

# Our Lady of Guadalupe

7000 35th Avenue SW , Seattle, Washington, 98126

April 2, 2017



*This week CRS Rice Bowl invites us to encounter Dita and her family in Ethiopia. Ethiopia has been struck by a historic and devastating drought. But because Dita took part in Catholic Relief Services' training programs, her family eats three meals a day.*

## Mass Times

**Saturday Vigil** - 5:30 PM

**Sunday Mornings** - 8:30 AM and 11:00 AM

**Weekday Mass** - Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday - 9:00 AM

**Holy Day Masses** - 9:00 AM and 7:00 PM

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** - Saturdays - 4:15 PM to 5:00 PM (or by appointment through the Parish Office)

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## ***From the Pastor's Desk***

### ***Encounter With Forgiveness And Reconciliation***

The coming weeks of Holy Week and Easter will provide, in the Scriptures, many examples of biblical characters encountering Jesus and being changed. During Lent, we have witnessed Jesus and the Woman at the Well and the Man Born Blind. These stories were compelling encounters for these two people. I suspect that all of us could find ourselves in the man born blind. How many times have we all seen someone or some situation clearly and later found out that there was more to the person or situation than we first thought.

This week, we have the opportunity to let God show us ourselves more clearly through encountering God's mercy through our two communal Reconciliation Services on Wednesday and Saturday. For those who are new to the parish or who have never participated in a Communal Penance Service, they are prayerful, biblically based encounters of God's mercy through prayer, music, reflection and absolution of our sins. For me, these experiences help me to face the sins of self-deception that we can all fall into. These services take about an hour.

**Wednesday Night at 7:00 p.m.**

**Saturday Afternoon at 1:00 p.m.**

An encounter with God's mercy and the challenge to be men and women of reconciliation have always been, and are now, sure steps to our conversion. You are invited to join the community for these encounters with Mercy.

### ***A View Of Conversion***

Henri Nouwen, the renowned Catholic writer, speaks about conversion as reversal.

The poor have much to teach the rich.

Gays have much to teach the straight.

Blacks have much to teach the whites.

Challenged people have much to teach the 'normal'.

The elderly have much to teach the young and the young have much to teach the elderly.

Keep your eyes open for conversion opportunities during the coming holy Days and Easter.

Fr. Jack

# Prayer & Liturgy



## Let Us Pray For...

We will hold our brothers and sisters, listed below, in prayer for a month. If you would like to have us pray beyond this month for anyone, please notify our parish office and we will keep their name on the list for the time that you have requested.

Pat Bago	Hudson Langhams	Jim Perry
Lucy Budde	Mason Langhams	Jim Suttle
Janice Harvey	Rose Moran	Lois Yanzzie
Sharon Lyons-Huber		

## Pilgrim People - Our Exodus Story

**Saturday, April 8th from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.**  
**In the Pastoral Center**

You are invited to a morning of reflection on the significant events of our faith journey that continue to shape not only our lives, but also our relationship with God and others. Participants will also have the opportunity to go to the 1:00 p.m. Lenten Reconciliation Service. Led by Helen Oesterle. Please RSVP by contacting Helen at 206-935-0358, [heleno@olgseattle.org](mailto:heleno@olgseattle.org) - \$5/Person

## Lenten Reconciliation Services

This Lent, there are many opportunities to celebrate the sacrament of God's mercy. Confessions will be heard each *Saturday* from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and upon appointment. **Communal Services** will be on *Wednesday*, April 5th at 7:00 p.m. and *Saturday*, April 8th at 1:00 p.m.

## Centering Prayer

**April 8th** - DeMazenod Room - 10:30 a.m.

\* **Note:** The OLG Centering Prayer group is providing a weekly meeting time at 5:00 p.m. in the DeMazenod room located in the basement beginning on Earth Day **April 22nd** (before 5:30 p.m. Mass). The room will be opened at 4:45 p.m. and Centering Prayer will begin at 5:00 p.m. Please contact Jo Repanich for more information - 206-790-7117.

