

Our Lady of Guadalupe

A parish with open arms and caring hearts

October 14, 2018



Gracious God, we thank you for the unique gifts you have given us to extend your Kingdom here on earth. May we be challenged to reconsider our priorities and values, always placing God and faith at the center of our life. Help us become more focused on loving and caring for our families and our neighbors. Open our hearts to the realization that we are called to give up something of ourselves so that life can flourish. When we give this way we are changed and will make a difference in the lives of others. Jesus, help us to commit ourselves to be good stewards of the gifts entrusted to us, to share our time, our talent and our treasure as an outward sign of our love. We pray this in thanksgiving for the many blessings we have received. Amen.

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



What A Weekend It Was!

This past weekend, we were able to welcome back Donna Ramos who was our school principal two years ago. Donna was here to celebrate the opening of the Early Learning Center. The idea of an Early Learning Center first emerged during her time with us. Thanks to Mr. Kramer, our current principal and generous donors, the Early Learning Center is open and thriving. Thank you to all whose vision, generosity and commitment made this possible.

Prayer, Service And Contemplation

Last Saturday, I was able to experience our parish at it's best. A retreat for outreach ministers was held in the gym. We learned methods of contemplative prayer, stress reduction and mindfulness. About 35 people took advantage of this opportunity. My prayer is that we would have more of these opportunities Thank you.

Report On Survey

Your pastoral council met Wednesday to review your input. Our report will come to you soon. This report of your experiences and thoughts about OLG will be given to the Archdiocese as they prepare for my replacement.

STEWARDSHIP - It's That Time Of Year Again!

Our Stewardship renewal for this year begins this weekend, the theme is "Carry the Torch Forward". I want to personally thank you for your generous contributions, volunteer hours, service, and prayer for one another. Commitment Sunday will be **November 4th**, this is the time we will prayerfully consider our gift for the coming year and fill out a commitment card, or set up our electronic giving to reflect a change for the year. To enable our parish to carry the OLG legacy forward, I am inviting you to consider a tithe of a percent of your income. What is most important is your consistent generosity through giving online or in the Sunday envelope. Please, pick up the torch and build on the legacy given to all of us from the vision of earlier parishioners.

Fr. Jack

A Candid Conversation With Fr. Jack

Fr. Jack will listen and answer questions about the current sex abuse crisis. He will than share them with Archbishop Sartain.

Thursday, October 25

6:30-8:00 pm, School Hall

Word And Communion Services

Thursday, October 18th



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.

Dick Alpers	Hudson Langhams	Joan Pflug
Concepcion Baldonado	Mason Langhams	Renee Salvana
Carolyn Berner	Dr. Kenneth McKin	Jack Webb
CeCe Glidden	Frances Nitkey	Paul Wharton
Tom Harnen	Monica Parker	Jennifer Wong
Sharon Lyons-Huber	Roy Parker	

New Inquiry Group Just Began

For Persons Interested In Becoming Catholic

You are invited to participate in the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults), a process of initiation into the Catholic community of faith. It encompasses the study of Scripture, Catholic teaching and Christian values - the development and deepening of a life of prayer and action, all with the support and involvement of the parish community. Participants can go at their own pace. The group meets on Wednesday evenings, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. For more information, please contact Helen Oesterle at 206-935-0358, Ext. 108 or heleno@olgseattle.org. You can also find more information at our parish website.



Questions About Baptism For An Infant Or Young Child?

Please contact us as soon as possible. We will give you information and help you get ready for this important sacrament.

NEXT PREPARATION CLASS (last one of the year) is on **NOVEMBER 3rd**. Contact Paulina Alvarado at paulinaa@olgseattle.org or 206-935-0358, Ext. 115 for more information.

Also, if you are interested in learning about the enriching possibility of volunteering in Baptism Ministry, we want to hear from you!

BUSINESS OF THE WEEK

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Scripture Readings

October 14th

Twenty-Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Reading 1: Wisdom 7:7-11

Reading 2: Hebrews 4:12-13

Gospel: Mark 10:17-30

October 21st

Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Reading 1: Isaiah 53:10-11

Reading 2: Hebrews 4:14-16

Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

The Flu Season Is Upon Us

Several people have asked about how to be safe during this flu season when we gather for Mass. First, if you are sick and/or have a fever, please stay home so as not to spread the germs. Attending Mass is important but church teaching does accommodate for times of illness. Secondly, if you have a cough or running nose, it is best not to touch other people or receive from the cup. You can greet your neighbor and extend a Sing of Peace with words and a smile, or even a fist bump. Please note our Eucharistic Ministers receive extensive training, based on scientific research, on the care of the cup during communion. In fact, most research shows that the cup at Mass is more hygienic than what you use at a restaurant, due to higher alcohol content of the wine, the wiping of both the inside and outside of the cup, and its rotation after each use. As Catholics, we are encouraged to receive the fullness of communion under both species, but also recognize the fullness of Christ's presence is found in the host and the wine if received separately.



