

# Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish

## July 24-25, 2010

### PARISH INFORMATION

**Baptism:** Peg Borkowski, Past. Center  
**Marriage:** Contact the office at least 6 months in advance.  
**Healing Prayer Team:** Please call Sharon at 937-7260.  
**St. Vincent de Paul:** Please contact the Past. Center.  
**Lost and Found:** Please contact the Past. Center.  
**Religious Ed Classes:** Sunday mornings, October-May. Contact Jeanette Howard through the Past. Center.  
**Women's Spirituality Group:** Contact R. DeLong at 767-9654 or P. Haggerty at 935-5277 for more info.  
**Men's Spirituality Group:** James Perry 432-1449  
**Centering Prayer:** Contact Candy Miller thru Past. Center  
**Finance Committee:** Maryann Crissey, Chair  
**Knights of Columbus:** Brian Botuchis, Grand Knight  
**Liturgy Committee:** Peg Borkowski, Past. Center  
**School Commission:** Becky Doe, Chair  
**Parent Organization:** Michelle Turcinec, Chair  
**Pastoral Council:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday, 7 p.m., Past. Center.  
**Senior Breakfast:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs., 9:30 a.m., Be's Restaurant.  
**AA Meeting:** Wednesdays, 6 p.m., DeMazenod Room.  
**OLG Supper Club:** Marsha Baumann 425-226-4038

### ARCHDIOCESAN SERVICES

**Archdiocese of Seattle:** 206-382-4560  
**Associated Catholic Cemeteries:** 206-522-0996  
**Catholic Community Services:** 206-328-5696  
**Prison Ministry:** 206-296-1774

### PASTORAL CARE

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.

### IN OUR PRAYERS

Let us remember those who are facing pressing challenges and are in need of our prayers, especially, **Mary Audett; Joann Salomon; Betty Buty; Ann Bacon**, friend of Susan Dolejsi; **Emily Behrens; Kellie Crain**, niece of Sister Lydia Nikolaisen; **Donald DeLong** husband of Rose DeLong; **the brothers of Peg Haggerty; Blas O Rayos**, father of Richard Rayos; **Robert Raucci**, son of Barbara Raucci; **Clare Short; Joann Salomon; Ted Tann**, grandfather of Lisa Ruiz; **Donna Simonsen; Jason Alexander;** Beverly Hamilton, **mother of Debbie Alexander**

During the month of July, we continue to uphold all those in need of prayer, especially: **Mitch Forrey; Tony Huber**, brother of Len Huber; **Billee Jacobsen**, mother of Janice Harvey; **Jerry Maxwell** friend of Ginny Lee; **Dolores Messina** sister in law of Ben and Kay Messina.

### WEEKLY PARISH CALENDAR

#### Saturday, July 24

8:15 a.m. Men's Spirituality Gp., Past. Cent.  
5:30 p.m. Mass

#### Sunday, July 25

8:30 & 11 a.m. Mass  
1:00 p.m. Community Meal

#### Wednesday, July 28

9:00 a.m. Word and Communion Service

#### Thursday, July 29

9:00 a.m. Word and Communion Service  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts, Parish hall

#### Friday, July 30

9:00 a.m. Word and Communion Service

#### Saturday, July 31

8:15 a.m. Men's Spirituality Gp., Past. Cent.  
5:30 p.m. Mass

#### Sunday, August 1

8:30 & 11 a.m. Mass

### STEWARDSHIP COLLECTION

#### Collection for Week 3 as of July 20th

Last Week's Collection	\$7,894
Fiscal Year-to-Date Received	\$29,746
Year-to-Date Budget	\$41,400
Budget Difference	\$(11,654)

*Thank you for your support!*

### SCRIPTURE READINGS

#### *This Week's Readings:*

#### Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Reading 1:** Gn 18:20-32

**Reading 2:** Col 2:12-14

**Gospel:** Lk 11:1-13

#### *Next Week's Readings:*

#### Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Reading 1:** Ecc 1:2; 2:21-23

**Reading 2:** Col 3:1-5, 9-11

**Gospel:** Lk 12:13-21

### SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

In order to accommodate the parish staff furloughs, the Parish office will be closing at noon on Friday's from June 18<sup>th</sup> to August 13<sup>th</sup>. Please call the office if you have any questions or concerns.

### SUMMER STEWARDSHIP

Please remember your financial commitment to your Parish during the summer months. Remember you can contribute online or make your offering through electronic funds transfer. Call the Parish to learn how easy this is.

## **FROM THE PASTORS DESK**

### ***Furloughs and Fiscal Challenges***

As you have heard in the bulletin beginning in July your parish staff will begin taking furlough days in order for the Parish to have a balanced budget. Your finance committee and pastoral council sincerely hope that our Sunday offerings will be sufficient to delay the furloughs and restore the hours of ministry and service provided by your part time and full time staff. During the 2010-2011 budget year we will need \$13,000 per week in Sunday stewardship offerings to balance the budget and relax the furloughs.

