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THE JESUIT PARISH IN SEATTLE





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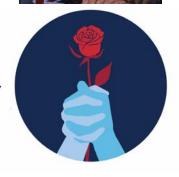






"Pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience, and gentleness."





TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 25, 2016 Homily Next Week: Deacon Steve Wodzanowski

Readings for October 2, 2016

First Reading: Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4 Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14

GOSPEL: LUKE 17:5-10

Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday - 5 pm

Sunday - 9:00 am, 11:00 am & 5:30 pm

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

Reconciliation

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

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Saturday - 9 am - 1 pm

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Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam

"The end of this Society is to devote itself with God's grace not only to the salvation and perfection of the members' own souls, but also with that same grace to labor strenuously in giving aid toward the salvation and perfection of the souls of their neighbors."

-Constitutions of the Society of Jesus [3]-

A little over eight years ago, on 7 January 2008, I was sitting in the *Aula* (i.e., meeting hall) of the Jesuit Curia in Rome, less than a block from the border of the Vatican. In my last year as Provincial of the Jesuits of the Northwest, I had come to Rome as an *ex officio* delegate to the 35th General Congregation of the Society of Jesus; and now I sat with nearly 200 other Jesuits, from all over the world, as we prayed in English and French, in Italian and German for the grace of the Holy Spirit and the gift of discernment. This October 2, on the Feast of the Guardian Angels, a new group of Jesuits will gather in that same room, and say those same prayers, as General Congregation 36 (GC 36) begins.

A General Congregation, when it meets, is the highest form of governance in the Society of Jesus—called only to elect a Superior General or at times of significant challenge and need. The Congregation where I was a delegate, only the 35th in the history of the Jesuits, had been summoned by then Superior General, Fr. Peter Hans Kolvenbach, S.J., at the end of a long process of consultation and preparation, where Jesuit Provinces and Regions around the world met to elect delegates and prepare recommendations (i.e., postulata) for the Congregation to consider. Traveling with me, was Fr. Patrick Lee, S.J., who had been elected at the Oregon Province Congregation—a reminder that the number of elected members of the General Congregation was supposed to be greater than the number who attended because of their official positions.

This notion of electing delegates is unusual for Jesuits. Unlike many religious communities, the Society of Jesus has never had regular, periodic gatherings—i.e., Chapters—to elect our leadership. Having watched the political wrangling of the Dominicans, who could not decide on a Superior General for years, Ignatius sought a more streamlined governance structure, where apostolic energy would not be eaten up in internal politics and cumbersome deliberations. The first priority was to get out into the world, to become apostles, and so as little time as possible should be spent on governance. With his military background, Ignatius desired a hierarchical structure, intentionally designed to decrease the need of regular gatherings of Jesuits for the purpose of governance. For example all Jesuit Superiors—whether local or provincial—are appointed by the Superior General, and called to serve by obedience. Although the Superior General may ask for consultation and input, there is no election nor campaign. Indeed, quite the opposite: all Jesuits, in a series of promises taken immediately after final vows, commit never to seek an office within the Society or within the Church, nor to "campaign" for anyone else—and also promise to report anyone who is seeking such an office, so as to keep him from holding it. Thus, Jesuits don't "run" for local Superior or Provincial, but are chosen through discernment and appointed to these roles.

The only elected Superior in the Society of Jesus is the Superior General, and that election occurs only when the previous Superior General dies or is given permission by the Pope to resign—which was the case for Fr. Kolvenbach, when GC 35 was called. Although General Congregations may also be called at other times, if it seems important, the calling of such legislative Congregations has been rare in the history of the Jesuits (though two of them, GC 32 and GC 34, met in the last 40 years, to update the Society in light of the reforms of Vatican II). For the most part, Jesuits prefer "ordinary governance," where the Superior General is in charge, delegating authority through structures of discernment and obedience—or, as one wit has put it: "The Society of Jesus is an absolute dictatorship mitigated only by the wisdom of its leaders and disobedience of its subjects."

