

"A Light on Finn Hill" for over 50 Years



SAINT JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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One Family with Holy Family Catholic Church

July 2025

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Memorial - Labor Day: 8:30 am - 3:30pm

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MISSION STATEMENT

*We, the people of
St. John Mary Vianney
Catholic Church,
are committed
to building a caring,
prayerful, and loving
community of believers and
to witnessing
God's saving love by
ministering to the
needs of others.*

*We gather as a family
to make Jesus visible and
present to one another and
the larger community by
worship, service,
education,
and involvement.*



OUR CHURCH AT PRAYER

Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm
Sunday: 9:00am and 11:00am
Nursery available during the
Sunday Masses

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30 - 4:30pm
or by appointment

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday - Friday: 8:38am

Weekday Masses

Wednesday - Friday: 9:00am

Word & Communion Services

Monday - Tuesday: 9:00am

Holy Days of Obligation

9:00am and 7:00pm

SACRAMENTS

INFANT BAPTISM

Infant Baptisms are celebrated on the third Saturday of the month at 3:00pm with the baptism class earlier the same day at 11:30am, except during Lent. *Class canceled on July 19.* Contact Laura, to schedule a baptism and class, and to get a baptism packet, Lstanger@sjvkirkland.org.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS & CHILDREN OVER 7

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church and are considering becoming Catholic and were either not Baptized or were Baptized in another faith tradition, please email Laura, Lstanger@sjvkirkland.org. If you know of someone who is interested, or has a spark within them, an inkling of becoming Catholic and joining the Catholic Faith Community, please contact Laura as well.

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST EUCHARIST

First Reconciliation and First Eucharist preparation begins during Lent. Contact Laura, Lstanger@sjvkirkland.org.

CONFIRMATION

Confirmation preparation for teens, 7th - 12th grade begins in the Fall. Contact Daniel for more info, dhartmann@sjvkirkland.org.

MARRIAGE

Engaged? Congratulations! Now what? Please contact the parish at least six months before the wedding, even if you are not getting married at our church. We will refer you to the available Marriage Preparation classes that are required to get married in the Church. We are here to help you complete additional paperwork and support you as you begin this life long journey. Contact Laura with questions, Lstanger@sjvkirkland.org.

HOLY ORDERS

If you are interested in becoming a Priest or Deacon please contact our pastor and he will lead you in the right direction.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Anointing of the sick is available after weekday Mass on the first Friday of the month or by appointment. Please call the parish office if someone is seriously ill.

If you have an emergency (sick or dying) and require a priest after hours, there is one on call at Eastside Pastoral Care: 425-655-3200.

FUNERALS

For assistance with funeral arrangements, please contact Ann Vandewark in the office.

Welcome to Mass at St. John Vianney

Lord, help us to trust in your care and follow your path with joy. Teach us to rely on the Cross and share your love with others. Fill us with peace as we face challenges, and guide us to grow as your disciples. May we always walk with you.

We're thrilled to have you with us as we come together to celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, and to seek Christ in the Word, the Eucharist, and the Assembly.

There is a church staff member available after every Mass at the Welcome Table or at Coffee & Donuts in the Social Hall on Sundays. We'd love to help you find your place of service and connection within our church family. We also invite you to visit our website at sjvkirkland.org.

We love children and the sound of children. Please know we fully welcome your entire family to be present. If you prefer some quiet time, a nursery is available downstairs during the Sunday 9:00am and 11:00am Masses.

To receive our weekly email newsletters, please scan the QR code. If you've signed up and don't see it in your email by the end of the day on Thursdays, be sure to check your junk mail.



"It is confidence which God looks for from us above all things. When we have entrusted our interests to Him alone, His justice and goodness are pledged to aid us."

- St. John Vianney



COFFEE & DONUTS

Please join us for coffee & donuts in the Social Hall after the Sunday Masses.

Chat with friends, and meet someone new! Supplies are located throughout the Social Hall to help clean up after your family is done.



VOLUNTEERS

You are an integral part of the life of this parish. Please scan the QR code to see how you can best use your gifts to contribute to our community.



*Invite a friend or acquaintance to Mass or any of our activities.
All are welcome!*

FR. BRAD HAGELIN

My dear Kirkland Catholics,

Fr. Val and I just got back from our convocation which takes place each year at Ocean Shores. Our speaker this year Rhonda Gruenewald who is an amazing laywoman from Texas who began a vocations ministry in her parish that eventually became diocesan-wide, and she has now given talks in 77 dioceses about how to promote vocations to priesthood and religious life especially; but also creating a culture for vocations to holy marriages because most vocations come from intact Catholic families in which the Faith was a priority, and the likelihood of vocations goes up if those families have been continually open to life and from which three or more children are growing up together.

There is a lot we can take away from this, and many practical things including the Archbishop's request that we do all we can to establish vocation ministries in our parishes to help create a stronger culture of young people especially being inculcated with the mindset of desiring to seek what is God's calling upon their life. That is – who it is that He is calling them to marry, and a willingness to be open to the call to the priesthood and religious life. I would ask all of our parishioners to pray both for a soon-to-be newly established vocation ministry at each parish, and especially for the young people in our parish to approach their future with a generous heart.

