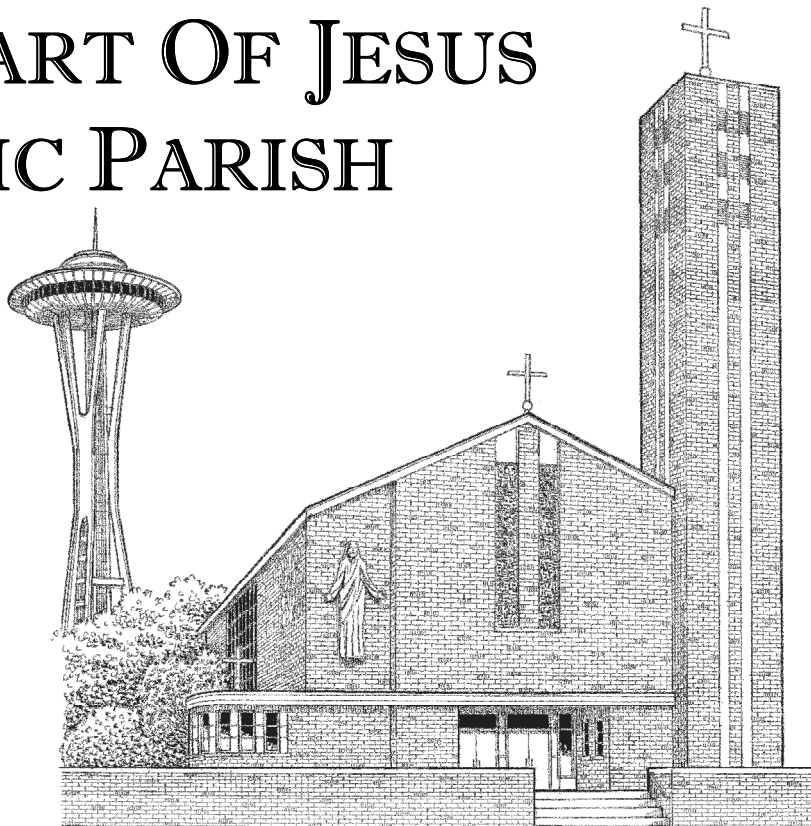


SACRED HEART OF JESUS CATHOLIC PARISH

May 12, 2013
The Ascension of the Lord



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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,

Jesus ascends to heaven (i.e., being exalted to God's glory) is a reminder of an eternal truth, namely, the entire created universe, including you and me, ultimately finds its final home in God. St. Augustine aptly captures this spirit, "You have made us for yourself, O God, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you." His ascension restores our hope and points to our destiny [Opening Prayer & 2nd reading] – to share in the fullness of Christ's life and glory!!!

How appropriate that we celebrate the feast of Ascension with a "May Crowning" on Mother's Day. Like any good son, Jesus wants to share his best (fullness of glory) with mom. And Mary, a human like us, offers her entire self to God with utmost gratitude. Both on earth and in heaven, she actively collaborates with her gloried Son in his work of salvation for all. Pointing to Jesus, she attends to us (her adopted children) on our journey of faith. In short, the Blessed Virgin Mary is a sign of hope for all of us. What she is now, we all hope to be. Dear Mary, we crown you, not simply as the Queen of heaven and earth ... but also as our beloved Mother! Thank you, Mother Mary, for guiding us with your constant intercession and maternal care!!!

On this Mother's Day, we entrust to Blessed Mary our earthly mothers, both living and deceased. We thank moms and honor them for their love, devotion, kindness, patience, sacrifices, etc., for us and for the world. With Mary's help, let each of us forgive mom for any and all of her human limitations and faults. More importantly, ask mom to forgive our shortcomings. Mom, I love you! Above all, I pray that God abundantly bless and embrace you today and into eternity!!!

Please mark your calendar for two upcoming parish novenas: Our patron feast (Sacred Heart of Jesus) at all weekend Masses on June 8-9; and a four-day celebration leading to the feast of Our Mother of Perpetual Help, June 22-25. Specific details will be forthcoming.

Thank you again for your recent support of the Archdiocese's Annual Catholic Appeal! In two weeks, your generosity/sacrifice has generated \$17,493.00 (44% of the assessed amount, or about 20% of our parish's actual goal, which includes \$47,000 to replace our 80 year old heating system). And to those who made extra effort to secure a "Matching Gift" from your employer, thank you & thank you!

Fr. Binh Ta, C.Ss.R.

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

"Christ has no body on earth but ours. Ours are the eyes and feet through which he provides goodness. Ours are the hands with which he is to bless people." (St. Teresa of Avila)

"I like to give willingly. When I give willingly, I enjoy it so much that I give again!" (Anonymous)

"Stewardship is the act of organizing your life so that God can spend you." (L.A. Miller, author)



The Stewardship Of Treasure

Annual Goal	\$ 271,100
Year to Date Goal	234,000
Weekly Goal	5,200

Collections for the Week Ending May 5

May 5th Weekend Offering	\$ 4,537
Year to Date Collections	222,583
Parish Improvement	13,427
Food Program (Net of Expenses)	34,227
YTD EFT	43,112

Volunteers Needed

Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers are needed for all Masses, especially for the Saturday 5:30pm and Sunday 9:00am Masses. Sacristans are also needed for the Saturday and Sunday 5:30pm Masses.

