

# St. Joseph Parish

THE JESUIT PARISH IN SEATTLE



when you come into your kingdom." "Jesus, remember me

#### FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING NOVEMBER 20, 2016

Preaching This Week: Fr. John D. Whitney, S.J. Preaching Next Week: Deacon Steve Readings for November 27, 2016

First Reading: Isaiah 2:1-5
Second Reading: Romans 13:11-14
Gospel: Matthew 24:37-44

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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## **Finding Our Breath**

Take a breath.

If your life is anything like mine, it has been a difficult two weeks. And yet, in the midst of all the madness of politics and pain, of riots and refugees, the grace of God still abides in the world, and, as the Jesuit, Gerard Manley Hopkins, writes, "though the last lights of the black West went / O, morning, at the brown brink eastward springs—/ Because the Holy Ghost over the bent / World broods with warm breast and with ah! bright wings."

In that spirit, I invite you to take a breath. And I offer you a little bit of rigamarole—a prayer written for this year's St. Joseph School Auction. The theme was *Mad Men*—which seemed oddly appropriate in the wake of the election. I chose to offer a prayer that reminds us that we have been through much since the 1960's, and God has led us here. We will be okay—with work, with companionship, with love. I hope you enjoy this prayer. It isn't Hopkins, but I hope it gives us a chance to breathe on the way to Thanksgiving.

#### A Prayer for St. Joseph Auction

Beneath the shadow of the Bomb, When Cuba was our foe, And East Berlin was poised for war, If Khrushev gave the go.

While wars of liberation raged, And Empires depart, In Indochina France withdraws, And we take up her part.

With just a few advisors there, What mischief could it do? For we can stop the communists, In 1962.

And on the homefront there are tales Of violence in the South, When Rosa Parks refused to stand, And sheriff's dragged her out.

In Birmingham a preacher's jailed, Whose name is Martin King, And freedom riders head down south, While Dylan starts to sing.

And those up north are scandalized, By Dixie's awful fight, And feel themselves superior, In suburbs lily white.

Meanwhile in Rome the Good Pope John, A Council has convened, And all the red and purple boys, Show up at Peter's scene. They throw the windows open wide, To let in air and light, And make the Church more relevant, But not without a fight.

When they propose that we're the Church, You hear the old men roar, And when they use the people's tongue, They say, "You've sold the store."

But wars and race and Councils, too, Were not for us to fret, For we were watching tv shows That taught us to forget.

Gunsmoke, Bonanza, Twilight Zone, Or Leave it to the Beav, All held us fast within their spell, And never would deceive.

But guide us towards commercial breaks, When heroes tell us, "Buy," And we would never question him, Why, he's our favorite guy!

One show sells us on *Pepsodent*, To make our teeth so white, Or *All* to fix the collar ring, That is an awful blight.

Halitosis was created, *Listerine* its cure, The *Ajax* Knight, stronger than dirt, Kept all the suburbs pure.

And young "Don Drapers" wove a web, Of advertising charm, With 3-Martini lunches, That never did them harm.

We were the best and brightest then, In Camelot, it seemed, And nothing was impossible, When every dream was dreamed.

Before the shots in Dallas rang, And dreams were overthrown, Before to Vietnam went dads, Whose children are now grown.

When women all were "Babes" and "Chicks" And smoking was still cool, We'd sip our Scotch and puff Pall-Malls, And scope the steno pool.

Tonight we *play* the past, O God, And wear our 60's clothes, In tuxes sharp and gowns aglow, We emulate its pose.

But this, you know, is just a game, Of dress-up and pretend, To make St. Joseph strong for all: That is our real end.

So at our school each girl and boy, Might find a guiding grace, And that the future might be theirs, No matter creed or race.

We build a school through many hands, And many gifts this night, Open hearts and wallets, God, This future to ignite.

Make of us mad men, one and all, And women, madly bless, That all might hold St. Joseph dear, With bidding, unsuppressed

Then generations yet to come Will look on us and know, We asked not what St. Joe's could do, But what we could do for St. Joe's. Amen.

