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FIVE MOUNTAINS CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Brought to you by the
Parish Family Advisory committee
for Parish Family 44

*"How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who
brings good news, who publishes peace..."*
Isaiah 52.7

Pastor: Fr. Jose Ma. Alvarez

Parochial Vicars: Fr. Vu Tran, Fr. Nicholas Kayongo

Deacons: Adolfo Carbajal, Steve Reeves, Jack Roscoe

July 26, 2026



LIKE A NET THROWN INTO THE SEA.

MATTHEW 13:47

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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■ SJE St. John the Evangelist ● SH Sacred Heart ◆ SJW St. Joseph the Worker

▲ SP St. Philip ◆ SMG St. Mary of Guadalupe

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

● SH Sacred Heart

Wed. (7/29) 9:00 am: Kian Soltani
 Friday (7/31) 9:00 am: Souls in Purgatory
 Sat. (8/1) 5:00 pm: Marge & Vernon Todd+
 Sunday (8/2) 8:30 am: Phillip Maillet
 10:30 am: Those in Purgatory who have
 no one to pray for them

◆ SJW St. Joseph the Worker

Sunday (8/2) 12:30 pm: Matteo Lyon

▲ SP St. Philip

Wed. (7/29) 9:00 am: Pro Populo
 Friday (7/31) 9:00 am: Pro Populo
 1st Sat (8/1) 9:00 am: For the souls of Purgatory
 Sunday (8/2) 8:30 am: John Theodore Heiland+
 1:00 pm (Spanish): Pro Populo

◆ SM St. Mary of Guadalupe

Wed. (7/29) 6:00 pm: Sister Marie R. Leon Guerrero+
 Thurs. (7/30) 9:00 am: Masao Lipp
 Sunday (8/2) 10:30 am: Dominique Duhart

■ SJE St. John the Evangelist

Wed. (7/29) 9:00 am: (Eng) Pro Populo
 7:00 pm: (Spanish) Pro Populo
 Thurs. (7/30) 9:00 am: (Eng) Pro Populo
 Fri. (7/31) 9:00 am: (Eng) Pro Populo
 Sat. (8/1) 5:00 pm: (Eng) Pro Populo
 Sunday (8/2) 9:00 am: (Eng) (RIP) Carol Sanchez Silva
 11:00 am: (Spanish) (RIP) Edurado
 Zamora Rocha; Froylan Rocha;
 Eustolio Medina; Izabel Guzman
 Villalobos
 5:00 pm: (Spanish) (SPI) Guzman
 Sandavol; Luis, Bianca, Camila, Ky
 Blas; Brenda y Jaime Blas

◆▲ St. Philip & St. Mary

Weekday Mass Schedule for the Month of August

Sat. Aug. 1st, 9AM St. Philip—Fr. Vu
 Fri. Aug. 7, 9AM St. Philip—Fr. Jerry
 Th Aug. 13, 9AM St. Mary —Fr. Jerry
 Fri Aug. 14, 9AM St. Philip—Fr. Jerry
 Th Aug. 20, 9AM St. Mary —Fr. Jerry
 Fri Aug. 21, 9AM St. Philip—Fr. Jerry
 Th Aug. 27, 9AM St. Mary —Fr. Jerry
 Fri Aug. 28, 9AM St. Philip —Fr. Jerry

PRAYER AND DEVOTIONS

● SH Sacred Heart

Wednesday (7/29) 8:30 am: Rosary
 9:30 am-11:00 am: Adoration
 1st Friday (8/7) 9:30 am: Anointing of the Sick

◆ SJW St. Joseph the Worker

Thursday (7/30) 11:00 am: Rosary

▲ SP St. Philip

Thursday (7/30) 6:00 pm: (Spanish) Divine Mercy,
 1st Friday (8/7) 8:45 am: Liturgy of the Hours
 9:30 am-11:00 am, Anointing of the Sick,
 followed by Adoration
 5:00 pm-6:00 pm (Spanish) Divine Mercy

