THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME January 27, 2013

Homily Next Week: Father Jack O'Leary, S.J.

#### Readings for February 3, 2013

First Reading: Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13
Gospel: Luke 4:21-30

Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday - 5 pm Sunday - 9 am, 11 am, 5:30 pm

Weekday Mass Schedule Monday - Friday - 7 am Arrupe Room, Parish Center

#### Reconciliation

**Saturday** - 3:30-4:15 pm in the Church or by appointment

Parish Center Hours Monday-Friday - 8 am - 4:30 pm Saturday - 9 am - 1 pm www.stjosephparish.org

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# Upcoming Parish Events

#### Gospel of Luke

You won't want to miss "The Gospel of Luke, Good News from the Flying Bull". Join Father John on Thursday night for a series studying Luke's Gospel. Jan 31st, 7 - 9 pm, St. Joseph Parish Center.

### February Family Mass & Fiesta

Please join us on **Saturday, February 9th**, at the 5 pm mass and then for a Mexican fiesta afterwards. We will have table activities for the children. Cost is \$20 per family or \$5 per person. For more information or to RSVP, please contact Dottie Farewell at 206-965-1652 or dfarewell@stjosephparish.org

#### Parish Lenten Retreat

Feb 22-24, 2013 at Camp Casey on Whidbey Island. Led by Fr. John, Deacon Steve, Bob McCaffery-Lent and parish planning team.

#### Friendship & Grace

I no longer call you slaves, because a slave does not know what his master is doing. I have called you friends, because I have told you everything I have heard from my Father.

-John 15:15-

When a good person becomes a friend, he becomes a good for his friend. Each of them loves what is good for himself, and repays in equal measure the wish and the pleasantness of his friend; for friendship is said to be equality. And this is true above all in the friendship of good people.

-Aristotle, Nichomachean Ethics-

This last weekend, one of my best Jesuit friends, Fr. Joseph Carver, was back in town from Missoula-where he now works as the Jesuit superior of Montana. He had returned to Seattle to help with a project that was dear to his heart, the Seattle Nativity School, and it was a toorare grace to be with him, to minister at his side, and to share a meal and conversation with him. On Saturday morning, as I offered a presentation on Ignatian discernment for the board of the nascent Nativity School, it was wonderful to share ideas and enthusiasm with Joseph, to dream out-loud, with him and our other companions in mission, of a school that would offer the kind of education both he and I desire to see flourish: education charged with God's grace, encouraging of human excellence, transformative of individuals and of communities. In the midst of the group's discussion, I could sense how our friendship enlivened our dreams, and our shared dreams deepened our friendship. That night at dinner, speaking about the school, gossiping about the Society of Jesus, and reminiscing about our families i.e., the wisdom of our fathers, the craziness of our siblings, the patience and humor of our mothers—I was again reminded of how much brighter our lives shine when they are fed by the fuel of friendship.

Such friendships are rare and wonderful, yet, perhaps they are more rare because we often have such a mistaken notion of the true nature of friendship. Though spoken of as valuable, friendship in our culture often seems to be treated as something purely personal—a private good, a prize I hold in my heart but which does not really intrude into my public self. Indeed, friendship is often portrayed as a hinderance to the general good and an undoing of justice: i.e., we see friendship as a merely emotional connection that keeps us from judging the world objectively and, thus, with fairness. In such a view, friendship has no moral content, but is about supporting whatever my friend does—it is about taking sides

against others, about alliances and not about the good of the community. From this perspective, friendship, even when it is valued, is seen as a kind of bias that needs to be rooted out if one is to be moral; indeed, it is something to be left in the "private" zone, since it will poison one's moral capacity. Objectivity, detachment, distance: these are the qualities of a moral person, at least according to the rationalist tradition of our age.

But such a view of friendship is contrary, I think, to our own most important experiences; for what life shows us is that true friendship is not only the greatest of personal goods, but the grounding of all our moral courage, as well. Without a sense of true friendship, there would be no sacrifice, no heroism, no generosity beyond the strict calculus of justice. Though there can be times of testing—as when one who has had too much to drink says, "If you are my friend, you will give me my keys"—still, we know, that true friendship, more than our sense of justice, is what gives us the strength to do what is right for our friend. Far from simply taking the side of the other, friendship means loving that person enough to suffer, so that she might be good and receive the good, even when she doesn't understand it at the time. For this very reason, Aristotle notes that "the justice that is more just seems to belong to friendship."

