

Seventh Sunday of Easter: May 20, 2012

<u>Weekend Masses:</u>	<u>Gift Bearers</u> (From Mini-Parish 5)	<u>Altar Servers</u>
Saturday, 5:30 pm	Carlos & Flor Alvarez	G. & A. Olsen, E. Gil
Sunday, 9:00 am	Charles & Rose Klinck	A. Garcia, K. Cruz-Vasquez, C. Marley
Sunday, 11:00 am	St. Pius X School	S. & S. Farmer, Y. Pobre

<u>Weekday Masses:</u>	<u>Liturgy</u>	<u>Mass Intentions</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>
Mon, 5/21 8:00 am	St. Christopher Magallanes & Companions	Paul Andrews, RIP	I. & K. Hayatsu
Tues, 5/22 8:00 am	St. Rita of Cascia	Michael Morgan, JR. RIP	B. & C. Okolo
Wed, 5/23 8:00 am		Joe Haag, RIP	E. Gil, H. Blackburn
Thu, 5/24 8:00 am		Severa Kozlovsky, RIP	R. Buensuceso, A. Moore
Fri, 5/25 8:00 am	St. Bede the Venerable St. Gregory VII St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi	Stacy Kalina, RIP	R. & H. Johnson

Daily Rosary: In church after the week-day morning Mass; all are welcome.



May 26/27 Altar Servers:
Ghebreyesus, Aguas, Hiar, Perez, Yared



Sunday, May 20	Monday, May 21	Tuesday, May 22	Wednesday, May 23	Thursday, May 24	Friday, May 25
First Communion Sunday	FSR: 7 pm—Hispanic Comm. Mtg.		MPR: 6 pm—Faith Formation Family Pizza Party		FSR: 8:30 am—St. Vincent de Paul Meeting FSR: 7 pm—Hispanic Comm. Mtg.

Please offer your prayers for those listed below who have recently become seriously ill.

James Williams Carringer, Cinde Chapman, Christina Cline, Ron Cline, Brenda Corfield, Josh Dickerson, Mary Haukap, Patty Messina Johnson, Cassandra Kosmides, Hunter Lankford, Brooke McGaughey, Heather Ramirez, Dolores Rybak, Brian Sajec, Bob Shay, Gracie Skocolich, Lisa Smith, Alberto Tcruz, Phyllis Van Haute, Dan Whalen, Helen Whitney

We especially pray for the Lord's mercy on all those who were on the prayer list and remain chronically ill; also for their families and those who take care of them.

Dear Friends, If you have recently become critically ill or injured and would like your name in the bulletin prayer list, please call the parish office, or have an immediate family member make the call for you. Names will be removed after three months, or sooner at your request. Please remember: we cannot publish anyone's name without their knowledge and permission.

Parishioners may request prayers for the soul of a recently deceased loved one. Please contact the parish office to include their name in the General Intentions of the Sunday Mass. You may request a weekday Mass for the intentions of a living person or for the repose of a soul. Dates on the Mass Intentions calendar have a limited availability.

Financial Stewardship Report 2012/ Reporte Financiero 2012

Year-to-Date Report for Jan. 1 to May 13, 2012: Reporte Anual

Amount Collected Year-to-Date / Cantidad recolectada a la fecha	\$201,157.16
Goal for Year-to-Date / Meta anual	\$225,860.00
Amount Ahead (Behind) Budgeted Goal / diferencia (por alcanzar)	(24,702.84)
<u>Weekly Report for May 13, 2012: / Reporte Semanal: hasta al 13 de mayo de 2012</u>	
Needed to meet budget / Lo que se ocup para lograr nuestro presupuesto:	\$11,293.00
Amount Collected / Cantidad Recolectada:	\$9,469.56
School Endowment Fund / Fondo especial escola:	\$102.00





St. Pius X School

Raffle Tickets – Raffle ticket sales are underway. Each student must sell two books of 20 raffle tickets. Each ticket costs one dollar. The monetary prizes are: 1st place: \$1,000, 2nd place: \$500 and 3rd place: \$250. This is one of our major fundraisers for the school. Thank you in advance for your unending support!

The Archdiocesan Annual Catholic Appeal – Please support the Archdiocesan Annual Catholic Appeal. Each parish has a specific monetary goal to reach. Anything over the parish goal may be used for a designated project. This year, the designated funds will support tuition assistance for families in need. Due to the economic situation, this will be a blessing to many families. Thank you.

Golf Tournament & Mexican Dinner – The Golf Tournament is Saturday, June 2 at the Lynnwood Golf Course, beginning at 1:00 p.m. The Mexican dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. in the Social Hall. Please reserve your spot. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Andrews at the school office. Thank you.

Now enrolling for the 2012-2013 School Year. If you have children, family members or friends that may be interested in St. Pius X School, please call the school office (425)778-9861 for a tour. You will be giving a child the gift of an excellent Catholic education.



Daily Marriage Tip:

“Explore what made your beloved the person he/she is. What traits did he get from his parents? Did she rebel against her family and take a different path? Who was the most influential person in your spouse’s life during childhood?”

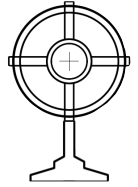
Find the daily marriage tip and other great resources for married couples at www.foryourmarriage.org. Also find articles, book reviews, quizzes and more for parenting & families, dating & engaged, and marriage planning. The site is created by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops and is also available in Spanish at www.portumatrimonio.org.