◆ SM St. Mary of Guadalupe

Sunday (8/1) 6:00 pm: Charismatic Prayer Group

■ SJE St. John the Evangelist

Monday (7/27) 9:00 am: Morning Prayer & Communion
 Service (English)
 Tuesday (7/28) 9:00 am: Morning Prayer & Communion
 Service (English)
 Wed. (7/29) 5:00 pm: Adoration
 6:00 pm: Chaplet of Divine Mercy in the
 Library
 Thursday (7/30) 7:00 pm: Works of Mercy - (Spanish) Divine
 Mercy Group, Room K
 Friday (7/31) 9:00 pm: Men's Nocturnal Adoration
 Saturday (8/1) 12:00 am: Cont. Men's Nocturnal
 Adoration

CONFESSIONS

● SH Sacred Heart

Saturday (8/1) 3:30 pm-4:40 pm

▲ SP St. Philip

Wednesday (7/29) 8:30 am
 Friday (7/31) 8:30 am

◆ SM St. Mary of Guadalupe

Wednesday (7/29) 5:30 pm
 Thursday (7/30) 8:30 am

■ SJE St. the Evangelist

Wednesday (7/29) 5:00 pm-6:45pm
 Saturday (8/1) 3:30 pm-4:45 pm

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS...

Molly & Jett Graham, Elizabeth Eriksen, Grace Jemal, Carolyn Carpio, Luana Murray, The victims and responders to the Longview Paper Mill incident, Sue Comeau, Wayne Brown, Cesar Jose, Abraham Rene, Oscar Ariel, & Marco Tulio Arango; Eric Myers, Amy Colvin, José Heredia & Family, Mary Kay Wey, Billy Hayes, Jan Myer, Gayle Maxwell, Margot Kilmer, Irmgard Swanson, Finny Dermawan, Dan Harrington, Epi, Ben Klein, LaVonne Millard, Dick Derby, LuAnn Hutchins, Laurie Thompson, Bob Clark, Scott Clark, Lynn Hainley, Faye Lister, Jeff Rice, Mike Speilman, Anne Flynn, George & Carmen Brandreth, Ron Marquez, Shirley Keller, Don Mass, Tony Giovingo, JoAnn Heichel, Butch and Margaret Martin, Olivia Branch, Jack Otokichy, Flor Carrillero Baltazar, Mary Jo Piazza, Ron Hertz, Courtney Ingersoll
 Those who are sick and unable to join us today, the men and women in our Armed Forces, and all the faithful departed,

Names will be kept on the list for two months. To add or remove a name to our prayer list, please contact Garri Linardos in the Sacred Heart office. (360) 687-4515, or email g.linardos@sacredheartbg.org

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EVENTS

SH Sacred Heart
Thursday (7/30) 10:30 am Rosary & Funeral for Dolores Jundt, Church

SJW St. Joseph the Worker

SP St. Philip
Tuesday (7/28) 6-8:00 pm Choir Practice, (Spanish) Church
Thursday (7/30) Summer Break OCIA Youth/Children

SM St. Mary of Guadalupe
Friday (7/31) 6:00 pm Quinceañera Rehearsal / Church
Saturday (8/1) 11:00 am Quinceañera / Church

SJE St. John the Evangelist

Monday (7/27)	9:00 am	Vacation Bible School
	5:30 pm	Children's Choir Practice, Rm K & F
	6:00 pm	Quinceañera Classes for (Aug. Sep. Oct. Nov.) Library
	7:00 pm	Bible Study (Span.), in the Library
Tuesday (28)	9:00 am	Vacation Bible School
Wednesday (7/29)	9:00 am	Vacation Bible School
	6:30 pm	Prayer Group Night (Renewed in the Holy Spirit)
Thursday (7/30)	9:00 am	Vacation Bible School
Friday (7/31)	9:00 am	Vacation Bible School
	10:30 am	Legion of Mary, in Room E
	6:00 pm	Children's Choir Practice, Rm K & F
	7:30 pm	Young Adult (Q&A)
Saturday (8/1)	11:00 am	Wedding & Reception for Donna Peterson & David Pfaff
Sunday (8/2)	9:00 am	SDVP Summer Out Reach Donation Collection



FIVE MOUNTAINS
— CATHOLIC COMMUNITY —

PARISH OFFICES CLOSED



EACH WEDNESDAY
10:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.
FOR OUR STAFF MEETING

Thank you for your understanding and prayers
as we work together to bring Christ to all. ♥

BULLETIN ARTICLES

Following are submittal timelines for any news or announcement your group or ministry wants published in an upcoming bulletin. You can submit your articles to your parish office, or to Garri Linardos at g.linardos@sacredheartbg.org

