

Holy Innocents Catholic Parish

April 23, 2023
Third Sunday of Easter

Holy Innocents Church
26526 NE Cherry Valley Road; P.O. Box 850
Duvall, WA
(425)788-1400 www.holyinn.org



Pantry Volunteers Busy Setting Up!

***We need "take down" pantry
volunteers Wednesdays
12: 30 pm— 1:30pm***

***If you can help, go to
www.holyinn.org to volunteer***

Peggy Hatem

Sophia Gilberto

C.J. Sellers

Mass Times:

Sunday: 8 am & 10:30 am — Livestream 8am at www.holyinn.org
Daily Mass: Tue, Thur & Fri 9 am, Wed 6pm-Livestream at www.holyinn.org

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Mission Statement

The Catholic Community of Holy Innocents Church is called to continue the mission of Jesus Christ by:

- Enhancing Spiritual Growth;
- Reaching out and serving those in need;
- Educating our community in Christ's teaching
- Creating and maintaining a warm and welcoming atmosphere.

Vacation Bible Camp Registration OPEN



Mon June 26— Thur June 29
9:30am — 12:30pm
Children K-5th.

This year we will explore the call to love our neighbors! Through a fun-filled time of learning and experiences, children will discover that neighbors are more than the people who live next door. about God's great love and what it means to be a neighbor and to live out our faith.

(We need a few good adults and teens to help!) **Go to**
www.holyinn.org for more information

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL BEGINS



"Give, and it will be given to you." Luke 6:23 is the theme of this year's Annual Catholic Appeal, and this weekend kicks off the 2023 Campaign. The Annual Catholic Appeal funds ministries and services for your local Catholic community across Western Washington. This combined

effort of parishes and missions ensures the availability of outreach ministries, education, faith formation, administration services for parishes and much more! You should have received Archbishop Etienne's in-depth letter this week highlighting the ministries that support our communities. Our parish goal this year is \$60,000.00 Please prayerfully consider how you can participate in helping our parish be a light to others.



It's easy to give to the ACA:

- Online at archseattle.org/GiveACA
- Scan the QR Code

Meeting Christ: Exploring the Liturgy

Over the Easter Season, we are exploring the Liturgy through a series of bulletin inserts developed by the Partners in the Gospel Worship Team. In this series, we will delve into the Mass—our daily prayer, our weekly worship, the most familiar and the most profound of Christian rituals. This weeks insert is entitled Christ Himself Speaks: The Liturgy of the Word. Inserts will also be posted to our website.



To learn more about Partners in the Gospel, and to sign up for the Partners Newsletter, please visit archseattle.org/Partners



Holy Innocents Calendar

April 23

3rd Sunday of Easter
 F.U.T.U.R.E.s
 Laudato—Si Study

Mass-8 am & 10:30am
 9:15am
 11:45am

Tues

Mass
 Pantry —

9am Mass
 3 pm-6:30 pm

Wed

Pantry —
 Women's Bible Study
 Mass

10 am—12 pm
 9:30 am—11 am
 6 pm

Thur

Mass

9 am

Fri

Mass
 Sacrament of Confession
 Adoration

9am Mass
 6 pm—6:45 pm
 7 pm — 8pm

Prayer Requests:

Call the Office (425)788-1400

At the celebration of the Eucharist this week and in your prayers, please remember those from our parish family for whom we have been asked to pray.: For all who are sick, and for all those have died.

Mary Lou Kittridge, Linda McCormick, James Magill, Shirley Bushy, Teresa Swedman, Michael Gordan, BethAnn Willits, Leila Edwin, Helen Sexton, Paul Beard, Audrey Lawton, Alfred Harke, Rex Harke, Tess Buchthal, Michael Barroga-Hulett, Cyndi Uhlenkott, Kristi Douglas, Jo Ann Douglas, Tom Dabov, Michelle Kendrick, Kimberly Smith, Marcia Evans, Gina Howell, Xavier Charbonneau-Teece, Lisa Hackett, Krystal Noga-Styron, Renate Oestreich, Ed Majerle, Anne Lavigueure,, Kimo Bell

HI TIP: Together in Prayer

Let us pray for local businesses, small business owners, their employees and customers in our communities: they provide local employment and it is often struggle to stay in business. Pray for our local businesses and express your thanks for their services. St. Joseph, patron of workers, pray for us.