It is this sense of friendship that Jesus intended when he spoke to his disciples at the Last Supper. On the night before he died—as he broke the bread that was his body and shared the wine that was his blood—Jesus calls his disciples "friends," not because he intends to do what they want, nor because he expects that they will understand all that he does; but because he desires for them the highest good, a good deeper than justice and reminiscent of the very nature of God. It is his *friendship* with them (and with us) on which Jesus builds his Church, because only friendship can energized the heart with something greater than guilt or duty, something that can accept the cross and rejoice at the resurrection. Far from being a bias, friendship is the power that unifies hearts and allows us to see beyond the wall of ego, into the life of our friend, into the promise of the Kingdom.

May we be blessed with a few such friends, and may we grow to become such friends, ourselves.





# Peace Days for Women, "Walking with the Spirit"

led by Mary Thorne, CSJP
Wednesday, February 20, 2013
from 9:30 am - 2:00 pm
at St. Mary-on-the-Lake Peace and Spirituality Center,
1663 Killarney Way, Bellevue.

Free-will offering. Bring a sack lunch, coffee and tea provided.

We encourage you to carpool.

To register or for more information contact Carmel Little, CSJP at 425-635-3600 or e-mail clittle@csjp-olp.org

#### Parish Holy Hour

Thusday, February 7th, 7-8 pm, Join the Choose Life Ministry for a Rosary with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. In the Loyola Chapel, Parish Center. All are welcome!

"What will save the world? My answer is prayer. What we need is for every Parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in Holy Hours of prayer."

"The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament...will help bring about an everlasting peace on earth."

-Mother Teresa of Calcutta

#### Choose Life Ministry Meeting

Sunday, February 3rd, 7 pm, at Jackie Quinn's house. 918 18th Ave E. All are welcome! For information or questions on either of the above meetings, call Jackie Quinn, 206-324-1780, Tom Cannon, 206-322-4819, or Mary Ott, 206-324-7459.

Collection: January 20, 2013

TOTAL NEEDED WEEKLY TO MEET BUDGET: \$15,994.00 TOTAL FOR MASSES AND GIFTS MAILED IN: \$10,646.33

St. Joseph Community extends its prayers and hopes for the following intentions: For three friends who have shoulder rotator cuff tears . . . For Michael's upcoming surgery on his shoulder . . . For Emilie's recovery . . . For those suffering from the winter blahs . . . For a place to live that is reasonable . . . For deci-



sions about the future . . . For guidance in handling a difficult person . . . For those who extend kindness to others in their driving or in line at the store or being patient with someone who is challenged.

"Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says."

~ James 1:22.

#### **Newly Baptized**

Andrew James Olendorf, son of Eric and Megan Olendorf

If you have petitions you would like included in the prayer tree, including birth announcements, illnesses and deaths, please call the parish office at 206-324-2522 ext 100 or email rleet@stjosephparish.org

## Day of Contemplative Prayer - for Women and Men

Led by Kathleen Pruitt, CSJP and Kwan Wong, Oblate OSB Cam.

Saturday, February 9th from 9:00 am - 12:00 noon at St. Mary-on-the-Lake Chapel, 1663 Killarney Way, Bellevue

If you are coming for the first time to Contemplative Prayer please arrive at 8:30 am for an introduction Free-will offering

To register or for more information contact Carmel Little, CSJP at 425-635-3600 or e-mail clittle@csjp-olp.org



# Visio Divina: Contemplating visual images to express our inner experiences

Friday, February 1, 2013 | 10:00 am – 3:00 pm | St. Joseph Parish Center | Sue Magrath, facilitator

There are times when words fail us, when our inner experience becomes inexpressible except through the language of image. Powerful visual images can speak to us more clearly of God than any language we could hear or utter. Come and join us for a day of enrichment as we explore a variety of images and the ways in which we can use these images.

Cost is \$40, \$20 for students. To register, visit www.ignatiancenter.org or contact Carolyn Hickman at (206) 329-4824 x2. Sponsored by the Ignatian Spirituality Center.

## An Evening with Archbishop Peter Sartain

Thursday, February 7, 2013 | 7:00-8:30 pm | St. Joseph Church, Seattle

Many of us have read about our Seattle Archbishop in the news, but likely fewer of us have had the opportunity to listen to him in person. Join us for Archbishop Sartain's personal reflection on God's friendship, wisdom and love, as found in the call to follow Jesus.