This also has me thinking a lot about what the Second Vatican Council calls “the universal call to holiness” – which is the doctrine that all the baptized are called to radical holiness, and that holiness is not something God desires for only a few “elite” people, or only a few “classes” of people such as priests and religious. God is capable of making every generous and humble person into a great saint regardless of the century or place they live, regardless of their type of job, and regardless of other challenging circumstances. We need to keep that at the forefront of our minds along with a “growth mindset” in Christ; that we are called to ever being more and more alive in Him.

With love in Christ,

Fr. Brad

PARISH MINISTRY CONTACTS

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FUNERAL RECEPTION MINISTRY

Please call the office to volunteer.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

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AUCTION COMMITTEE

Chairs needed! Please call the office.

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FINANCE COUNCIL

CHAIR

Dave Almond

MEMBERS

Connie Chavira
Brian Fink
Vera Uzuh

The Parish Finance Council is an advisory and consultative body that assists the Pastor with the responsibility for parish financial management and accountability.

✝ Annual Catholic Appeal 2025

Thank you to the many of you who have chosen to make your gift to the 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal, as well as our parishioners who are monthly recurring donors to the ACA. To date, we have heard from 39% of our parish. Let's try to reach 50% participation. Your support matters for religious and lay leaders serving in a variety of roles within our local Catholic Church. Whether it is a future seminarian seeking guidance and resources, a member of the deacon formation program, or a lay leader who has received training or education because of your support. Through your gifts, we can ensure the vitality of our Catholic community. May 31, 2025 marked the 175th anniversary of the Archdiocese of Seattle, a true testament to those who came before us. Thank you again to those who have already contributed. Your support is the reason why our local Catholic Church can continue to spread the joy of the Gospel in the world today.

It's easy to give to the 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal. Scan the QR code or visit archseattle.org/GiveACA.



Stewardship of Treasure at SJV

July 1, 2024 - May 31, 2025

Budgeted Offertory Income	\$869,500
Actual Offertory Income	\$890,595
Budget over/under	\$ 21,095
Prior Yr Actual	\$830,159

*Thank you for your ongoing support
of our parish and its programs.*



ST. JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC PRESCHOOL

St. John Vianney Pre-School is excited to welcome Anne Dahlin as the new Director and Carly Hanson as the Assistant Director.

Anne has been an active member of St. John Vianney for the past 14 years. She has enjoyed teaching Pre-K for the last 20 plus years, 11 of those at St. John Vianney. She and her husband Jeff have been married for 37 years and are the proud parents of three daughters and 2 sons-in-law. Anne enjoys knitting, sewing, easy hikes, and spending time with her family for game nights. Before teaching, Anne spent many years as a Medical Assistant in Internal Medicine and Family Medicine. Though she dearly loved that profession, her heart has been rewarded many times over inspiring young ones with knowledge, compassion, and the love for Jesus. She looks forward to continuing to inspire families, teachers, and those around her as she leads the Pre-School community here at St. John Vianney.

Carly has been a dedicated member of the pre-school staff for the past four years and brings over 20 years of experience in education. She and her husband, Taylor, have been married for 15 years and are the proud parents to Wes and Quinn, both of whom are alumni of the pre-school. Carly is passionate about supporting young learners and building strong connections with families. Outside of school, she enjoys staying active by skiing, jogging with her dogs, and coaching her daughter's sports teams.

CHILDREN AND FAMILY LIFE

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD (CLOW): Children are invited to join us for dismissal during the Sunday 11:00am Mass. The children hear the Gospel and have an opportunity to break it open with discussion, activities, and other stories that relate to the Gospel. No registration required and parents are welcome to accompany their children if they'd like. Children's liturgy of the word continues throughout the summer.

MOM'S MORNING OUT: Wednesday mornings from 9:30am-12:00pm, primary caregivers of children ages 1-5 can drop their children off in the parish nursery for childcare while the caregiver gets a couple of hours of free time to run errands, relax, clean house, whatever without a little one under foot. There is a fee of \$15 per child per day, and a registration form. Parents with more than two children pay a maximum of \$30 per day. There is currently a waiting list for this ministry. Sign up to get on the list today.

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED WITH VACATION BIBLE CAMP!

PARISH NURSERY: Our nursery is available for children 18 months through 4 years old. It is staffed Sundays during the 9:00am and 11:00am Masses. The nursery is located downstairs. Parents are welcome to stay with their children if it makes them more comfortable. Audio from Mass can be heard in the nursery.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS: If you are interested in volunteering for Children's Ministry we would love to have you! Anyone who volunteers to work with children or vulnerable adults must do a criminal background check and complete the Safe Environment Program to keep everyone safe - the volunteers, kids, and the church. We are so very grateful for all of those who are willing to take the steps needed to work with our children. The classes are now done online. Log on to virtus.org to check your status if you are already a volunteer, there may be some updates you need to make. If you are a new volunteer, log on and create a password. If you have any questions please ask Laura Stanger in the office.



YOUTH MINISTRY

SUMMER EVENTS



Thank you for your help!

JUNE

VBS at SJV

June 30 - July 3
@SJV

We are joining forces for a week of fun!
Middle School & High School help *needed!*

JULY

Mass & Mochas

Mass @ either SJV or HFK and then mochas
(or Italian sodas) ON CAMPUS!