Even though rare, a Jesuit General Congregation still reflects underlying values of the Society; i.e., it acts in continuity with Ignatius' desire for both efficiency and discernment—without political ambition. Thus, although the Congregation is composed of men from every corner of the world, many of whom neither know each other nor speak each other's language, the election goes forward without anyone advocating for himself or anyone else. Instead, after a time of prayer, a three day process called, in Latin, "murmuratio" (i.e., the murmuring) begins. During this time, the electors speak to one another about the qualities they think are needed for a new Superior General and about the qualities of people they may not know. These conversations—held only between two people at a time-can never include questions like, "Would he be a good General?" but must always be about qualities or about the history of an individual. Though it sounds impossible to imagine that such a process works, somehow it does, as names gradually arise and are considered.

On the day of election, all come to Mass dressed in clerical garb, and then retire to the Aula, where they pray before the crucifix and pledge themselves to one another. Ballots are handed out on which is written, in Latin, a promise that the voter believes the person whose name he writes is the best choice, "in the Lord," then the marked ballots are placed in a box by each elector. The ballots are counted and read aloud, with a second person inspecting each one, to ensure accuracy. Then, usually within only two or three ballots, the choice is made. Unlike the Pope, who can refuse an election, a Jesuit is bound by obedience to accept the office once he is elected. In 2008, it was Fr. Adolfo Nicolas who stepped forward, elected by us on that February morning. And as

he stepped forward, to commit himself before God and the Community, each of the delegates rose, and wewith those who had been waiting outside the doorthen came forward to receive his blessing.

Once the General is elected, the Congregation takes up matters from around the world that seem to require resolution or direction. Responding to the postulata of the various Provincial Congregations and the work of the preparatory commission, the Congregation decides what issues it needs to address and what direction it wishes to give to the Society, to its works, and to the newly elected General. In General Congregation 35, we took up issues about partnership and obedience, about the structures of the Society of Jesus and about the challenges of globalization. However, given the strong leadership of Pope Francis and his close ties to the Society, what is taken up in General Congregation 36 will likely reflect, in a more powerful way than ever before, the historic commitment of the Society to the mission given us by the Vicar of Christ.

As the Jesuit Parish in Seattle, let us pray for this meeting and for those who attend. May God bring us a Superior General who can enflame our hearts and deepen our desires. And may the General Congregation provide us both a vision and Superior General with whom all of us can be Companions, for the greater glory of God.

John of **Connecting with St. Joseph -**WFI COMF!

All are welcome at the table!

New? Visiting? Interested? Are you visiting for the first time? Interested in knowing more about the ministries and activities at St. Joseph Parish? Please join our weekly e-news blast at www.stjosephparish.org and click on the "Sign up for our eNewsletter" link in the upper right corner of the homepage. Thank you!

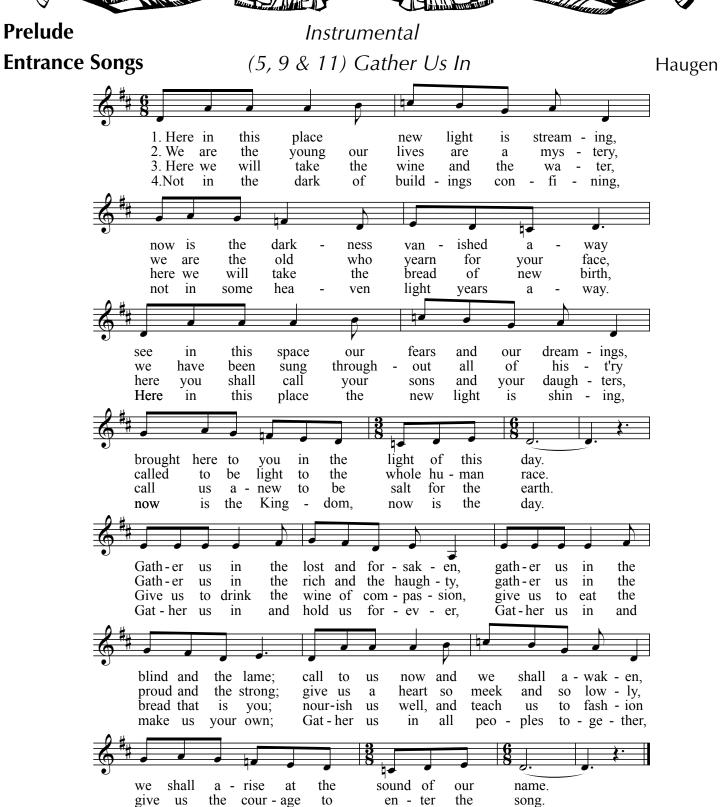
Register! Are you a Catholic attending Mass at St. Joseph Parish, yet haven't officially registered? Join us!