Sponsored by the Ignatian Spirituality Center.

#### Communion for the Homebound

Eucharistic Ministers are available to bring Communion to the homebound. Please contact Fr. Jack O'Leary 206-965-1641 or Deacon Steve Wodzanowski at 206-965-1646 or stevew@stjosephparish.org if you or someone you know would like to receive the Eucharist.

# IN THE STEPS OF IGNATIUS: IGNATIAN SPIRITUALITY FOR MEN

I: The Ignatian Way: God in All Things

Saturday, February 9, 2013 | 8:30-11:30 am | St. Joseph Church, Seattle | Gene Delmore, SJ & Ned Delmore, presenters; with guest panelists

Men of all ages and faith backgrounds are invited to come together for the first of three offerings of Ignatian spirituality especially for men. This first morning will include gathering with coffee and light breakfast between 8:30 am and 9:00 am, followed by presenters Gene Delmore, SJ and Ned Delmore, and guest panelists reflecting on what it means to "find God in all things" and be a "contemplative in action." There will be time for individual and group reflection on questions such as "Where is God in my life?" "How can I deepen my spirituality in my daily routine and busy schedule?" and "How does my faith guide my relationships, responsibilities and identities as a son, father, brother, partner, single person, friend, colleague, retiree, church-goer, or citizen?" Join other men interested in integrating spirituality into daily life!

Save the date for future events for men:

#### II: Ignatian Prayer: God Meets You Where You Are

Saturday morning in March | 8:30 – 11:30 am | exact date, location and facilitator TBD

## III: Discernment: An Ignatian Way of Making Decisions

Saturday, April 6th from 8:30—11:30 am | St. Mary's Church M&M Café | John Hickman, facilitator

Free will offering. To RSVP, contact Andrea Fontana at andrea@ignatiancenter.org or (206) 329-4824. For more information, go to www.ignatiancenter.org. Sponsored by the Ignatian Spirituality Center.



#### Seniors On The Go

**Friday, February 1st** - Healing Mass, 11:30 am, with lunch following in the Parish Center.

**Tuesday, February 12th** - *Two Weeks Notice* starring Sandra Bullock and Hugh Grant.

**Thursday, February 21st** - Monthly OWL's Potluck, 6 pm, Social Hall. Call Mary Ott 206-324-7459 or Dolores Dorn 206-322-2259 for details.

### Jubilee Women's Center Mardi Gras Party & Silent Auction

Saturday, February 23, 7-10 pm at 1927 Events in downtown Seattle Purchase tickets and learn more at jwcenter.org

# Catholic Professionals of Seattle, "Steps to Discerning God's Will in Your Life"

How do you discern God's will in your life? Not only in the context of a vocation, but in your family life, in business decisions, or in recognizing the gifts God has given you and discerning how best to use them? Join us February 1st for mass at 7:00 am at the UW Newman Center followed by breakfast and Fr. Dolejsi's talk on the basic Catholic teachings on discerning God's will and His invitation to action. To register visit: http://www.catholicprofessionalsofseattle.org/events.html

Calendar Mon, Jan 21	Parish Center Closed for MLK Day Sacred Silence, Church, 7:00 PM
Tue, Jan 22	RCIA, Arrupe Room, 7:00 PM
Wed, Jan 23	Pathfinders, Social Hall, 6:00 PM Choir Practice, Church, 6:30 PM The VOICE, Arrupe Room, 7:00 PM
Fri, Jan 25	Eucharist Adoration, Loyola Chapel Parish Center, 7:30 AM

## School Scholastic Book Fair in the auditorium!

This year's Scholastic Book Fair runs through Friday, January 25, on Sunday January 27 for Open House 10:30 a.m. - noon, and then Monday, January 28. On Thursday, Friday and Monday the fair will open as soon as the school doors open at 8:15 a.m. and stay open after school until 3:30 p.m. The auditorium is full of wonderful books! Teachers have their Wish Lists posted for increasing their classroom collections. Everyone is welcome, so be sure to stop by.

#### Endowment Bowling Party & Fundraiser

Join us for an evening of bowling, dinner, drinks & fun! Proceeds from this event will benefit the Endowment for St. Joseph School. The Endowment provides funding to the school for financial aid, staff enrichment and donor-inspired special programs.

