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February 4, 2018
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Mass Schedule:

Sunday:
7:30, 9 & 11 AM
Monday-Friday: 8 AM
Saturday Vigil: 5 PM

Confessions:

Saturday:
3:30-4:30 PM

The Catholic Cemetery
serving Holy Rosary is
Holyrood Cemetery.
206-363-8404

“Praise the Lord, who heals the brokenhearted.”

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Dear Parishioners,

I would like to thank the Knights of Columbus for the fine and delicious crab dinner they put on last week. It takes a lot of work to plan and execute such an event. Not only is it a great event that brings the community together, the proceeds from the event support a very worthy cause. This event for the past several years goes to help the Children of Vinh Son Orphanages in Vietnam. We are very happy as a parish to support these orphanages in Vietnam.

I want to thank Greg Schuler for the fine custom made credence table that he made for our sanctuary. The credence table in the sanctuary is where we stage the various vessels that are used for the Liturgy. This new table has more needed space and has been custom made for the space - it has five legs! Thanks, Greg.

Liturgy and Sacrament are an integral part of our worship as Catholics. We believe that God is made present in the movement of word, gesture and material sign. Water, oil, bread and wine become the material elements that communicate and make present hidden grace and spiritual realities. In a sense the physical, created world participates and becomes a part of our worship. Liturgy and Sacrament makes sense because as human beings we are a composite of the material and spiritual. As body and soul, our body is animated by an immortal soul. Our bodies are very much rooted in the material world and we take our life from it. Through Liturgy and Sacrament the material world is raised to a new and spiritual level. The greatest elevation of the material world is when God took on flesh in the womb of the Blessed Virgin Mary in the person of Jesus Christ, the Incarnation.

It is this awareness of the elevation of the material world that we place so much honor and respect on our creation. Creation has a new meaning when we contemplate the mingling of the material and spiritual in the Incarnation and in the human person. Pope Francis in his encyclical *Laudate Si* reminds us of the care that should be taken for our home and the individual person by resisting the “throw-away culture.” It is with this awareness of the elevation of the material world that I am happy to jointly sponsor a Lenten Lecture Series with other local churches.

Dr. Hans Boersma, J.I. Packer Professor of Theology at Regent College in Vancouver, B.C., will be featured in a series of lectures in Edmonds on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 23 and 24.

In his Lenten Lecture Series, Dr. Boersma will be addressing the subject of “Re-Enchanting the Universe,” and the impact of modern culture in framing worldviews without an active awareness of God’s presence. On Friday at 7 p.m., he will discuss “Watch for Deer! Why road signs get in the way of enchantment.” Then on Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon the subjects will be: “Tuning People to Reality: Why music isn’t a matter of taste,” and “Getting Back Together: Why the Reformation was a tragedy.”

This event will be held at the North Sound Center and is jointly sponsored by Crista Ministries, the Diocese of Cascadia of the Anglican Church in North America, Faith Community Church, Holy Rosary Church, Holy Trinity Edmonds and North Sound Church.

For more information and registration please go to our Holy Rosary website for the link to this event.

