

**August 14, 2016**

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Reading 1: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10**

**Psalm: 40:2, 3, 4, 18**

**Reading 2: Hebrews 12:1-4**

**Gospel: Luke 12:49-53**

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

During this Jubilee Year of Mercy, please remember all those who have asked for prayer. A Spiritual Work of Mercy.



**James Devlet**

+ **respose of the soul of Marie Gray, sister of BettyAnne Peterson**

*Prayer request must be made through Cindy Guillot 253-862-9100.*



**FROM THE DESK OF FR. LUDVIK**

**Welcome to Saint Aloysius and Our Lady of Lourdes!**

Good Catholics on vacation always make time for Sunday Mass. For locations of churches and mass times in your vacation spot, visit [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) or call 1-410-676-6000. It doesn't take much advance planning to include worship as part of one's time away from home. If you are visiting our church this weekend - Welcome! Please introduce yourself, we always like to know where our visitors have traveled from to spend time with our Lord. God never takes a vacation from you, make an effort to worship every Sunday, even when you are away from home. Please remember your offertory gift while on vacation, we still pay bills during the summer.

Thank you, Fr. John J. Ludvik, Pastor

**MONTH OF AUGUST**

**POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS**

**Universal: Sports**

That sport may be an opportunity for friendly encounters between peoples and may contribute to peace in the world.

**Evangelization: Living the Gospel**

That Christians may live the Gospel, giving witness to faith, honesty, and love of neighbor.

**ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL**

**HOLY DOORS OF MERCY PILGRIMAGE**

St. James welcomes pilgrims to come on their own and participate in a self-guided Way of Mercy through the Cathedral, beginning at the Doors of Mercy and continuing with prayer stations at important places throughout the Cathedral. Parish groups large and small are invited to plan a pilgrimage to the Cathedral. Parish groups are especially encouraged to consider coming on Sunday afternoons, when they will be invited to enter through the Mercy Doors and we are happy to offer a guided tour for your group or you can simply spend time in prayer. There will be a Sunday in October or November for St. Aloysius and Our Lady of Lourdes to make this pilgrimage as a group before the end of the Year of Mercy on November 20th. Please contact Patty Rumpza in the office if you are interested 360-829-6515 or email [office@saint-aloysius-catholic-church.org](mailto:office@saint-aloysius-catholic-church.org). More information will be available in coming weeks, please continue to read the bulletin for updates.

**OBTAINING THE JUBILEE INDULGENCE DURING THE YEAR OF MERCY**

There are four conditions to obtain the Jubilee indulgence:

- Celebrate the sacrament of Reconciliation
- Participate in Mass and receive Holy Communion
- Walk through the Holy Doors of Mercy in Rome, in your local Cathedral, or another officially designated pilgrimage site
- Pray for the intentions of the Holy Father

The four conditions do not need to be completed all on the same day; in fact, they can be completed over several days (as much as 20 days).



**YEAR OF MERCY WEEKLY REFLECTION**

"Before the Cross of Jesus, we apprehend in a way that we can almost touch with our hands how much we are eternally loved; before the Cross we feel that we are 'children' and not 'things' or 'objects' . . . Finally, all together, let us remember the sick, let us remember all those who have been abandoned under the weight of the Cross, that they may find in the trial of the Cross the strength of hope, of hope in the resurrection and love of God." — Pope Francis

**ARE YOU CALLED TO BE A CATECHIST?**

*"To show great love for God and our neighbor we need not do great things. It is how much we put in the doing, that makes our offering something beautiful for God."*

— Blessed Teresa of Calcutta

Keeping that in mind, we need some help. We are looking for help in our RE Classes and in youth ministry on Mondays. We need people who love our faith and want to pass that on to the future of our church. Please consider giving the gift of your knowledge, time and faith.



**AUGUST: THE MONTH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

Who loves a celebration? Catholics do! We celebrate saints and baptisms, weddings and holy days. We have devotions and special prayers, blessings for food and houses and cars. And in that spirit, the Church sets aside a special devotion for each month. In August, we celebrate the devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. For a non-Catholic, seeing a depiction of the Blessed Mother's Immaculate Heart can be a little overwhelming. Her heart is on fire with love for God, yet pierced by a sword in sorrow for the suffering Her Son endures for our sins. Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Behold this child is destined for the fall and rise of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be contradicted, and you yourself a sword will pierce so that the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed." August can be filled with hazy, hot days, squeezing in the last bits of summer before we must think of schedules and school clothes, backpacks and bus stops. It can also give us a few more long evenings during which we can turn to Mary and her Immaculate Heart and draw nearer to her Son through her great love for Him, and us.