Sunday, February 10 from 5:00pm-8:00pm \$25 per person The Garage, 1130 Broadway, Seattle

Please RSVP to the School Office by Friday, February 1.
If you have questions, please contact
Najat Cola at najat@colamg.com or (206) 992-9125.

# St. Joseph School BoxTops goal is \$650!

Thanks to all of you who have been bringing in BoxTops.



We are at \$465 so far with a goal of at least \$650 by the March 1 deadline. So keep those BoxTops coming. You can drop them in the collection plate or drop by the Parish Center. Please make sure the expiration date is not torn off. Thank you!



## Stewardship 2013 Pledges Continued

A special thanks to each of you for your charism of our community!

• Bob & Debbie Ashmun • Katherine & Russ Hatfield • Joy Portella & Mark Firmani

If you haven't already pledged, please do so. You can pledge online at our website www.stjosephparish.org or send in a pledge form to the parish center.

### Spirituality on Tap presents: Relationships and Discernment

Facilitated by Carla and Joe Orlando
Thursday, February 21st 7-9 pm
Piecora's Pizza
1401 East Madison Street, Seattle, WA 98122
For Young Adults aged 21-35
RSVP is Required by February 11th

There are many kinds of relationships in our lives: family, coworkers, friends, and loved ones. Join Joe and Carla Orlando along with other young adults to explore how Ignatian discernment can be used to help us be more aware and more effective in our relationships with all those with whom we share ourselves.

Carla and Joe have been informed by in Ignatian spirituality for over two decades and have worked throughout that time in a variety of ministry, vocation, and educational settings including their current roles at Seattle Pacific University and Seattle University, respectively. They have been married 17 years and have twin 13 year old daughters.

For more info or to RSVP email matt@ignatiancenter. org



#### All Are Invited to a CD Release Concert and Celebration

Nothing's Lost
with Jennifer Kelly & her bandmates
Wednesday January 30th
7 pm doors open - 8 pm music starts
Campion Ballroom, Seattle University

The free concert is sponsored by Campus MInistry. 10% of CD sales + a freewill offering will benefit their CM Immersion Trips Program (Appalachia, Mexico, Guatemala & Belize).

For more information visit www.jenniferkellymusic.com

#### St. Joseph's Parish Dance

Calling all 7th and 8th graders – join us for a NEON themed dance hosted by the VOICE, St. Joseph's high school youth group. All proceeds will go towards the youth delegation to El Salvador this summer. Dress up, bring friends and support a good cause!

Who? 7th and 8th graders (Open to all from Parish and School)
When? Saturday, February 2nd
Time? 8 pm – 11 pm
Where? Wyckoff Gym, St. Joseph's School
Price? \$10 w/ water and glow sticks included!



### Parish Blood Drive Imagine Saving A Life

Every two minutes someone in Western Washington needs a blood transfusion. Help ensure this precious resource is available for ill and injured people in our community by giving blood through the **Puget Sound Blood Center.** 

- Only 30% of the population is eligible at any given time to give blood
- Only 5% actually do
- There are 213 donors on the St Joseph's past participant list
- Average # of donors at each blood drive: 32

Over the holidays our inventory dropped by over 1,400 units- right now almost every blood type is below operational levels, meaning we have a less than 4 day supply. We need 900 donors per day to keep our inventory up, so a deficit of over 1,400 units of blood means it will take us several weeks (or more) of blood drives coming in at over 100% of their goal to rebuild our supply. If we had an additional 100 donors per day (making our daily collection goal 1,000 instead of 900) It would still take us two weeks (14 days) to get our inventory back to optimal levels. If we run into another winter storm like last year where businesses close and transportation virtually comes to a halt, it could really hurt us.

**Monday, January 28th,** in the Arrupe Room, Parish Center 1:00 to 3:00 and 3:45 to 7:00 pm.

Sign up in the vestibule following mass, or with Renée at rleet@stjosephparish.org. Invite a friend to join you!

#### St. Vincent de Paul Society

Back pain is no fun. And Jane required surgery to help repair a damaged disk in her spine. The pain caused her to stop working as a medical assistant. After a while, she lost her health insurance. With her three-year-old daughter, she lived in subsidized housing, received a \$360 a month disability payment and \$44 in food stamps—not very much.

