

SACRED HEART OF JESUS CATHOLIC PARISH

January 15, 2012
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Office Hours: 9am-noon, 1pm-4:30pm, Monday

9am-noon, 1pm-5pm, Tuesday - Friday

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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday—Saturday	8:00am
Monday—Friday	12:10pm
Tuesday	5:30pm
Saturday Vigil	5:30pm
Sunday	9am, 11am, and 5:30pm

Reconciliation: 30 min. before Daily Masses
Saturday 4pm-5pm

MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Catholic community dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, ministered by the Redemptorists in the Archdiocese of Seattle.

We are a welcoming community of baptized disciples. Through our Liturgy, Sacraments, Faith Formation, and Pastoral Care, we dedicate ourselves to being:

- *a Sacramental Community united in God's love*
- *a Community of Faith which shares in the teaching mission of Christ*
- *a Community of Stewardship of time, talent, and treasure serving people most in need*
- *a Community called to witness and proclaim the Good News through the power of the Holy Spirit*

With the grace of God, the guidance of the Holy Spirit, and the maternal protection of Our Mother of Perpetual Help, we devote ourselves to living this mission.

Pastor: Fr. Binh Ta, C.Ss.R.

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Mark Scheffler, C.Ss.R.

REDEMPTORIST COMMUNITY



Fr. Lyle Konen, C.Ss.R.
Fr. Bill Cleary, C.Ss.R.
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Fr. Bill Peterson, C.Ss.R.
Fr. Timothy Watson, C.Ss.R.

PARISH STAFF

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PARISH MINISTRIES

Pastoral Council Chair: Roberta de Vera
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Finance Council Chair: Giorgio Pompei

Cantor/Choir Director: Pam Nim

Books & Gifts Director: Lorie Pantig

Young Adult Ministry: Yams@SacredHeartSeattle.com

Dear Parishioners and Friends of Sacred Heart,

In today's gospel, Jesus saw the two disciples of John following him, and he asked them, "What are you looking for?" They replied, "Where are you staying?" Jesus then said to them, "Come and you will see" Reflecting on that encounter, Fr. Ron Rolheiser notes that, "At the center of our experience lies a disquiet, a yearning, an ache for something we can never quite name. For what are we longing ultimately? What would satisfy our restless heart?" St. Augustine, after years of inner wrestling, realized our utmost longing is to see the face of God, "You have made us for yourself, Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you!"

But then more questions follow: Who can see the face of God? How is this to be achieved? Jesus answers simply, "Blessed are the pure of heart, they shall see the face of God. (Mt. 5:8) Thus, to work at attaining purity of heart is our ultimate spiritual task, in fact life's ultimate task.

This past Tuesday began a new liturgical season of Ordinary Time. The word "ordinary" in popular usage is often viewed as dull or characterless. This view, spiritually speaking, is nothing further from the truth. Indeed, Ordinary, from its Latin "*ordinalis*," implies "showing order," or developing character. During the festive Christmas, Jesus Christ reveals the face of God to us. The season of Ordinary Time thus invites us to slowly, calmly, resolutely let our hearts be purified, so that we can really recognize and see the face of God. Just as our physical muscle is better built, strengthened, and toned over a long period of daily "ordinary" meals rather than one festive party, so it is true for spiritual muscle. In short, now is time to put the Gospel into daily practice; now is the time to let our hearts be purified!

This weekend, please welcome Ms. Gillian Parks, who is the director of Sacred Heart shelter for homeless families and children. The shelter is located right behind our church. Gillian, of the Catholic Community Services, will share with us practical ways of living the Gospel.

This Sunday marks the birthday of Dr. Martin L. King, Jr. who shed his life for the gospel value of racial equality and harmony. May we continue to live as sons and daughters of the one common God, and thus sisters and brothers to one another!

Again, Archbishop Sartain invites us to join him for the "Walk for Life" this Tuesday, January 17. Further information is posted on the bulletin board in the front vestibule.

With love of Christ the Redeemer,

Fr. Binh Ta, C.Ss.R.



THE STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Annual Goal	\$ 294,000.00
Year to Date Goal	158,200.00
Weekly Goal	5,650.00

Collections for the Week Ending January 8

Jan. 8th Weekend Offering	\$ 5,260.00
Year to Date Collections*	140,464.00
Parish Improvement Collection	7,896.00
(Actual Collected - General Improvement, net)	

*Includes Year to date EFTs \$ 15,380.00

Bereavement Support Group: Open to anyone who is grieving the death of a loved one. The program consists of 8 weekly sessions starting the week of Jan. 16, 2012. Contact Fr. Mark at 206-284-4680 or Roberta, Roberta@sacredheartseattle.com before **Jan. 16** if you are interested.