And for those of you who may need a prayer for your Thanksgiving dinner our traditional St. Joseph Parish blessing:

A Thanksgiving Blessing

For bread & meat set down before us, For hands that plant & bring the harvest, For rainy days that green the hillside, For breathless nights of winter moonrise For star & sun & earth & woodland, For joy & hope & tears of welcome, For all the people gathered round us, For all those who have slipped our compass, For gifts enough that we can share, For hearts enlarged by love & cheer, For Mary's Son who joins our feasting, For Spirit shared with love unceasing, For all the blessings we are given, For all the grace from here to heaven, We give you thanks & praise & glory, Great Author of our life & story. Be with us now & bless all living, That every day may be Thanksgiving!

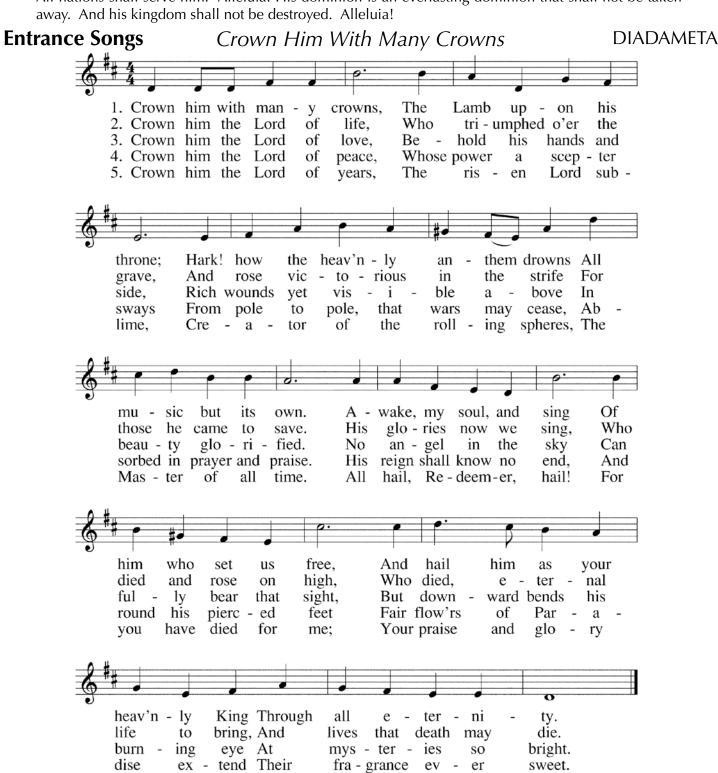
Amen.

Blessings to all of you, and if you can't make it to St. Joseph on Thanksgiving, know we are praying with you, wherever you are.

## FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING

Choral Fanfare Hamilton

He shall rule from sea to sea, and from the over to the ends of the earth. All kings shall pay him homage. All nations shall serve him. Alleluia. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not be taken away. And his kingdom shall not be destroyed. Alleluia!



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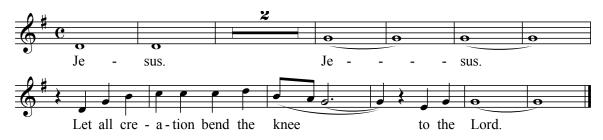
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#### (5:30) Jesus, the Lord

O'Connor



#### Signing of the Senses (9) Christ Will Be Your Strength



#### **First Reading**

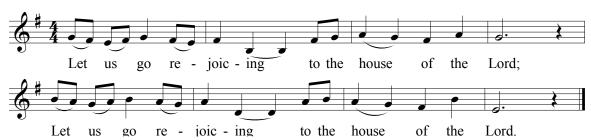
2 Samuel 5:1-3

In those days, all the tribes of Israel came to David in Hebron and said: "Here we are, your bone and your flesh. In days past, when Saul was our king, it was you who led the Israelites out and brought them back. And the LORD said to you, 'You shall shepherd my people Israel and shall be commander of Israel.'" When all the elders of Israel came to David in Hebron, King David made an agreement with them there before the LORD, and they anointed him king of Israel



#### Psalm 122

Joncas



#### **Second Reading**

Colossians 1:12-20

Brothers and sisters: Let us give thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light. He delivered us from the power of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers; all things were created through him and for him. He is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things he himself might be preeminent. For in him all the fullness was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile all things for him, making peace by the blood of his cross through him, whether those on earth or those in heaven.