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## Scripture Readings

*This Week*

### Fifth Sunday of Lent

Reading 1: Ezekiel 37:12-14

Reading 2: Romans 8:8-11-14

Gospel: John 11:1-45

*Next Week*

### Palm Sunday

Gospel at Procession: Matthew 21:1-11

Reading 1: Isaiah 50:4-7

Reading 2: Philippians 2:6-11

Gospel: Matthew 26:14-27:66

## Journey Of The Elect

This week we celebrate the third and final Scrutiny with the Gospel story of the raising of Lazarus. Death is our greatest fear and this story reminds us that God's power and mercy are greater than ANY fear, sin or pain that we have in our lives. The Elect are asked to think about what needs to die in their lives in order for them to receive the new life being offered to them in baptism. For some, the question of whether they even want to come out of the tomb is important, whether they are willing to risk coming out into the light of Christ to see what awaits them. This week, they will also be presented with the Lord's Prayer, which teaches us that God loves as a loving father and will "give us...our daily bread" and "lead us from temptation." As they approach these last days of preparation before baptism, keep them in your prayers.

## Prayer Cards For The Elect

Thank you for keeping our Elect and Candidates in your prayers during this season of Lent. Next week is the time to turn in your *personalized* cards or notes for them that will be distributed to them on Holy Saturday. You can drop off your cards in the baskets located at the place of prayer in the church or at the Pastoral Center (where parish offices are). **They need to be turned in no later than Holy Thursday evening.** Information, Helen Oesterle 206-935-0358.

**For more information about "Prayer and Liturgy"  
go to [www.olgseattle.org](http://www.olgseattle.org) and click on the  
"Grow In Faith" tab.**

# Faith Formation



## Mark Your Calendars

### Family Faith Formation Schedule

#### Faith Formation Programs for the Month of April

#### April 2nd - Holy Week

##### Family Faith Sunday - 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. - Walmsley Center

Come and participate in our Family Faith Sunday Program as we prepare our hearts for the three holiest days of our Church year - The Pascal Triduum. We will have discussions and activities that prepare our hearts and minds for the celebration of Jesus' passion, death and resurrection.

#### April 9-16 - NO FAITH FORMATION PROGRAMS - SPRING BREAK

Seattle Public School and OLG School offering families to participate in Palm Sunday and Holy Week programs.

#### April 9th - Palm Sunday

##### April 13th - Holy Thursday

- Soup Supper in Parish Hall - 5:30 p.m.
- Holy Thursday Services in the church - 7:00 p.m.  
Bring Rice Bowls

##### April 15th - Easter Vigil - 8:30 p.m. Mass

##### April 16th - Easter Sunday

No Faith Formation classes or Little Lambs babysitting.

##### April 23rd

- Sacramental Prep Year One and Two, 3rd—8th grade, & RCIA for Older Children - 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.
- Children's Liturgy of the Word - 11:00 a.m. Mass
- Little Lambs, Lord Lions, and Good News Bears - 10:45 a.m. to 12:00 noon

##### April 30th

- Sacramental Prep Year One and Two, 3rd—8th grade, & RCIA for Older Children - 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.
- Children's Liturgy of the Word - 11:00 a.m. Mass
- Little Lambs, Lord Lions, and Good News Bears - 10:45 a.m. to 12:00 noon

#### April 29th - First Communion Retreat and Rehearsal

#### May 6th - First Communion Celebration

- 5:30 p.m. Mass



## Vacation Bible Camp Starts June 26th - 30th

### Maker Fun Factory

#### Created By GOD Built For A Purpose

Registration is now open for Vacation Bible Camp and our goal this year is to serve even more children. Last year we had over 80 children come to our program and this year, we would like to serve up to 100. At Make Fun Factory, kids will learn one important Bible Point each day. The first Bible Point that we want to introduce you to is:



#### It's me, Tia Termite!

Termites may be tiny, but we make enormous, strong towers that last a long, long time! When you're feeling small or not-so-mighty, I can remind you that God is for you!

## Calling All Crew Leaders For VBC

Mark your calendars for June 26th through 30th for VBC where we will have a great time in our Maker Fun Factory - Created by God, Built for a Purpose!

Two dates will be available for Crew Leader Training. Choose the training date that is best for you.

Saturday, May 20th - 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.  
or

Monday, May 22nd - 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.



