Christ the King Parish April 19, 2015

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Ps 31:3cd-4,6,7b,8a,17,21ab

Readings for Mon., Apr. 20 - Sun., Apr. 26 Mon. Acts 6:8-15 Ps 119:23-24,26-27,29-30

Jn 6:22-29

Jn 6:22-29

Tues. Acts 7:51-8:1a Jn 6:30-35

Wed. Acts 8:1b-8 Ps 66:1-3a,4-7a Jn 6:44-51 **Thurs.** Acts 8:26-40 Ps 66:8-9,16-17,20 Jn 3:31-36

Fri. Acts 9:1-20 Ps 117:1bc.2 Jn 6:52-59

Feast of St. Mark, Evangelist

Sat. 1 Pt 5:5b-14 Ps 89:2-3,6-7,16-17

Mk 16:15-20

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Sun. Acts 4:8-12 Ps 118:1,8-9,21-23,26,28,29 1 Jn 3:1-2 Jn 10:11-18

MASS INTENTIONS

PLEASE NOTE: † indicates an intention for the deceased

Mon. Apr. 20 8:40 AM – Rev. Gerard G. Steckler SJ ↔ Tues. Apr. 21 8:40 AM – Sister Bridget Ann Ward SNJM ↔

Wed. Apr. 22 8:40 AM - Special Intention

Thurs. Apr. 23 8:40 AM – Agnes Bernadette Costa む

Fri. Apr. 24 8:40 AM – Monica Igama Sat. Apr. 25 5:00 PM – Joan McCluskey

Sun. Apr. 26 8:30 AM – Joseph Tin Cao & Bartholomew Van ⊕

10:30 AM – Bernard McCluskey

12:30 PM – The People of Christ the King

PARISH STEWARDSHIP - FISCAL YEAR 2015

July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2015 Total Collection Budget - \$572,500

 Collections
 Budget
 Variance

 March
 \$ 50,746
 \$ 52,520
 \$ (1,774)

 Year-To-Date
 \$ 431,135
 \$ 424,920
 \$ 6,215

Includes amounts from all Masses



Annual Catholic Appeal

This year's Annual Catholic Appeal has us reflect upon A Future Full of Hope: Passion for our Faith, Promise for our Future, Care for our Community and Love for our Family. Please prayerfully consider giving to the needs of our Archdiocese as we conduct the 2015 Annual Catholic Appeal over the next four weeks. Thank you if you have already made your gift to the Appeal! If not, please fill out a pledge envelope today or go online to donate:

www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate

April 19, 2015

Dear Friends,

Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist are known as Easter sacraments, because they initiate, confirm, and nourish us in the new life of Christ. Through baptism, the life that we live everyday is given new meaning and an exciting mission through our likeness to Christ, who died and who rose again, victorious over sin and death itself.

We who share his humanity and his cross will also share his resurrection. Meanwhile, our mission is to be in the world as Jesus was: A priest, who gave himself for the life of others; a prophet, who lived and taught fidelity to the covenant of justice, love and peace that unites God and the people; and a king, who ordered all things – time, talent, and treasure - toward the common good of all.

Baptism makes us disciples of Jesus through faith, and it gives us hope; baptism also makes us missionaries, who are eager to share with the world the good news of God's love that God has lavished on us.

Confirmation strengthens us in our Christian identity through the gifts of the Holy Spirit. It is important that we recognize these gifts, cooperate with them, and put them into practice. Like muscles of the soul, the gifts of the Spirit will grow stronger from exercise and use; like precious silver, they will shine more brightly when they are taken out of the drawer, polished, and put into service. The Spirit's gifts are many, but prominent among them are wisdom, understanding, knowledge, counsel, piety, fortitude, and fear of the Lord (see Isaiah 11: 1-3).

The Holy Eucharist is the sacrament of the Body and Blood of the Lord. It nourishes us under signs of bread and wine so that our communion with the Lord becomes stronger and more intimate. By approaching the Table of the Lord worthily, attentively, and devoutly, we strengthen our discipleship and our missionary zeal.