#### **Gospel Acclamation**

#### Festival Alleluia

Chepponis



#### **Gospel Acclamation**

5:30 Chant



Gospel Luke 23:35-43

The rulers sneered at Jesus and said, "He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God." Even the soldiers jeered at him. As they approached to offer him wine they called out, "If you are King of the Jews, save yourself." Above him there was an inscription that read, "This is the King of the Jews."

Now one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus, saying, "Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us." The other, however, rebuking him, said in reply, "Have you no fear of God, for you are subject to the same condemnation? And indeed, we have been condemned justly, for the sentence we received corresponds to our crimes, but this man has done nothing criminal." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied to him, "Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

#### **Homily**



Fr. John D. Whitney, S.J.

#### **Dismissal of the Catechumens & Candidates**



#### **Offertory Song**

Choral Anthem: Let All The World In Every Corner Sing Herbert/Lang

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King! The heavens are not too high, his praise may thither fly, the earth is not too low, his praises there may grow. Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!
The church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out;
but, above all, the heart must bear the longest part.
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!

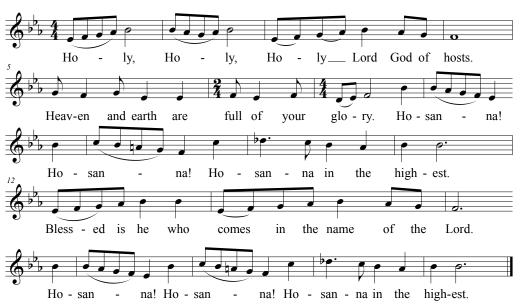
#### (5 & 11) O Christ What Can It Mean For Us



#### Holy, Holy, Holy

#### Mass of Wisdom



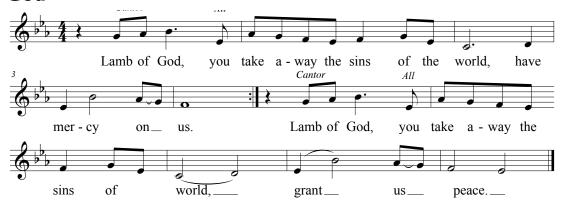


#### **Mystery of Faith**



#### **Lamb of God**

Janco





#### All Are Invited To Come Forward

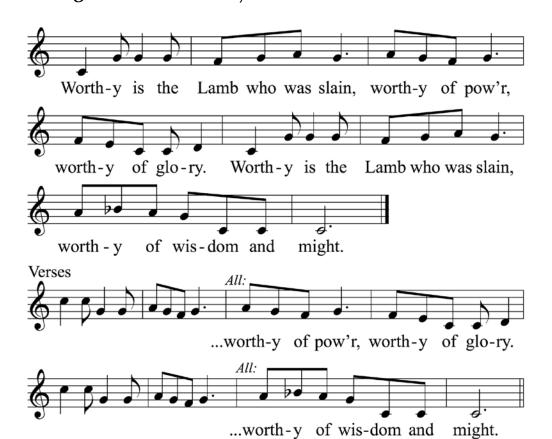
During communion, we invite all to come forward. If you do not ordinarily receive Eucharist, or choose not to, come for a blessing, indicating your desire by putting your hand on your heart.

IF YOU HAVE A GLUTEN ALLERGY, & NEED OF A GLUTEN FREE HOST, PLEASE COME TO THE PRESIDER & INDICATE THIS.

#### **Communion Song**

#### Worthy Is The Lamb

**Psallite** 





#### **Communion Prayer**

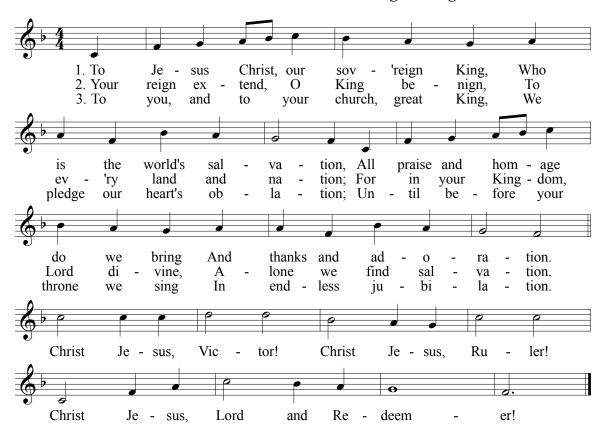
#### Live Mercy

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.