Please call the office at 206-284-4680.

Thank you for sharing your time and talent.

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

Daily Mass Intentions

Sun	May 12	9:00am	†Jay Richards
		11:00am	†Victoria Aquino
		5:30pm	Leticia Manzano
Mon	May 13	8:00am	†Fr. Henry McKeever, C.Ss.R.
		12:10pm	†Lucille Bartell
Tue	May 14	8:00am	Nick Haffer
		12:10pm	†Ben D'Souza
		5:30pm	Sacred Heart Parish
Wed	May 15	8:00am	†McAllister O'Brien
		12:10pm	Agnes Bugni
Thu	May 16	8:00am	John Meadows
		12:10pm	Roberta De Vera's Birthday
Fri	May 17	8:00am	Nick Haffer
		12:10pm	†Stan Webert
Sat	May 18	8:00am	Briana & Zachery
		5:30pm	†Ely (Eleuterio) Tamayo

Daily Readings

5/13	Acts 19:1-8	Psalms 68:2-7	John 16:29-33
5/14	Acts 1:15-17,20-26	Psalms 138:1-3,7-8	John 15:9-17
5/15	Acts 20:28-38	Psalms 68:29-30,33-36	John 17:11-19
5/16	Acts 22:30--23:6-11	Psalms 16:1-2,5,7-11	John 17:20-26
5/17	Acts 25:13-21	Psalms 103:2,11-12,19-20	John 21:15-19
5/18	Acts 28:16-20,30-31	Psalms 11:4,5,7	John 21:20-25

Queen Anne Food Bank at Sacred Heart

The Queen Anne Food Bank at Sacred Heart (QAFB) is participating in the Seattle Foundation's GiveBIG day of giving this year. GiveBIG is an online giving event hosted by the Seattle Foundation which serves non-profit organizations across Washington. A percentage of the amount donated from midnight May 14 to midnight May 15 are matched by the foundation. This is a chance to make your donation stretch! Mark your calendar for May 15 and donate to the Queen Anne Food Bank at Sacred Heart!

For more information, please call 206-216-4102. Thank you in advance for your support.

Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquet

Thanks to all of you who submitted "Spiritual Bouquets for Moms" envelopes. All Masses this weekend & throughout next week will include Mass intentions for your mothers.



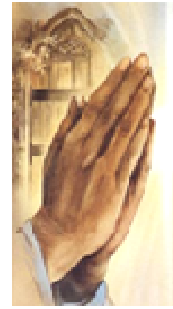
On Being a Mother

- ♥ A mother is a person who seeing there are only four pieces of pie for five people will promptly announce she never did care for pie
- ♥ There is only one pretty child in the world, and every mother has it
- ♥ Sometimes the poorest woman leaves her children the richest inheritance

Source: <http://javacasa.com/humor>

Please Pray for the Following People

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



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

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This Week at Sacred Heart

May 12, Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord

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

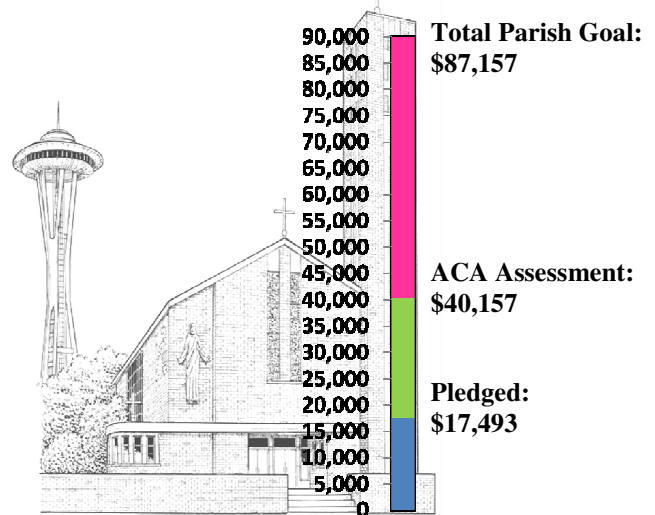
May 14, Tuesday

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

May 18, Saturday

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

2013 Annual Catholic Appeal



The 2013 Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA) Assessment for Sacred Heart Parish is \$40,157. Every dollar given over \$40,157 will go towards the replacement of an 80 year old heating system for the parish, which costs \$47,000 (making the Total Parish Goal of \$87,157).

So far, you have pledged \$17,493, which is 44% of our assessed amount or 20% of our total parish goal. Thank You for your generosity

If you have not already returned your pledge card, please do so today. You may also donate online at:

<https://www.seattlearchdiocese.org/Stewardship/ACA/Donate.aspx>

**Thank you for helping us reach our goal.
We cannot do this without your help.**