In Christ,

Fr. Vincent

Sunday, February 4, 2018	St. Joseph of Leonissa	
<i>Job 7:1-4, 6-7; 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23; Mark 1:29-39</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Coffee'nd today. • RCIA Dismissal at 9AM Mass. • Boy Scout Sunday—9AM Mass. • Confirmation Class meets in Pastoral Center, Rm. 206, 12:15PM. 		
Monday, February 5, 2018	St. Agatha	<i>Lionel Duvernay/RIP</i>
<i>1 Kings 8:1-7, 9-13; Mark 6:53-56</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8AM Mass • RCIA meets in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 206, 7PM. 		
Tuesday, February 6, 2018	St. Paul Miki and Companions	<i>Charles MacLeod/RIP</i>
<i>1 Kings 8:22-23, 27-30; Mark 7:1-13</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8AM Mass • Middle School Ministry evening in the Pastoral Center, 7PM. • St. Vincent de Paul Society meets in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 206, 7PM. • Knights of Columbus meets in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 204, 7PM 		
Wednesday, February 7, 2018	St. Colette	<i>Mike Wilcox/RIP</i>
<i>1 Kings 10:1-10; Mark 7:14-23</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8AM Mass • Senior Moments Book Group meets in the Pastoral Center Conference Room, 1PM. 		
Thursday, February 8, 2018	St. Josephine Bakhita	<i>Don Viaches/RIP</i>
<i>1 Kings 11:4-15; Mark 7:24-30</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8AM Mass • Mahjong Group meets in the Pastoral Center, Family Life Room, 1PM. • Latin American History Class meets in the Pastoral Center Conference Room, 1PM. • Traditional Choir rehearsal in the church, 6:15PM. 		
Friday, February 9, 2018	St. Jerome Emiliani	<i>Mike Wilcox/RIP</i>
<i>1 Kings 11:19-32; 12:19; Mark 7:31-37</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8AM Mass • Little Blessings meets in the Family Life Room, 10AM. • Family Rosary in the Church, 7PM (No exposition) 		
Saturday, February 10, 2018	St. Scholastica	
<i>1 Kings 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Mark 8:1-10</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8AM Rosary in the church. • School Auction in the Pastoral Center, 5PM. 		
Sunday, February 11, 2018	St. Apollonia	
<i>Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46; 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1; Mark 1:40-45</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Coffee'nd today. • RCIA Dismissal at 9AM Mass. • Lenten Family Morning in the Pastoral Center, 10-11:30AM. 		

IRA Charitable Rollover: The Individual Retirement Account (IRA) Charitable Rollover allows individuals who have reached age 70-1/2 to donate up to \$100,000 per year to a qualified charitable organization, like Holy Rosary, without treating the distribution as taxable income. Funds intended for this type of charitable rollover must go *directly from the IRA to Holy Rosary* to be tax-free. Amounts withdrawn that you receive first and then donate would be included in your taxable income. Consult your IRA financial advisor or tax expert for details about how to give and the benefits and impacts on your taxes. *Thank you for your generosity.*

TAX STATEMENTS: End-of-year tax statements for your contributions to Holy Rosary for 2017 have been mailed. If you have not received yours, or if after reviewing your statement you have any questions, please contact Linda Marrese at lindam@holyroaryedmonds.org or call the Parish Office.

PRAYER SUPPORT... *“Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves.”*
-Matthew 11:28-29

A Time to Heal — Ethan Blocker, Marianne Jurich, Kim Leland, Mark Sacmann, Byron Mizuha, Tracey Hollcraft, Frank Haynes, Mary Carlo-Thomas, Maxine Larson, Cathy Agor, Katherine Christensen (daughter of Jack and Gerrie Christensen) and Branden White (grandson of Bruce & Judy White).

A Time to Mourn — Bill Shroeder (brother of Bette Loue Sloane).

Please contact **Roberta Tassani** at 425-778-3122 or robertat@holynosaryedmonds.org with prayer requests.

FAITH FORMATION

SAVE THE DATE FOR MATTHEW KELLY: SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 7-10 P.M. What better way to start the new year than with a renewed energy and commitment to your Catholic faith? Plan now to see best-selling author and founder of the Dynamic Catholic Institute Matthew Kelly, as he brings his life-changing “Passion and Purpose” event to Holy Rosary. A dynamic and entertaining speaker, Matthew Kelly will help you re-energize your faith and find more joy and purpose in everyday life. This internationally acclaimed speaker sells out wherever he goes, so buy your tickets now for this exciting evening. Tickets are \$39. A limited number of tickets are still available online at dynamiccatholic.com, in the vestibule after mass this weekend, or at the Parish Office.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Middle School: This January we kicked off our “Encounter” Bible series! New middle schooler are welcome and encouraged to join us! Our next meeting is **February 6th**. We meet Tuesdays from 7-8:30PM. All 6th-8th graders are invited. Please see the parish website for the schedule and registration paperwork (holynosaryedmonds.org>Serving You>Youth and Young Adult> Middle School Ministry). Paperwork can be turned in at the school or parish offices. For more information please email Kelly (kellyg@holynosaryedmonds.org).

