHEW 22:14**

Many call on God, but too few choose him. In our day, when so much emphasis is on the “freedom of choice” and the “right to choose,” why not make the best choice? Choose Jesus! He alone will unfailingly show us the path to life.

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*It is said that a picture is worth a thousand words. No one knows this better than the advocates of abortion. That is why they so vehemently object to the pro-lifer's use of pictures of aborted babies. America will not reject abortion until America sees abortion.*

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## **YEAR ROUND PRAYER VIGILS**

Although the 40 Days for Life campaign has ended, the tide of abortions has not. The local chapter of Helpers of God's Precious Infants prayerful pray at local Planned Parenthood mills most Saturdays all year long. Their next local vigil is Saturday, November 16 in Everett. Join them for 7:30 am Mass at St. Mary Magdalen (8717 7th Ave SE, Everett) before praying at the Planned Parenthood in Everett (32nd/Hoyt). *Helpers of God's Precious Infants* [www.seattlehelpers.org](http://www.seattlehelpers.org)

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## **A DAY OF PRAYER AND HEALING FROM THE PAIN OF ABORTION**

Come to the “Waters of Healing,” a day of prayer and healing for women and men seeking hope and healing from the pain of abortion. This one-day retreat offers a loving and confidential environment where those hurting from past abortions can experience the personal love and mercy of Christ. Saturday November 23rd 9:00 – 6:00, Auburn, includes Mass, lunch and dinner. Call Valerie: 1-800-822-4673 You are loved with an everlasting Love! Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

*Abortion remains a part of our culture because of the apathy of those who identify themselves as being pro-life. Get in the game. Help to end abortion.*