...more on Mary next week

# CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

## Monday – Aug 15

Rosary 3:00pm

## Tuesday - Aug 16

Mass 8:30am

## Wednesday - Aug 17

Mass 8:30am

Parish Monthly Potluck – everyone welcome! 12:00pm

## Thursday - Aug 18

Mass 8:30am

## Friday - Aug 19

Mass 8:30am

## Saturday – Aug 20

Confession 3:30pm

Mass 5:00pm

## Sunday - Aug 21

Mass at OLOL 8:30am

Mass for parishioners/intentions 10:30am

## IMPORTANT DATES

SEPT 11th Our Lady of Lourdes Altar Society BUNCO!

OCT 1st — Knights of Columbus spaghetti dinner 5:45pm



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CELEBRATE THE FAMILY BREAKFAST ...TODAY!!!

Sunday Aug 14th – 10am-noon  
Come and enjoy pancakes, eggs, OJ & Coffee, in the Parish Hall. Donations for future Knights of Columbus projects will be appreciated.

*“Families are the domestic church where Jesus grows; he grows in the love of spouses, he grows in the lives of children.”*

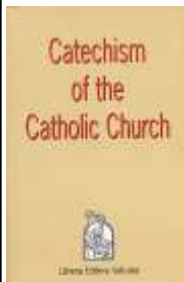
– Pope Francis

VIVAT JESUS

For more information on the Knights of Columbus contact Grand Knight Joe Schamer (253) 298-1720



## ADULT STUDY OF THE CATECHISM



You are invited to explore the 3rd section of the Catechism of the Catholic Church. This section is on the Beatitudes and the Commandments: How to live a life in Christ. We all sin, but when is it mortal or venial ... or not a sin at all? This study will help you see where you can grow in holiness, by putting off St.

Paul's old man, and putting on Christ. Come and join us on Monday evenings (7:00 to 8:30) starting August 22nd. If you miss a meeting, the subject is repeated in Summer at St Andrew's Parish the following Thursday 10:00 to 11:30 in Building E, Room 6.

Questions, call Evan Twombly at 253-863-6755. No experience necessary but if you have a Catechism, please bring it.

## ASSUMPTION HUMOR

Miss Holycheek, the Catholic Sunday school teacher, had just finished explaining the feast of the Assumption to her class. “Now,” she said, “let all those children who want to go to heaven to see their Heavenly Mother raise their hands.” All the children raised their hands except little Marie in the front row. “Don't you want to go to Heaven, Marie?” asked Miss Holycheek. “I can't,” said Marie tearfully. “My mother told me to come straight home after Sunday school.”

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS QUARTERLY FOOD BANK COLLECTION



This quarter's collection will run from August 20th - 28th. Please bring non-perishable items to church and place in the basket by the front doors or the hall big blue box by the entrance. Thank you.

### FOOD BANK POSSIBLES Check List:

Cereal	Canned Fruit
Flour/sugar	Peanut Butter
Soup/Chili/stew	Jam
Rice/dry beans	Tuna
Canned Vegetables	Toilet Paper

## THANK YOU FROM THE YOUTH GROUP

The Ignite Your Torch group would like to thank Carol Miller for cooking the wonderful breakfast that helped raise a generous amount of funds. A big thank you to all who came and donated.

We would also like to thank all who have hired us this summer to help with yard work. It was hard work however worth it to be able to attend this wonderful retreat.

Our Car Wash was another successful fund raiser. We are in need of additional funds to pay off the bill, so we will be hosting a meal in the near future. Thank you for your generous support.