July 9: HFK
July 16: SJV
July 23: HFK

Field Games

Friday July 11 / 1-4pm
@HFK

Ultimate Cabbage/water in the face/etc!

Smore's Bonfire

Thursday July 24 / 9-10pm
@HFK

Who doesn't love a good smore!?!?

AUGUST

ALASKA!

July 30 - August 6

We are headed to Alaska for our week long
adventure retreat! all rising 9th - graduating
12th graders are invited!

Mass & Mochas

Mass @ either SJV or HFK and then mochas
(or Italian sodas) ON CAMPUS!

Wednesday SJV: Aug 13 & 20
Thursday HFK: Aug 14 & 21

Parish Olympics

Saturday Aug. 16
@HFK

A night of glow games where we get to
represent our parish family VS. the rest of the
eastside deanery!! Lets Go Kirkland!

Late Night Out - Summer Send Off

Friday August 22
@HFK

Say goodbye to summer with a late night of
games and fun at the teen center & Back
field.

MASS & MOCHAS

8:40am Mass at

HFK

July 9

July 23

August 14

August 21

9:00am Mass at

SJV

July 16

August 13

August 20

FIELD GAMES!!!

JULY 11

ULTIMATE CABBAGE
WATER IN THE FACE
ULTIMATE THROW
THROW BURRITO

KICKBALL

WATER BALLOON BATTLESHIP
CAPTAINS BALL

1 - 4PM

SMORE'S BONFIRE

AT THE TEEN CENTER

**THURSDAY
JULY 24TH**

9-10 PM



Join your youth ministers at daily mass
and head to the youth room / teen
center for mochas or a Italian soda!

Young Adult Summer Events

July

- July 13th Sunset hike & Mass w/ Fr Val
- July 20th Field Games @HFK at 6pm

August

- August 23rd Dinner and Movie night @7:30 HFK back Lawn

Monthly Hikes found on SJV Website with the Hiking Club



ESPERANZA MISSION TREK

High School Experience - We are so grateful for your support of our high school mission trekkers and adult chaperones. Our group of 28 youth and 10 adults spent 12 days in Tijuana helping to build houses with our brothers and sisters across the border. We could not have done this without your prayers and generous donations!

Registration begins in August for rising sophomores to seniors interested in joining our group.

Adult Experience – Thank you for your prayers for our adult trekkers while they worked with a family helping turn their dream of a home into reality. If you were unable to join us this year, please mark your calendars for our next trek, **May 16 - 23, 2026!** Opportunities are available for all skills levels!

Please contact Susan, sweaver@sjvkirkland.org, for more information.

SJV Hike & Fellowship

SATURDAY, JULY 26TH, 9:00AM

Snoqualmie Falls Trail

Moderately challenging trail, 1.4 miles roundtrip, leading to the base of the iconic 270-foot waterfall. Contact Susanto sign up: sweaver@sjvkirkland.org



Open to all who would like to take advantage of our beautiful local trails and fellowship with other hiking enthusiasts. Mark your calendars for our hikes this year:

- July 26, Snoqualmie Falls
- August 9, Coal Creek Falls
- September 20, Cherry Creek Falls
- October 11, St. Edward State Park

All hikes begin at 9:00am, and carpool is available. Please contact Susan for more info, sweaver@sjvkirkland.org.

Monthly Adoration

JULY 11 2025

After many years, monthly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is back at SJV!

Come Pray & Adore Every 2nd Friday of the month
10 AM – 10 PM
Next: August 8th

“There is nothing so great as the Eucharist. If God had something more precious, He would have given it to us.”
— St. John Vianney

For More Info: Sec@sjvkirkland.org

OUTREACH & SOCIAL CONCERNS

LUNCH MAKING FOR THE HOMELESS - Join us on **August 7** in helping those who live unsheltered. We prepare sack lunches for 100 people on the first Thursday of each month at 9:30am in the Social Hall. If you're unable to attend but would like to help, you may bake cookies for our volunteers to bag up to go into the lunches. You may drop the prepared cookies off in the parish office anytime during the month. We will place them in the freezer until lunch making day. Thank you!



PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK - A most rewarding ministry in our church is bringing the Eucharist to the homebound. The visits are once a week for about 15 minutes. There is no greater gift to give and it is so appreciated by those you visit. If you are interested in visiting the homebound or are homebound and would like to receive communion, please contact the parish office or Gayle: 206-595-2020.

SONSHINE MINISTRY - If you know of someone in our parish who could use a little extra love via a card or a meal, please contact the parish office. If you feel called to help in this ministry we are always looking for volunteers to help those in need by making a meal. It is a wonderful way to support one another.



GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP - Open to all who are struggling with the loss of a loved one. Please join us the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm in Room 8. Our next meeting will be Tuesday, **August 5**. Please contact Dana, 206-371-0803, for more information.

PRAYER CHAIN - *"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds to Christ Jesus."* (Philippians 4:6-7) Do you or someone you know need a prayer? Call Kay at 425-486-2528 and she will get the prayer chain going.



SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE - *"To all people of good will who are working for social justice: never tire of working for a more just world."* (Pope Francis) To learn more about the work of this committee, please visit sjvkirkland.org/outreach/#social-justice. **If you are looking for ways to make a difference in these uncertain times, join us at our next meeting, Wednesday, July 16 at 7:00pm via Zoom.** Please contact Susan, sweaver@sjvkirkland.org, for the link.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MINISTRY

Our St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) chapter at SJV helps our neighbors in need within the local community. Every weekday, families or individuals in Kirkland and Kenmore contact the church to request assistance for rent, utilities, food, clothing, gas, and other essential needs. During the first quarter of this year our SVDP volunteers helped 283 neighbors, including 70 people with rent, 63 people with utility bills, 43 people with gas, 28 people with food, 3 unhoused individuals with motel stays, and 76 people with other services such as furniture, phone bills, or other critical items, for a total value of \$19,396 in support.

The parish relies on our SVDP group to provide help and hope to these neighbors. **Because of the continued increase in calls for assistance, your support is critical to enable us to respond to the needs of our neighbors, in both food and financial donations.** Monetary donations may be made through pew and monthly envelopes, our EFT program, or via the Donate page on our website.

Non-perishable food donations may be placed in the SVDP bin in our Narthex. **Items we are most in need of include canned chicken breast, cereals, pancake mix and syrup, rice, jelly, canned fruit, mac-n-cheese, spaghetti sauce, canned pasta meals, canned corn and beans, crackers, granola bars, non-perishable milk in cartons, and non-perishable microwaveable meals.** Your support is sincerely appreciated.

HELPING TO FEED OUR FRIENDS GARDEN

Stop by our garden at the northwest corner of the parking lot and see the progress made this season! We have already delivered several boxes of produce to Hopelink for distribution to those in need. **All interested gardeners are welcome to help with watering and weeding this summer. Please contact Susan, to find out how you can be a part of our efforts, sweaver@sjvkirkland.org.** We are so grateful for grants from the St. James Foundation of the Archdiocese of Seattle Catholic Community Services Rice Bowl Program.



AFGHAN REFUGEE FAMILY UPDATE

The families enjoyed celebrating Eid al-Adha, meaning "Feast of Sacrifice." Also known as Big Eid with the end of Ramadan being "Little Eid," it is a significant Islamic holiday commemorating the willingness of Prophet Ibrahim (Abraham) to sacrifice his son Ismail (Ishmael) in obedience to God's command. This act of devotion is a cornerstone of Islamic faith, symbolizing unwavering faith and submission to the will of Allah. Eid al-Adha is celebrated with prayer, the ritual sacrifice of animals and sharing the meat with family, friends, and the poor. They had a special day at the park with a dozen families when most were off work.

Shamila has applied for green cards for her and her children, and they are waiting to hear when they can take the next step. Bilal is able to apply December 1, once he has reached one year in the US. Shamila is midway through her pregnancy and seems to be expecting either a boxer or a dancer or maybe a little of both! She continues to work 5 to 6 days a week in housekeeping downtown and is an inspiration in terms of her willingness to work hard. The children are finishing Kindergarten, 3rd, and 6th grades and have had good school years. Osman is well liked, and reports having raised his science grade with the help of an assistant teacher. Significantly he was able to explain why he struggled and how he overcame the difficulty with help. He is eager to do well and has an 'A' in English. Beheshta will run the world someday. She is so tuned into her school community! She knows all of the teachers, who is good and kind, and knows who's staying, retiring, or moving next year. She tracks all of the social events and special days and loves having a good calendar! She's doing well in school and has nice friends. Omar had a good year in Kindergarten, gaining confidence in academics and making nice gains socially. Predictably, Beheshta is hoping for a baby sister and the boys a brother. News on this is expected soon! They are reaching a US rite of passage...two kids are being evaluated for braces (and are excited!). Bilal continues to seek work as a mechanic (with 8 years of experience) or in an active position that can accommodate his limited English but willingness to learn. The goal is to get him working in the next month so he can take over the primary earning role before Shamila is off work.

Sheila, as the youngest sister to arrive, has lived with their eldest sister and family in the same apartment complex since arriving. Her green card application was submitted a few weeks ago and she will enter a high school completion program at Edmonds College next fall.

Many ask if and how much government support refugees receive, and the answer is - very little. Housing support lasts only 3 months when they first arrive. The two sisters benefited greatly from the donation of a home by a wonderful Finn Hill family for almost a year. They then used their housing support to pay for the first months in their Lynnwood apartments. They did require added help from agencies to stay stable over that next year in the apartments. Generous donors from St. John Vianney played a vital role with this. Nabila's family has been housing secure for a year and only accesses WIC for food support. Shamila has needed boosts of support but has largely supported her family by herself for over a year. The struggle is very real given housing costs which amount to well over half of their net income. They are on a razor's edge along with so many others in the United States. Their efforts and motivation to be independent are evident daily and an incredible inspiration for those of us who have been blessed to walk this journey with them. Your continued prayers, as always, are greatly appreciated.

JUSTICE FOR IMMIGRANTS

Please keep these families in your prayers as their application processes are underway for green cards on the path to citizenship. This will provide them with a more secure status in our country, as life is tenuous for many here seeking refuge from war, persecution, or extreme poverty.

