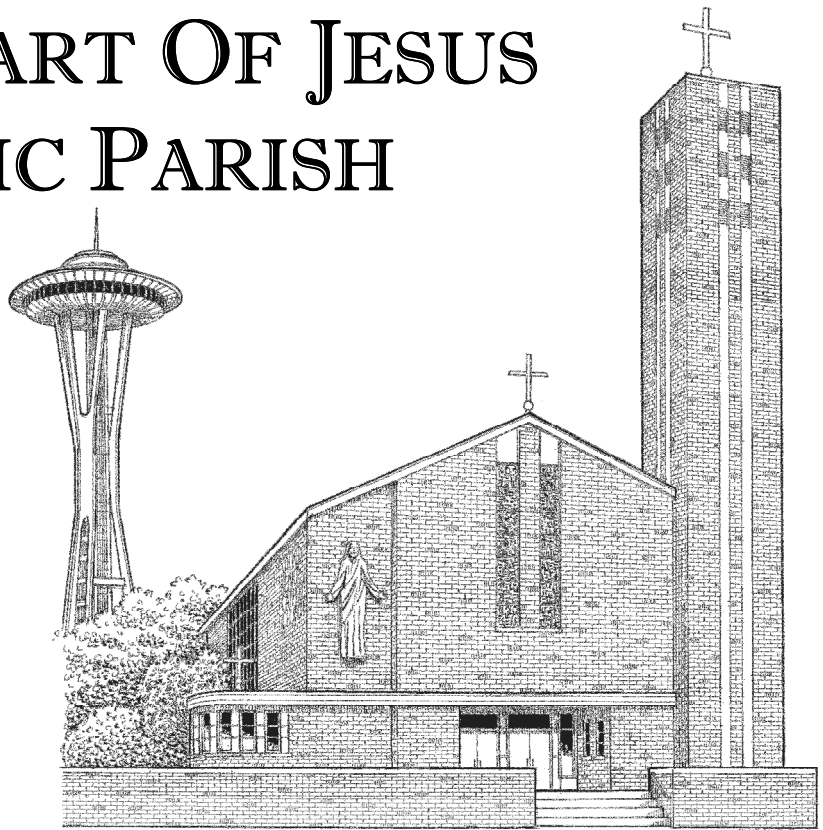
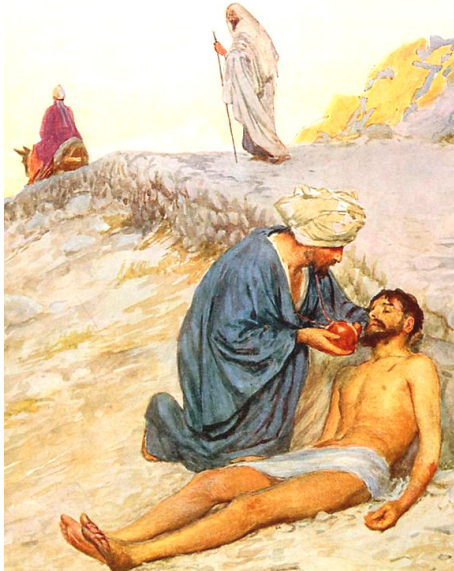


SACRED HEART OF JESUS CATHOLIC PARISH

July 14, 2013
Fifteenth 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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Fr. Bill Peterson, C.Ss.R.
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Dear Parishioners and Friends of Sacred Heart,

An Asian saying, "human beings are born with innate goodness and natural simplicity," wonderfully reflects the heart of Christ's teaching on the Good Samaritan. The story is so well-known nowadays that even an atheist understands what a "good Samaritan" is. Most legal systems in the world have the "good Samaritan laws," which are meant to protect people who give reasonable assistance to the injured, ill or in perilous situations ... and thus living our true nature and concretely our faith.

Our parish has been SO BLESSED to be entrusted with many opportunities to practice/be "Good Samaritan" over the years, through our welcoming of tourist guests as well as our social outreaches to less fortunate "neighbors." On the latter, we partner with the Catholic Community Services (Sacred Heart Shelter) to provide short-term housing to 7-10 "needy families" until they are able to get back on their feet, and with the D.E.S.C. to shelter homeless men overnight year-around. Our weekday sack-lunches program and food bank continues to be "life-saving" for down-and-out folks, and has gained wide support from various community agencies throughout the greater metropolitan.

Though most of us are not financially "deep-pocket" people, we as a parish have gratefully and admirably strived to serve vulnerable and downtrodden "neighbors." Being/sharing our innate kindness is a practical response to an advice from Moses ("something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out") and to live out Jesus Christ's command, "Go and do likewise." I am certain that Christ has been pleasantly smiling on and blessing our continuing effort. The good news is: We are living out a very long-term implication, "What must I do to inherit eternal life?"

As previously alluded, this coming year (2014) will be the 125th anniversary of the founding of Sacred Heart parish. I understand that we are the OLDEST parish in Seattle. Being a "spiritual home" for many thousands of folks over the years is indeed a blessing, and thus a reason to thank God and to celebrate together. A steering committee is being formed to help organize various activities to commemorate this momentous journey. Please keep this Jubilee year in your prayers. More details will be forthcoming.