Caring For God's Creation

This week familiarize yourself with Initiative 1631 on the November ballot. This measure would impose fees on large emitters of carbon pollution, and the funds must be used to reduce pollution, promote clean energy and address impacts to the environment and communities. Learning about it will allow you to cast an informed vote. For more information see <https://bit.ly/2x3C1qn>.

For more information about "Prayer and Liturgy" go to www.olgseattle.org and click on the "Grow In Faith" tab.

Pastoral Care



Faith Formation

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.



Portraits of Providence ElderPlace

an exhibit by Terry Rogers, M.D.

Presenting black and white photographs of Providence ElderPlace participants, caregivers and volunteers. Browse the artwork and hear the photographer explain his inspiration for the silhouettes.

Thursday, October 18, 2018 from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Providence ElderPlace West Seattle
(located inside Providence Mount St. Vincent on the 2nd floor)
4831 35th Avenue SW, Seattle, 98126

Please RSVP by emailing Jill.Leon@providence.org

Afterwards, please join us for a tour of the Providence ElderPlace geriatric clinic/adult day health center. Meet our clinicians who help enable our participants to live independently in the community.

Celebrate the beauty of aging, network with senior health care providers and enjoy appetizers, wine, and a raffle drawing.

Parking is available in the parking lot or on residential streets surrounding Province Mount St. Vincent.



Autumn Prayer

We bless you,
God of Seed and Harvest
And we bless each other
That the beauty of this world
And the love that created it
Might be expressed through our lives
And be a blessing to others
Now and always.
Amen

Is Jesus Asking The Same Of Us?

This Week's Readings at Mass

- Wisdom 7:7-11 - Solomon and the riches of wisdom
- Hebrews 4:12-13 - God's living word
- Mark 10:17-30 - The danger of riches - Jesus and the rich man

Questions of the Week

1. Have you ever given up something that was dear to you (possessions, a chance to make more money, a relationship, social status, etc.) which then enabled you to follow God's call more freely?
2. What in your life now is "holding you hostage" so that you are not free to follow an invitation from God? What might Jesus be inviting you to let go of or say goodbye to so you can move forward with more freedom?

GOSH! THERE ARE THE TEN COMMANDMENTS, THE GOLDEN RULE, THE BEATITUDES, THE LOVE ONE ANOTHER THING... WHY DO WE HAVE TO FOLLOW SO MANY RULES?!

YOU DON'T.

DENTON

YOU DON'T??

NAH!

THOSE ARE JUST IF YOU WANT TO GO TO HEAVEN.

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"What must I do to inherit eternal life?"

Sheepish Question:
Which of God's rules have I ignored or broken lately?

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

OCT. 27TH

4-7 p.m.

ADMIT

"BE THERE,
OR WE'LL PUT A SLUG IN YOUR SHOE!"

THE WALMESLEY CENTER AND
NORTH PARKING LOT

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

AIRBRUSH ARTIST ARTS & CRAFTS BOUNCE HOUSE CAKE WALK COSTUME CONTEST DUNK TANK FOOD
FORTUNE TELLER GAMES INFLATABLE OBSTACLE COURSE LIVE DJ RAFFLE SELFIE STATION TRUNK-OR-TREAT

#olgseattlecarnival



Outreach Ministry

Are You Registered To Vote? Sign Up Now!

"We need to participate for the common good. Sometimes we hear: a good Catholic is not interested in politics. This is not true: good Catholics immerse themselves in politics by offering the best of themselves so that the leader can govern." - Pope Francis, 9/16/13.

The next General Election in Washington State will be held on November 6th with the ballots being mailed out October 19th. New Washington State voters can register in person through October 29th. For more information on registering, go to www.sos.wa.gov/elections/voters/.

Help Put On The October Community Meal Volunteers Needed

New to OLG? Looking for a way to plug in? Interested in service? The Community Meal happens each month at OLG and strives to provide a free meal for anyone in the greater community who wishes to attend. This month's Community Meal is Sunday, **October 28th** in the Walmesley Center/Gym and we need your help to make it happen! Can you help with service and/or cleanup? You don't need to serve all day...we have 1-2 hour slots available. We are also in need of homemade or store-bought desserts to share with our guests (drop off any time after 9:45 a.m.).

To sign up, visit our **SignUpGenius** at:

(<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090b4bafae2faafb6-october>), go to our website, or contact Colleen at collduff@gmail.com.