August 9 bulletin: submittals due to parish office by July 27

August 16 bulletin: submittals due to parish office by August 3

FIVE MOUNTAINS CATHOLIC COMMUNITY ~ STEWARDSHIP



STEWARDSHIP SERIES – WEEK 1 “Take, Lord, Receive” Everything Is Gift

*“What do you possess that you have not received?”
— 1 Corinthians 4:7*

Just a few weeks ago, our Five Mountains Catholic Community completed a journey of preparation and consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Through prayer and reflection, we entrusted ourselves more fully to the Heart that loves us without measure.

Consecration is not simply a prayer we recite, it is a way of living. When we consecrate ourselves to the Sacred Heart, we acknowledge that our lives belong to Christ and that everything we are and everything we possess comes from Him.

This truth lies at the heart of Christian stewardship.

Stewardship begins not with giving, but with gratitude. Before we can offer anything back to God, we must first recognize that all is gift.

The Heart That Gives Everything

“For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son.”— John 3:16

The Sacred Heart of Jesus reveals a God who holds nothing back. Throughout His earthly life, Jesus poured Himself out in love, teaching, healing, forgiving, and serving. On the Cross, His Heart was pierced for our salvation, becoming the visible sign of God's mercy and love.

Even today, Christ continues to give Himself completely to us in the Eucharist.

The Sacred Heart teaches us that love is self-giving. Jesus offers Himself entirely, and as disciples, we are called to respond to that love.

Reflection

“Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above.”— James 1:17

The Sacred Heart of Jesus reveals a God who gives completely. Through His life, death, and resurrection, Christ pours Himself out in love for us. Even now, He continues to give Himself to us in the Eucharist.

Our response is gratitude.

St. Ignatius of Loyola expressed this beautifully in his prayer known as the *Suscipe*:

Take, Lord, and receive all that I have and possess. You have given all to me. To You, O Lord, I return it.

These words echo the spirit of our consecration to the Sacred Heart.

**I belong to Christ. Everything I have is a gift.
Everything I am is a gift.**

When we begin to see life this way, gratitude changes how we live. We become more aware of God's blessings and more willing to share our time, talents, and resources in service to Him and others. Stewardship is not motivated by obligation; it is a response to love.

Ponder

Do I recognize my life as a gift from God?
What blessings am I most grateful for today?
How is God inviting me to use His gifts for His glory?

Guided Prayer

Sacred Heart of Jesus,
Teach me to recognize every gift as coming from You. Fill my heart with gratitude and help me offer my life back to You in love .Amen

Scripture for Prayer This Week

“What do you possess that you have not received?”— 1 Corinthians 4:7

“Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above.”— James 1:17“

“Trust in the Lord with all your heart.”— Proverbs 3:5

Each day, thank God for three blessings in your life and pray:

“Take, Lord, receive all that I am and all that I have.”

Closing Prayer

Sacred Heart of Jesus, source of every blessing, teach us to receive with gratitude and give with love.

Jesus, meek and humble of heart, make our hearts like unto Thine. Amen.



We can do this!

...with your donations!

★ **ST. VINCENT DE PAUL** ★

SUMMER OUTREACH SALE

Join us in supporting local families and neighbors in need through one of our biggest community fundraisers of the year.

BRING YOUR GENTLY USED ITEMS:

- ✓ Household Items
- ✓ Kitchenware
- ✓ Linens & Bedding
- ✓ Furniture (small pieces)
- ✓ Home Décor
- ✓ Tools & Sporting Goods
- ✓ Clean Clothing & Accessories

Your donations help fund vital St. Vincent de Paul outreach programs serving our local community.

DONATION COLLECTION
AUGUST 2-11
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM DAILY

DONATE TODAY!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!
Text/Call **772-216-8138** or **509-319-0249**
for more information.

St. John Summer Sale

Donations will be accepted August 2nd-11th from 9:00am-1:00pm.

Look for the Entrance sign mounted on the playground fence.

It would be most helpful and appreciated if you could donate within this time frame.

Donations should be operational, in gently used condition, and clothing be clean.

Jewelry can be brought to the office at any time.

Public sale dates are Friday/Saturday August 14th – 15th from 9:00am - 4:00pm

Bags sale and ½ off larger items runs from 3:00-4:00pm on August 15th.

