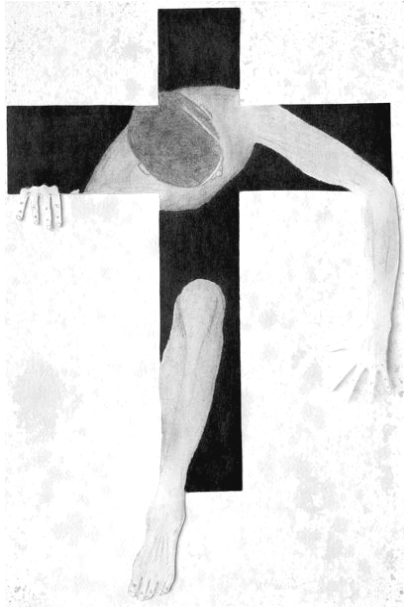


SACRED HEART OF JESUS CATHOLIC PARISH

August 25, 2013

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



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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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Dear Parishioners and Friends of Sacred Heart,

As Jesus continues his fateful “narrow” path to Jerusalem, he deflects an age-old concern of “Will only a few people be saved” to a deeper reflection: Who will be in Heaven? How? Why? When? Fulton Sheen, a saintly and genius American archbishop, once prophetically quipped, “There will be three surprises in heaven. First, many people we expected to be in Heaven are not there. St. John of the Cross offers a reason for being absent: “At the evening of our life, we shall be judged on how we have loved.” Second: Those whom we think unqualified for Heaven are there. Only God sees human hearts clearly and reward us accordingly. The third surprise: We are in Heaven. “Being in Heaven” is above all a GIFT from God, who “desires everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth” (1 Tim. 2:4). Saying “strive to enter through a narrow gate,” Jesus advises us to not take God’s gift (i.e., life, faith, family, \$, time, talents) for granted, but rather to cooperate with his undeserving grace with a life of gratitude, of unconditional and generous sacrifices. Jesus and Mary lived just that! How can we be any different?

At all Masses this weekend we welcome back Fr. Joe T. Ngo, who generously served his first years of ministry at Sacred Heart. Fr. Joe is sent here to preach on **Co-Redemptorist Association** (CRA). The CRA is a concrete way for you to partner with Redemptorists in spreading Christ’s love and teaching to all, especially the marginalized. Since 1891, Redemptorists have faithfully served many generations of “us/you” at Sacred Heart and throughout the Archdiocese. All Redemptorists serving here were, and to an extent still are, helped by the CRA. So, your partnership is invaluable and critical for our continuing services here. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

A brief update on our parish’s “**125th Anniversary**” planning: Various committees have been formed. They will soon be introduced to you, as they begin to seek your inputs in selecting concrete events and projects, so that all of us can participate and enjoy. Please continue praying for this gift of anniversary.

I will be away this Wednesday, August 28th through Monday, September 9th for two important events: Leading a five-day back-to-school retreat for our theology students in Oconomowoc, Wisconsin; then visiting dad/family in Houston, Texas to celebrate my 25th Anniversary of Profession (Religious Vows) as a Redemptorist. Please keep our students and me in your prayers. I promise to remember you!

With love in Christ the Redeemer,
Fr. Binh Ta, C.Ss.R.

Stewardship: God’s Gift; Our Response - A Christian Way of Life

*“When not in focus
on what is missing from our lives
but are grateful for the abundance that’s present...
we experience heaven on earth.”*

Anonymous



The Stewardship Of Treasure

Annual Goal	\$ 264,615
Y-T-D Goal (as of 7/1/2013)	40,720
Weekly Goal	5,090

Collections for the Week Ending Aug. 18

Aug. 18th Weekend Offering	\$ 3,446
Year to Date Collections	35,558
Parish Improvement	1,867
Food Program (Net of Expenses)	4,568
EFT/Online Donations (YTD)	4,772

Co-Redemptorist Preaching: August 24 and 25 Masses

Co-Redemptorists are lay men and women who take an active role in helping to recruit and support young men who choose to pursue religious life as Redemptorist priests and brothers.

As a Co-Redemptorist, you will receive a monthly letter of what your cooperation is accomplishing and your personal prayers are joined to those offered up by Redemptorists around the world.

Co-Redemptorist Association envelopes are available on the pews. You may also donate online at www.redemptoristsdenver.org and click on Co-Redemptorist Association on the bottom right.

Electronic Funds Transfer or Online Donations

- * *Electronic Funds Transfer*: setup & maintained by parish staff
- * *Online Donations*: setup & maintained by you (account holder)
- * *Both are convenient, simple, safe, time-saving, and confidential*

For **Online Donations**, please go to www.sacredheartseattle.com
For **EFT**, contact Val Valmonte (parish staff) for assistance.

