



# Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

## April 17, 2011



### OUR DEACONS

Daniel Farrell  
Peter Flatley  
Richard Labrecque

### SUNDAY'S READINGS

As we enter into the holiest week of the Church year, we come as followers of Jesus, the Master, and we raise our palm branches high to acclaim that Jesus Christ is our Lord and King. Let us surrender our hearts to the Lord, that we too, may be willing to suffer and die and to rise to eternal life with Jesus, the Son of God.

First Reading — (Isaiah 50:4-7)

Psalms — (Psalm 22)

Second Reading — (Phil. 2:6-11)

Gospel — (Matthew 26:14-27:66)



### Sunday & Holy Day Collections

March 2010	\$ 39,493
March 2011	\$ 42,808
<i>Difference in Donations</i>	\$ 3,315

### YEAR TO DATE COLLECTIONS

Last Year's YTD	\$ 389,539
This Year's YTD	\$ 401,023
<i>We are truly blessed</i>	\$ 11,484

*Thank you for your continued generosity!*

### GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

On Good Friday, our parish will take up the annual Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land. Your financial contribution helps to support the struggling Christian community and to protect Christianity's holiest places. **Please be generous.**

**There will be no Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament this Friday/Saturday**



Following Sunday Mass in the St. Anne Room sponsored by:

Q of A school 5th & 6th grade students & parents

*Next week:*  
**Easter Vigil** reception following Mass.

**No Coffee Hour on Easter Sunday.**

### SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

First month  
"MY HEART STARTED BEATING TODAY!"

Your tiny baby has grown this first month 10,000 times his size at conception. He is totally dependent upon his mother. At one month his mother's and your baby's vessels are intertwined without joining, highlighting this newly formed relationship—mutual, nourishing and deeply connected.

**Pray Pray Pray!**

### OPERATION RICE BOWL

is drawing to a close. Please drop any additional donations marked "Rice Bowl" into the collection basket or bring to the parish office. Thank you for your generous participation.

### FRIDAY SOUP SUPPERS

Many thanks to everyone who participated in our Lenten Friday Soup Suppers; from the cooks, to the clean-up crews and to all who came and shared in this community and faith sharing event. It was a huge success and we look forward to next year!

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

**This Friday at 3:00PM.**

### MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday,  
April 19th  
6:00PM **Biff Beard family**

Wednesday,  
April 20th  
8:30AM **✠ Jack Flatley**

### NO MORNING MASS DURING TRIDUUM

**HOLY THURSDAY  
MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER  
6:00 PM**

**GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY  
6:00 PM**

**HOLY SATURDAY VIGIL MASS  
8:30 PM**

**EASTER SUNDAY MASS  
8:30 AM  
11:00 AM**

**Please note:** Morning Prayer from the Church's *Liturgy of the Hours* is prayed on Monday & Tuesday mornings at 8:30AM. **If a priest is not available** to offer Mass any other day of the week, Morning Prayer from the Church's *Liturgy of the Hours* will be prayed and **Father will offer** the scheduled **Mass intention privately.**

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS



The Stations of the Cross will be prayed on Good Friday at 3:00 PM in the church.

The school children will present Stations of the Cross on Good Friday at 8:30 AM in the church.

## Ministry News

### FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY

*FPU starts at Queen of Angels on Easter Monday April 25 at 6:30PM in the St. Anne Room!*

*No matter your financial situation, YOU CAN LEARN SOMETHING NEW!*

*Come, join fellow parishioners and learn about getting out of debt, saving money, insurance, investments, and SO MUCH MORE!*

*Hosted by Ray and Ann Marie Henninger 681-2986*

*Cost is only \$77.50 for a lifetime membership and includes all materials.*

### **FASTING & ABSTINENCE REGULATIONS**

All persons age fourteen and older are bound by the Law of Abstinence.

All those eighteen but not yet fifty-nine years old are bound by the Law of Fast.

Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence.

Good Friday and Holy Saturday We are also encouraged to keep the Pascal fast, ending after



### **Safe Environment Training - "Called to Protect the Family"**

Scheduled for Saturday, **May 14th at 10:00AM**—Please contact the Parish Office to sign up or for more information.