Why register? St. Joseph Church is a vibrant parish offering many avenues for ministry, connecting with other parishioners and spiritual development. We'd love to get to know you, connect with you, and inform you of our various activities, groups and events going on at the church. Please pick up a registration form in the back of the church or go online to register at www.stjosephparish.org and click on the "Join Our Parish" link. We look

forward to connecting with you. Thank you!

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First Reading

Amos 6:1A, 4-7

Thus says the LORD the God of hosts: Woe to the complacent in Zion! Lying upon beds of ivory, stretched comfortably on their couches, they eat lambs taken from the flock, and calves from the stall! Improvising to the music of the harp, like David, they devise their own accompaniment. They drink wine from bowls and anoint themselves with the best oils; yet they are not made ill by the collapse of Joseph! Therefore, now they shall be the first to go into exile, and their wanton revelry shall be done away with.



Second Reading

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1 Timothy 6:11-16

But you, man of God, pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience, and gentleness. Compete well for the faith. Lay hold of eternal life, to which you were called when you made the noble confession in the presence of many witnesses. I charge you before God, who gives life to all things, and before Christ Jesus, who gave testimony under Pontius Pilate for the noble confession, to keep the commandment without stain or reproach until the appearance of our Lord Jesus Christ that the blessed and only ruler will make manifest at the proper time, the King of kings and Lord of lords, who alone has immortality, who dwells in unapproachable light, and whom no human being has seen or can see. To him be honor and eternal power. Amen.



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Luke 16:19-31 Gospel

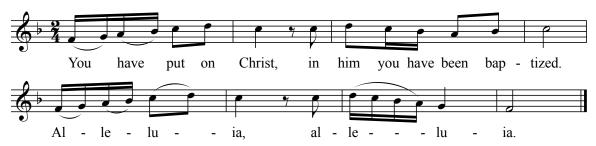
Jesus said to the Pharisees: "There was a rich man who dressed in purple garments and fine linen and dined sumptuously each day. And lying at his door was a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who would gladly have eaten his fill of the scraps that fell from the rich man's table. Dogs even used to come and lick his sores. When the poor man died, he was carried away by angels to the bosom of Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried, and from the netherworld, where he was in torment, he raised his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. And he cried out, 'Father Abraham, have pity on me. Send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am suffering torment in these flames.' Abraham replied, 'My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented. Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is established to prevent anyone from crossing who might wish to go from our side to yours or from your side to ours.' He said, 'Then I beg you, father, send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, so that he may warn them, lest they too come to this place of torment.' But Abraham replied, 'They have Moses and the prophets. Let them listen to them.' He said, 'Oh no, father Abraham, but if someone from the dead goes to them, they will repent.' Then Abraham said, 'If they will not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded if someone should rise from the dead."

Homily

Father John D. Whitney, S.J.

Baptismal Acclamation

You Have Put on Christ



Offertory Song

(9) Peace Prayer of St. Francis



Prayer of St. Francis, #726

Temple

Latona

1. Make me a channel of your peace. Where there is hatred, let me bring your love. Where there is injury, your pardon, Lord. And where there's doubt, true faith in you.

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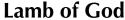
2. Make me a channel of your peace. Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope. Where there is darkness, only light, And where there's sadness, ever joy.

3. Oh, Master, grant that I may never seek So much to be consoled as to console. To be understood as to understand. To be loved as to love with all my soul.

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4. Make me a channel of your peace. It is in pardoning that we are pardoned, in giving of ourselves that we receive, And in dying that we're born to eternal life.







All Are Invited To Come Forward

During communion, we invite all to come forward. If you do not ordinarily receive Eucharist, or choose not to, come for a blessing, indicating your desire by putting your hand on your heart.