For our parishioners after the 5:00pm and Sunday masses you can fill all the bags you want and most importantly help pack and haul away all the leftovers and donate them to other facilities around the county.

Items that will benefit our community:

Bedding, Clothing (infant to adult), Crafts, Dishes, Garden, Hardware, Housewares, Jewelry, Kitchen items, Knick Knacks, Linens, Novelties, Pans, Plates, Pots, Sporting goods, Tools, Towels, Toys, Utensils. Small furniture and kitchen appliances.

***Furniture upon approval from Sue Nagy 360-213-8902

For special considerations or questions, please call Caroline Saty 772-216-8138 or Laura Fernandez at 360-314-2090.

Items we CAN NOT ACCEPT:

Baby Accessories*, Books, Chemicals, Christmas, Heavy Furniture or Desks, Large appliances or Rugs, Exercise equipment, Mattresses, Monitors, Medical Equipment**, Paint, Stuffed Animals, TV's, Tires, unusable or incomplete items with missing pieces. No scrap metal, Junk or Old Electronics. Please dispose of them properly.

Volunteer Opportunities:

Advertising, Cashiers, Hauling in or away, Leaders for Rooms, Lifting, Loading, Organizing, Packing, Pricing, Security, Setting Up, Sorting, Tearing down.

Look for the sign-up sheets in the Narthex at St. John's in July!

The summer sale has been a tradition for over 30 years, as a fund-raising event benefiting St. Vincent de Paul. A few of those original pioneers are still volunteering. What's just as valuable as your donations and equally needed is new volunteers to help with the Sale.

“Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give.” Matthew 10:8

It's a fun event, growing fellowship and meeting new parishioners while volunteering within this outreach ministry.

SAVE FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

*Once Upon a child: 11505 NE Fourth Plain Blvd, 360-253-7742 - No cribs or car seats.

Call for a list of acceptable baby items.

**Caring Closet: 7500 NE 16th Ave, Unit 1C. Call for days and hours 360-258-0039

FAITH FORMATION

Join us for

Unplug with the Lord *Rest, Reflect and Discern*

August 11, 1:30pm – August 13, 1pm

Archbishop Brunett Retreat Center



Youth Retreat

All high school juniors, seniors and recent graduates are invited to find God's voice in the silence at Unplug with the Lord, a special youth retreat on August 11 to 13 at the Archbishop Brunett Retreat Center.

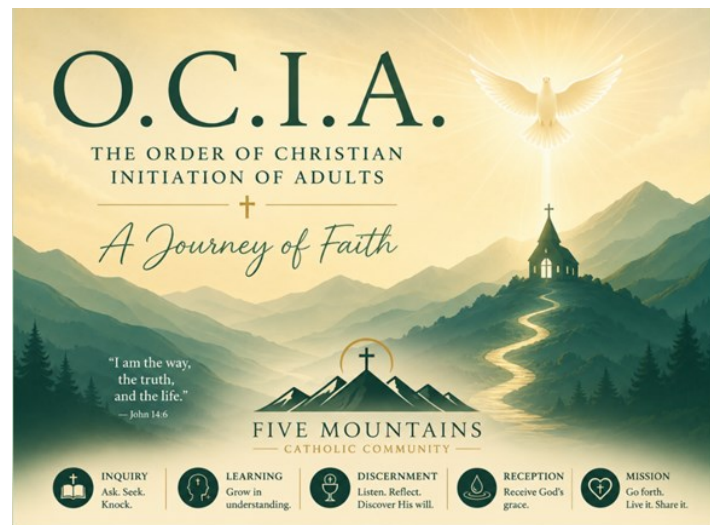
Attendees will discover the importance of contemplation by creating space to slow down and listen. Through prayer and reflection, they will learn how to deepen their awareness of God's presence.