## Parish Life

### **CATHOLIC WOMEN NEWS**

We are an affiliate of the World Union of Catholic Women. We received a message from the Japan NCWL members of Catholic Women. Our sisters in Japan gave a lengthy detail of the devastation of the Catholic Churches. They thought a couple of the priests were dead but were located safely in shelters. The coast of Matsushima has a number of islands that were not affected by the tsunami. They served as breakwaters. Most of the churches and abbeys are now offering rooms to those who have lost their homes. Church members started emergency kitchens and took prepared food into the devastated area where people were still trying to stay in their homes with no electricity or water. They thank us for praying for them and ask for continued prayers.

Barbara Townsend, President

### **OFFICE CLOSURE**

The parish office will be closed Easter Monday, April 25th. Please note that bulletin items for the May 1st bulletin are due by Thursday, April 21st, at noon.

### **LITTLE FLOWER**

Information meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 28 at 6:00 PM in the Mary Room. For girls ages 5 to 15. Questions, or for more info contact Danielle at 457-4958.

### **AUDIO & VIDEO CDS & BIBLES**

We have **Fr. Doug Lorig** audio & video CD's available for purchase in the parish office, along with Cat.Chat CD's for kids and Bibles.

## Upcoming Events

### NOVENA TO THE DIVINE MERCY



Divine Mercy Sunday is May 1st.

Jesus asked that the feast of the Divine Mercy be preceded by a Novena to the Divine Mercy which would begin on

**Good Friday.** He

gave St. Faustina an intention to pray for on each day of the Novena, saving for the last day the most difficult intention of all, the lukewarm and indifferent.

We will pray the Novena in the church at 3:00PM beginning Good Friday, April 22nd through Saturday, April 30th. If you are unable to attend, please recite the Novena at home. For more information, please contact Yvonne Doughty at 452-9443.

### **SUMMER CAMP OPPORTUNITIES**

It is not too early to start thinking about summer camp—there are several opportunities available, including our own "**ALL PARISH CAMP**" and "**CAMPING WITH CHRIST**" for youth exiting 4th through 8th grades.

**ALL PARISH CAMP**—June 24-26  
**CAMPING with CHRIST**—June 27-30

Both camps are held out at beautiful Camp David Jr. on spectacular Lake Crescent—noted to be one of the most beautiful lakes in Washington State. Call the parish office (452-2351) and get your name on the list. We need host families, youth campers and volunteer leaders. If we don't get enough interest this year, it will be our last year. Invite your friends!



## Upcoming Events

### SONS OF ITALY

Sons of Italy invites "ALL" to join us to share an afternoon of fun, companionship and culinary cuisine, this Sunday at 1:30 PM in the St. Anne Room! Social membership is open to all with interest in Italian culture. We invite everyone to attend and join us for a great time! For more information call Frank at 457-0763 or 360-928-0236.

### **Take a fresh look at your Marriage.**

Consider attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and enrich your lives together. It is a unique approach aimed at revitalizing Christian Marriage. **Queen of Angels is hosting a unique Parish based Marriage Encounter Weekend, July 8-10, 2011.** For more information contact Thomas and Lena Jay, 417-2081, [thejays@q.com](mailto:thejays@q.com). Or visit our website at [www.mrwwme.org](http://www.mrwwme.org) to register for the weekend.

PILGRIMAGE WITH FR. YU  
Pallium Pilgrimage to Rome, Lourdes, Fatima, Assisi, Turin, Madrid, Avila, Lisbon, etc.

**June 25—July 12 2011**  
18 days/16 nights. Cost: \$4,450 (all inclusive). Spiritual Director, Fr. Reynaldo Yu, Holy Family, Seattle. Contact Rita at 206-878-8296.

### Catholic Women

*A Tribute to our Blessed Mother*  
Luncheon / Meeting  
May 3rd 11:00 am  
St Anne Room  
Questions? Call Barbara  
Townsend at 461-0642

## Community



### ORDINATION

Dcn. Steve Gallagher's ordination to the priesthood Saturday, **April 30 at 10:00AM** St. Michael Parish in Olympia.

