

Holy Innocents Catholic Parish

July 2, 2023

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Innocents Church

26526 NE Cherry Valley Road; P.O. Box 850

Duvall, WA

(425)788-1400

www.holyinn.org



Baptisms Celebrated on June 18th—"Welcome to the Family!"

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.

Holy Gardeners

"Get in Touch with Nature"



Gardening is restorative and our bodies respond positively to environments that are favorable to us. By being a Holy Gardener, you can create an environment that gives you satisfaction and provides beauty in one of our 30+ gardens. Contact Gail at Gardens@Holyinn.org or call the office at 425-788-1400.

Partner's In the Gospel Update

Learn more about the current reality of our diocese and the proposed plan to respond to it. Check out : <https://vimeo.com/833426196>



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



Vino with a View

Saturday Aug 5th 5:30pm-8:30

Tickets \$45 per person through July 17th, \$55 through Aug 4th, and \$65 at the door.

Wine Tasting Admission Includes:

- **10 Wine/Spirit Tastings**
 - Aspenwood
 - Zerba
 - Duvall Distillery
 - William Grassie
- **Dinner** catered by **Tuscano's**
- Commemorative Wine Glass
- **Live Music** by **Larry Murante**
- Other beverages available
- **Silent Auction** A variety of items including wine ed by local wineries
- **Have fun meeting others with Mingle Bingo** and be entered to win a special prize
- **Child Care:** On-site—No cost but donations gladly accepted (**Reservations required**)

More Ways to Help:

- Distribute posters
- Bake for the dessert table
- Set Up 9-noon Aug 6th
- Work the Registration Table
- Work the Wine Store
- Be a Runner for the Silent Auction
- Clean Up on Sunday Aug 6 after the 10:30am mass.



Sign up at the table in the Narthex or Please reach out to :

Go to Holyinn.org/vino-with-a-view to find All the information about the event, volunteer and to purchase tickets! You can also reach out to our Vino Chairs—Diane and Gary Price at vinoevent@holyinn.org

Holy Innocents Calendar

June 23	Mass-	8 am & 10:30am
Tues	Pantry — OFFICE CLOSED	3 pm-6:30 pm
Wed	Pantry — Mass	10 am—12 pm 6 pm
Thur	Mass	9 am
Fri	Mass Sacrament of Confession Adoration	9 am 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, Bev Harke

HI TIP: Together in Prayer

Let us pray for those who serve in the armed services (Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, National Guard, Coast Guard), for our local law enforcement personnel, for those who work in the Merchant Marine, Forest Service, Border Patrol, and disaster preparedness that they serve with honor and integrity and they be protected from harm. St. Michael Archangel, pray for us.

Parish Stewardship as of 6/25

Operations YTD Building YTD

,Goal:	\$417,000	\$290,400
Actual:	\$436,689	\$234,821

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 \$1.8 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.



Take God With You This Summer

Reflecting on the Word: At first glance, today's Gospel seems harsh. Does Jesus not want us to love our fathers and mothers, or sons and daughters? Of Course he does! Many times in the Gospel accounts, he speaks about loving and obeying them. In this passage, however, Jesus is speaking about whom we love most. Jesus wants us to love him the most. He knows that when we love him first, we are better people. We are happier and more peaceful. We are fair and more respectful of others. When we put Jesus first in everything in our lives, everything else falls into place.

For Reflection: *Jesus is asking us to love him before everything else. What are ways we can do that every day?*

Living the Word At Home. Invite each person in the family to make a list of the people and things they love. When finished have them write God in large letters and the top. Display the lists this week as a reminder to love God first.

*Based on Celebrating Sundays for Catholic Families;
Liturgical Training Publications*

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.

Does your personal garden have an abundance of produce?

Consider donating it to the pantry.



Fresh produce is always a welcome treat at our food pantry! Deliver your harvest on Monday mornings between 9am-12noon or Contact our pantry coordinator: Janice Asmus at pantry@holynn.org to make other arrangements to drop it off.



Stewardship Bulletin Reflection

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2 KGS 4:8-11, 14-16A; PS 89:2-3, 16-19; ROM 6:3-4, 8-11; MT 10:37-42



Today's readings take us back to some basics of stewardship living and demonstrate the genius of this way of life.



Our First Reading, from 2 Kings, shows us the necessity and power of hospitality. It recounts the story of a woman who showed loving hospitality to a visitor, inviting him to dinner with her family and arranging a room for him in their home so that he would have a comfortable place to stay during his travels through her town. She reached out to the man in a simple and practical manner to make him feel welcome and was rewarded in an extraordinary way.

In our Second Reading, from the Letter to the Romans, St. Paul reminds us of the power of our Baptism and how this sacrament makes us disciples. What does that mean for us here and now? St. Paul tells us very clearly: "You must think of yourselves as dead to sin and living for God in Christ Jesus." We must live for Christ! Nothing less will do.

Our Lord proclaims this same instruction in a rather shocking way in our Gospel passage from Matthew: "Whoever finds his life [by living for oneself] will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it." But how do we lose our life? Precisely through loving actions towards others, loving them as if they were Christ. "Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple... he will surely not lose his reward."

The simple brilliance of stewardship living — only our infinitely creative and compassionate God could conceive it!

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