# Outreach Ministry



## ***"Who Is My Neighbor?" RSVP***

### ***At-Home Lenten Reflection Series: Week 5***

RSVP Lenten small groups are in full swing! The group reflections are centered on the Sunday Gospels and the Washington State Catholic Bishops' new pastoral letter on poverty, "Who is my Neighbor?". We know not everyone can join a group so we created an at-home series as well! This week, we invite you to spend some time with the two-page insert in this bulletin. This series of inserts has been created by OLG's RSVP team in collaboration with the Life, Justice and Peace (LJP) Commission. This week, we invite you to consider whether you'd like to join the work of the LJP Commission, who work to integrate Catholic social teaching into the life of the parish and offer parishioners a way to live out their call to love God and neighbor by providing service, advocacy and educational opportunities. If you're interested, please contact Jennifer at [jibach@olgseattle.org](mailto:jibach@olgseattle.org) or 206-935-0358, Ext 120. For more information on this series, visit our RSVP website: [www.olgseattle.org/2017-rsvp-lenten-series](http://www.olgseattle.org/2017-rsvp-lenten-series).

## ***Catholic Home Missions Collection***

This collection supports two major entities; Catholic Home Missions grants, which provide funds for U.S. dioceses and territories that lack the resources to provide basic pastoral ministry to their populations - and Black and Indian Mission grants, which support and strengthen evangelization programs and help to build the Church among the African American, Native American and Alaska Native people of God. Donation envelopes are available on the shelf behind the back pew. You can learn more by going to [www.usccb.org/catholichomemissions](http://www.usccb.org/catholichomemissions)

## ***Youth Migrant Project***

### ***Summer Mission Trip For Teens***

The Youth Migrant Project is back! Once again we'll be teaming up with St. Mary's and St. Anne's for a fun and life-changing week. Jennifer Ibach and JC Santos will help lead the trip, which is open to all graduating 8th graders (or 14+ years old) through graduating high school seniors. We stay at St. Charles in Burlington and work in a variety of migrant ministries in the Skagit Valley, including distributing food and clothing, creating a fiesta for the children in a camp, and attending Mass in a camp. In addition to serving, we will learn about migrant life and reflect on our faith in light of these realities. There are two mandatory preparation meetings on May 21st and June 11th, both at 5:00 p.m. at St. Mary's. The cost of the trip is \$200, but partial scholarships are available. Because there are three parishes participating, space is very limited. If you are interested in attending, or have questions, contact Jennifer Ibach at 206-935-0358, Ext. 120 or [jibach@olgseattle.org](mailto:jibach@olgseattle.org). ***Applications are available in the parish office and online and are due Monday, May 8th.***

## ***Friday Night Stations Of The Cross***

During Lent, we are invited to walk more thoughtfully and closely with Christ. One wonderful way to do that is by following the pathway of the Cross. Join us for some quiet time on Friday night as we meditate on the self-giving love of Christ and seek to pattern our own lifestyle on His love. A guided Friday evening Stations of the Cross will take place on April 7th at 7:00 p.m. in the church (the same night as the Knights of Columbus fish fry!). The meditation of the Stations will focus on *Praying the Stations with Pope Francis*. Praying the Stations takes between 30 to 40 minutes. Can't join us in person? Check out this online Stations experience provided by Catholic Relief Services: <http://www.crsricebowl.org/stations-of-the-cross>.



## ***CRS Rice Bowl: Encounter Resilience***



We encounter Dita in Ethiopia, and see how her newfound entrepreneurial skills are providing three meals a day for her children, even during a devastation drought. What skills have you discovered this Lent that can be put to good use in building God's kingdom? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) for more information.

## ***Seattle Cancer Care Alliance Musicians Wanted***

The Seattle Cancer Care Alliance is seeking musicians to provide welcoming and calming music to out patients and caregivers in an outpatient clinic setting. We are specifically recruiting pianists, acoustic guitarists and similar stringed instrumentalists. Volunteers provide relaxing and soothing music in the reception areas of the SCCA clinic - Must possess a high or excellent skill level on an individual instrument and be available to schedule a minimum of once a month during weekday/daytime hours. - Volunteers must be at least 18 years of age. ***Make a difference in a cancer patient's life!***

To apply: Visit [www.sccavolunteer.org](http://www.sccavolunteer.org) to download a Healing Music application, or call 206-288-1072



## Pastoral Care

### Home Ministries

If you or anyone you know is in need of the **Sacrament of the Eucharist**, the **Sacrament of Anointing**, or other Home Ministries, let us know by calling Marion Kari at 935-0358, ext. 113.

### Prayers And Squares Quilt Ministry Continues To Serve Our Community With Love

Prayers and Squares officially became a Chapter Member #1158 on October, 20, 2014. As a ministry, over 60 quilts have been made and presented, each a special gift of love and hope.