High School: Are you or your high schooler interested in a small group faith experience? An exciting new opportunity is available. Contact Kelly for more information (kellyg@holynosaryedmonds.org).

Stay tuned for our next large group event.

Confirmation: Preparation for Confirmation of High School students is underway. Students must be in 10th grade or beyond to receive the sacrament Monday, April 23rd. Questions? Email Kelly (kellyg@holynosaryedmonds.org).

MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE



No Matter How Much You're Hurting, No Marriage is Beyond Hope Are you going through a difficult time in your marriage? Are you losing hope? Let Retrouvaille help. Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vī) is a worldwide ministry, committed to helping hurting couples heal their marriages. Yours could be next. For confidential information about, or to register for our upcoming program beginning March 16-18, 2018 call 206-706-2608 or visit our website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.



do all that you do
for the sake of the gospel
in hopes of having
a share in its blessings

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St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank: The food bank is low and needs the following items: spaghetti sauce, pork 'n beans, canned pineapple, canned mandarin oranges, pancake syrup, shampoo, and toilet paper. *The need is great and your donations make it possible to help who need it. Thank you!*



SAVE THE DATE Ladies, Mark your calendars now: **Thursday, March 15th**, for the Women's Association Annual St. Patrick's Salad Luncheon with entertainment, a raffle and door prizes. There is no charge, just bring a salad to share, 8-10 servings. More info to follow.



Holy Rosary's 8th grade annual play is scheduled for March 2nd and 3rd. We have sponsorship opportunities available for advertising in the play program. Cost for space starts at \$25. Please contact Tanya Mills at 206-715-8485 or btanya40@gmail.com if you are interested. Proceeds benefit the 8th grade retreat.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING will begin next month for **4th through 7th Graders** who wish to serve your parish and be involved in the liturgy of the Mass. Choose from two training sessions, **Monday-Thursday, 5-7PM** in the church:



- **February 26th-March 1st, OR**
- **March 5th-8th.**

Please register online by **February 18th, 2018**, at: <https://tinyurl.com/alterservers2018>. After the first full year of serving (June-May), Altar Servers celebrate the year with a trip to Wild Waves! For more information, contact: Alfons Menanno 818-472-9647 or amenanno@gmail.com.



The Senior Moments book group will meet Wednesday, Feb. 7th in the Pastoral Center Conference Room, 1-2PM. We hope you will join us.

EASTER BASKETS: Save the Date - Friday March 16th! We need your help to assemble 850 Easter Baskets! Your cash donations are also needed to support this outreach ministry to eight community agencies serving children. You may drop your check off at the parish office now.



A Psychologist is available to treat concerns such as depression, anxiety, grief and loss, and family problems. This service is offered for adults and children of the community. If you need assistance, please call **Dr. Jeff Baird** at 425-977-4534 to leave a message (your call is confidential and will be returned within 24 hrs.)

Rachel's Corner
Hope and Healing After Abortion

"Let us also remember Peter: three times he denied Jesus, precisely when he should have been closest to him; and when he hits bottom he meets the gaze of Jesus who patiently, wordlessly, says to him: 'Peter, don't be afraid of your weakness, trust in me.' Brothers and sisters, let us never lose trust in the patience and mercy of God!"

- Pope Francis

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ retreat and hear your name spoken by Him as He says those words to you: "Don't be afraid of your weakness, trust in me."

We can help you on a Rachel's Vineyard™ retreat.

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Call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673)

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Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

CARE OF CREATION: Hank Landau, Ph.D., a geo-environmental engineer from Edmonds, will speak on "Water in the Holy Land" on Tuesday, Feb. 13th, 10-11AM in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 204. All are welcome. (A short meeting of the Care of Creation subcommittee will follow.)

LATIN AMERICAN HISTORY CLASS continues with the discovery and conquest of the Americas. Please join us on **Thursdays** at 1PM, in the Pastoral Center Conference Room.