Also, we are still available to do YARDWORK!! Please call James Deady: 360-802-0336

### ATTENDEES

#### CHAPERONES

James Deady  
Rita Deady

#### STUDENTS

Dominic Deady  
Anne Zeober  
Kevin Yanez  
Josh Van Parys  
Joel Slominski  
Trent Morrison  
Niko Salinas  
Gabby Salinas  
Ray Kicken

#### GREEN SHIRTS

Marie Deady  
Austin Zeober  
Aaron Zeober  
Andrew Berger

**PLEASE TAKE A COPY OF THE BULLETIN HOME FOR FUTURE REFERENCE AND READING!**

## NEW FISCAL YEAR REPORTS FOR 08-07-16

<u>St. Aloysius</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Weekly Revenue	\$3,912.00	\$2,963.00	\$949.00
Fiscal YTD	\$19,236.50	\$17,778.00	\$1,458.50
<u>Our Lady of Lourdes</u>			
Weekly Revenue	\$572.30	\$790.00	-\$217.70
Fiscal YTD	\$4,292.30	\$4,740.00	-\$447.70



### Pacific Northwest Sacred Harp Singers

Saturday & Sunday, August 20-21  
Buckley WA 98321

#### CHANGE OF VENUE!!

Instead of where they've been the last few years at Buckley Hall, they will be (very close by) at 811 Main Street, in the **Senior Center**. The silver lining to this cloud is that the new place has air conditioning.

*Doors open at 9 am; Singing from 9:30 am-3:30 pm Free; Potluck at noon, freewill offering*

Our Lady of the Rock Monastery, a Benedictine monastery of women located in the heart of the beautiful San Juan Islands will have a couple of sisters attending this sing – a – long. Please join them or just come and listen.

Beginning singers are always welcome and musical reading ability is not a requirement. At a Sacred Harp singing, there is no admission charge, no choir director, no rehearsal, no performance, no membership -- just singing that many describe as the most powerful and most intense musical experience of their lives! For more information. Or contact: Karen@weelyrd.net (360-897-9545)



### The Relics of St. Pope John Paul II and St. Faustina are coming to Sacred Heart!

1614 Farrelly St Enumclaw WA 98022  
360-825-3759

As a part of the Year of Mercy, the Archdiocese of Seattle has arranged to have relics of St. Pope John Paul II and St. Faustina available for parish visits. Relics are the physical remains of a saint. They are also a physical reminder of the reality of God's love for us and one way to continue our connect with God's Holy Ones.

Relics remind us of the holiness of a saint and his/her cooperation in God's work. At the same time, relics inspire us to ask for the prayers of that saint and to beg the grace of God to live the same kind of faith-filled life.

Sacred Heart will have the relics from August 17-23. They will be available for veneration at specific times during their stay with us, including:

**During their 24 hours of Adoration**  
*from the 9am Mass on Thursday, August 18*  
*until 9am on Friday, the 19th*

**They will also be on display**  
**during all weekend Masses, August 20-21**  
*Everyone is invited to come and see, and to pray before the relics of St. Pope John Paul II and St. Faustina.*

#### ST. JEROME ON RELICS



*"We do not worship, we do not adore, for fear that we should bow down to the creature rather than to the Creator, but we venerate the relics of the martyrs in order the better to adore Him whose martyrs they are."*



### THE ORIGINAL IMAGE OF DIVINE MERCY

#### St Mark Catholic Church

18033 15th Pl. N.E., Shoreline  
(206) 364-7900

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: [www.divinemercyfilm.com](http://www.divinemercyfilm.com)

#### BAR VS. BAPTISTS

In a small Midwestern conservative town, a business owner began to construct a building for a new bar. The local Baptist church started a campaign to block the bar from opening with petitions and prayers. Work progressed, however, right up until the week before opening, when a lightning strike hit the bar and it burned to the ground.

The church folks were rather smug in their outlook after that, until the bar owner sued the church on the grounds that the church was ultimately responsible for the demise of his building, either through direct or indirect actions or means.

In its reply to the court, the church vehemently denied all responsibility or any connection to the building's demise. As the case made its way into court, the judge looked over the paperwork at the hearing and commented, "I don't know how I'm going to decide this, but as it appears from the paperwork, we have a bar owner who believes in the power of prayer, and an entire church congregation that doesn't!"

#### SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

#### RETREATS & MARRIAGE PREP

Hermitage Place, Franciscan 212-3127 62nd & Alaska St., Tacoma; The Priory, Benedictine 360-438-2595, Lacey, WA; Ignatian Spirituality Center, Jesuit 206-329-4821, Seattle, WA; Sr. Patricia Morisset, O.P., Dominican 253-722-7979, Tacoma; CCS Counseling Center, Tacoma (253) 502-2696