Please also pray for our Seniors Group, as they visit a Marian Grotto in Portland, OR. next Saturday, July 20th. These elders have given so much of themselves. As we lift them up in prayer, I am sure that these pilgrims will remember and entrust all of us and our families to our Blessed Virgin Mary at the Grotto.

With love in Christ the Redeemer,

Fr. Binh Ta, C.Ss.R.

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

"If you haven't got any charity in your heart, you have the worst kind of heart trouble." (Bob Hope, American comedian)



The Stewardship Of Treasure

Annual Goal	\$ 264,615
Y-T-D Goal (as of 7/1/2013)	10,180
Weekly Goal	5,090

Collections for the Week Ending July 7

July 7th Weekend Offering	\$ 4,454
Year to Date Collections	7,305
Parish Improvement	414
Food Program (Net of Expenses)	2,422
EFT (YTD)	-

Fourth Annual Blessing of the Arthritics All weekend Masses on July 27 and 28, 2013

Sacred Heart Parish will be taking part in the "4th Annual National Blessing for Arthritis Sufferers," sponsored by the Redemptorists of the Denver Province, to mark the feast day (August 1) of St. Alphonsus Liguori, founder of the Redemptorists and patron saint of arthritis sufferers.

You can download your own copy of the Arthritis Prayer to St. Alphonsus and watch a video of the blessing at:
www.redemptoristsdenver.org.

Daily Mass Intentions

Sun July 14	9:00am	Sacred Heart Parish
	11:00am	Pat & Roberta Nolan & Family
	5:30pm	†Thomas McKay
Mon July 15	8:00am	†Violet Storm
	12:10pm	†John & Deirdre Doherty
Tue July 16	8:00am	†John Malatesta
	12:10pm	†Carmela Malatesta
	5:30pm	Special Intentions
Wed July 17	8:00am	†Anne LaPlante
	12:10pm	†John & Deirdre Doherty
Thu July 18	8:00am	†James & Brigid Foskin
	12:10pm	Redemptorist Community
Fri July 19	8:00am	Special Intentions
	12:10pm	†All Souls in Purgatory
Sat July 20	8:00am	Safe Pilgrimage to the Grotto
	5:30pm	Louise Scott

Daily Readings

7/15 Exodus 1:8-14,22	Psalms 124:1-8	Matthew 10:34-11:1
7/16 Exodus 2:1-15	Psalms 69:3,14,30-31 33-34	Matthew 11:20-24
7/17 Exodus 3:1-6,9-12	Psalms 103:1-4,6-7	Matthew 11:25-27
7/18 Exodus 3:13-20	Psalms 105:1,5,8-9,24-27	Matthew 11:28-30
7/19 Exodus 11:10-12:14	Psalms 116:12-13,15-18	Matthew 12:1-8
7/20 Exodus 12:37-42	Psalms 136:1,10-15,23-24	Matthew 12:14-21

Natural Family Planning

Awareness Week: July 21 - 27, 2013

2013 Theme: "Pro-Woman, Pro-Man, Pro-Child"

Celebrate and reverence God's vision of human sexuality. The Natural Family Planning Awareness Week articulates Catholic beliefs about human sexuality, conjugal love, and responsible parenthood. The week also marks the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne (July 26), the parents of the Blessed Mother.

For more information about Natural Family Planning (NTF) and for a list of certified NTF teachers, please go to: www.seattlarchdiocese.org/CFF/FamilyLife/NFP.aspx

Summer Friday Socials

July 26 in the Fellowship Room at 6:30pm
Movie Night (movie tbd)

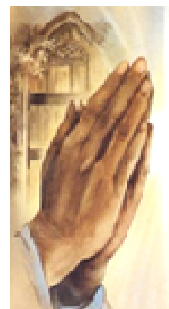
August 23 Tastes of Sacred Heart Picnic

EVERYONE IS INVITED!!!



Please Pray for the Following People

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



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

HIPAA Laws require permission to publish names

This Week at Sacred Heart

July 14, Sunday

- Coffee Hour after the 9:00am & 11:00am Masses
- Legion of Mary, Adoration Chapel, 12:30pm

July 16, Tuesday

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

July 20, Saturday

- La Luz de Cristo, Adoration Chapel, 10:00am - noon
- Pilgrimage to the Grotto in Portland, Oregon

Prayer in Defense of Marriage

God our Father, we give you thanks for the gift of marriage: the bond of life and love, and the font of the family.

The love of husband and wife enriches your Church with children, fills the world with a multitude of spiritual fruitfulness and service, and is the sign of the love of your Son, Jesus Christ, for his Church.

The grace of Jesus flowed forth at Cana at the request of the Blessed Mother.

May your Son, through the intercession of Mary, pour out upon us a new measure of the Gifts of the Holy Spirit as we join with all people of good will to promote and protect the unique beauty of marriage.

May your Holy Spirit enlighten our society to treasure the heroic love of husband and wife, and guide our leaders to sustain and protect the singular place of mothers and fathers in the lives of their children.

Father, we ask that our prayers be joined to those of the Virgin Mary, that your Word may transform our service so as to safeguard the incomparable splendor of marriage. We ask all these things through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us.

www.usccb.org/prayer-and-worship/prayers/prayer-defense-of-marriage.cfm

Please remember Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish in your Will and Estate Planning