The beautiful quilts that you see in the back of our church are quilts made by our Prayers and Squares ministry team which meets on the first Tuesday of each month from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Parish Pastoral Center. If you want to join our ministry, please call the parish office at 206-935-0358. It does not matter if you have been a quilter for years or have no experience and just want to learn, please come and fellowship with some wonderful ladies who serve our community so faithfully.

Quilts become prayer quilts as a result of the prayers that are tied into them. When a request for a prayer quilt is made from a family, we ask for any special prayer intentions that we can make available for our community to pray for when tying the prayer knots. When the prayer quilt is presented, they can feel each prayer by all of the prayer knots that are tied just for them. Here is what you do:

- Pick up untied thread and make a square knot (right over left, then left over right). Pull the knot firmly against the surface of the quilt.
- Offer a prayer for the person who will receive the quilt. Please remember that person in your regular prayers throughout the week.

### Remembering Your Identity As A Child Of God

A workshop offered by  
Dr. Brian DesRoches, PhD, LMFT  
to benefit Cabrini Ministry Training

Come explore what Scripture tells us about our identity. We will also learn about spiritual neuroscience and the practical steps we can take to remember and live the most important memory of all: that of our spiritual identity as children of God.

**Saturday, April 29th** from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

St. Bridget Parish, Seattle

(4900 NE 50th Street)

Suggested donation: \$25

Register by contacting [info@cabriniministry.org](mailto:info@cabriniministry.org)

or 206-760-0583, Ext. 3

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206-527-2266, ext. 385  
425- 830-9614 (cell)

### Lenten Reflection - Praying

It doesn't have to be the blue iris, it could be weeds in a vacant lot, or a few small stones; just pay attention, then patch a few words together and don't try to make them elaborate, this isn't a contest but the doorway into thanks, and a silence in which another voice may speak.

- Mary Oliver

### Additional Ways To Pray During Lent

What do we do when we're facing an upcoming big event, celebration, or special occasion in our lives? We prepare for it. Holy Week and Easter are "big events" in the liturgical year of the Church and in the spiritual life of a Christian. So, as Christians, we prepare spiritually for these through the forty days of Lent. This means that, during Lent, we rededicate ourselves to prayer. There are as many ways to pray as there are prayers in this world, but a few prayer methods can help us in particular to spiritually prepare ourselves during Lent:

- **Pray the Stations of the Cross.** One of the most common traditions of Lent is to pray the Stations of the Cross. This prayer helps us reflect on the passion and death of Christ in preparation for Good Friday observance and the Easter celebration. Check your local parish website or bulletin for listings of when a Stations of the Cross prayer service is being offered, or try one of the many online resources available.
- **Meditate on Holy Scripture with Lectio Divina.** Perhaps the oldest method of scriptural prayer known to Christians is Lectio Divina or "holy reading." This method of prayer is characterized by the slow reading and consideration of a text from Scripture, with repetition and meditation on key words or phrases. Lectio Divina is rooted in the belief that the scriptural word speaks in the human heart as the word of God and can reveal the thoughts of our hearts in response to God. In this way, Lectio Divina leads to a deeper communion with the Divine.



## **Lenten Fish Fry Fridays**

**April 7th - 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

In The Walmesley Center

All are invited to enjoy a delicious meal of baked cod fish, fries, and coleslaw, sponsored by our Knights of Columbus.

\$6/child, \$8/seniors, \$10/adult.

A portion of the proceeds will go to Rice Bowl. Invite your neighbors and friends for a traditional Lenten meal!

## **OLG Night With The Mariners**

Friday, June 2nd at 7:05 p.m. against the Boston Red Sox

Opening Day is just around the corner and now is the time to mark your calendars to join others in cheering on the Mariners, eating hotdogs and popcorn, and playing the hydro races! It promises to be a great season. You can order your tickets by going to our parish website or pick up an order form in the back of church or at the parish office. \$14 per person. Accessible seating is available. For more information, call Helen at 206-935-0358.

## **Over 50 Funsters**

The Over 50 Funsters will meet on the **2nd Thursday** of the month in the **Pastoral Center meeting room at 9:30 a.m.** for its monthly meeting. Bring an egg dish, fruit or pastry. Coffee will be provided.

We now have tickets for Busman's Honeymoon. The deposit has been paid and we will get the tickets in May. The deadline for payment of \$15 per ticket is April 13th. Checks may be paid at any time to Harry Schmitt.

### ***April Is Child Abuse Prevention Month***

Did you know?