LITTLE BLESSINGS: Are you a parent of young children, looking for a chance to gather with other Holy Rosary parents who are at a similar stage of life? Join us for Little Blessings on **Friday mornings, from 10:00AM until 11:30AM** in the Family Life Room in the Pastoral Center.



SCHOOL NEWS



Dates to Note Week of February 4th

- **Saturday, 2/10** - Annual School Auction
- **Wednesday, 2/14** - Ash Wednesday School Mass - 9AM

Holy Rosary's 4th Grade FIRST LEGO League Robotics team has earned a slot in our Western WA State Championship! Please come and cheer for the **TacoKatz** on **February 11th from 12:45-4:30pm** at the ShoWare Center (625 W James St., Kent, WA 98032). For directions and more venue info, go to <https://www.accessshowarecenter.com/directions.aspx>. Congratulations TacoKatz on making it to the top 30 teams in Western WA!!



"THAT'S AMORE" Holy Rosary School Auction **Saturday February 10th, 2018**

Doors open at 5:00 PM. First Silent Auction section closes at 6:20PM.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION for Holy Rosary School! May be turned in at the school office to support fundraising efforts.



AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

LENTEN LECTURE SERIES: To include "Re-Enchanting the Universe" with Dr. Hans Boersma, Professor of Theology at Regent College, Vancouver, B.C. and author of *Heavenly Participation: The Weaving of a Sacramental Tapestry*. **February 23rd, 7PM and Saturday, February 24th, 9AM**, at North Sound Center, 201 4th Ave. N., Edmonds. All are welcome to attend this ecumenical presentation.



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FOOD AND DRINK
OF ETERNAL LIFE**

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MONDAY-FRIDAY
8:30 AM TO 4:30 PM.

THE ANSWERING SERVICE WILL RELAY
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SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS
7:30AM TO 4PM MONDAY-FRIDAY

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

INFANT BAPTISM - Parents and godparents attend one session to prepare to celebrate this sacrament. We encourage parents to attend before the birth or adoption of their child. Please call the Parish Office at least six weeks prior to the desired Baptism date to register your child. Next preparation class is on April 22nd, 2018 beginning with mass at 11AM and ending by 2:30PM. Please call the Parish Office to register. Upcoming baptisms are on February 11 and April 8, 2018. Baptisms are scheduled with Father Vincent on the *second Sunday of the month, after the 11AM Mass*. Parishioners who prefer to have the Baptism at “their” regular mass time may make that request through the parish office.

MARRIAGE - Couples wishing to celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage should contact the parish at least 6 months prior to the desired date. Preparation for celebrating and living the sacrament is required. Catholics are to be confirmed prior to celebrating marriage. Contact Roberta Tassani for more information.

ANointING OF THE SICK - is celebrated any time there is a serious illness or health crisis. Contact the parish office to make arrangements. The sacrament is also celebrated periodically at a Sunday liturgy and on weekdays.

FUNERALS - Please contact the parish after a death, and before making arrangements with a funeral home.

CONFIRMATION - The Sacrament of Confirmation is celebrated yearly for those who are age 16 or older. Attendance at preparation sessions is required. Contact the Parish office or email kellyg@holyrosaryedmonds.org for information. Adults who have not been confirmed may also celebrate the sacrament, which is a requirement for the Sacrament of Marriage. Contact Roberta Tassani for information.

FIRST RECONCILIATION/FIRST EUCHARIST - Children are prepared for these sacraments after completing a year of remote preparation in either the school or a religious education program. This is a two-year program; the first year is a general introduction, and the second year being specific preparation. Parents attend preparation sessions for each sacrament. Contact Mary Hupf, Director for Elementary Faith Formation, for more information.

ADULT INITIATION - Adults who wish to join the Catholic Faith participate in sessions of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.) Contact the Parish Office for further information.

WE CAN SERVE YOU BETTER IF YOU ARE A REGISTERED MEMBER OF HOLY ROSARY PARISH. PLEASE CALL US FOR A REGISTRATION FORM OR CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE FOR AN ON-LINE FORM.