Holy Innocents Catholic Parish

April 30, 2023
Fourth Sunday of Easter

Holy Innocents Church 26526 NE Cherry Valley Road; P.O. Box 850 Duvall, WA

(425)788-1400 www.holyinn.org



Tending the

Meditation Garden

at the Parish Work Day

Patrick Essex

Diane Price

DD Gale

Mass Times:

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

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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 June29 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



Last week, we launched the Annual Catholic Appeal. The impact of the Annual Catholic Appeal to minister to those in need, build the Catholic faith within us and directly support our parish mission services, is great as we unite together around this campaign. See the bulletin insert for a list of

these ministries. Please consider Archbishop's message in his letter as you discern your gift and use the envelope in the pew or the QR code on the envelope to give online today. Keep an eye on the tracking thermometer on our website to see our progress! This combined effort of parishes and missions ensures the availability of outreach ministries, education, faith formation, administration services for parishes and much more! 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. Any overage will come back to us and be put toward a new sound mixer for our sound system.



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 Meeting Christ: The Procession of Gifts. 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 30 4th Sunday of Easter Mass-8 am & 10:30am F.U.T.U.R.É 9:15am Laudato Si Study 11:45am Tues 9 am Pantry — 3 pm-6:30 pm Wed Pantry -10 am—12 pm Women's Bible Study 9:30 am—11 am 6 pm 7 pm Choir Rehearsal 7 pm Laudato Si Study Thur Mass 9 am Fri 9 am Sacrament of Confession 6 pm-6:45 pm Adoration 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 4/23
Operations YTD Building YTD

,Goal: **\$344,826 \$240,138**

Actual: \$364,375 \$201,961

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@holyinn.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.

Parish Workday Thank you!

Thank you to the following individuals who helped last Saturday:

Carolyn Elmore Mick Hoar Kari Vandal Barb Orr

Jay Vandal Glen Uhlenkott
Gail Dimock Tui Foukimoana
Patrick Essex Ryan Shafer
Diane Price Tori Shafer
Ruth Hoar David Shafer

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 DyingIn 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 11:30 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@holyinn.org or go to the pantry webpage. Www.holyinn.org/holy-innocents-food-pantry

Bulletin Stewardship Reflection

April 30, 2023 — Fourth Sunday of Easter ACTS 2:14A, 36-41; PS 23:1-3A, 3B4-6; 1 PT 2:20B-25; JN 10:1-10

Today's readings on this fourth Sunday of Easter offer us a glimpse into the heart of our loving Savior. He is the Good Shepherd and we can confidently place our trust in Him as we live the stewardship way of life.



This endearing image of Jesus as our shepherd, and His personal love for each one of us, is described in our Gospel passage from John, through the words of Jesus Himself. Here we read Jesus' description of Himself as the "Good Shepherd." He says of Himself, "The sheep hear his voice, as the shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has driven out all his own, he walks ahead of them and the sheep follow him, because they recognize his voice."

This aspect of our Lord's tender and personal love for each one of us is a compelling reason to embrace the stewardship way of life — in the offering of our time, talent, and treasure to Him, we can express our gratitude to Him for the incomprehensible love He has for us.

Embracing this way of life certainly requires trust on our part. But Christ has proven Himself worthy of our trust. He "bore our sins in His body." He calls Himself our shepherd and He offers Himself as the guardian of our souls. He has withheld nothing of Himself and His goodness from us. He would never ask anything of us that would bring us harm. He tells us "I came so that [you] might have life and have it more abundantly."

This Easter season, let us resolve to entrust ourselves and our lives gratefully to Him.

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