### **What Did You Say About OLG?**

A few weeks ago I mentioned a book called Engaged Church. During that homily I mentioned the study that revealed in most congregations' the people who attend church described themselves.

29% engaged in their parish

54% not engaged but satisfied

17% actively disengaged although attending

The last group were called cave people or constantly against virtually everything. That weekend we gave everyone the opportunity to say what they like about OLG and what could we as a parish do better. Each week we will give you the results.

### **What The Next 30 Cards Liked About OLG**

Several people mentioned Ann's music, Fr. Jack, and the School. Parishioners are friendly and organized, good gospel, children's liturgy of the word, down to earth teaching, good school, sense of community, Knights of Columbus, warm and caring, support network, friendly and involved, social activities, we accept everyone from all walks of life, warmth of the assembly, homilies, community involvement of the ministries, bringing the readings to present day issues, warm and friendly, good leadership, liturgy is purposeful, diversity, close-knit community, school and parish cooperation, loving spirit, assessable, not too formal, close, togetherness, Peg, kiss of peace, programs, baptism process, beautiful liturgy, prayerful parish that is simple and dedicated, non judgmental, youthful and inclusive, reflective sermons, the staff, the challenge of growing and developing, the choir, layout of the church, humble approach to worshiping god, no glitz and glitter.

### **What Could We Do Better?**

Several people mentioned we could be more active in the West Seattle community and more mass times on Sunday's and other days. More holiday mass times, more confession times, pray more for our troops, more drives to help the poor or laid off, more generous parishioners, more welcoming to non-catholic's, lay preachers, get our parishioners more spiritually engaged with their volunteer work, more hands on opportunities, more concern for the poor, more activity in the West Seattle Community, more welcoming, another assistant help father jack, more people should participate in ministries, more clarity on ways we can be actively engaged, more information on volunteer and service opportunities, sacrificial giving is a challenge, more school families involved, days open the church every day for visits, more lighting in church, make sure our efforts support the message of Jesus, the gym, more support for the parish, less lay preaching,

### **Campaign Pledges Extended**

Some of you may be like me. I made a commitment to our first capital campaign and yet because my source of funds for that commitment has been irregular, I still have pledge money I owe. If you are in my shoes, please join me in fulfilling our commitments. *As we move toward building for our future- The next 50 years.*

### **Thank You Co-Chairs**

On behalf of our entire parish I want to thank Mel and Sheila Dennis and Jim and Jennifer Southwell for accepting the call to be co-chairs for our campaign for our gym/community center. I am grateful for both couples support of our parish and school. As a leader I am always grateful for people who offer constructive critique of parish life. In both our co-chairs couples we have honest, constructive, supportive and committed spokesperson's for our "Building for our future, the next fifty years campaign". Thank You

### **Fr. Jack Immersed in Family**

This weekend I will be celebrating mass in Collingwood Ontario while attending a long anticipated family reunion. I will be back next Sunday. This side of my family is the Irish side. Please contact the parish office for your pastoral needs.

*-Fr. Jack*

## SCHOOL NEWS

Enrollment for the 2010-2011 school year is strong for next year. If you are interested in your child receiving a Catholic education, please contact the school office, we have a few spots available. Mrs. Dixon will be available to schedule a meeting with you over the summer.

## PARISH ENVELOPES

Are you receiving parish collection envelopes and don't really use them because you pay by electronic funds transfer? Please contact Gail at the parish office [gailn@olgseattle.org](mailto:gailn@olgseattle.org) or 206-935-0358 x114. Thanks for helping us save.

## STEWARDSHIP GIVING MADE EASY: VISIT THE OLG WEBSITE

Check out the OLG website and see how easy and convenient it is to make your church contributions online. It's a secure and quick way to support your parish. And no more checks to write!

We're at [www.olgseattle.org](http://www.olgseattle.org)

Thank you for your support.

## JULY 31-AUGUST 1 MINISTRY SCHEDULE

### Saturday, July 31 at 5:30 p.m.

**Acolytes:** Nalley Krutina, Lucia Lanzolla

**Eucharistic Minister:** Jennifer MacDonald, Bill McLaughlin, Nicole Monroe, Gene Morris, Ana Luz Rios Arriola

**Lead:** Pat Sr. Jacqueline Fernandes

**Lector 1** Maryann Crissey **Lector 2:** Jim Semick

### Sunday, August 1 at 8:30 a.m.

**Acolytes:** Kevin and Steven Le

**Eucharistic Minister:** Jim Theofelis, Linda Vaughan, Gerry and Harry Watters, George Zeufeldt

**Lead:** Lisa Keith

**Lector 1** Andrew Chin **Lector 2:** Kathleen Sullivan

### Sunday, August 1 at 11:00 a.m.

**Acolytes:** Immaculata and Peace Ajuogu, Analisa Ursino

**Eucharistic Minister:** Jeannie Carlsen, Jouella Eoff, Theresa Fedora, Kellyann and Kevin Padon, Donna Simonsen

**Lead:** Dennis Simonsen

**Lector 1:** Marsha Baumann **Lector 2** Erlinda De Los Reyes

## "LETTUCE PRAY" PRODUCE COLLECTIONS RETURN TO OLG

"Lettuce Pray," the Sunday collection of fresh produce for local food banks, will be officially returning to OLG on July 4th. Weekly collections will run through Oct. 3rd. If you would like to participate, please bring your donation (home grown or store/market bought) to church by 11:15 am.

