

Our Lady of Guadalupe

A parish with open arms and caring hearts

November 04, 2018



***"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another
as good stewards of God's varied grace."***

- 1 Peter 4:10

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

Eugene Petersen And Your Stewardship Commitment

This past week, I learned of the death of Eugene Petersen, a pastoral writer and scholar who greatly influenced my life and ministry. He was most well known for his work, *The Message*, where he puts the scripture into contemporary words and idioms.

How might he influence our Stewardship commitments? One of the themes he promoted was “congruence” in our lives as pastors and people. Reflecting on his life and works on my book shelves, I see his call to all of us to bring our daily work and lives to be congruent with our belief in Jesus Christ. The gospel is always calling to a new and more abundant life. Petersen refers to parishes and the people of God as the topsoil where God works in our lives.

Thank you for praying and reflecting on your Stewardship commitment this year. You are carrying the torch of our parish forward. If you did not place your commitment into the offertory, please mail it to the parish as soon as possible. Please, check out the convenience of online giving as well.

I am proud to carry the torch forward with you.

Like Your Ballots, They Are In The Mail

This week, I mailed to Archbishop Sartain your written responses after our discussion about the sexual abuse cover up in our country. The responses were clear and powerful. Thank you to all who participated in our discussion.

How You See Your Parish

Next week, I hope to place in your hands the results of the survey you filled out last month. This report will go to you, the Archbishop, and the clergy personnel board who will make the decision about what form of pastoral leadership our parish will have after July 1. Thank you for your participation

Fr. Jack

Prayer During Time Of Transition

Loving God,

Your wisdom is beyond our understanding. Surround us with the fire of your love during our time of transition. We give you thanks for the journey we began in Baptism.

Now you call this community into deeper waters. Let us view this moment of change and renewal as an invitation to build upon the foundation which we created together.

Empower us to be your Church in all times and seasons: a community of faith where all are welcomed and connected by your love. Give us the courage to carry the torch forward, being open to new possibilities, and embracing the changes to come.

United as one faith community, we join in your saving work through which the story of your love, grace and mercy is embodied. We offer our prayers in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen

Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us!

***You are invited to
The Twenty-third Annual
Celebration Of Our Lady of
Guadalupe, Mother of the Americas***

on Saturday, December 1 at 12:10 p.m.

and

***The Twenty-first Annual Celebration
of Simbang Gabi
Commissioning Mass***

On Saturday, December 15 at 11:00 a.m.

**at St. James Cathedral
804 9th Avenue, Seattle**



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	Michael Keefe	Roy Parker
Concepcion Baldonado	Hudson Langhams	Albert Peter
Dana Coman	Mason Langhams	Joan Pflug
Marina Felix	Dr. Kenneth McKin	Renee Salvana
CeCe Glidden	Anne Mjelleli	Jack Webb
Tom Harnen	Frances Nitkey	Paul Wharton
Sharon Lyons-Huber	Monica Parker	Jennifer Wong

and for those who have recently passed.... Christina Ladrillono

Mass Intentions

Mass of Remembrance for Judge Ward Koehler - Friday, November 9th

Rodger Clement's Funeral
November 17th - 10:00 a.m.

Saint Elizabeth's Church
1005 SW 152nd Street, Burien, 98116
206-243-6844

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or 206-715-4815



Caring For God's Creation

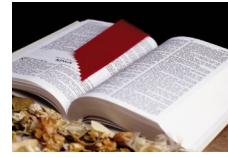
As we enter the fall/winter heating season, consider keeping your thermostat at a lower temperature. The Department of Energy estimates savings of 1% for each degree reduction per 8 hours. Cutting back 7-10 degrees during hours when you are sleeping can bring a total savings to as much as 10% a year. Dress in layers and keep a sweater handy!

BUSINESS OF THE WEEK

Rain or Shine it's Dog Jog Time!
Offering: Runs, Walks, Potty Breaks and
Pet & House Sitting

West Seattle Owned and Operated!