Parish Stewardship as of 3/26

Operations YTD

Building YTD

,Goal: **\$336,807**

\$234,553

Actual: **\$358,376**

\$199,424

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Meets 2nd Monday of each month, 7 pm

Contact: Harry Oestreich h.oestreich@frontier.com

Knights of Columbus

Meets 2nd Thursday of each month, 7 pm

Contact: George Doty 360-668-2224; Dotyga@aol.com

Lazarus Sandwich Making

The 19th Day of each month, 10 am

Contact: Ed O'Malley rustytackle6@gmail.com

Holy Innocents Food Pantry

Tuesdays 3-6:30pm and Wednesday , 10am—noon,

AA Meeting: Fridays 7:30 pm down in the Parish Hall



Holy Innocents Building Fund As a reminder...

We moved into our beautiful church building in 2005.

- Our beginning loan amount was \$3.8 million.
- The amount still owing on our loan is \$1.9 million.
- Our monthly loan payment are \$24,200.

If you are already contributing to the building fund: Thank you!

If you are new we invite you to join this effort by going to our website: www.holyinn.org to set up your donation.



Holy Gardeners

The flowers are coming up and so are the weeds! Would you like to be a part of the Holy Gardeners Team? There are gardens large and small that need loving care. Contact Gail Dimock at Gardens@holynn.org if you might be interested. If you have been a Holy Gardener and plan to continue, let Gail know, too. Our Holy Innocent site is a place of beauty and peace enjoyed by the whole Duvall community.

Ushers Needed at the 10:30mass

Ushers offer assistance to people in finding their seats; help take up the collection and usher during communion. It's a very easy ministry but an important ministry. You would be scheduled about once a month. Training will be provided. Please reach out to Debby@holynn.org for more information or to volunteer.



Baptism

The celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism for infants is scheduled after the baptismal preparation for the parents is completed. Baptisms are normally celebrated at a Sunday mass in the parish where the parents live. Adults (7 years or older) seeking baptism or confirmation are invited to inquire at the parish office for information about adult preparation.

Marriage

Couples seeking marriage in the church are asked to contact the parish at least four months in advance of their proposed wedding date. For those with prior marriages, additional time may be required. Marriages are celebrated in the parish in which one of the Catholic parties lives.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Private confession is available every Friday evening 6:00 pm — 6:45 pm.

Pastoral Care for the Sick and Dying In the case of serious illness or failing health due to old age, parishioners should ask the church for the Sacrament of Anointing. This sacrament is administered by a priest and is celebrated by appointment as necessary. When a parishioner is near death, they should receive Holy Communion, called Viaticum (food for the journey). This sacrament can be administered by a priest or deacon or Eucharistic minister.

Pantry Needs this week!



We are in need of a team of volunteers on Wednesdays 12:30 pm — 1:30 pm. This is the team that helps to take down and put away our food pantry shelves and supplies. If you are able to help, even once a month at this time, please reach out to our pantry coordinator, Janice Asmus at pantry@holynn.org or go to the pantry webpage. www.holyinn.org/holy-innocents-food-pantry



Stewardship Bulletin Reflection

April 23, 2023 — Third Sunday of Easter ACTS 2:14, 22-33; PS 16:1-2, 5, 7-11; 1 PT 1:17-21; LK 24:13-35

Today's readings focus on a theme of "sojourning." As Christian stewards, we know our lives are a sojourn toward the ultimate destination of heaven.



Our Gospel passage today describes the sojourn of the two disciples on the road to Emmaus. The two are dejected and despondent after Jesus' death. They knew Jesus personally. They had heard the Gospel message directly from His lips. They heard the testimony of the women who discovered the empty tomb of our Lord and saw a vision of angels announcing He was alive. They had been informed by other disciples who went to the tomb that all was exactly as the women reported.

How much more obvious could the Good News be?

And yet, at times, the reaction of the two disciples describes our own stewardship journey, doesn't it? We have the fullness of the Catholic faith, the power of the sacraments, and the support of our parish family. Yet, we often lose our way. We fail to see all the gifts we have been given. We lack trust in the perfect goodness and almighty power of God.

But notice what happens to the two men when their eyes are opened once again, and they recognize Jesus in the Eucharist — the "breaking of the bread." They are transformed! Their hearts are set on fire with love for the Lord and their faith. They recall that their hearts began "burning within" as the Lord was explaining the Scriptures to them. When we find we have lost our way, we can go to the same sources as the two disciples on the road to Emmaus — the Scriptures and the Eucharist.

In this Easter season, resolve to feast deeply on these two sources of grace. They are the fuel that will propel us on our journey towards heaven.

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