Highlights

- Keynote presentation by Fr. Justin Ryan
- Multiple breakout sessions with peers to reflect and learn
- Daily Mass

Registration is required, at a cost of \$100 per person. Please visit <https://archseattle.org/events/unplug-with-the-lord-youth-retreat/>

For additional questions, please contact Chloe Iverson, Assistant Director of Youth Ministry, at chloe.iverson@seattlearch.org, or Andrew Hollands at youthministry@stjohnnvancouver.org



The **O**rder of **C**hristian **I**nitiation of **A**dults (**O.C.I.A.**) is a **journey of faith**, for those who have wondered about what the Catholic Church teaches and professes. For those who are not baptized and wonder what being baptized means, and for those who have been baptized in other faith traditions and would like to explore what it means to be Catholic. RCIA is also for adult Catholics seeking to be confirmed in their faith. OCIA is perfect for those who have been away from the Church and are "coming home again". Cradle Catholics are also invited to learn more and accompany those on their journey of faith.

Do you have **questions**? Do you have **doubts and struggles with the Catholic Faith**? Do you want to **encounter** God? Do you already have a relationship with Jesus and feel that He may be leading you on a **journey** to the Catholic Church?

■ St. John

O.C.I.A. inquiry registration is open year round

For more information:

call or email Deacon Adolfo Carbajal
deacon_adolfo@stjohnnvancouver.org

● Sacred Heart

Sessions take place on Sundays after the 8:30 am Mass at Sacred Heart. Please call the parish office for more information. (360) 687-4515

▲ St. Philip

OCIA - for Children / Youth

It's a special faith journey for children aged 7-17 who want to receive the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.). If you know someone who is interested and have questions, please call the church office: (360) 225-8308. Email us at: churchoffice@stphilipwoodland.com
Class on July 30th.

We will be taking a break in the month of August.

FAITH FORMATION

PARISH FAMILY 44 VBS 2026



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 27th - 31st

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

St. John the Evangelist

8701 NE 119th St.

Vancouver, WA 98662

\$30 per child (\$75 family max)

REGISTER ONLINE at

stjohnvancouver.org

Registration is now open for Vacation Bible School! Kids from Preschool to 6th grade. Come to play, and make new friends, enjoy fun music, snacks, and most importantly:

LEARN TO LOVE JESUS!



We need volunteers of all ages. For more information, scan the QR code, or call the St. John Faith Formation office (360) 573-3325 EXT. 110.

Our Five Mountain Catholic Community Faith Formation, CGS, Sacramental Prep and Youth Group cohorts are officially on break. Don't worry, we still have plenty of activities planned for Vacation Bible School, and there is something for everyone!

There are activities for preschool through grade 6 and we need volunteers of all ages. For more information, scan the QR code, or call the Faith Formation office. See you at VBS in July!

◆ **St. Mary of Guadalupe** **Elementary Faith Formation**

Registration begins on August 2, before and after Mass.

● **Sacred Heart** **CGS, Faith Formation, Sacramental Prep, and OCIA**

Registration begins on August 1. Look for the QR code in the bulletin, on line and in the vestibule.

■ **St. John the Evangelist** **Faith Formation**

Registration information coming soon.

OUTREACH

◆ St. Mary of Guadalupe

Outpost Volunteer schedule:

Outpost Dinner July 19th

Outpost Lunches July 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th.

Sunday, July 19 & Sunday, July 26, – Christmas in July Sock Drive for the Outpost.

◆ St. Mary Feed My Lambs Collection

We will be picking up Feed My Lamb donations on **July 19th**. This month we will be sending the proceeds to **Lewis River Food Bank**. This food bank continues to fight hunger in the rural communities of North Clark County by providing monthly food and non-food item distributions to individuals and families in need. They can use any non-perishable items but could especially use high protein products like peanut butter, canned meat along with cereal, mac n cheese, ready-made meals, toilet paper and laundry detergent.

Thank you for your contribution to this ministry.

● Sacred Heart Meal Train Ministry

Are you celebrating a new baby, recovering from surgery, grieving the loss of a loved one, providing long term care? There are many reasons having meals delivered can help you through a time of exhaustion or recovery. If you or someone you know can use the help of having meals delivered one a week or more for a time, please contact Shirley Howard through howardkska@gmail.com or call 360-314-8729. Please, also, contact Shirley if you are interested in being on the list to provide meals

■ St. John the Evangelist Prepares Service Dates and Hours

- 2nd Sunday of the month– Diaper distribution from 12:30 pm
- 4th weekend of the month—Baby & Infant store open after all weekend Masses

We are currently in need of diapers sizes 5, 6, 7, and baby wipes. Donations can be dropped in the Narthex. We appreciate your support!