We continue to work with the Archdiocese of Seattle to stay up to date on current immigration policies, and they have reported the following: The Trump administration is requiring immigrants 14 and older to register with the government. This rule is now effective, as of April 11. Immigrants who have applied for asylum, a green card, citizenship, or other immigration benefit likely already meet this registration requirement. Our website has an explanation from USCCB and FAQs from the National Immigration Law Center which you can find by scanning the QR code. If you have questions, please review these resources. For questions, contact Chris Koehler, Director of Missions and Immigrant Affairs at Chris.Koehler@seattlearch.org or 206-274-3194.



In addition, the Catholic Legal Immigration Network reports that Temporary Protected Status (TPS) has been terminated for immigrants from Afghanistan, affecting approximately 9,000 Afghans here in the United States. To learn more about the Catholic position on migration and immigration, please see the Catholic Social Teaching flyer from Justice for Immigrants, a part of the US Conference of Catholic Bishops, included with this bulletin.

FACILITIES WORKSHOP

Fund a Need Update from our Auction this year! We have identified the culprit of the “screechy” noise with our older handheld wireless mics. Turns out that when the cell tower on our site was upgraded, our older equipment can’t filter out the stronger RF noise. We will try some new tricks now. We are still evaluating other security upgrades on campus, but we have made headway in addressing our Assisted Listening issues. It is a very promising system, and doable, just costs money. I will continue to keep you posted on what projects are being completed.

Adopt-a-Bed: Tony Z is in the process of updating the existing list of Bed Adopters here at SJV. Many of you have adopted beds over the past years and have done a wonderful job of helping to beautify our parish grounds. Some adopters are constantly at work in their little or larger garden patches, but some beds have drifted into some neglect. So, even if you are still active in your garden plot please contact Tony to confirm that you are still at work. Other beds that seem to be less tidy he will assume that perhaps the bed adopters have either moved on or lost interest in their beds. The goal is to keep all of the beds looking good and several have slipped a bit. For any of the parishioners who might be interested in adopting a bed, something can be found for you too. The goal is to keep all of the areas of our beautiful landscape looking good. Contact Tony at tzimrman@yahoo.com.

SJV Gardeners: We have a deer/rabbit fence in place thanks to several hard-working volunteers, including a number of High School Mission Trekkers. Kathleen and her team installed 3 growing beds, and irrigation for them was installed as well. They have been harvesting produce for Hopelink. This group is really “growing” but there is a lot of work to do! If you enjoy gardening and doing good, here is a great opportunity. Even a little time here and there is appreciated. Contact Kathleen McCaffrey through the office, if you are interested in joining the team.

Rose Committee: Headed by volunteer Michelle Pomada, pruning, fertilizing, and black spot remedy has been applied, but it is continuous during the growing season. Now for the glory of these beautiful roses to shine! Many hands are needed to keep this going. This committee continues to grow and the results are fantastic. If you would like to get involved with the Rose Committee, please contact Michelle through the office.

Thanks to all who make this such a great place to call our home! I would like to thank all of you that make these things happen and especially to those behind the scenes with their continued dedication! Be it members of our Adopt-a-Bed Program, Rose Committee, SJV Gardeners harvesting produce for Hopelink, Flower Committee for the Altar Flowers, Facilities Committee, and those of you that are constantly volunteering in various areas. We are who we are because of you! Thank you all!

I hope you are taking advantage of the many lovely reflection areas on our campus. The Madrona Stump Madonna in the north parking lot, the Memorial Mother Mary statue, the wooden Stations of the Cross, the Vern Endres Memorial Rose Garden area, the Margie Berard Memorial garden, or just taking a stroll around these beautiful grounds. Thank you again to all of you that have made this happen! Be sure to follow Tony’s “Bed of the Month” recognition and check out what volunteers are doing to make our home a beautiful Light on Finn Hill. You, too, can adopt a bed – just contact Tony Zimmerman through the office.

We are looking at options for our outdoor meeting and gathering area that has been partially funded by our Auction Fund-a-Need from last year. We recently had an arborist review our options here as well as other needs on the campus. We have a Landscape Architect sketching up some ideas that we will take into consideration. Stay tuned...

The Facilities Committee, Fr. Brad, Fr. Val and the Staff are so appreciative of our volunteers here at SJV! Every little bit helps, and we always have things to do around this building and this 8-acre parcel of beautiful grounds. Please contact Greg Leptich if you have questions: 206.940.4072 or gleptich@sjvkirkland.org.



JUNE GARDEN BED-OF-THE-MONTH Mary Statue Maintained by Leoni & Colin Radford

The Bed of the Month for June is the Mary statue at the southeast corner of the grounds. If you have not seen it, please wander over that way and take a look. It is very nicely decorated with beautiful flowers and maintained by Leoni and Colin Radford. Thank you, Leoni and Colin, for your wonderful efforts to help make our grounds here at SJV so beautiful.



Adopt-a-Garden Bed Join the program and pick out a spot on our property to beautify. This has become a very successful and rewarding program to everyone, especially from the pride you feel from working in our beautiful gardens to make them even better! Contact Tony if interested, 206-999-0804 or tzimmerman@yahoo.com.

Divorced? Considering getting an Annulment? Contact the parish office so we can connect you with Roberta Hatfield, our amazing advocate who will meet with you and help you through the process.