What have you done for your marriage today?

PERPETUAL ADORATION

Everyone is welcome to come to the chapel and spend time in Adoration and prayer.



Please make some time to visit the chapel, even if just for a few moments, to experience the peace of knowing that Jesus is always there, waiting to spend time with us.

For every hour of the week, two people should be in the chapel in prayer and Adoration of the Eucharist.

★ **These hours need a committed adorer:**

- Sunday:** 12—1 pm **Wants a partner**
- Mon & Tues:** 8 am—9 am **Need sub for 3 months**
- Tuesday:** 7—8 am **Wants a partner**
- Tuesday:** 1—2 pm, 10—11 pm, 11 pm—12
- Thursday:** 2—3 am, 7—8 pm
- Friday:** 12—1 am (Friday morning)
- Saturday:** 12—1 am (Sat. morning, wants a partner)

If you have any questions, or would like to make a commitment to an hour of adoration (or substitute) please call the parish office at (425) 775-7545.

LADIES GUILD END-OF-THE-YEAR DINNER!

Voula’s Good Eats
(44th & 228th in Mountlake Terrace)
June 6th at 6:00 pm.



Separate checks: \$10.49 per person.

3 dinner choices with soup or salad and dessert. Please contact Florence Ely if you would like to attend. Seating will be limited and your meal choice will have to be sent in with the reservation. 425-774-3069.

Faith, Good Works, and Charity Come Together



You may help our St. Vincent de Paul conference by donating non-perishable food items. Hampers are in both church vestibules. Our local group of volunteers helps needy individuals who live in our parish area, not necessarily Catholic.

If we could all make a habit of bringing a can or two each week, the pantry would be well stocked. Also needed are basic cleaning supplies and laundry soap. Or if you prefer, you can make a cash donation using the small manila envelopes found in the pews. Make checks out to St. Vincent de Paul. Your ongoing support of this ministry is greatly appreciated. Thank you!

dear Padre

May 20, 2012

Did Jesus' body ascend into heaven?

I've always heard that Jesus ascended into heaven body and soul. Why would Jesus need his body in heaven?

Judy

Dear Judy,

The Gospels do not use "body and soul" language with respect to the Ascension. Mark 16:19 and Luke 24:51 say that Jesus was simply "taken up" into heaven.

However, if we are speaking of bodies, souls, heaven, and the Ascension, it might be good to remind ourselves that in the Apostles' Creed we proclaim our belief in the resurrection of the *body* and life everlasting.

Sometimes it seems that Christians are hoping only that some spiritual part of ourselves, a "soul," will go to heaven and remain there happily with God forever. But that is not our hope.

After his death, Christ did not ultimately become a disembodied spirit. He gained a new kind of body. Christ ascended into heaven not as a soul carrying useless baggage, but as the first fruit of a new creation and as a pledge of the ultimate marriage of heaven and Earth.

Christ's resurrected and ascended body is a foretaste of what we hope for ourselves. We don't long to enter a heaven where bodies will be unnecessary. We hope for the day when all things will be transformed and, in our resurrected bodies, we will enjoy the glorious union of heaven and Earth.

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Chancery Job Opening in Seattle: Assistant Director of Events and Service for Youth and Young Adults

"GENERAL SUMMARY OF ESSENTIAL PURPOSE:
Coordinates the logistics, marketing and staffing of events for youth, youth ministers and young adults in Western Washington within the operations of the Youth and Young Adult Ministry department. Develops, implements and oversees the One Week Service and Mission trips. Additionally serves as the onsite coordinator for many of these service programs."

For more information about this job and requirements, please see www.seattlearchdiocese.org/jobs.

Your gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal is still needed! Thank you to all who have responded to the needs of our Church in Western Washington through the 2012 Annual Catholic Appeal. One person or parish could not possibly accomplish all that needs to be done for over 60 ministries and services of the Annual Catholic Appeal. Your gift, no matter the amount, WILL MAKE a difference! It is not too late to return your pledge envelope if you haven't already done so – imagine what can be accomplished if we all give; imagine what can be accomplished if you give.



It's time for Angelorum's 11th Annual Auction of the Angels Saturday, June 9th at 5:45 pm St. Matthew Parish in Seattle

This event is a lot of fun and supports a very important cause!

We hope you will join us as we enjoy a fabulous catered meal by Twelve Baskets Catering and visit with other fun, life-loving Catholics from all over the Archdiocese. Tickets are \$50 each or a table of eight for \$360 and you can register at www.angelorum.org or by calling our office and speaking to Kathy at 425-329-4569, but please hurry because the caterer needs to know how much salmon vs chicken to prepare by June 6th!

HELP! We are still in need of silent and live auction items ~ gift cards to restaurants, tickets to events such as plays, the opera or sporting events and handmade crafts are great things to donate.

Thank you for supporting our life-affirming ministry ~ making it possible for mothers to choose life for their babies!



Choose Life!



"Every great religious revival in America has led to an advance in civil rights—from the Declaration of Independence and the Bill of Rights to the end of slavery and the pursuit of racial equality. But all this has been achieved in the face of established power structures strongly and often violently opposed to these rights. So this is a time for choosing—choosing whether as Catholics we will stand together to keep open the doors of religious liberty. If we do so, then we will make possible the next great awakening in America that will bring us closer to building that culture of life and civilization of love about which John Paul II so often spoke."

Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson, Address to the National Catholic Prayer Breakfast (April 19, 2012)