For more information on ways you can support this ministry, or to schedule an appointment to obtain diapers and other items at no cost, please contact Marina Diaz at 360-521-4981. Please remember, we only accept baby and infant clothing donations, NO adult clothing

Rachel's Corner: Project Rachel Post Abortion Healing Retreats

English Retreat - Friday, Sept. 25 - Sunday, Sept. 27 2026

Men's Healing Retreat – Saturday, Oct. 10-Sunday, Oct. 11, 2026

To leave a confidential message please call

English: (206) 920-6413

Spanish: (206)-450-7814

Email projectrachel@ccsww.org. Visit us at www.ccsww.org/projectrachel or www.facebook.com/projectrachelww.

Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

You are loved with an everlasting Love!

◆ St. Mary Guadalupe

Outreach Committee Update

Our parish continues to support several local charitable organizations, including Birthright and the three food banks served through Feed My Lamb:

- Lewis River Food Bank
- Neighbors Helping Neighbors
- Ridgefield Resource Center

These organizations often send thank-you cards and notes of appreciation to acknowledge the parish's generosity and ongoing support.

The cards will be posted on the bulletin board between the church and the hall. Please take a moment to stop by and read these expressions of gratitude when you have the opportunity.

Mother Cabrini Missionary Disciples

Archdiocese of Seattle Court Accompaniment Ministry:

Immigrant and Refugee Ministries of the Archdiocese assists parishes in forming accompaniment teams at parish families. These teams connect with local immigrant communities, accept direct referrals from those communities, prepare for appointments with the immigrant being accompanied, accompany them to court appointments (or immigration check-ins), and follow up with them afterwards. We are called to be in community with each other and to strive for unity in diversity. This accompaniment ministry supports that calling by nurturing relationship between immigrants and non-immigrant communities, recognizing we all have much to learn from each other, and sharing the gifts offered by both immigrants and non-immigrants.

For more information or to volunteer for this ministry please contact:

Kassie Goforth

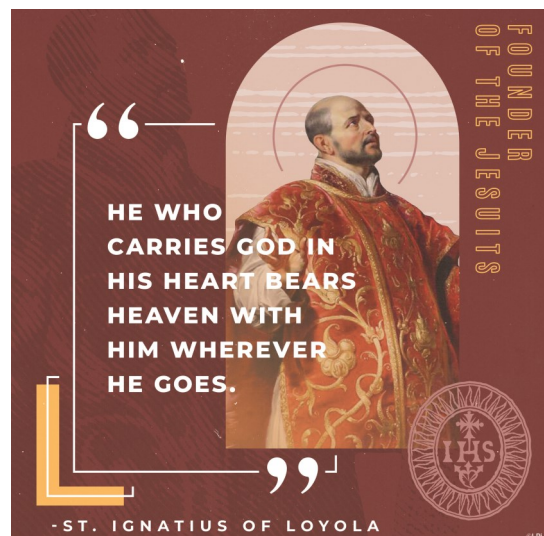
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ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Ozanam House ~ St Vincent de Paul July Food Pantry Needs

- Cereal
- Refried Beans
- Spaghetti Sauce
- Granola & Power Bars
- Cake Mixes
- Frostings

● Sacred Heart Monthly SVdP Report

For June 2026 we received 29 calls for help with utilities, rent, gas and housing. Of those calls we completed 9 cases: 6 for utilities; 4 rent and 1 for food helping a total of 19 neighbors for a total of \$3,178.85. Our income for the month was \$2,542.64 which was our church collection for May and a sponsorship for Friends of the Poor Walk. We collected and delivered 327 lbs. of food and supplies to Ozanam House. Mark your calendars each 2nd Sunday of the month as we encourage you to donate food to Ozanam House at those Masses. We will be handing out bags every first Sunday of the month for your convenience beginning on August.

Many thanks to all of you for your generous support. We could not do this important work without you!



Friends
OF THE POOR®
WALK

Saturday, September 26

Time: Registration/Check-in
begins at 8 am;
walk starts at 9 am

Location: Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 1603 North
Parkway Avenue, Battle Ground, WA 98604

Are you ready to walk? Join our St. Vincent de Paul Sacred Heart Conference in raising money for those in need in our community. Time to get your friends, family and/or co-workers together to form a team to walk in the annual FOP event. OR if they can't walk with you them invite them to pledge their support for your walking efforts. Find the latest updates and a walker pledge form, and donate online on our website: <https://sacredheartbg.org/st-vincent-de-paul-society>



Use this QR code to make a direct donation online.