Seniors Group: Call Fr. Mark if you would like to add to the growing list of events for the seniors of our parish. Or you may drop your name & phone number with your suggestions in the Collection basket or Church office.

Daily Mass Intentions

Sun	Jan.15	9:00am	†Sam Grove
		11:00am	John Burton
		5:30pm	†Herman Thortensen
Mon	Jan.16	8:00am	Jeffrey Tan
		12:10pm	†Alex Noel Ramos
Tue	Jan.17	8:00am	†Dr.Reynaldo Gonio,Sr.
		12:10pm	Judy Day
		5:30pm	Isidro Serrano
Wed	Jan.18	8:00am	Jesus Serrano
		12:10pm	Crispin Oviedo
Thu	Jan.19	8:00am	James & Jennifer Oviedo
		12:10pm	Luz Quiban & Family
Fri	Jan.20	8:00am	Elena Rufo
		12:10pm	†Walter J. Reynolds
Sat	Jan.21	8:00am	†Sorahayda Rotilles
		5:30pm	Ernie Pantig

Daily Readings from January 16 to 21

1/16 1 Samuel 15:16-23	Psalms 50:8-9,16-17, 21,23	Mark 2:18-22
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1/18 1 Samuel 17:32-33,37,40-51	Psalms 144:1-2,9-10	Mark 3:1-6
1/19 1 Samuel 18:6-9--19:1-7	Psalms 56:2-3,9-13	Mark 3:7-12
1/20 1 Samuel 24:3-21	Psalms 57:2-4,6,11	Mark 3:13-19
1/21 2 Samuel 1:1-4,11-12, 19, 23-27	Psalms 80:2-3,5-7	Mark 3:20-21

Help Wanted: Part-time Cook

The Redemptorist Community at Sacred Heart needs a part-time cook. The job entails cooking evening meals Monday through Friday (3.5 hours a day). If interested, please call 206-284-4680 during office hours.

Mass for Life

**January 17, Tuesday, 9:30am
St. Martin's University, Lacey**

Archbishop J. Peter Sartain invites you to participate in the Mass for Life on Tuesday, January 17th, 9:30am at Marcus Pavilion, St. Martin's University in Lacey (5300 Pacific Ave SE, Lacey, WA 98503)

Due to limited parking, parishioners are encouraged to carpool. Directions to St. Martin's and maps for parking can be found online at:

www.seattlearchdiocese.org/CFF/Resources.aspx

For Mass details, contact the Liturgy Office at 206-382-4878. For questions about parking, email ocff@seattlearch.org

Please Pray For The Following People

Christina Buckley
Diedre Evans
Rose Ann Haas
Paul Sweeny
Paul Dargan
Joseph Usher
Catherine Binford
Anne Carroll
Barbara Felzer
Margaret Hernandez
Louise Steuart & Family



Dorothy Usher
Bernadette Berry
Jerry and Mary Pat
Dan Rosenberg
Daniel Mulholland
Jerry Usher
Ellen Donohoe
Kayla Preston
Mandy Bradley
Judy Day

HIPAA laws require permission to publish names

This Week At Sacred Heart

January 15, Sunday

- Coffee Hour after the 9am & 11am Masses
- Legion of Mary, Adoration Chapel, 12:30pm

January 16, Monday: Martin Luther King Holiday

- Office Closed

January 17, Tuesday

- MPH Novena after 8am, 12:10pm, 5:30pm Masses

January 21, Saturday

- La Luz de Cristo, Adoration Chapel, 10:00am to noon

La Luz de Cristo

Spanish Prayer Group, La Luz de Cristo (The Light of Christ) meets every Saturday from 10am to noon in the Adoration Chapel for praise and worship. Translators are available for the English Speaking only.

Grupo de Oración La Luz de Cristo se reúne cada Sábado de 10am al mediodía en la Capilla de Adoración para cantar y alabar al Señor.

Liturgical Ministers Needed for 9am Sunday Mass

We need more volunteers for the 9am Sunday Mass. If you would like to help as a lector, commentator, Eucharistic Minister, Altar Server, or Sacristan, please call the office at 206-284-4680 or email info@sacredheartseattle.com

Mass for the Feast of the Infant Jesus (Santo Niño)

**January 28, Saturday at Sacred Heart
Devotion at 10am, Mass at 11am**

You are invited to bring your own images of the Infant Jesus for the blessing.

Please remember Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish in your will and estate planning.