Faith & Brew (21+) Faith & Brew is a group of adults who enjoy faith sharing and socializing. We are enthusiastic, active parishioners who desire to better learn the Catholic faith, value spiritual growth, and help each other lead holier lives. Come join us any time for food, fun, and more at our new day/time - first Saturdays of the month after 5:00pm Mass. **We will not be meeting in July due to the holiday weekend.**

We'd also like to encourage you to spend time in Eucharistic Adoration every second Friday of the month for at least an hour between 10:00am - 10:00pm. Sign up on the Welcome Table for July 11.

Knights of Columbus Membership is open to males 18 years of age or older who are practicing Catholics. Meetings are every third Thursday of the month at 7:00pm. For more information contact the Grand Knight: Brad Lund, bradelund@comcast.net. See you **July 17!**



Rummikub We meet on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm in the Social Hall for 3 or 4 games, then finish with the *Left Right Center* dice game. We hope you will join us **July 22!** Please scan the QR code to RSVP.

Senior Dinner (55+) Calling all seniors! We meet on the second Saturday of the month after the 5:00pm Mass. Come join us for fun, fellowship, and a great night out on **July 12**. After dinner we play the *Left Right Center* dice game so remember to bring four quarters. Price is \$10/person (cash only please). Stop in or call the parish office to sign up by Tuesday, July 8 so we know how much food to prepare.



Hiking Club Open to all who would like to take advantage of our beautiful local trails and fellowship with other SJV hiking enthusiasts. Mark your calendars for our hikes this summer:

- July 26, Snoqualmie Falls
- August 9, Coal Creek Falls
- September 20, Cherry Creek Falls
- October 11, St. Edward State Park

All hikes begin at 9:00am, carpool is available. Please contact Susan for more information or to sign up to join us at sweaver@sjvkirkland.org.

Moms Meetup Calling all moms, especially moms with infants, toddlers, preschoolers, and elementary school-aged children! Join the *SJV Moms Meetup* Facebook group for updates about meetups.



Quilters Group Wouldn't it be fun to spend one morning a week learning a new skill? Quilting is one of those rare activities that is fun, relaxing, and engages both sides of the brain. If you would like to join this group but are inexperienced with quilting, they would love to help you get started. They meet each Wednesday in the social hall from 10:00-11:00am to make quilts for those in nursing homes or recovering from illness. Contact Kathy Egan, 425-864-4325.

Rosary Procession Pray with us in honor of Our Lady, every first Friday of the month at our **new time - 6:00pm**. Hope you'll join us on **August 1!**



Wednesday Morning Faith Sharing New people are always welcome! We meet after weekday Mass, around 9:45am, every Wednesday for about an hour. We reflect on the readings for the following Sunday using the *Sunday-By-Sunday* leaflet to help us understand how God's word relates to our everyday lives. Come and give us a try!

Women's Book Group Join us to discuss the book *As it is in Heaven* written by Niall Williams on the first Tuesday of August at 7:00pm in the parish office. Women of all ages are invited. Wine and chocolate always make their way around the room along with great conversations.

Triennial National Collection for the ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY SERVICES, USA

This weekend our parish will take a collection to benefit the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (AMS). The AMS is the Archdiocese for the Military Services, not of the Military Services. This is an important distinction, because the AMS receives no funding from the U.S. Government or U.S. Military and has no parishes from which to receive a weekly assessment. Instead, it must rely on the generosity of those whose values and priorities align with its mission, programs and services, to meet its costs. Please prayerfully consider a contribution to this special collection to support active-duty military men and women, and their families - including those from our own parish. Please give generously.

Support the National Collection Today!
by scanning the QR code or visiting <http://www.milarch.org/national-collection>



ST. JOHN VIANNEY MEN'S RETREAT

Friday July 11-13

St. Andrew's Retreat House on the Hood Canal

"The Eucharist"

led by Ron Petrusha, Fred Janssen, Bob Swain, and Greg Leptich

Fee: \$275 for the weekend per person. Includes delicious food and lodging.

Registration forms available on the Welcome Table or website: sjvkirkland.org/faith-formation/#mens-womens-retreats

Scholarships are available. Contact Laura Stanger with questions, Lstanger@sjvkirkland.org.

WEEKLY ROSARY TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

- The Rosary not only strengthens our relationship with the Virgin Mary but also serves as a pathway to a deeper connection with Christ. Starting August 6, join us in praying the Rosary each week on Wednesdays at 6:00pm.

STAND WITH THE SAINTS

AUCTION PLANNING MEETINGS

Tuesdays, July 8 and 22
5:30pm

Come enjoy some community and help plan for a fun event. Coming to this planning session doesn't mean that you are volunteering for anything, we just want to hear your ideas.

Everyone is welcome.

We hope to see you there!



SAVE THE DATE FOR THE
SJV GALA DINNER & AUCTION
November 1, 2025

HAPPY RETIREMENT

Greg Leptich

After seven years of contributing so much as our Facilities Supervisor, it's time for Greg to unwind.

Join us in honoring the lasting impact of Greg's dedication, service, leadership, and inspiration to our church.

JULY 26-27

After each Mass in the Social Hall

All are invited!