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Communion Prayer

Live Mercy

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us to be merciful, as the heavenly Father is merciful. Help us to live mercy every day of our lives, through the compassion we show to your beloved ones: to the migrant and the refugee, to the homeless and the wounded, to those forgotten by this world, but remembered always in your love. May the mercy we receive bear fruit in us, nourishing us with joy and bringing us communion with you. May it allow us to become the sacrament of mercy, the Church, who consecrates the world to you, who live and reign with the Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

Recessional

(5 & 11) Instrumental (9 & 5:30) Lead Me, Lord

Becker



THIS WEEK AT ST. JOSEPH



Sunday

9:00 AM Mass - Childcare Available 10:30 AM Coffee & Donuts - Join us!

11:00 AM Mass

1:00 PM Parish Picnic

5:30 PM Mass

Monday

7:00 AM Daily Mass

7:00 AM Yoga - Body in Prayer 7:00 PM Holy Rosary Group 7:00 PM Sacred Silence

7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul Meeting

Tuesday

7:00 AM Daily Mass 7:00 PM **RCIA**

Wednesday

7:00 AM Daily Mass

7:00 AM Yoga - Body in Prayer

7:00 PM The VOICE--NO MEETING THIS WEEK

Thursday

Daily Mass 7:00 AM

Friday

7:00 AM Daily Mass

Saturday

8:00 PM Centering Prayer Group 3:30 PM Weekly Reconciliation 5:00 PM Vigil Mass - Croatia Fest

Reconnect with St. Joseph

We desire to re-engage our current members. Perhaps you are a registered member who has been attending for years and are interested in reconnecting within the Parish. Have you been curious about a ministry? Interested in trying something new? Want to connect with other parishioners? We have 49 ministries with a broad range of activities. Visit us at www.stjosephparish.org and click on the "Ministries" tile to explore these options. We look forward to reconnecting with you. Thank you!



LITURGY AND WORSHIP



Neighborhood **Blessing Of The Animals**

Please join us on Tuesday, October 4th at 6:00 pm on the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi for a blessing of the animals on the front lawn of the church.

St. Joseph Community extends its prayers and hopes



Prayer for the following intentions: For the infants who are being baptized this weekend . . . For the participants on the Women's Ministry Fall Retreat to be refreshed and renewed and reflective: Becoming Who You Are -Finding Your Own True Path to Holiness.

"An honest answer is like a kiss on the lips." ~Proverbs 24:26

Rest in Peace Teresa Niggemeyer Memorial Service October 8 at 2 pm, Seattle Prep

Call for Musicians and Vocalists for Future Taizé

Thank you to all those who attended the Taizé and Adoration service led by members from our young adult community this past July. Because of its success, we are planning to make it a recurring service, and we need your help. If you play an instrument or have experience singing, we would love to have you help lead our service. We are especially looking for pianists and those who have cantoring experience, but would like to hear from you regardless of experience or what instrument you play. If interested, please contact Drew Becker at cosmo787@gmail.com or Paula Listiani Kosasih at shiva_paula@yahoo.com



FAITH FORMATION

Children's Faith Formation begins October 2, High School Confirmation begins October 9. Registration is open now!

> To register, visit our Homepage tile Let's Get Started www.stjosephparish.org

Questions? Please contact Dottie Farewell at dfarewell@stjosephparish.org or 206-965-1652.

Deadline to register is September 30th!

Baptism Families

Please join us in praying for the families having children baptized this weekend: **Sunday, 9 AM Mass:** Terry & Amy Easley, Robert & Tessa Jungerhans, and Joseph & Emily Wakefield. **Sunday, 11:00 AM Mass:** Christopher Canlas & Michael Heath, and Michael & Teresa Gebretsadik.

The VOICE Youth Group

The VOICE, St. Joseph's High School Youth community, invites ALL 9th - 12th grade students to our meetings on **Wednesdays** from 7-8:30 at the Parish Center. Come join us for food, friends and games. Please contact Sam at samk@stjosephparish.org with any questions.

NO MEETING ON SEPTEMBER 28.

Pathfinders 2016

Calling all St. Joseph 6th, 7th and 8th Graders, are you looking for an adventure, a chance to help others, a community?

Join Pathfinders Middle School Youth Group!