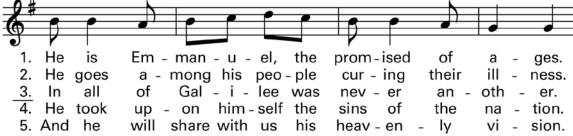


#### **Closing Song**

#### To Jesus Christ Our Sovereign King



#### Recessional (5:30) The King Of Glory The King of glo - ry comes, the na - tion - joic O - pen the gates be - fore him, lift up your voic es. Verses 1. Who King of him? is the glo - ry; how shall call we Gal - i vil - lage, 2. In all of lee, cit - y or 3. Sing then of Da - vid's Son, our Sav - ior broth - er; and He gave his life for us, the pledge of va - tion, sal He con-guered sin and death; he tru - ly has ris en, to Refrain



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# THIS WEEK AT ST. JOSEPH



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

11:00 AM Mass 5:30 PM Mass

6:30 PM Wine & Cheese Social (after Mass)

#### Monday

7:00 AM Daily Mass

7:00 PM Holy Rosary Group7:00 PM Sacred Silence7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul

#### **Tuesday**

7:00 AM Daily Mass
7:00 PM Tuesday Night Yoga

#### Wednesday

7:00 AM Daily Mass

#### **Thursday**

10:00 AM Thanksgiving Mass

#### **Friday**

7:00 AM Daily Mass

### **Saturday**

3:30 PM Weekly Reconciliation

5:00 PM Vigil Mass





## LITURGY AND WORSHIP

Prayer Tree

**St. Joseph Community extends its prayers and hopes for the following intentions:** For Paul's health . . . For a son and his roommate to find appropriate accommodations . . . For those who are suffering from the pain and discomfort of sciatica . . . For Debbie who is experiencing abdominal

problems, may the mystery be solved . . . For Sandi's overall wellbeing . . . For our words and actions to reflect who we are in the Lord.

"Everyone of us needs a half hour of daily prayer, Except when we are busy – Then we need an hour."

~St. Francis de Sales

## **Thanksgiving Day Mass**

Thursday, November 24th, 10:00 am

Please join with the community at 10:00 am mass (there will be no early morning mass on Thanksgiving). Please bring two items of food or drink: one from your table to be blessed at the altar during mass, and the second item of food for Francis House, so that others might also be blessed by your generosity. Our collection will be donated to St. Mary's Food Bank.

### **Liturgy & Worship Survey**

This weekend begins the second week of the St. Joseph online liturgy evaluation sponsored by the parish Liturgy and Worship Commission. This evaluative tool is designed to assist the pastor and parish staff in understanding the aspects of liturgy that support parishioners in active and meaningful participation in the liturgy. We want to know what elements of how we celebrate Mass together help deepen your experience of worship and/or your engagement in the community. We also want to hear from you about elements of our worship together that take away from your experience, that you have questions about and/or that you find distracting.

The survey is currently "live" on the parish website. Simply go to the parish website at https://www.stjo-sephparish.org and click on the link right there on the front page. **The evaluation will conclude at midnight on Sunday, November 27th.** If you do not have access to a computer or would prefer to fill out a paper evaluation, you can pick one up from the receptionist at the Parish Center. Paper surveys must be dropped off by 7 pm on November 27th. Your feedback is important so thank you for taking the time to fill out an evaluation.



## Parish Life

#### **Seniors On The Go**

**Friday, December 2nd** - Anointing Mass with Senior Luncheon following.

**Tuesday, December 6th** - Join us for our annual outing to Molbak's, Flower World and the Maltby Café. We hop on the parish mini-bus which seats up to 15 passengers around 10:00 am and return around 3:30pm. Reserve your seat by emailing Renee at rleet@stjosephparish.org or by calling 206-324-2522.

**Tuesday, December 13th** - Join us for our Seniors Christmas Potluck Party from 5-8 pm in the Arrupe Room.

## **Men's Advent Morning Reflection**

Finding God in the Christmas Quiet & Christmas Noise
Saturday, December 3rd, 8:30-11:30 am
Arrupe Room/ Parish Center

Join us for an Advent Morning Reflection with prayer, music, and personal reflection. Coffee and pastries are provided. For more information contact Deacon Steve at stevew@stjosephparish.org or call 206-965-1646. All men are welcome.