A couple of particulars to note this year: (1) Please bring soft produce (tomatoes, berries, etc.) in hard sided boxes (i.e. shoe boxes) & avoid bags when possible. And please, though they are tasty, no cherry tomatoes. Sadly, they all too often don't survive transport. (2) With regards to zucchini, smaller is better. Some people who utilize the food bank travel by bus and aren't able to carry other groceries along with a 5 lb zucchini.

If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Keith at [granolagulch@earthlink.net](mailto:granolagulch@earthlink.net) or 937-1522. You can learn more about CHOSS by visiting [www.gleanit.org](http://www.gleanit.org). Thank you

## TO COMFORT THOSE WHO MOURN

The 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday's beginning August 21, 2010 9:30 am to 11:00 am

A Grief Support Group for adults who are experiencing the loss of a spouse/partner, parent, child, other family member or close friend. Find support and encouragement as you move through your grief process toward healing through the sharing of ones experience in a confidential and non-judgmental setting. Listen to fellow group members as they share their experience and learn the value of different perspectives and how others are coping with their grief. Learn about the grief process. **HOLY ROSARY PARISH CENTER ROOM 203**

For more information contact Virginia Radel at [VRadel@holyrosaryseattle.org](mailto:VRadel@holyrosaryseattle.org) or call 206-937-1488 ext 212

## EVERYONE IS NEEDED IN BUILDING FOR OUR FUTURE

*Building for Our Future: The Next 50 Years Campaign* is now actively seeking parishioners' ideas, enthusiasm and involvement in helping us build the new Parish Life Center/Gymnasium. Be part of helping build up our Parish community.

We are looking for members of our Parish to lend their time and talent by becoming volunteers. Do you have connections in the West Seattle community you'd like to share for in-kind fundraising? Want to help us organize the upcoming groundbreaking event? Interested in leading discussions on future uses of the new building? If you'd like to get involved, please contact Susie Stanley-Jones – at 206-935-0358 or [susie@olgfuture.org](mailto:susie@olgfuture.org).

If you are unable to spare the time to volunteer, we still want your best and brightest ideas; help celebrate our successes; suggestion for the new Parish Life Center/Gymnasium and more. The new Campaign website will be active by the end of this month. Stay tuned for more info soon.

**Don't forget to turn in your crossword puzzles** (the drawing will be August 1<sup>st</sup> to win a pizza dinner)

## HOLY ROSARY YOUNG ADULTS

July 28<sup>th</sup> FSN (faith sharing night) 7:00 p.m.

August 6<sup>th</sup> Amici night at the Mariner's

August 11 FSN 7:00 p.m. parish center

August 25<sup>th</sup> FSN 7:00 p.m. parish center

August 29<sup>th</sup> Potluck picnic 2:00 p.m. Lincoln Pk.

For more information contact Michael at [mdion@holyrosaryseattle.org](mailto:mdion@holyrosaryseattle.org) or 206-935-1488 ex 202

## BLESSING OF THE STATUE

After the 11:00 mass on August 15<sup>th</sup> we will bless our new statue, a gift of the 2010 graduation class

## STEWARDSHIP CORNER



### THIS WEEK: STEWARDSHIP SIGHTINGS AT OLG

#### Stewardship Sightings

While elements of Catholic Social Teaching have been proclaimed and developed over the centuries, it was formed into a more systematic body of work in the last century. The papal encyclical *Rerum Novarum*, issued in 1891 is considered the beginning of the formal development of Catholic Social Teaching. *Rerum Novarum* was in response to the challenges brought about through the Industrial Revolution.

Catholic Social Teaching on the Dignity of Work  
*"The economy must serve people, not the other way around. Work is more than a way to make a living; it is a form of continuing participation in God's act of creation. If the dignity of work is to be protected, then the basic rights of workers, owners, and others must be respected—the right to productive work, to decent and fair wages, to organize and choose to join a union, to economic initiative, and to ownership and private property. These rights must be exercised in ways that advance the common good."* The rights of owners and workers must be considered and respected. Look around this week and see if you notice where this theme from Catholic Social Teaching is being practiced in word and deed. Where does it seem to be absent and how might it help if it were intentionally included.

#### Stewardship in Scripture

July 25<sup>th</sup> (from Luke's Gospel)

"When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come." The disciples ask Jesus to teach them to pray and he does. We join those first disciples and every person who has ever uttered the words of the Lord's Prayer each time we offer this prayer. We honor God (hallowed be your name) and ask that God's kingdom be manifested among us (your kingdom come). Through stewardship, God provides the way to both live and experience this prayer.