We meet on Wednesday nights in the Parish Center from 6:00 to 7:30 pm. For information, please contact Dottie Farewell at dfarewell@stjosephparish.org



Sacramental Preparation 101 with Fr. John, SJ

Parents, guardians, and young adults are invited to learn and explore the Sacraments of the Catholic Church with our Pastor, Fr. John Whitney, S.J. The second class, The Sacraments of Healing (Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick) and Service (Marriage and Holy Orders), will be held on **Thursday, September 29**, from 7-9pm. We will meet in the Parish Center's Arrupe Room.

Refreshments provided. Please contact Dottie Farewell at dfarewell@stjosephparish.org if you have questions.

*New this year: CFF2 parents and guardians please attend both sessions.

Bible Study: Luke/Acts

As part of this year's adult faith offerings, we plan to continue our small group Bible study beginning in October. *TO CONTINUE THIS PROGRAM WE NEED AT LEAST 6 PARTICIPANTS* At this point we'd like to hear from individuals who are interested in participating in a 6-week program. No experience in previous Bible study is required!!! Instead of posting a time and day, we will ask all who register the day/time most convenient for them and then we will select a day/ time for the class.

The program we are using is Threshold Bible Study by Stephen J. Binz: Church of the Holy Spirit: Acts of the Apostles. This is a study of the early church. His books contain the Scripture reading, a Commentary on the reading, and a few questions which give you things to consider as you read.

We are not approaching this as finding all the right answers, but instead in reading to understand what the readings say to each of us and then sharing and discussing. It is meant to be a Heart, not a Head, study.

For more information, contact Theresa Lukasik at there-sal@stjospehparish.org or 206-965-1651.

Parish Life



Seniors On The Go

Friday, October 7th - Healing Mass at 11:30 am. Lunch following in the Parish Center!

Tuesday, October 11th - Seniors Planning Meeting at 11:30 am (brown bag lunch) and Movie Matinee at 1:00 pm. We'll watch *Miracles from Heaven*.

Thursday, October 13th - Seniors Outing from 10 am - 4 pm. Join us for a visit to Snoqualmie Falls and Casino. We'll also make a stop at the outlet mall in North Bend!

Wednesday, October 19th - Join us for our monthly support group, Aging Gracefully, from 11 am - 12 noon.

To sign up for Snoqualmie trip, contact Renee at rleet@ stjosephparish.org or call (206) 324-2522, Ext. 100.

Men's Home Mass & Potluck

Friday, September 30th, 6:00 pm (Fallon's - 938 16th Ave F - (206) 328-81

At Gary Fallon's - 938 16th Ave E - (206) 328-8186

We welcome Fr. Julian Climaco SJ - our new Parish Priest as our celebrant and Rob Carroll will bless us with his gift of music. Gather at 6 pm; Mass at 6:30 pm; Potluck Supper at 7:30 pm. Main dish (Lasagna provided). Everyone's invited to bring one of the following: salad, dessert, appetizer or bread and beverage of choice to share. RSVP with what you can bring. Feel free to spread the word and invite others. If you have questions, contact Deacon Steve at stevew@stjosephparish.org or call 206-965-1646.

Fall Men's Retreat

"Nurturing the Sacred and a Little Bit Of Solitude in our Everyday Lives" October 21-23, 2016 Friday 8pm through Sunday 11am

Join us for our annual St. Joseph Fall Men's retreat at Camp Casey on Whidbey Island. The cost is \$150 and includes two nights lodging and four meals. Our animators will be Leo Lyons, Hilberto Valdivia, Fr. Julian Climaco, Joseph Laber, Dave Spicer and musician Phil Hirschi. To register contact Deacon Steve at stevew@ stjosephparish.org or call 206-965-1646.

"Hope & Healing"

A Faith-Sharing Group for Those Experiencing Illness

We invite anyone who has experienced or is currently experiencing a period of extended illness to join us for prayer, exploration, and fellowship. Our first meeting is **Tuesday, September 27th,** at 7pm in the Parish Center's Brebeuf Rm. Please contact Avery Haller at averyhaller@outlook.com or 206-459-1768 if you have questions.

GoodNews People

Looking for a way to grow your faith and deepen your connection to the St. Joseph community?