#### Wine & Cheese Social Hour

The Welcoming Ministry and LGBTQ Ministry invite you to an all-parish social hour following the 5.30 pm Mass on **Sunday, November 20th**. Come enjoy a beverage and some nibbles with your fellow parishioners. All are welcome!



## **STEWARDSHIP**

### **Stewardship Update**

Many, many thanks to all who have made gifts and pledges to our annual stewardship appeal. To date, we have received 410 pledges totaling \$730,717 toward our goal of \$1,500,000. We are endlessly grateful for your commitment to St. Joseph Parish! If you haven't yet affirmed your active membership in our parish, please do so, and prayerfully consider what, if any, gift you are able to give to support our work.

Many thanks... Monica Alquist, Peggy Aman, Joe Anderton & Diane Lostrangio, Ken Barroga, Jacob & Sara Bayless da Costa, Bradley & Cindy Ann Belanger, Kirk & Rachel Bergere, Jim & Patti Brennan, Tim Burkart & Darcy LaBelle, Anthony & Michelle Cangialosi, Philip Chen & Grace Cinciripini, Jason & Lara Mae Chollette, Paul & Sarah Cole, Brian & Patricia DesRoches, Charley Dickey & Sheila Wyckoff-Dickey, Ian Dimayuga, Patrick & Marlene Dineen, Jerry & Karrie Dinndorf, Ben & Sarah Duenwald, Michael & Rosemary Dunigan, Joan Duroe, Terrence & Joan Earls, Sigrid Endresen, Todd Fernandez & Peggy Gannon, Mark Firmani & Joy Portella, Ryan & Lauren Grammer, Russell & Corinne Hagen, Kathy Hastings, Alan & Ana Hergert, Peter Heymann & Nicole Piaseki, Sharon Hoglund, David Hoover & Yasuyo Hirai, Nabil & Layla Jammal, Jerry Johnsen & Stephanie Ragland, Vickie Johnson, Andrew & JoAnne Johnston, Christopher Jones & Jeanine Benham, Andrew & Heather Karch, Colin Kennedy & Alexandra Davis, William & Meghan Kiefer, Virginia Klamon, Catherine LaCugna, Scott & Patricia Larson, John & Judy Lavelle, Ann-Marie Linde, John McKay Jr, Chris Meyers & Enrica Marocco, Eric & Christine Miller, George Moore, Rick & Christine Navarro, Michael & Kieran Oaksmith, Kristie & Trace Pate, Aaron Perrine & Paige Pratter, Nick & Marianne Pettijohn, Fiore & Marianna Pignataro, Joseph & Katherine Pisano, Christopher & Kacey Pohlad, Pablo & Jennifer Proaño, Robert & Lisa Ratliffe, Gail Reath, Gabriela Reyes, Sean & Stefanie Rogers, William & Patricia Rozmyn, Dr. Katherine Ryan, Jon & Erin Sainsbury, Marilyn Sherron, David Smukowski & Patty Helberg, Mark & Jeanine Snowden, Priscilla Soto & Darcy King, Joseph & Britta Steffens, Paul & Tracey Stone, Lawrence Uhlman & Rene Dubay, Jane Urner, Brian Werner & Kate Crisham, Peter & Karen Wickstrand, James & Mary Lou Wickwire, Andrew & Theresa Wilkinson, Lucian & Shannah Wischik, and David & Laura Young



#### **CCS Weekend At St. Joseph**

Every day, we come together as one Catholic community in an effort to offer hope and joy to those most in need within our communities. Through our shared efforts and commitment, Catholic Community Services and Catholic Housing Services are able to provide care to over 108,000 people each year throughout Western Washington.

- The homeless and hungry are sheltered and fed
- Families move into safe homes and communities
- Vulnerable elders are cared for and able to remain in their homes
- Children and teens find safety and security they need to thrive

Your gifts are used locally to provide essential services and programs for people desperately in need. As good stewards of your gifts, 92 cents of every dollar CCS spends goes directly to those in need. Please visit their website at www.ccsww.org for more information.

In many different ways and with great hope and faith, we fight to overcome the injustice of poverty and homelessness. Because of God's grace and love for us, we reach out to others in our communities who so deeply need our love and compassion. Through our shared efforts we are living examples of God's presence and love for all people.