Shelter Information Meeting

Did you know that OLG is now partnering with Holy Rosary to host a shelter for up to 10 women every Saturday and Sunday night from September to June? With homelessness on the rise and bad weather coming, this is a great opportunity to help provide a safe space for women in our community. All are invited to an info meeting on Sunday, **October 28th** at 9:45 a.m. on the Walmesley Center Stage to learn more. If you're interested in getting involved sooner, contact Diane at shelter@holyroseyseattle.org or visit the website at <https://holyroseyseattle.org/womens-shelter>.

Celebrating The Canonization Of Archbishop Oscar Romero

"Each one of you has to be God's microphone. Each one of you has to be a messenger, a prophet. The church will always exist as long as there is someone who has been baptized...Where is your baptism? You are baptized in your professions, in the fields of workers, in the market. Wherever there is someone who has been baptized, that is where the church is. There is a prophet there. Let us not hide the talent that God gave us on the day of our baptism and let us truly live the beauty and responsibility of being a prophetic people."

-Saint Oscar Romero

This Sunday, **October 14th**, Blessed Oscar Romero will be canonized a saint alongside Pope Paul VI. He is the first saint from El Salvador. Learn more about his life and the current reality in El Salvador at: <https://www.crs.org/sites/default/files/usops-resources/us1582-parish-bulletin-ins.-final.pdf>

A Mass Of Healing From The Sin Of Racism

Join with Catholics from the Archdiocese of Seattle to celebrate a Healing Mass from the social sin of racism. Together, let us pray for justice and peace for all races and peoples, and seek an end to racism and raise people's awareness of this form of evil. All are welcome. Fr. Jack will preside at the Mass here at OLG on **Sunday, October 14th** at 5:30 p.m. Sponsored by the Catholic Racial Solidarity Group. For more information, contact Patrick at 206-382-4515 or pbarredo@stjames-cathedral.org.

Help 'Communities In School' For Our Neighborhood Families At Denny International Middle School

Over the past four years, one of OLG's RSVP groups has been working with the non-profit 'Communities School' on site at Denny International Middle School. The program is starting a new initiative to provide workshops for parents and students. Do you have a special skill or interest you could share with a diverse group of parents? Some ideas include Healthy Relationships, Budgeting, Couponing, Stress Reduction Techniques, Renters' Rights...but the sky's the limit! This onetime, 12 hour commitment will be held sometime in the coming months on a date that works for your schedule. If you are interested in learning more, contact Ressie Brown at 206-252-9022 or Ressie@cisseattle.org. Thank you for helping our neighboring community!

Trickle Down Town Movie Premiere

Local filmmaker Tomasz Biernacki has created a film entitled "*Trickle Down Town*" about the homeless crisis in Seattle. Many parts were filmed right here in West Seattle. You can see the film for free at its premiere at the Admiral Theater on **October 21st** at 7:00 p.m. Tickets and a trailer are available at www.pechara.com. Come learn from our neighbors about what they're experiencing in our community,. Can't make it on the 21st? You can also catch the film at High Point Neighborhood House (6400 Sylvan Way SW) at 7:00 p.m. on **November 3rd**.



**GRAB A DONUT! KNIT A SCARF!
BECOME A SAINT! MAKE NEW FRIENDS!**

OLG MINISTRY FAIR: OPEN ARMS & CARING HEARTS

OCTOBER 20-21

**after all the masses
in the Walmesley Center**

Come learn more about all the ministries here at our parish, discover ways to get involved, and meet other parishioners. There will also be opportunities to participate with a variety of activities, including helping to knit a scarf for those who are homeless and testing your knowledge of the faith—can you reach the level of a saint? There will also be an activity table for children and hospitality.



OLG Community

50+ Social Activities Group (Formerly Over 50 Funsters)

MONTHLY: On the 2nd Thursday of the month, at about 9:30 a.m., come to The Chelan for our breakfast meeting. Come after Mass, 9:30 a.m. is just a goal! All are welcome.

COMING UP: Our Annual Potluck Halloween lunch will be **Wednesday, October 31st** at noon in the Walmesley Center. Costumes, masks or Halloween themed clothing are appropriate. For the potluck, please bring:

A-G	H-M	N-Z
Dessert	Salad	Main Dish

Or bring whatever you like; or bring nothing and come anyway. WE WANT TO SEE YOU!

Women's Spiritual Book Group

The Women's Spiritual Book Group meets the first and third Thursday of each month after the 9:00 a.m. Mass in the Pastoral Center.

Our current study is "Church of the Holy Spirit" Part Two (Acts 15-28)

"The second half of ACTS narrates the missionary journeys of Paul and his companions. It begins in Jerusalem and ends in Rome, but the story is open-ended, for it is lived in the church and its members in every age."

-Stephen J. Binz - Threshold Bible Study

All women are invited to attend. For more information, please call the parish office.