Email for info on rates and scheduling your first dog jog!
Yourdogjog@gmail.com



Scripture Readings

November 4th

Thirty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

Reading 1: Deuteronomy 6:2-9

Reading 2: Hebrews 7:23-28

Gospel: Mark 12:28-34

November 11th

Thirty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

Reading 1: 1 Kings 17:10-16

Reading 2: Hebrews 9:24-28

Gospel: Mark 12:38-44

Remembering Those Who Have Died

During the month of November, beginning with the Feast of All Souls, we remember all those who have died, including parishioners from this past year. We invite you to bring a picture of your loved one and place it on the Memorial Table near our All Souls Banners. You can also write their names in our special Book of Prayer. We will keep all of them in our prayers. *Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them. Amen*

RSVP (Ritual, Scripture, Verse And Prayer)

In preparation for Advent, we are offering a four-week, parish-wide series designed to build closer relationships in community and foster a deeper spirituality. This year, groups will be invited to reflect upon Pope Francis' recent document on holiness, recognizing that all of us are called to holiness. Small groups gather in parishioners' homes, or at the parish, to pray and reflect on Pope Francis' reflections in light of Sunday gospels. If you are new to the program, please fill out the form in the back of church, or on our parish website, and return it to the office or place it in the collection basket. You will be contacted about the meeting time and place. For more information, please contact Helen Oesterle at 206-935-0358, Ext 108; heleno@olgseattle.org. You can also find more information at our parish website.

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

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.

Grandparents Raising Grandchildren You Don't Have To Do It All On Your Own!

Our changing family picture in our culture, includes more grandparents opening their homes and hearts to raising their grandchildren for a variety of reasons. There are resources that can provide support and advocacy for "grandfamily" caregivers.

- **Generations United** (gu.org) is a national nonprofit dedicated to intergenerational collaboration, including support and advocacy for grandfamily caregivers.
- **The State of Washington's Kinship Care** website (dshs.wa.gov/kinshipcare) features many useful publications, including *Grandparents and Relatives: Do you know about the services and supports for you and the children in your care?* This pamphlet - available in several languages - provides a comprehensive list of various resources, benefits, and support services available to relatives raising children.
- In the Seattle area, the **Catholic Community Services' King County Kinship Collaboration** (ccsww.org) offers links to resources, one-on-one advice, support groups and other networking opportunities. Click on "Child, Youth, and Family Services," then "Kinship."

My Grandfather Said

by Nan Toby Tyrrell

My grandfather said to eat an onion every morning and take a shot of whiskey at night. It worked for him. He was strong as the Russian songs he sang to me.

*Mine Kleine Madala
Schloven, schloven*

Early in winter my grandfather walked slowly around our neighborhood. He paused to speak; he, a prince of stories, weaving tales of pogroms, beatings, and village fires. He'd look at me with a mischievous grin and toss a last minute joke with a wink. In his third floor walk-up he sat on his worn chair, hunched over. His fingers cradled the needle as it crept through peacock blue lapels.

Each summer his body was the first to taste the ocean in June, even though he couldn't swim.

He clung to the rope, dunked his brawny body up and down as I watched from the shore to spot his white mane sparkling.

I still see him, dressed in his Sabbath best, his fedora tipped at a roguish angle, holding his head a little nearer to God.

Faith Formation



God, Neighbor, and Self

This Week's Readings at Mass

- Deuteronomy 6:2-6 - The Great Commandment
- Hebrews 7:23-28 - Jesus, the eternal high priest
- Mark 12:28b-34 - The Greatest Commandment

Questions of the Week

1. What does it mean to you to love God with all your heart, all your soul, all your mind, and all your strength? How do you try to do that?
2. For some people, it is easier to love and respect their neighbor than to love and respect themselves. Which do you find easier? Why?



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"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength."

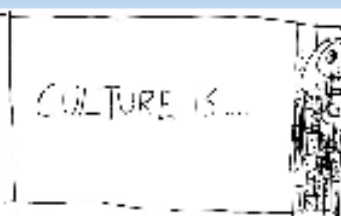
Sheepish Question:

How do I describe my yearning for God?

Our Lady of Guadalupe Immigrant Ministry invites you to a two-part series this November...

Understanding Your Cultural Lens for our Multicultural Community

Wednesday, November 7 | 7-9pm in Walmesley Center



All are invited to an interactive workshop to explore our cultural lenses. Cultural lenses affect how we walk through the world and how we interact with people from different cultural backgrounds. The foundational practice of cultural humility is recognizing the cultural ways of being that are usually beneath the surface of our awareness, especially if we are part of the dominant culture.

Key Concepts:

- Moving beyond cultural competency to values of cultural humility
- Respectful communication guidelines and practices
- Exercises to recognize and explore one's cultural framework
- Understand the interplay of our own culture within dominant culture
- Embodied practices to cultivate self-awareness in interactions

Facilitators: Briana Brannan, Immigrant and Refugee Accompaniment Organizer from the Church Council of Greater Seattle. Sister Margie Fort, Sister of St. Joseph of Peace, whose ministry focuses on immigrants and refugees.