You can also raise funds by eating out at the following Battle Ground locations:. (Dates to be determined.)

Red Robin Restaurant
Mod Pizza
Burgerville



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ~ ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST COUNCIL 12983



Knights of Columbus St John the Evangelist

2026 Annual Golf Event

Friday, August 14th | 9AM Shotgun Start | Tri Mountain Golf Course

Registration Now Open

KofC12983Golf.com



EVENTS NEWS

■ St. John Library

Donations of materials for the St. John parish library are no longer being accepted. The library is still available but shelves don't stretch! Thanks for your support. – Kay McMurry, volunteer librarian

◆▲ St. Philip and St. Mary Parish Council

The St Philip and St. Mary combined Parish Council will be on hiatus for the months of July and August. There are no scheduled Parish Council meetings for these months. The Parish Council will reconvene on the fourth Thursday of September, September 24, 2026.

◆ St. Mary of Guadalupe Kitchen

If you wish to make a donation of any item to the kitchen please contact Mary Byrne, 360-606-9452, first to determine if we need/can use the donation. Thank you.

If you use a table cloth from the kitchen please wash it before putting back. It may appear clean but many are being put back with stains. Thank you for your cooperation.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY



● Sacred Heart ~

Join the Usher Ministry!

Our dedicated usher team plays an important role each weekend, greeting parishioners at the door, helping people find seating, taking up the collection, assisting the infirm at Communion, and distributing bulletins at the close of Mass. We are currently looking for a few new volunteers to help with our Saturday and Sunday Mass schedule. The commitment is light, typically just one or two Masses per month. If you have a welcoming spirit and a few minutes to spare, we'd love to have you! Please contact Ryan Coldwell at rmcoldwell@gmail.com or call 308.249.1133 to learn more.

BIBLE STUDY/PRAYER GROUPS

■ St. John Bible Study

The English Bible study group meeting Thursdays at 1:00 will be stopping for summer, they will start again on September 10.

■ St. John Faith Sharing Group

Will not be meeting during summer, they will resume September 8, 2026 in the Fireside Room.

● Sacred Heart

Sunday Scripture Prayer Group:

Breaking Open the Word ~ Journey of Faith

Taking a hiatus for the summer. See you on Friday September 11th!

▲ St. Philip Women's Group

Second Friday's (July 10., Aug 14..) 6-8 PM in St. Philip Hall. All the women of our parish family are invited to our monthly women's group. Please join for a potluck meal, fellowship, and praying with the Mass readings for the upcoming Sunday. Come prepare for Mass and gain a deeper relationship with your sisters in Christ!

▲ St. Philip Men's Prayer Group

The Men's Prayer Group is taking a break until some time in September 2026. Have a great summer!

PUZZLE

Find and circle these words from today's Gospel:

KINGDOM
HEAVEN
TREASURE

HIDDEN
FIELD
FOUND

PEARLS
SOLD
BOUGHT

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MISSION

Put God's kingdom first. Read a Bible story every morning.

all are invited to Mary Queen of Peace Sammamish for a
Healing and Rejuvenation Retreat
 Matthew 11:28 "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest."

ON 14,15,16TH AUG
 5:30-8:45, 9:00-4:00, 2:00-4:30

Led by Rev Fr John Kattatu VC

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Healing and Rejuvenation Retreat August 14th –16th
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Jesus calls us in many different ways to heal and rejuvenate. Every minute we spend with him is an opportunity to transform, (Rom 12 2), with Jesus we are victors (1 Cor 15.57) and his presence fills us with peace for we find rest in his presence (exo 33.14). What more better place to spend time with him than in a church and in a retreat?!!!

Please come and rest a while, receive the healing and the strength he is waiting to give you and your family.

This retreat is given by Rev. Fr. John Kattattu, VC and will be in MQP from August 14th (5:30pm to 8:45pm), 15th (9am to 4pm) and 16th (2pm to 4:30pm). about Rev Fr John Kattattu is a charismatic Vincentian priest and is the spiritual director of Grace of Heaven Retreat Center Texas.

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