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The Spirit is moving among us in powerful and sacramental ways during this Easter season, which gives us reason for joy and hope, thankfulness and praise. Alleluia!

Fr. Rowan

FAITH FORMATION

Join us Wednesdays

We begin each week with a Potluck Dinner at 6pm in the Fitzgerald Room. At 6:30 pm, the Kid's Club (for grades K-5) continue their fun and energetic catechesis in the Fitz Room while Foundations of Faith and RCIA move to the Brannan House.

Women's Book and Faith Sharing Group:

Our next meeting will be on Monday, April 27th in the Brannan House. We will be starting "The Gift of Faith" by Fr. Tadeusz Dajczer. All women are invited. For more information contact Marti Lundberg at 206-859-5105 or mlundberg@ckseattle.org

'Ite Missa Est' Men Group

Meets weekly on Thursday mornings at 6:45am. Join us this week, April 23rd in the Church to pray the rosary followed by a discussion of the Gospel for the coming Sunday and a light breakfast.



Save the Date! Vacation Bible School at Christ the King

June 22-26, 2015



Christ the King Catholic School News

Midnight in Paris - Online Auction

Reservations are rolling in! Please consider attending this year's school auction – Midnight in Paris. The auction is not just for school families! It is a celebration of our greater community supporting CTK's largest ministry – the school! The online auction begins Monday, April 20th and closes on April 26th! The silent and live auction/gala is on May 16th from 5pm – 10pm. Please visit http://ckseattle.maestroweb.com for more details.

<u>Limited Enrollment Opportunities – Preschool - 8th Grade</u>

We have limited enrollment opportunities in preschool – 8th grade. Discover Seattle's best kept secret! Your children will learn and grow in a loving atmosphere while being challenged academically. Become part of the CKS family today. Contact Michelle at cksdev@ckseattle.org for more details.



<u>Kindergarten Playdate –</u> April 24th

The class of 2024 will gather on April 24th from 3:00pm – 3:45pm to meet, greet and have some fun! This is an event for incoming CKS Kindergarten students and parents. We will begin our playdate in the Fitzgerald Room. See you then!



For all Youth Ministry questions & inquiries, please contact Lindsey Barry, lbarry@ckseattle.org or 859-5107.

Youth Group: YOUTH GROUP IS BACK!!! 6th - 12th grade. Join us tonight in the Youth Room from 6:30-7:30. The Bible can be difficult to understand; thankfully we have a style in the Catholic faith called Lectio Divina that helps us to pray with the Bible and begin to understand what it is we are reading.

AGAPE: We still have room! If you are in Junior High and are interested in a FANTASTIC week of service, we still have space available! Permission slips available in Parish Office! **SIGN UP SOON!**

Young Women's Group: This week we move onto our last installment of True Beauty, this section focuses specifically on sisterhood and how important it is for us as women to have someone to talk to. Join us for great discussion and friendship this Tuesday from 7p-8:30p.

Kids Club: Come and join us for an evening of fun and learning! Last week we read of the Young David's bravery in his encounter with Goliath. This week we will read about David and King Saul.

CLOW: Next week Jesus tells the story of the Good Shepherd and his one lost sheep.

Quote of the Week: "The secret of happiness is to live moment by moment and to thank God for all that He, in His goodness, sends to us day after day." St. Gianna Molla

Rachel's Corner

Hope and Healing After Abortion

Come on a Rachel's VineyardTM Retreat so you can let the past go and allow God to create a new life for you.

May 29-31, 2015

Call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673)
Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

Seattle Respect Life Network May 20; 7pm-8:30pm

The Seattle Respect Life Network helps Catholics launch and intensify Respect Life Ministries in their parishes. Interested in finding out more? The Network meets on the third Wed. 7PM in Martin de Porres Hall of Blessed Sacrament Church. Contact Dirk Bartram at dirkbartram@mn.com