

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER—MAY 7, 2017

Monday	May 8	9:00 am	For the Parish
Monday	May 8	3:00-10:00pm	Adoration
Tuesday	May 9	9:00 am	For the Parish
Wednesday	May 10	9:00 am	For the Parish
Thursday	May 11	9:00 am	For the Parish
Friday	May 12	9:00 am	Villa Mass—Grandparent's Day
Saturday	May 13	5:00 pm	5th Sunday of Easter
Sunday	May 14	9:30 am	5th Sunday of Easter



PLEASE REMEMBER

in your prayers:

Dave Henwood, Michael Palmer,
John Ernest, Henrietta German, Charlotte
Loveland, Bill Mitchell, Colleen Henling,
Jack MacIntyre, June Butler,
Joseph Watunu, Helen Naughton,
Ijeoma Opara, Dom Finocchio,
Jamie Gibson, Collette & David Swan, and
the patients at Seattle Children's Hospital.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday

3:00-10:00pm—Adoration

Tuesday

6:30-7:30pm—Rel. Ed

Wednesday

5:30pm—Rosary

7:00pm—Choir Practice

Saturday

9:00 am—Communion Service

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL:

Our goal for this ACA appeal is \$83,000. To date we have collected \$13,095. If we fail to meet our goal, then the Archdiocese of Seattle assesses us for the balance. I strongly encourage you to make a donation to support the work of the church throughout Western Washington. As pastor, I support the parish and the Annual Catholic Appeal.

Pentecost:

On June 4th at 9:30 AM, the parish will hold a multicultural mass to celebrate the feast of Pentecost. The readings, the prayers, and songs will be in different languages. On the first Pentecost, Peter went out to the balcony and spoke to the people. The reading from Acts says that all the people spoke in different languages. Hopefully, after mass, instead of coffee and donuts, we can sample different foods. Call it a brunch if you wish.

Celebration of Marriage:

On June 10th at the 5:00 PM Mass, I am beginning a new tradition, which I call a Celebration of Marriage where we honor couples with significant anniversaries. The couples can renew their wedding vows if they wish. After mass, we will have a party with wine and appetizers. Angus McDowell will organize some music for the occasion. This celebration does not preclude a couple from having an individual celebration on the actual day of their anniversary.

Furnace:

We need to replace our furnace in the church which is over 25 years. Merritt Mechanical advised us two years ago that the furnace needed to be replaced. Even last rites was not enough to resuscitate it. The cost is around \$60,000 plus the cost of the removing the asbestos. Last weekend, it was 60' in the church. People had coats, sweaters, whatever they could find. Please make a special contribution to help defray the cost of the new furnace.

Parish Pictorial Directory:

It has been over a decade since we had a revised Parish Pictorial Directory. I would like to have one for the 50th Anniversary next year in April. I will need some volunteers to organize the picture. What I am projecting would be pictures in the fall of this year; and have the directory to pass out in April, 2018 when we celebrate our 50th Anniversary.

Faith Formation

Social Justice Series "Who is My Neighbor"

Assumption, St. Bridget, and Our Lady of the Lake Parishes have joined together to offer a 2 or 3 part series based on this pastoral letter from Washington State Bishops. Each series will offer the same information and discussion but will be held at different times to be more convenient.

Each series will explore information on poverty in our state, our own response to poverty and what we could do as individuals and parishes.

Daytime series at:

St Bridget's:

(4900 NE 50th St, Seattle)

Wednesday, May 17, 24, and 31

10:00am—12:00 (noon)

Facilitated by Pete Wickstrand (St. Bridget parishioner)

Evening series at:

Assumption Parish Fellowship Hall

(6201—33rd Ave NE, Seattle)

Thursday, May 11 & 18 at 7:00pm

Facilitated by Sr. Sharon Park,

Director of Washington State Catholic Conference.

SUNDAY CHILDREN'S LITURGY

OF THE WORD (CLOW):

Sunday's in the Parish Social Hall classroom B,
open at 9:20am.

Children's Liturgy of the Word last
session of the year, Sun. May 21st.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Classes meet Tuesday, 6:30-7:30pm.
May 9th and 16th.

Grades 6-8's meets (May 9th)

BAPTISMAL PREP

Monday, May 22—7-9pm

Contact: Tyra Elliott -523-9760

tyra@stbridgetchurch.org



Please join us for the Rosary in the Chapel
on Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m.
Prayer books are available.



St. Bridget's Book of Prayer is in the
alcove near the chapel. We encourage you
to list your prayer intentions in the book.
They will be remembered at all Masses.

BEREAVED PARENT SUPPORT GROUP

Meets Monday, May 15th: 7pm
in the Youth Room

Questions—Call Liz @ 523-9748



CONGRATULATIONS!

To the Children who Celebrated
the Sacrament of First Eucharist
This weekend (May 6th)



St. Gerard—Holy Family Guild

The St. Gerard-Holy Family Guild meeting will
be held Wed., May 24th . Mass will be celebrated
in the chapel at 11:30am . Please bring a sack
lunch, dessert and beverages will be provided.

If you have not been contacted by phone,
call Mary Dunphy @ 522-3760.



BABY CORNER/WEST SIDE BABY for
needy infants (located in the alcove between
the church and the parish hall) appreciates your
donations. Our most needed items are: diapers &
pull-ups (size 4-6) baby blankets, hygiene wipes,
clothing - infant up to size 12. Questions?
www.westsidebaby.org



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

We have Eucharistic Adoration from 3pm-
10pm on Mondays Please feel welcome to
come into the chapel for a Holy Hour or for just
a few minutes of prayer.

Questions call Judy Curran, 206-999-5399