*Steve grew up in this parish: he is an alumni of Queen of Angels School and is brother to Terry Gallagher and son of Mary Helen Gallagher of our parish.*



### Family Rosary and Egg Hunt

*All are welcome!*

Join us in celebrating our Risen King with a potluck, Rosary and Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday, April 24, from 12:30 PM to 3 PM in the St. Anne Room. Kids are asked to bring their own Easter baskets; adults bring filled eggs. For info call Amy Ruddell, 452-2043.



### **Rachel's Corner**

Hope and Healing After Abortion

"I experienced a great inner healing as a result of attending a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat. It is a wonderful way to forgive yourself, find the unconditional love of Christ and grieve the loss of your little child." -- Testimony after a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

Come to a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat and experience the mercy and unconditional love of Jesus Christ.

May 13-15  
August 26-29

Call Valerie at 1-800-822-HOPE  
You are loved with an everlasting Love!  
Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services

## Information

### Your Attitude Must Be Christ's

We hear in sacred scripture this weekend how Christ redeemed us not by a one-time small gift, but by becoming one of us and giving His whole self even unto death on a Cross. Through our support of Operation Rice Bowl, Catholic Relief Services gives more than short term assistance to poor countries; it establishes one term, person-focused, sustainable programs that provide better opportunities for each individual, and it remains in communities to help these efforts succeed.



### PROGRAMMING ON EWTN

Join EWTN in remembering Christ's love for us through His passion, death and resurrection. During **Holy Week** and Easter, EWTN brings you **special programming** and live **Easter Masses from Rome** and the Basilica of the National Shrine in Washington, DC. Watch EWTN on channel 208. For more **information** please visit [www.ewtn.com](http://www.ewtn.com)

### Child Abuse Prevention Month

The internet is a great source for communication, information and fun but child molesters can use it to gain access to children and begin the grooming process. Navigate through the internet with your child; make it a family activity. Place the computer in a common area of the house where the screen is visible. Teach your children that Internet Safety means never giving out personal information over the internet. Don't forget to talk to your kids about all forms of electronic communication: chatting, text messaging, online gaming and social networking sites.



# Faith Formation for Everyone

## Youth Faith Formation

For information contact Cyndi Rypal at the Parish Office, 360-452-2351 or qofa@olypen.com

## Confirmation Preparation

For information contact lantha Frazer at 360-460-5499

## RCIA / RCIC

For information contact Deacon Richard Labrecque at 360-582-9145

## Life Teen

For information contact Harley & Janice Robinson at 360-457-7057

## Continuing Adult Formation

For information contact the Parish office at 360-452-2351

## Baptism

For information contact Jean Marie Doerpinghaus at 360-928-3395



## Religious Formation and Sacramental Preparation

Queen of Angels Parish offers Sunday Religious Formation Classes, every scheduled Sunday, 9:45-10:45AM. Classes run September thru May of the following year. Our Sunday **Religious Formation and Sacramental Preparation** Program is offered for children, **Kindergarten through Eighth Grade**. Parents are invited and encouraged to sit in on any class presentation. Please feel free to call the Parish Office for more details.



## SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION FOR HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH

**Baptized** parishioners between the ages of **16** (on or before May 31, 2011) **and not yet 18 who are still in high school** are invited to prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Classes run September to April/May of the following year most Sundays, 9:40-10:40AM.

**Candidates** are required: to provide proof of Baptism; to attend class; to participate in class service project, parish Life Teen, retreat, and a day of reflection with sponsors.

**Sponsors** are required: to provide a statement of eligibility & proof of reception of sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, & Holy Eucharist); participation in a day of reflection.

## RCIA & RCIC — A Journey of Conversion —in Mind, Heart and Spirit.

If you, or someone you know, would like information about becoming Catholic please call Deacon Richard Labrecque at 582-9145 for **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)** or Shelly Orr at 417-0667 for **Rite of Christian Initiation of Children (RCIC)** about the process and the classes which are held on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 PM in the St. Benedict Room.