Detention Lottery Play

Wednesday, November 14 | 7pm in the Walmesley Center

OLG is excited to host "The Detention Lottery", an immersive drama written by attorney/playwright Margaret O'Donnell. This educational play is performed by immigration attorneys who also helped with the detainee profiles. Come join us for a realistic day in Immigration Court with real stories and real outcomes. During the performance, audience members (or their randomly selected, fictional family member) will be detained and have their merit for relief from deportation determined by an immigration judge (you can opt for a U.S. passport and just be an observer). The goal is to promote greater understanding of our immigration enforcement system, as well as empower participants to stand up for immigrant protections and rights.



Our Lady of Guadalupe Immigrant Ministry Mission Statement

Embracing Christ's mission, we engage parishioners in encountering our immigrant sisters and brothers through education and community building.

Our Lady of Guadalupe
7000 35th Ave SW – Seattle 98126

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Outreach Ministry

Ethical Trade Sale

OLG's annual Catholic Relief Services Ethical Trade Sale is coming up on **Sunday, November 18th** from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Walmesley Center. Ethical Trade seeks to change the ways in which conventional trade often leaves behind the most vulnerable people. By buying Ethical Trade, you support the efforts of skilled farmers and artisans working to break the cycle of poverty and to build stronger communities. Employers also assure that workers are treated with dignity and that forced labor is not part of the supply chain. At the sale, you'll find unique gift items, including chocolates, Advent calendars, nativities, crosses, jewelry, holiday and home décor, scarves, ornaments, baskets, and much more. In addition to Ethical Trade items, you'll find: holiday cards from **Noel House** (a Catholic Community Services shelter for homeless women), tasty treats sold by the Pre-K and 3rd grade classes to benefit **Westside Baby**, and **Children of Peace** olive wood items from the **Holy Land**. Proceeds go to **Catholic Relief Services** and OLG's efforts to bring Fair Trade coffee and tea to our events. *Information*, Jennifer 206-935-0358, Ext 120 or jibach@olgseattle.org.

Understanding Your Cultural Lens For Our Multicultural Community

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Mass For The Deceased Homeless

You are invited to gather at St. James Cathedral (910 Marion St., Seattle) on **Thursday, November 8th** at 5:30 p.m. for a special Mass in memory of the men and women who died on the streets, in shelters or hospitals, or by violence in our community this past year. Please join to honor their memory, to celebrate their lives, and to pray for them. A simple reception will follow. All are welcome to bring winter hats, gloves, and scarves to be distributed to those in need.

Young Adult Justice Café

Join other young adults (20s-30s) for a meaningful conversation on the connections between spirituality and justice at an Intercommunity Peace and Justice Center Justice Café. In November, they'll be discussing "Violent Conflict and the Need to Peace." The Seattle Justice Café is on **Thursday, November 15th** from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at Victrola Café (411 15th Ave. E, Seattle). Contact Avery Haller for more information: averyhaller@outlook.com. The Burien Justice Café is at St. Francis of Assisi Church (15226 21st Ave. SW, Burien). Contact Aaron Walsh for more information: aaronwalsh1987@yahoo.com. For general information, or to start your own Justice Café, contact ipjc@ipjc.org.

Building The Beloved Community: Racism and Beyond

Many people of faith are concerned about racism in America today. Where do we start? What can we do? What is "white privilege" and its role in society today? How can we respond to the systemic nature of racism in our politics, economy, public education and criminal justice system? The Intercommunity Peace and Justice Center (www.ipjc.org) invites you to a presentation by Patricia Chappell, SNDdeN, and Anne Louise Nadeau, SNDdeN, from Pax Christi USA on **Saturday, November 10th** from 8:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at St. Joseph Parish (732 18th Avenue E. Seattle). Learn what you can do! RSVP by **November 2nd**. \$25 suggested donation included lunch.

OLG Immigrant Ministry Welcoming New Members

Come join OLG's Immigrant Ministry as we seek new ways to encounter our immigrant brothers and sisters through education, advocacy and community building! Our next meeting is **Friday, November 9th** at 9:30 a.m. in the Pastoral Center. We are looking forward to seeing you. Contact Jennifer at jibach@olgseattle.org for more information.

Catholic Bishops Endorse Initiative 1639 To Support Gun Violence Prevention

Highlighting the sacredness of human life, the Catholic Bishops of Washington State issued a statement today endorsing Initiative 1639 on gun violence prevention. The Bishops acknowledged the importance of individual liberties such as gun ownership, while pointing out that the U.S. Catholic Church has long supported reasonable measures to ensure a higher level of public safety. Initiative 1639 would strengthen gun sale background checks, require safety training, extend waiting periods for semi-automatic weapons, and establish safe-storage conditions for gun owners. Additionally, I-1639 would prohibit the sale of assault rifles to people under the age of 21. The full statement is available at WACatholics.org.