The *Chapter for the Protection of Children and Young People* was established by the USCCB (United States Catholic Conference of Bishops) in June 2002. It is a comprehensive set of procedures for addressing allegations of abuse of minors. The *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* includes guidelines for reconciliation, healing, accountability, and prevention of future acts of abuse.

[www.usccb.org/about/child-and-youth-protection/](http://www.usccb.org/about/child-and-youth-protection/)

## ***Knights Of Columbus***

The Knights of Columbus are Catholic men, 18 years and older, who are committed to making their community a better place, while supporting their parish. Being a Knight is more than camaraderie; it is being involved with your community; it is supporting your local Catholic Church, while enhancing your own faith; it is about protecting and enhancing your family life. We meet monthly and help various causes in our parish and greater community. Recent beneficiaries of our donations include the Special Olympics of Washington State and Rice Bowl through the Lenten Fish Frys'. We assist with various parish functions such as the Christmas Tree lighting ceremony, OLG Feast Day Fiesta and pancake breakfasts. If you are interested in joining, please visit [www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org) or email [michaelpkatz@aol.com](mailto:michaelpkatz@aol.com) for more information.

## **New On The Parish Website**

View a series of virtual stations designed for personal devotion created by Busted Halo. These stations relate to Jesus' teachings about the Kingdom of God and the reason His vision of this Kingdom led to His death. Find a quiet place to watch these stations, and as you do the devotions, be open to how God is speaking to you through the Stations of the Cross. You can also view pictures of our Lenten Fish Frys' [www.olgseattle.org](http://www.olgseattle.org)

## **Retrouvaille Marriage-Healing Weekend**

### **Marriage Help**

Do you feel alone in your marriage? Are you frustrated or angry with your spouse? Is it almost impossible to talk about difficult issues without arguing? Have you just given up? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi), can help, no matter the source of conflict in your marriage. For confidential information about, or to register for our upcoming program beginning **May 5-7, 2017**, call 206-706-2608 or visit our website at [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com).

***For more "Community Events",  
please visit our website.***

# OLG NIGHT WITH THE SEATTLE MARINERS

**FRIDAY, June 2, 7:05 PM**



**vs. TAMPA BAY RAYS**

**Postgame Fireworks to the  
"Sounds of Seattle"!!!**

**\$14 per person (*some accessible seating available*)**

Please complete the attached order form below and with payment (make checks out to "Our Lady of Guadalupe") ***no later than May 10th***. There is a limited number of tickets—first come, first serve. Wear your OLG gear and come see "Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish" in lights on the big screen!

***Information.*** Helen Oesterle, 206-935-0358, [heleno@olgseattle.org](mailto:heleno@olgseattle.org)

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*City*

*State*

*Zip*

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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NUMBER OF TICKETS \_\_\_\_\_ x \$14= \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Checks made out to OLG)

Do you need a ride? Yes No Can you give someone a ride? Yes How many? \_\_\_\_\_

Any special requests, such as accessible seating, limited stairs? Yes No

If so, What? \_\_\_\_\_

***Please drop off or mail ticket orders with payment to the Pastoral Office,  
Attn: Helen Oesterle, 7000 35th Ave. SW, 98126***





## *From The Pastoral Center*

### ***Stewardship Giving Made Easy Visit [www.olgseattle.org](http://www.olgseattle.org)***

If you are looking for a more convenient way to make planned or additional financial contributions to support our parish ministries and programs, we encourage you to look at our electronic giving options. Visit our parish website to learn more. Go to [www.olgseattle.org](http://www.olgseattle.org) and click on the "Online Giving" button.

### ***OLG School Happenings***

Donna Ramos, Principal  
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### ***A Message From Our Seventh Grade Students***

Dear Parishioners,

The seventh grade class would like to thank you for your kind donations to support our garden project. Thanks to all of you, we raised \$1,426.36 in just three Masses. With the addition of the \$600 matching grant, our total is \$2,026. We are truly blessed to have such a generous community to support the efforts of our garden. Additionally, this weekend, we will be planning our irrigation system and preparing the raised beds. We will continue to update you on our project through bulletin announcements.

Love,

Seventh Grade

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### ***Annual Over 65 Spring Luncheon***

**Sunday, April 9, 2017**

12:15 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

OLG School Hall

3401 SW Myrtle Street

(Entrance to School Hall on 34th Avenue)

**RSVP: 206-935-0358 by Thursday, April 6, 2017**