ENCOUNTER
SCHOOL OF MINISTRY
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EXPERIENCE THE FIRST 4 QUARTERS IN 2 DAYS

AUGUST 1-2

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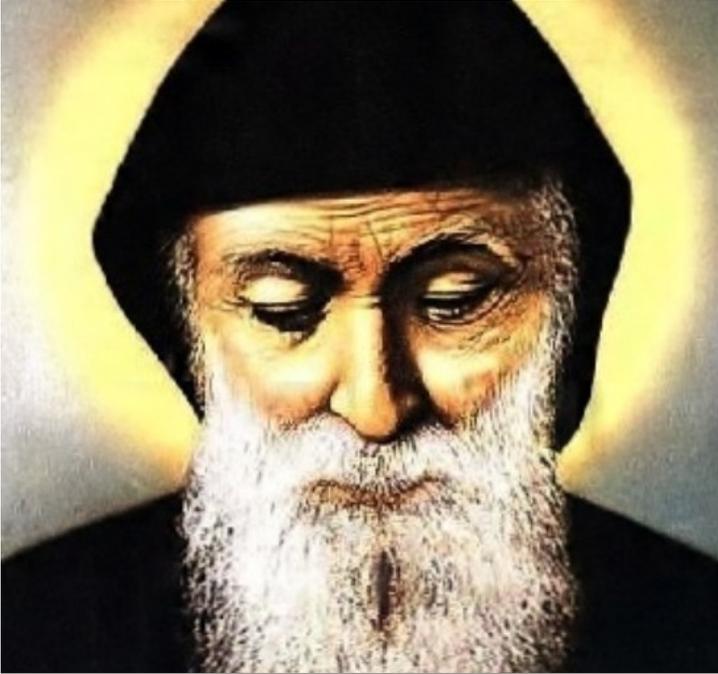
Drawing from the richness of our Catholic heritage, we seek to teach, equip and activate disciples to demonstrate the love of God through the power of the Holy Spirit in their sphere of influence.

1 IDENTITY TRANSFORMATION	3 POWER HEALING
2 HEARING GOD'S VOICE & THE PROPHETIC GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT	4 INNER HEALING

PRESENTERS
Danielle Curl • Sylvia Miller • Reagan Perry
Fr. Jason Lewis • Gabby Maack

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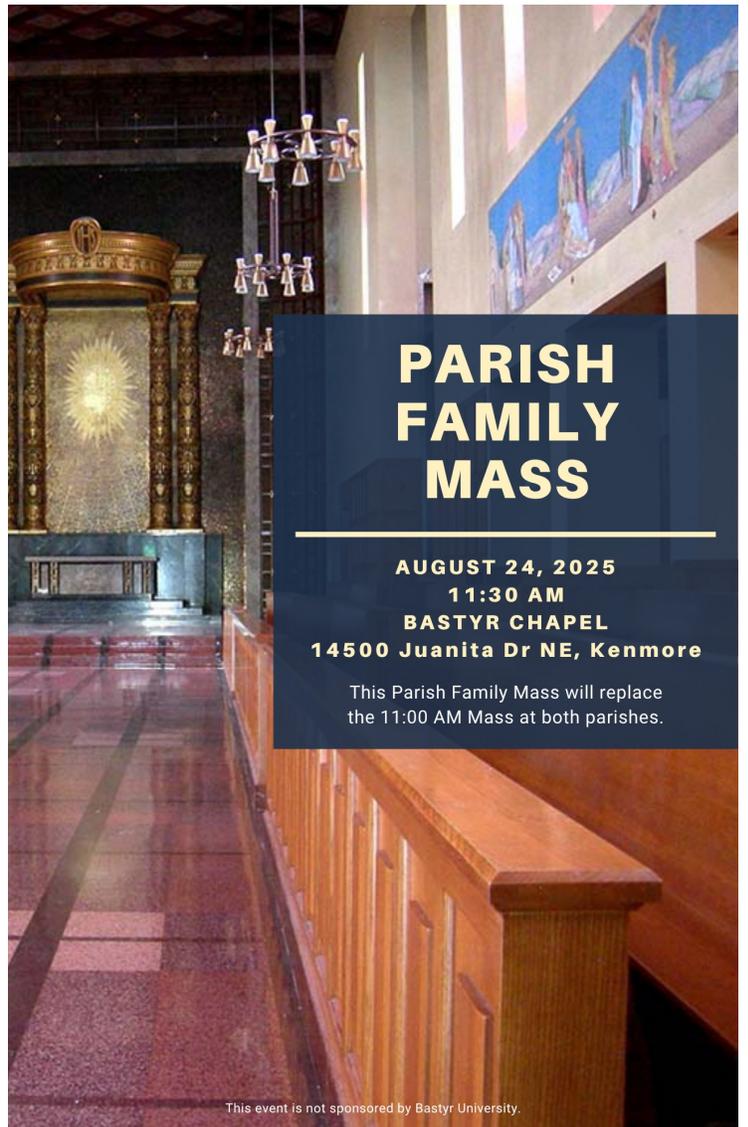


Relics of St. Charbel

Visit Holy Family

Friday, August 8

Don't miss this special opportunity!



PARISH FAMILY MASS

AUGUST 24, 2025

11:30 AM

BASTYR CHAPEL

14500 Juanita Dr NE, Kenmore

This Parish Family Mass will replace
the 11:00 AM Mass at both parishes.

This event is not sponsored by Bastyr University.