Ethical Trade Sale

Sunday, November 18th

9:30am-1pm

Our Lady of Guadalupe Gym - 7000 35th Ave SW, Seattle



We live in an era of unprecedented economic interdependence. Ethical Trade changes the ways conventional trade often leaves behind the most vulnerable people. By buying Ethical Trade, you support the efforts of skilled farmers and artisans who are breaking the cycle of poverty and building stronger communities. Employers also assure that workers are treated with dignity and that forced labor is not part of the supply chain.



At the sale, you'll find:

- unique gifts including chocolate, Advent calendars, home décor, nativities, scarves, ornaments, crosses, and more!
- Christmas cards supporting Noel House (a Catholic Community Services shelter for homeless women),
- Tasty treats from the Pre-K and 3rd grade benefiting Westside Baby
- Knitted goods from the Young Ladies Institute
- Children of Peace olivewood items from the Holy Land
- Brand new this year...Purpose Jewelry! Elegant jewelry made by women who escaped human trafficking.



Proceeds go to Catholic Relief Services and to Our Lady of Guadalupe's efforts to offer Fair Trade coffee and tea at events.

Shop early for the best selection! Enjoy free Pura Vida Fair Trade coffee while you browse.

Information? Jennifer: jibach@olgseattle.org or (206) 935-0358 x120





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:

- Breakfast at Bridge Park on **Thursday, November 15th** at 8:30 a.m. to be able to visit with our OLG parishioners who are now residents there. Chat with friends you may not have seen for awhile.
- A holiday Lunch Cruise on Lake Union on **Wednesday, December 5th** from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. for \$57. Celebrate the spirit of the holidays aboard a festive lunch cruise, featuring favorite holiday dishes, delicious pies and spectacular views of Seattle. Contact Paul Morel at 206-409-3142 for reservations and more information.

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.

Archdiocese Of Seattle Vocation Prayer

God our Father,

You call each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ.

We ask that You inspire those whom you call to priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life to courageously follow Your will.

Send workers into Your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted and Your people are strengthened by the sacraments.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

Over 65 Luncheon

If you are a community member aged 65 or older, please join us on **Sunday, November 18th** from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Guadalupe School Hall for food, friends and fun! The meal will be prepared by the OLG School 5th grade class (and their families). There will be raffle prizes and good friends to visit with over a warm and tasty meal. Rides to/from are available. Please RSVP to 206-935-0651 by **Friday, November 16th**. We will see you there!

Christmas Wreaths

We would again like to make available to you Christmas wreaths made by the farmworker women of Oregon. Your purchase of a wreath supports the women as they work towards economic and leadership development. The wreaths are beautiful and long lasting and are well worth the cost of \$35. We will be taking orders after all Masses on the weekends of **November 10/11 and 17/18** in the back of the church. Or, you can call Jake or Norene Saldana at 206-937-3682 to place an order by **November 26th**. The wreaths will be available for pickup on the first weekend of December.

CYO Sports

The parents, players and coach from the St. Francis 6th grade girls team would like to recognize and thank Kendyll King for her outstanding contribution to our combined team this year. It is without a doubt that she represents the very best that your parish and school have to offer. Thank you once again Kendyll for your sportsmanship and contribution in us making the CYO playoffs this year.

St. Francis Eagles!

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

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)

From The Pastoral Center



Stewardship

This weekend is Commitment Sunday, we ask that everyone who has not returned their Parish Stewardship commitment cards, to please prayerfully evaluate their giving to the parish and community. After praying, please fill out your commitment card and return it as soon as possible. Thank you for keeping the heart of Our Lady of Guadalupe beating.

Debt Elimination as of
9/25/2018

\$183,746

Thank You for your Generosity

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Halloween Carnival - Thank you to all who came to support the annual Halloween Carnival! A great time was had by all who came. A VERY special thank you to the event chairs Hillary Reeves and Shauna Fredrickson for creating such a wonderful experience once again. THANK YOU!!

All Saints' Day Mass - Our third grade saints have been proudly showing off their hard work this week as they present their Saint reports in class.

Veterans' Day Assembly - All Veterans are invited to join Mrs. Wilson's 4th grade class as they lead us in the Veterans' Day assembly on **Wednesday, November 7th** at 9:30 a.m. in the School Hall. Thank you for your service, we truly appreciate you.