

Holy Innocents Catholic Parish

August 27 2023

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Innocents Church

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Duvall, WA

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Thank you for your ministry with us!



Fr. Johnson, our pastor, visits with the Holy Mowers and the appreciation luncheon a few weeks ago



Fr. Freitag, our parochial vicar, shares stories with parishioners at coffee hour

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.

Save the Date!



Sat Sep 9th

6-8 pm



Sun Sep 10

11:30-2:30 pm

RSVP at the
Website or in
the Narthex



Old Fashioned Food, Fellowship & Fun

*** Bingo Cash Prizes, *Music *Children's "Bouncy House"* Lawn Games* Relay Games * Raffle Baskets***

RSVP and Volunteer Sign Ups

The Bingo and Picnic preparations are in full swing and we need your help!

Stop by the Picnic display at the back of the church to **RSVP** with the number of people from your household who want to attend; what they'd like to eat AND note what dish your household will bring for the potluck! (BBQ provided by the Knights of Columbus)

While you are at it...

Check out the **volunteer opportunities** where you might be able to share your time and talent in making this year's BINGO And Picnic another great event here at our parish. We are looking for people to help with set up; clean up; serving food; selling raffle tickets

Scan the QR Code to be taken to the picnic webpage



Picnic Raffle Tickets on Sale NOW

Purchase tickets at the "Picnic Center" in the church. All proceeds go to off-set the cost of the picnic. Winners will be drawn at 2:00 pm on Sunday September 11th at the picnic. Winners need not be present to win.



\$1—Breakfast Basket, Family Night Basket; Date Night Basket

\$5—

- Easter Sunday Parking Space & Reserved Pew-10:30 am mass
- Christmas Eve Parking Space & Reserved Pew-5 pm mass
- Parking Space All Year long 8 am mass
- Parking Space All Year Long 10:30 am mass

Holy Innocents Calendar

August 27	Mass-	8 am & 10:30am
Tues	Mass Pantry —	3 pm-6:30 pm
Wed	Pantry — Mass	10 am—12 pm 6:00pm
Thur	Mass	9 am
Fri	Daily Mass Sacrament of Confession Adoration	9 am 6pm 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, Bev Harke,

HI TIP: Together in Prayer

For those who provide human and social services in our community: for those who maintain our roads and bridges, for those who ensure a safe water and sanitation system, for those who take care of the waste management and recycling services. St. Louise de Marillac pray for us.

Parish Stewardship as of 8/13

Operations YTD

Building YTD

,Goal: **\$66,634** **\$39,092**

Actual: **\$54,131** **\$25,197**

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 rustyackle6@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



As a reminder... We have two Stewardship Campaigns here at Holy Innocents, our operations budget and our building loan. You can make a donation to either or both of these through our online giving platform found at our website. www.holyinn.org. Thank you for your ongoing generosity toward supporting our parish. For information or support reach out to: Sabrina@holynn.org

Help Wanted

We are hiring Sunday morning nursery caregivers.



This position would be 9am—12noon on Sunday morning s and cover the F.U.T.U.R.E.s Faith formation program and the 10:30am mass. Compensation is \$18 per hour. Candidates must be at least 18 years of age. Please reach out to Debby@holynn.org for more information and an application.



Back to School Blessing

Sunday September 10

@ the 10:30 mass.

Plan on bringing your student to mass & then staying for lunch at the picnic. **Please bring a side salad or dessert to share. Cash Donations for the BBQ are appreciated.**

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.

The Pantry Needs Pasta and Sauce

Both food and cash donations are down right now. so we could use your help. Pasta and sauces are a staples to our food pantry clients so over the next couple of weeks, we are you you to consider picking up some extra pasta and sauce when you grocery shop and dropping it off here at the church. Thank you for your support!



Stewardship Bulletin Reflection

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[IS 22:19-23; PS 138:1-3, 6, 8; ROM 11:33-36; MT 16:13-20](#)

Our Gospel passage, from Matthew, leads us to take a serious look at whether our lives give God the glory He deserves. It comes in the form of a question that Jesus poses to the disciples. He leads up to it gently enough: "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?" And they offer varying responses. Then, Jesus gets personal with them. "But who do you say that I am?" Peter gets the answer right: "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

Jesus is getting personal with us today. He poses the same question to each one of us who call ourselves His stewards and modern-day disciples. Surely we would not hesitate to answer just as Peter did, that Jesus is the Christ, Son of the living God.

But do our lives truly reflect this answer? If we really believe that Christ is the Son of God, sent to save us from our sins and lead us to Heaven, then we must say so, not just with words but with our actions. Do my ambitions and priorities in life say that Christ is my Savior and I am His disciple? Does my budget, my family life, my entertainment say so?

The gifts and blessings that God has given us — our time, our talents, our material possessions — are meant to be used in a manner that says "Christ is my Savior and I am His disciple." The most eloquent praise we can offer Him is a life lived in grateful response to His unfathomable love. This is the beauty and power of a stewardship way of life.

From: www.thecatholicsteward.com



Partner's In the Gospel Update

Read Archbishop Etienne's Pastoral Letter to us where in it he addresses the Partner's In the Gospel plans over the next year. iClick on the QR code to be directed to the letter.