Daily Mass Intentions

Sun	Aug.25	9:00am	†Norman Roberts
		11:00am	†Gene Merlino
		5:30pm	Redemptorist Community
Mon	Aug.26	8:00am	J.B.Canon Thanksgiving
		12:10pm	†Michael J. Moran
Tue	Aug.27	8:00am	†Jack Hogan
		12:10pm	†Christina Buckley
		5:30pm	†Violet Storm
Wed	Aug.28	8:00am	†Antonio Azares, Sr.
		12:10pm	†Charles Guinasso, Sr.
Thu	Aug.29	8:00am	†Phil & Fay de Vera
		12:10pm	†Phil de Vera, Jr.
Fri	Aug.30	8:00am	†Dalisay Caliuag
		12:10pm	†Domenica Picinich
Sat	Aug.31	8:00am	†All Souls in Purgatory
		5:30pm	Sacred Heart Parish

Daily Readings

8/26 1Thessalonians 1:1-5,8-10	Psalms 149:1-6,9	Matthew 23:13-22
8/27 1Thessalonians 2:1-8	Psalms 139:1-6	Matthew 23:23-26
8/28 1Thessalonians 2:9-13	Psalms 139:7-12	Matthew 23:27-32
8/29 1Thessalonians 3:7-13	Psalms 90:3-5,12-14,17	Mark 6:17-29
8/30 1Thessalonians 4:1-8	Psalms 97:1-2,5-6,10-12	Matthew 25:1-13
8/31 1Thessalonians 4:9-11	Psalms 98:1,7-9	Matthew 25:14-30

RCIA Program at Sacred Heart

Classes will begin this fall. To sign up, please call the office at 206-284-4680 or submit a completed RCIA form available at the vestibule.

Annual Young Adults BBQ!

The YAMs group will be having a BBQ this Sunday, August 25 immediately following the 5:30pm mass in the parish rectory patio (you can find us at the back of the church after that mass if you don't know where the rectory is). If you're in your 20s or 30s and want to meet other Catholics your age from the parish, please come on by for some food and fellowship! We'll provide the main food and sides, but feel free to bring dessert or beverage to share (if you just bring yourself, that's ok, too).



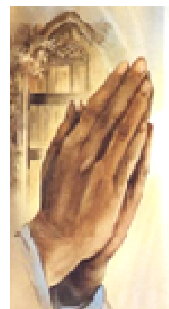
St. Placid Priory

Priory Spiritual Center

The Priory Spiritual Center offers many inspiring, consoling, challenging, and encouraging programs for spiritual searchers. We are located just off of I-5 in Lacey, in the St. Placid Priory. We invite you to join us at any of our upcoming programs or just come in for a visit and a tour. Call Carolyn Galloway at 360-438-2595 or email spiritualityctr@stplacid.org. You may read more about us and our programs at www.stplacid.org or on our Facebook page (The Priory Spiritual Center).

Please Pray for the Following People

Diedre Evans
Rose Ann Haas
Paul Sweeney
Paul Dargan
Joseph Usher
Joy Mugot
Barbara Felzer
Louise Steuart & Family
Leticia Manzano
Elizabeth Rugaber
Amanda Priest



Dorothy Usher
Bernadette Berry
Jerry & Mary Pat
Dan Rosenberg
Jerry Usher
Ellen Donohoe
Liby P. Reyes
Vito Grieco
Anne Carroll
Pat Kelly
Allison N.
Alfred Bell

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This Week at Sacred Heart

August 25, Sunday

- Co-Redemptorist Preaching at the 9am, 11am, & 5:30pm Masses
- Coffee Hour after the 9:00am & 11:00am Masses

Thank you to the Legion of Mary who is hosting the Coffee Hour through September 8

- Legion of Mary, Adoration Chapel, 12:30pm

August 27, Tuesday

- MPH Novena at the 8:00am, 12:10pm, & 5:30pm Masses

August 30, Friday

- 1st day of the Novena of Rosaries, at the 12:10pm Mass
- Flower Arrangement Class, after the 12:10pm Mass

August 31, Saturday

- Flower Arrangement Class, Fellowship Room, 9:30am - 12:30pm
- La Luz de Cristo, Adoration Chapel, 10:00am - noon

Novena in Honor of the Birth of our Blessed Virgin Mary



Please take a Spiritual Bouquet card in the vestibule, for the Novena of Rosaries, from Aug.30 to Sept.7, in honor of the Birth of our Blessed Virgin Mary on Sept.8. Please return the cards in the special marked Spiritual Bouquet basket.

Join us for some birthday cake after the 9am & 11am Masses on September 8 at the Fellowship Room

Flower Arrangement Workshop

When: August 30, Friday after the 12:10pm Mass
August 31, Saturday, 9:30am - 12:30pm

Where: Fellowship Room

Things to bring: pair of scissors, flowers (from home), basket or vase, leaves (small or medium), floral foam (or will be provided)

Retrouvaille (Marriage Enrichment) Weekend September 6-8, 2013

Retrouvaille is open to all married couples or those who are separated or divorced but want to try again. For details and registration, go to www.retrouvaille.org or call 360-452-4548 or 206-706-2608.