Look no further! St. Joseph's Young Adult (YA) ministry is hosting a Good News People group that will meet weekly starting on Tuesday, October 18th. GoodNews-People is a faith formation program built around the small-group process of prayer, reflection, and action. The group will meet in the Greenlake neighborhood from 7:30-9:30pm on Tuesday nights for 14 sessions (7 sessions, break over the holidays, 7 sessions). Each session includes prayer, lectio divina, dialogue, and sharing Good News Stories. The cost for each participant is \$45 for the 14-week program booklet/materials. Please email youngadultcommunity@stjosephparish.org with questions and/or to sign up email our faciliators: Liz Motte at enmotte@gmail.com or Virginia Whalen at vwwhalen@uw.edu or Deacon Steve at stevew@stjosephparish.org or 206-965-1646. Space is limited to 12 participants so act now!

Planning Meeting

Have you enjoyed St. Joseph's Young Adult events? Got great ideas for new ones? Interested in planning and coordinating events for the community? Join us **Wednesday, October 5th,** at 7pm in the Parish Center. Or email us at youngadultcommunity@stjosephparish.org with ideas. Newcomers always welcome!

Stump the Priest with Fr. John!

On **Sunday, October 2nd,** please join us for our monthly social immediately following 5:30pm Mass in the Parish Center. Pizza, salad and beverages are provided. A \$10.00 donation is suggested; this is a great way to meet other young adults! At this month's social, Fr. John will answer questions on the intersection of faith and politics. Please email youngadultcommunity@stjosephparish.org for further details.

FAITH JUSTICE

St. Vincent de Paul

A report from our SVdP Conference: All he had for food



was a loaf of bread. But this elderly veteran's call to St. Vincent de Paul was not for help with food. He instead called for assistance with his rent. Hobbling around on crutches from an ankle injury, he had to spend some extra money for medicine.

We gave him the \$75 to cover his rent for the month and he was most thankful. As our volunteers were about to leave, they asked if he needed help with food. Well, he did have a loaf of bread. A quick check revealed that was all he had. And it would be 10 more days until his monthly Social Security check arrived.

We gave him money for food to cover that interval. Your donations help people struggling with basics. This gentleman and we are most grateful for your support. Thank you for your generosity.

St. Martin de Porres Shelter **Volunteers Needed**

The St. Joseph Winter Shelter provides overnight shelter and 'meal bags' for fourteen homeless men, age 50 and older, five nights a week from October through April. The program tries to offer a night's rest in an environment of dignity, respect and safety.

Get Involved: Please consider volunteering as a host. Hosts work in pairs and sign up for a specific night once a month. The two hosts spending the night provide hospitality and a sense of community. Meal providers use their own funds to prepare a meal for the men to take the next morning. They are scheduled on the day of their choice once a month or every six weeks.

Meal providers can deliver the meals between 8:00am -10:00pm. The men appreciate the fact that someone has thought enough of them to make sure they have food for the day. To volunteer contact Taffy McCormick at wintershelter@stjosephparish.org

Dialogue on Racial Justice

Thursday, September 29th at 6:30 PM Mount Baker Community Center 2811 Mt. Rainer Drive

Join us for the first of a series of community discussions on race and social justice issues with a goal to increase understanding, foster trust and listen to different points of view. This first event is co-hosted by the Northwest African American Museum (NAAM).

Guests will include Seattle Times "Under Our Skin" team, Bishop Greg Rickel, the John Muir Elementary Race and Equity Team and others. Will include a viewing of "Under Our Skin," a 45 minute video from The Seattle Times. A panel, including representatives from NAAM, Seattle Times, and John Muir Race and Equity Team (parents and teachers), will share their perspectives followed by a 45 minute facilitated discussion.

We believe the personal reflections and stories from the people who participated in this project will inspire all of us to think and talk about these issues in a deeper way.

Going forward, a small group of parishioners is interested in meeting for gentle dialogue and discussion on racial justice and the gospel message, to discern how we can respond/act as a faith community. If you are interested, please call Deacon Steve at 206-965-1646 or email Mary de Rosas mpcd4730@yahoo.com

Tent City 3 Dinners Volunteers Needed

Starting on October 12th, and the second Wednesday of each month, St. Joseph Parish will provide dinner for the residents of Tent City 3 at their new home off 130th and Lake City Way in North Seattle. Our first dinner will have a Mexican theme. We need chicken enchiladas, rice, beans, chips, salsa, beverages, and dessert for 100 people.