"Poverty calls us to sow hope." ~Pope Francis

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## **STEWARDSHIP**

#### **A Special Thanks**

On this feast of Christ the King, we give thanks for the way parishioners of St. Joseph embody our mission every day. We are truly contemplatives in action! So much of what we do will never be seen by the whole, yet we hope you know how much your volunteer time, sharing of talents, and giving is appreciated.

In addition to the many ways you regularly provide to St. Francis House, St. Vincent de Paul, St. Martin de Porres, St. Joseph School, WestSide Baby, and countless other ministries that call to your heart (and to which you support directly), below is an overview of the financial gifts that our community offered during special collections in the recent liturgical year:

St. Vincent de Paul \$68,422.00

Catholic Community Services and Catholic Housing Services \$11,300.00

Catholic Relief Services \$1,165.00

**Rice Bowl \$9,466.45** 

St. Martin de Porres \$1,525.00

**World Missions Office \$2,626.00** 

Holy Land Collection \$1,218.00

St. Mary's Food Bank \$1,296.00

Nativity School \$855.00

Mary's Place \$1,392.00

West Side Baby \$1,025.00

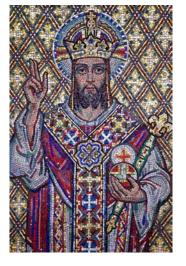
Catholic Charities of Baton Rouge \$5,200.00

**Jesuit Refugee Services \$2,503.95** 

Tent City \$2,371.15

We can't thank you enough for your generosity and for answering the call to love and serve those in need!





## FAITH FORMATION

### Welcome the Newly Baptized!

Please join us in welcoming the newly baptized children from last weekend: **9 am Sunday Mass:** Jackson Joseph Michael Moo, Wilhelmina Belmont Wright, Archer Yuden Hong, Ellen Marie Ross, and Jun Yoshiko Quirk. **11:00 AM Sunday Mass:** Luke Alan Davis, Emilia Louise Frause, Leah Jane Davis, and Abigail Farrow Song.

#### **CFF2 First Reconciliation Dates**

The CFF2 First Reconciliation Rehearsal is **Thursday**, **December 1**, beginning at 6pm in the Church. Please remember to bring your completed work/workbooks in blue packets. The First Reconciliation Service is **Saturday**, **December 3**, at 10am; please wear a nice outfit for a group picture at the end of the service. For questions, please contact Dottie Farewell at dfarewell@stjosephparish.org

## FAITH JUSTICE

# **Earth Ministry Election De-brief** & Catholic Colleague Caucus

**Wednesday, November 30, 2016** 6:30 – 8:00 pm St. Joseph Parish Center

The election results are unexpected and challenging for all of us concerned about God's Creation. We invite you to join your friends and colleagues from Earth Ministry for a post-election de-brief and discussion of the best way forward after a polarizing and negative season.

Earth Ministry has led the faith-based environmental movement for almost 30 years, and has been a loyal promoter of the message of Pope Francis and the encyclical *Laudato Si*. This conversation, sponsored by St. Joseph's, Christ our Hope and St. James, will include an analysis of election results by Jessie Dye and Emily Martin, Catholic staff at Earth Ministry. An RSVP is not necessary but is appreciated to emily@earthminsitry.org

# St. Joseph Parish



# Alternative Bazaar

Sunday, November 20th

10 AM - 1 PM 732 18th Ave E - In the Social Hall



This year St. Joseph's Parish
Alternative Bazaar will have
beautiful handcrafted items from
dozens of countries, and
organizations around the world in
order to support disadvantaged
artisans overseas and in the US.

The artisans and vendors are Fair Trade Certified, or a non-profit whose sales 100% support the organization.



Come and support our nonprofit outreach partners such as: L'Arche, Chief Seattle Club, Association of Catholic Childhood, Jubilee Women's Center & Ten Thousand Villages and many more!

For More Information: Steve Wodzanowski, 206-965-1646 or stevew@stjosephparish.org

#### **JOIN US FOR ADVENT WREATHS!**

Advent Wreath Making Sunday, November 27th, during coffee hour in the Social Hall.

We invite families to come and make their advent wreath together on the stage. Our Children's Faith Formation program will provide



foam wreaths, candles, candle holder, ribbons and greenery. Families and parishioners may make a free will offering to offset cost of supplies.

For questions, please contact Dottie Farewell at dfarewell@stjosephparish.org or 206-965-1652