## BAPTISMAL PREP CLASSES

Baptism is the first step in a lifelong journey of commitment and discipleship. Baptism preparation classes are required for parents of children infant through first grade. Please contact Jean Marie for more information at 928-3395 or Mary Kay Acheson at 452-7916.



## Sunday RE News

### Religious Formation Classes

Please mark your calendars for the Easter Triduum:

**Holy Thursday** Mass of the Lord's Supper with washing of the feet 6:00PM

**Good Friday** Stations of the Cross 8:30AM

Celebration of the Lord's Passion 6:00PM

**Holy Saturday** Vigil of Easter 8:30PM

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NO REL. ED CLASSES

April 17th & 24th



## ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Adult bible study 9:15AM each Wednesday morning in the St. Anne Room with the study of St. Paul's letters to the **Romans and Galatians**. For more information, call Helen Schaaf at 457-6772.

## Life Teen

**LIFE TEEN** Sunday, evenings 6:00-7:30PM in the St. Anne's room.

High School age only, please.

See ya there! For more info

Call Harley Robinson at 457-7057.

## Bible Study for Teens

Wednesday mornings at

7:15-8:15AM in the St. Ann room.

BYOB ... (Bring Your Own Bible)

For more information call

Harley Robinson at 457-7057.

## FR. NATHE'S ADULT CLASS — TUESDAY'S —7:00-8:30PM —ST. ANN ROOM

No classes on April 19 and 26. Our next class will be Tuesday, May 3, with an ongoing look into Church History using the EPIC DVD and study set. EPIC study set books are available for pick-up at class or from the parish office.

**Please Note:** Childcare services are provided in the St. Benedict room.



## ***Celebrating the Paschal Mystery***

The center of our liturgical year, the core of our experience as a Christian community. TRIDUUM, is a Latin term meaning three days. The Paschal Triduum is the three days of Christ's Passion, Death and Resurrection.

### **Holy Thursday**

In the **Mass of the Lord's Supper**, the institution of the Mass and priesthood, the Washing of the Feet proclaims Christ's command that "we love one another." As a whole, the liturgy celebrates Christ's love for us in the Eucharist and especially in the sacrifice of Calvary.

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### **Good Friday**

As a day of fast and abstinence, Good Friday features the **Adoration of the Cross** in a solemn liturgy focused on Christ's death and burial. This solemnity continues through Holy Saturday on which the Church celebrates no official liturgy, but silently prepares for the Easter Vigil celebration. *The Good Friday collection benefits the Holy Land fund.*

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### **Easter Vigil**

Finally, the Easter Vigil, the high point of the liturgical year, culminates in the Rite of Initiation of Adults, the sacraments of initiation, **Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist** are celebrated--in this celebration all of us remember that awesome time of our union with our Lord and God through these life-giving sacraments.

***The Lord is Risen, Alleluia, Alleluia!***

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#### **HOLY THURSDAY**

6:00PM Mass of the Lord's Supper

#### **GOOD FRIDAY**

8:30AM Youth Living Way of the Cross  
3:00PM Stations of the Cross  
3:00PM Chaplet of the Divine Mercy  
6:00PM Liturgy

#### **HOLY SATURDAY**

8:30PM Easter Vigil  
*Service of Light*  
Followed by Reception  
*Breaking of the Fast*

#### **EASTER SUNDAY**

8:30AM Mass  
11:00AM Mass

### ***EASTERTIDE***

### **The Season of New Life in Christ**

Easter, the central feast of Christianity, is a difficult mystery to grasp: even the disciples didn't understand at first, let alone believe. The 50 days of Easter allow us to concentrate on the mystery of the resurrection and Christ's continued presence with us through the Holy Spirit. The resurrection narratives and the other readings help us to realize the truth of the resurrection and the importance of Christ's continued presence with us, especially after the celebration of **The Ascension**. This is a reminder that, although Jesus has left us physically, his Holy Spirit remains with us. **Pentecost** completes the Easter season with the descent of the Holy Spirit. The Church, born of the Spirit, will now be the presence of Christ on earth until he comes again.