Do You Have The Gift Of Photography?

We are looking for a volunteer photographer for key Parish liturgical events. Please contact Helen Oesterle at 206-935-0358, Ext. 108, or helenoolgseattle.org, for more information.

Thanks for sharing your gifts in the community!

Thank You

Many thanks to everyone who supported the Family Faith Formation Basket Raffle. Congratulations to all the winners who have been contacted. If you didn't win, please know that your generosity makes you a winner to all the children and youth that benefit from our programs!

Key Change

Very soon, the Walmesley Center enter keys will be changed. The building is being changed to a card reading system. If you need entry into the building, please contact Sal at salp@olgseattle.org to arrange for a trade out for your key.

Knitters And Crocheters Needed!

Do you knit or crochet? Why not join us? We knit and crochet hats and scarves for the needy. We also knit and crochet prayer shawls for Hospice patients. Beginners welcome! We meet monthly on the 2nd or 3rd Sunday of the month from 12:30 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. On **October 21st**, Fr. Jack will bless our hats, scarves, and shawls, so if you have any that you have worked on, please bring them that day. Our next meeting will also be on **October 21st** in the Pastoral Center West Room. You can bring your needles/hooks, yarn and whatever patterns you wish to work on, or pick some up at the meeting. Snacks will be provided. For more information, please contact Velma Jones at jones_velma@hotmail.com.

If you or someone you know is suffering after abortion, confidential, non-judgmental help is available. Visit Hope-AfterAbortion.org, or call Project Rachel Ministry's national, toll-free number: 1-888-456-HIOPE (4673)

For more "Community Events", please visit our website at www.olgseattle.org

From The Pastoral Center



NEW - Give By Text!

Simply send a text message to 206-745-4559 with the amount you would like to contribute (example: \$20). Within a few minutes, you'll be sent a text with a link to register. Click on the link and enter your cardholder name and debit or card information. Once your registration is complete, you will receive a text verification and a receipt of your donation via email.

For future giving, send a text with the amount you wish to give, and it will process automatically!

You can even text "repeat" to make it a recurring donation. Give by Text is one of the fastest, easiest ways to give. We hope you enjoy this new way to share your generosity, and we **thank you** for supporting our lady of Guadalupe!

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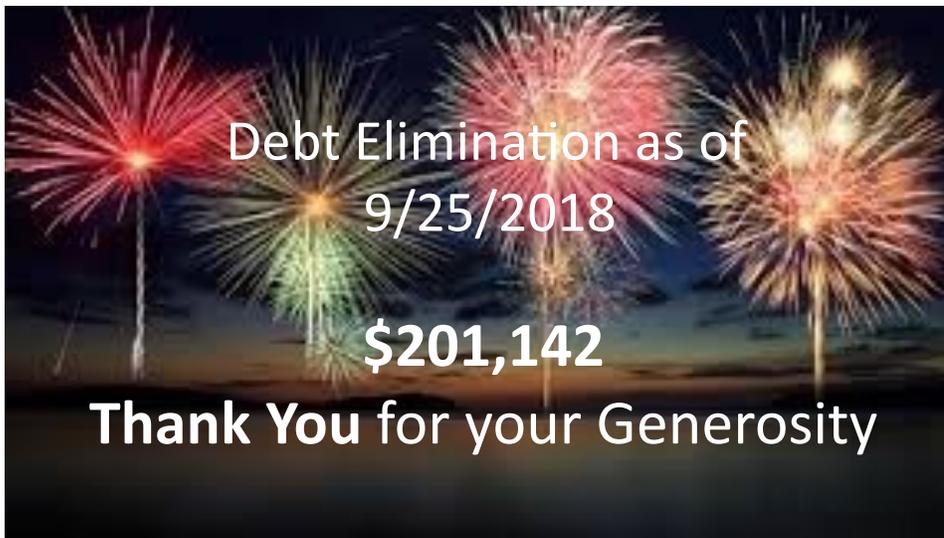
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Beers & Brats/Halloween Carnival - Tickets are LIVE and so are volunteer signups!

Tickets are officially on sale for the inaugural Beers & Brats at the Walmesley Center! For \$20 (\$30 per couple), snag a beer and brat and come party with us on **October 20th!** Extra-thirsty? Add an extra beer and/or brat to your online or paper order. Make sure you buy before October 17th - prices go up at the event! Orders can be placed online at olgevents.org.

Also, join us at our Halloween Carnival on **October 27th.** SAVE on your advanced purchase of Carnival wristbands through October 19th - one for \$17, two (or more) for \$15 each. Preorder your tickets and wristbands at olgevents.org.

Box Tops are due **October 31st** for fall turn-in. Please turn them in at the school or in the container in the church library. Thank you for your continued support!