#### ARCHDIOCESE OF SEATTLE

Ethicspoint announcement The Archdiocese of Seattle has established a confidential telephone hotline and website for parish staff and parishioners to anonymously raise concerns about suspected unethical behavior by church personnel. You can find more information about this hotline on a poster located in the church or by going to [seattlearchdiocese.ethicspoint.com](http://seattlearchdiocese.ethicspoint.com). This program is run under contract by an independent third party with a long record of providing these services both in the secular world and for other dioceses. 1-844-815-8236



**SAINT MOTHER TERESA  
"SAINT OF MERCY"**

Prayer to Saint Mother Teresa

You allowed the thirsting love of Jesus on the Cross to become a living flame within you, and so became the light of His love to all. Obtain from the Heart of Jesus (*your request*). Teach me to allow Jesus to pierce and possess my whole being so completely that my life, too, may radiate His light and love to others. Amen.

**Immaculate Heart of Mary, Cause of Our Joy  
Saint Teresa of Calcutta, Pray for Me**

**MOTHER TERESA**

As we prepare for the Canonization of Mother Teresa on September 4th, here are a few of her most famous quotes:

Let us do something beautiful for God."  
to Malcom Muggeridge | March 1971

"How can you love God whom you do not see, if you do not love your neighbor whom you see, whom you touch, with whom you live."  
Nobel Lecture | December 1979

"We have been created to love and be loved."  
Nobel Lecture | December 1979

"It is not how much we do, but how much love we put in the action that we do."  
Nobel Lecture | December 1979

"Let us always meet each other with a smile, for the smile is the beginning of love..."  
Nobel Peace Prize acceptance speech | December 1979

"Material poverty you can always satisfy with material. The unwanted, the unloved, the uncared, the forgotten, the lonely; this is much greater poverty."  
Mother Teresa | 1986



**OUR BAPTISMAL CALL AND DISCIPLESHIP  
Catechesis is the act of handing  
on the Word of God!**

By virtue of our baptism, we are called to proclaim, witness, and share our faith with others in our daily lives. As Disciples of Christ, we are helping to build the Kingdom of God through our words and deeds. We share the gifts we have received to serve the Church and the Common Good. We are part of the Church's missionary mandate to "Go therefore and make disciples of all the 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" (MT 28:19-20). Help build up the Kingdom of God by being a Religious Education teacher or assistant this fall. Please contact Shelby Salinas 253-888-2770.



**HOW TO DEAL WITH OTHERS**

Excerpt from: *Evangelii Gaudium* (Joy of the Gospel, no. 271) - "It is true that in our dealings with the world, we are told to give reasons for our hope, but not as an enemy who critiques and condemns. We are told quite clearly: 'do so with gentleness and reverence' (1 Pet 3:15) and 'if possible, so far as it depends upon you, live peaceably with all' (Rom 12:18). We are also told to overcome 'evil with good' (Rom 12:21) and to 'work for the good of all' (Gal 6:10). Far from trying to appear better than others, we should 'in humility count others better' than ourselves (Phil 2:3). The Lord's apostles themselves enjoyed 'favor with all the people' (Acts 2:47; 4:21, 33; 5:13). Clearly Jesus does not want us to be grantees who look down upon others, but men and women of the people. This is not an idea of the Pope, or one pastoral option among others; they are injunctions contained in the word of God which are so clear, direct and convincing that they need no interpretations which might diminish their power to challenge us. Let us live them without commentaries. By so doing we will know the missionary joy of sharing life with God's faithful people as we strive to light a fire in the heart of the world."

**RCIA**

Becoming a Catholic Christian is first an opportunity to inquire into questions about the Catholic Faith. This is a time of introduction to the gospel of Jesus Christ and a time of reflection on one's own life in the light of the values of the reign of God. It is an unstructured time of no fixed duration for questions and an opportunity for the beginnings of Christian faith to form. We have Several persons have asked about wanting to be Catholic or learning about the Catholic Faith. You may contact Fr. Ludvik regarding RCIA at Sacred Heart in Enumclaw or call their parish directly. If you live closer to St. Andrew's in Sumner, they also will have the RCIA process beginning.

**SEEL RETREAT**

SEEL Invites you to Draw Nearer to God The Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life (SEEL) is a 9 month retreat format of the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius, with a retreat community at St. Leo's in Tacoma. The SEEL retreat goes from September through May and is a powerful, life-changing program of prayer and spiritual direction that can be done by busy people in the midst of their daily lives. SEEL is accepting applications now for the retreat starting in September of 2016. Learn more at our website: <http://www.seelpugetsound.org>