KIRKLAND CATHOLICS



MISSION

November 19-21 with Barbara Heil

FromHisHeart.com



HELP SHAPE THE FUTURE OF OUR PARISH FAMILY



Parish Family Census & Discipleship Survey

As we move into Year Two of Partners in the Gospel, we enter a critical phase of discerning what God is calling our new parish family to become. This will culminate in our One Parish Plan, which will be submitted to Archbishop Etienne. To chart this course wisely, we must first understand where we stand. That's where you come in.

We are asking every parishioner and household to take a few minutes to complete two important questionnaires.

Take the Household Census & Discipleship Survey Today

Household Census (8-10 minutes)

ONE submission per household.

TAKE NOW



Discipleship Survey (8-10 minutes)

For all individuals age 14 and up.

TAKE NOW



MORE INFO

www.hfkparish.com/census-survey

JULY | Month of the Precious Blood of Jesus

If you would like to find out more about, or to get involved with any events in the calendar please contact the parish office for more information.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
6 Mass 9:00am Mass 11:00am	7 Word & Communion Service 9:00am Spanish Class 10:00am Patristic Fathers 7:00pm (Zoom)	8 Word & Communion Service 9:00am Auction Planning 5:30pm 1 Timothy 6:30pm (Zoom) Facilities Committee Meeting 7:00pm	9 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:38am Mass 9:00am Mom's Morning Out 9:15am Faith Sharing Group 9:45am Quilters Group 10:00am	10 Memorial of St. Boniface Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:38am Mass 9:00am Pastoral Council 6:00pm Class on the Eucharist 7:00pm (Zoom)	11 Memorial of St. Benedict Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:38am Mass 9:00am Eucharistic Adoration 10:00am-10:00pm	12 Reconciliation 3:30pm Vigil Mass 5:00pm Senior Dinner 6:00pm
Men's Retreat						
13 Mass 9:00am Mass 11:00am	14 Memorial of St. Kateri Tekakwitha Word & Communion Service 9:00am Spanish Class 10:00am Patristic Fathers 7:00pm (Zoom)	15 Memorial of St. Bonaventure Word & Communion Service 9:00am 1 Timothy 6:30pm (Zoom) St. Vincent de Paul 7:00pm	16 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:38am Mass 9:00am Mom's Morning Out 9:15am Youth Mass & Mochas 9:30am Faith Sharing Group 9:45am Quilters Group 10:00am Social Justice Committee 7:00pm (Zoom)	17 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:38am Mass 9:00am Class on the Eucharist 7:00pm (Zoom) Knights of Columbus 7:00pm	18 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:38am Mass 9:00am	19 Infant Baptisms 3:00pm Reconciliation 3:30pm Vigil Mass 5:00pm
Men's Retreat			Women's Retreat			
20 Mass 9:00am Mass 11:00am	21 Word & Communion Service 9:00am Spanish Class 10:00am Patristic Fathers 7:00pm (Zoom)	22 Feast of St. Mary Magdalene Word & Communion Service 9:00am Auction Planning 5:30pm 1 Timothy 6:30pm (Zoom) Rummikub 7:00pm	23 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:38am Mass 9:00am Mom's Morning Out 9:15am Faith Sharing Group 9:45am Quilters Group 10:00am	24 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:38am Mass 9:00am Class on the Eucharist 7:00pm (Zoom)	25 Feast of St. James Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:38am Mass 9:00am	26 Memorial of Sts. Joachim & Anne Hiking Club 9:00am at Snoqualmie Falls Trails Reconciliation 3:30pm Vigil Mass 5:00pm Greg's Retirement Celebration 6:00pm
Women's Retreat						
27 Mass 9:00am Greg's Retirement Celebration 10:00am Mass 11:00am Greg's Retirement Celebration 10:00am	28 Word & Communion Service 9:00am Spanish Class 10:00am Patristic Fathers 7:00pm (Zoom)	29 Memorial of Sts. Martha, Mary, & Lazarus Word & Communion Service 9:00am 1 Timothy 6:30pm (Zoom)	30 NO Mass Mom's Morning Out 9:15am Faith Sharing Group 9:45am Quilters Group 10:00am	31 Memorial of St. Ignatius of Loyola NO Mass Class on the Eucharist 7:00pm (Zoom)	AUGUST 1 Memorial of St. Alphonsus Liguori Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:38am Mass & Anointing of the Sick 9:00am Rosary Procession 6:00pm	2 Reconciliation 3:30pm Vigil Mass 5:00pm Faith & Brew 6:00pm
Encounter School of Ministry Summer Intensive						
Youth Alaska Retreat						

NAMETAG WEEKENDS July 5-6 and July 12-13

Let's get to know each other by name! Plan to arrive to Mass a few minutes early on the first two full weekends of each month to make your name tag. A table with supplies will be stationed in the narthex.

SCHEDULE CHANGES

There will be NO morning Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament or Mass on the following days:

- Wednesday, July 30
- Thursday, July 31
- Wednesday, August 6

PHOTO PROJECT

Fr. Brad and Fr. Val would love to have a name to match every face. Please send a picture of yourself to sec@sjvkirkland.org. It will only be used to update your profile in our parish management software. Vertical/portrait shots are preferred, and they don't need to be formal.