The good news was surgery to correct her back pain went well. The problem was she needed a new bed with a stiffer mattress to help ensure her recovery went well. The broken down bed she slept in long since had seen its better days, and nights.

Thanks to the contributions you make to our St. Vincent de Paul collection the first Sunday of each month, we were able to get her a new bed and box spring. We even included a new set of sheets and pillow cases. Jane was very grateful—and so are we for your continued support.





#### **EcoJustice**

Outrospection; The Need for Greater Empathy

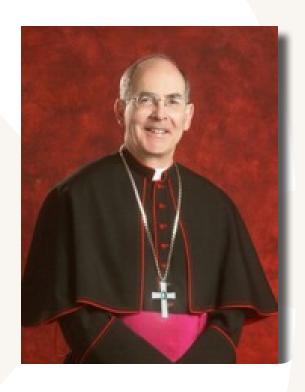
A brief, thought-provoking YouTube video shares ideas about our 21st century need to develop greater empathy. It reflects on empathy's role as a powerful driver of social change, as with ending slavery in England. It suggests that our inadequate climate response is partly due to a failure of empathy for those in developing countries and for future generations. Search "outrospection" at youtube.com



## Please Join Us for

### An Evening with Archbishop Peter Sartain

A personal reflection on God's friendship, wisdom, and love, as found in the call to follow His son, Jesus.



Archbishop J. Peter Sartain D.D., S.T.L.

Thursday, February 7, 2013
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm
St. Joseph's Church
732 18th Ave E
Seattle, WA 98112

Sponsored by the Ignatian Spirituality Center

For more information, call 206 329-4824 or email mary@ignatiancenter.org

# JOIN US FOR OUR WINTER FAMILY MASS & DINNER

Saturday, February 9, 2013 5PM-7:30PM

St. Joe's parish school's Parent Association Board and the Parish are hosting a winter fiesta with mass featuring our school's 3rd graders & dinner in the Wyckoff Gym.

5 pm | Mass featuring our parish school's 3rd grade

Please arrive a few minutes early to pick up a worship aid, and find a seat for you and your family. The 3rd graders will participate with liturgical music led by Ms. Betsy Baeskins.

6:15 pm Mexican Dinner

Dinner of Chicken or cheese enchiladas, rice, beans, & salad by El Farrol is \$20 per family or \$5 per person at the door. Table snacks, kid's beverages, and beer included.

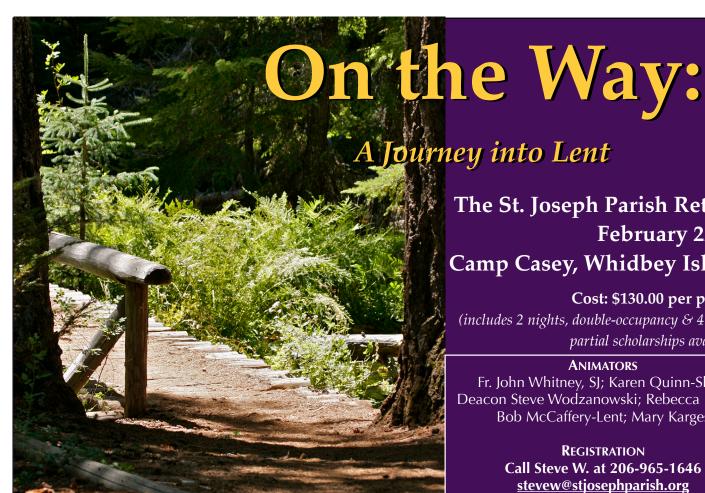
Please bring a dessert to share!

Followed by an extraordinary performance from the Middle School Choir

To RSVP for the dinner please contact Dottie Farewell at 206-965-1652 or dfarewell@stjosephparish.org.

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To volunteer for setup, serving or cleanup please contact Julie Lumpkin at julie@swift-groupmarketing.com



The St. Joseph Parish Retreat February 22-24 Camp Casey, Whidbey Island

Cost: \$130.00 per person

(includes 2 nights, double-occupancy & 4 meals; partial scholarships available)

#### ANIMATORS

Fr. John Whitney, SJ; Karen Quinn-Shea; Deacon Steve Wodzanowski; Rebecca Brown; Bob McCaffery-Lent; Mary Karges

> REGISTRATION Call Steve W. at 206-965-1646 stevew@stjosephparish.org