If you want to help with providing a food item or serving, please contact Deacon Steve at stevew@stjosephparish. org or call 206-965-1646.

Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship 6:30 PM Thursdays, Sept 29th, October 6th & 13th St. James Cathedral Hall, 803 Terry Ave, Seattle 98104

Join us for the remaining lectures as we prepare for the fall election. On September 29th, Michael Ramos will lead a conversation on Immigration, on October 6th, Camille Pauley will discuss Life Issues, and the October 13th discussion will be led by Jessie Dye on Environmental Concerns. There is parking available at O'Dea High or the Cabrini Parking Garage. The series is hosted by St. Joseph and Christ Our Hope Churches & St. James Cathedral.

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Jesuit Higher Education and the Challenge of Gender

Professor Joy Gordon, JD, PhD, is the Ignacio Ellacuría, S.J. Professor of Social Ethics at Loyola University, Chicago. "Dr. Gordon kicks off a year-long focus on women leaders," said Professor Jeanette Rodriguez, Louis Gaffney S.J. Endowed Chair in the College of Arts and Sciences. As Gaffney Chair, Rodriguez has planned a series of conversations, retreats, and events under the theme "Women's Leadership and Partnership in Jesuit Institutions of Higher Education."

Dr. Gordon's lecture, which is free and open to the public, takes place at 7 pm in Pigott Auditorium on October 6, 2016.

Dr. Gordon received her PhD in Philosophy from Yale University and her JD from Boston University. She specializes her teaching and research on social and political philosophy, human rights, international law and global governance, and ethical issues in international relations. A prolific scholar, she has published extensively on legal and ethical aspects of economic sanctions. Gordon is on the editorial board of Ethics and International Affairs and is currently writing on legal and ethical issues concerning the United Nations Security Council.

Ignacio de Loyola, A Film

Tuesday, October 4th, 2016 - 9am - 12 noon Seattle University's Pigott Auditorium

Ignacio de Loyola, a Philippine historical drama based on the memoirs of St. Ignatius of Loyola, is the 2016 debut of director Paolo Dy. The film--the first Filipino film to screen at the Vatican--follows the journey of St. Ignatius from a brash and arrogant soldier to a physically wounded but spiritually transformed Christian convert.

Free admission or pay what you can! Any proceeds go to the Institute for Catholic Thought and Culture at Seattle University. Presented in partnership with the Center for Jesuit Education, Campus Ministry and the Arrupe Jesuit Community. Buy your tickets here: http://ignacio.brownpapertickets.com/

Ignatian Spirituality 101

An introduction to Ignatian prayer & spirituality
Thursday, October 6, 2016 | 6:30 – 8:45 pm
Mother Teresa Room, St. Joseph Parish Center, Seattle
ISC Staff and Partners, presenting

What spirituality grounds Pope Francis? What is Ignatian spirituality all about? How might I incorporate Ignatian prayer and spirituality into MY life? If you would like to know more, this evening introduction to the basics of Ignatian prayer and spirituality is for you!

The evening will include: an overview of the life and vision of St. Ignatius and key characteristics of Ignatian spirituality, experiences of Ignatian prayer, and more information on local Ignatian resources, such as the ISC, Magis: Alumni Living the Mission, Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life (SEEL), and Christian Life Communities (CLC). Light snacks will be provided.

People of all ages, faith traditions and spiritual backgrounds are welcome. Bring a friend! If you are already familiar with Ignatian spirituality, we encourage you also to invite family, friends or colleagues to attend.

No cost – donations appreciated. For more info, or to RSVP, please email Andrea Fontana, Program Coordinator, or call 206.329.4824.

Accompanying Those in the Margins

The Way of Companionship: "a way of approaching each other as human beings and souls of infinite worth and value" with Carolyn Hickman.

Saturday, October 8, 2016 - 9am - 12pm St. Joseph Parish Center

This morning will offer a clear language and compassionate approach to companionship. Together we will explore 5 core practices anyone can apply to support individuals on the road to healing, recovery and wholeness. All are invited to attend. Anyone working with or desiring to work with people in society's margins will benefit from this day.

For more information, contact Carolyn Hickman at carolyn@ignatiancenter.org or (206) 329-4824.

