



HOLY ROSARY PARISH  
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I am the vine  
you are the  
branches  
Those who  
live in me  
and I  
in them,  
will produce  
abundantly.



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**April 29, 2018**  
**Fifth Sunday of Easter**



*"I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people."*

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## **Mass Schedule:**

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

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## **Confessions:**

Saturday:  
3:30-4:30 PM

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

Dear Parishioners,

We celebrated Confirmation this past week. We were so happy to have 33 young people who were confirmed. We are grateful to Kelly Groesbeck, our Youth Minister, for providing the excellent formation of our Confirmation students so they might be well disposed to receive the grace of this sacrament. The support from sponsors, families, friends and parishioners was heartwarming and evident in the numbers that attended; thank you to all.

Bishop Mueggenborg did the Confirmation and gave an excellent homily about the Sacrament of Confirmation and the gifts of the Holy Spirit. He reminded us that it is docility to the Holy Spirit that moves us along the path of doing God's will and transforms us to being that instrument, vessel and vehicle of God's love and presence in the world. He said it is only God, our creator, who can give us our dignity, true identity and purpose as human beings. It is the Holy Spirit's action in us that enables us to fully realize our potential as persons. Confirmation completes our full initiation into the church which is vital for godparents and marriage. We can see this full potential at work in the lives of the Saints. They are the model for us of docility to the Holy Spirit.

One person in particular in whom we can see this full realization of personhood was Mary. Mary was completely open and docile to the action of the Holy Spirit, first within her heart, and then her body received the body of Christ. Mary had such a close and intimate relationship with the Holy Spirit that St. Maximilian Kolbe said Mary was the "spouse of the Holy Spirit". The actions of the Holy Spirit in Mary and in the Apostles after Pentecost are examples of what is possible with the Holy Spirit. The action of the Holy Spirit realizes potentials hitherto unimagined. The action of the Holy Spirit is necessary in making us to be the best versions of ourselves. Mary can teach us docility to the Holy Spirit.

During the month of May we celebrate Mother's Day, and we think of think of Mary as our spiritual mother. May crownings, Mary altars and praying the Rosary have long been part of May for Catholics. I am happy that this year the school is setting up a Mary's altar so the children can bring flowers to honor Mary during May. The month of May is an excellent time to honor our mother Mary by praying the Rosary, learning more about the Rosary and going deeper into the mystery of the Rosary. I can't imagine how happy Mary must be when we honor her with a bouquet of flowers we call the Rosary. Incidentally the word "Rosary" comes from bouquet of roses.

There is a resource on FORMED though our website by Dr. Edward Sri on the Rosary if you may be interested in learning more about Praying the Rosary.

In Christ,

Father Vincent

**IN PREPARATION** for the dedication of our new altar on May 13th, daily Masses will be held in the **Pastoral Center** starting **Tuesday, May 8th through Friday, May 11th.**

- Sunday, April 29, 2018** **St. Catherine of Siena**  
*Acts of the Apostles 9:26-31; 1 John 3:18-24; John 15:1-8*
- **Coffee'nd** hosted by the Knights of Columbus.
  - **Religious Ed. classes** meet in the school, 9AM.
  - **Baptism at the 9AM Mass.**
- Monday, April 30, 2018** **St. Pius V** *Peggy Keough/Intentions*  
*Acts of the Apostles 14:5-18; John 14:21-26*
- **8AM Mass**
  - **RCIA** meets in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 206, 7PM.
- Tuesday, May 1, 2018** **St. Joseph the Worker** *Patrick Janicki/RIP*  
*Acts of the Apostles 14:19-28; John 14:27-31a*
- **8AM Mass**
  - **Middle School Ministry** meets in the Pastoral Center, 7PM.
  - **St. Vincent de Paul Society** meets in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 206, 7PM.
- Wednesday, May 2, 2018** **St. Athanasius** *Gil Martelino/RIP*  
*Acts of the Apostles 15:1-6; John 15:1-8*
- **8AM Mass**
  - **Senior Moments Book Group** meets in the Pastoral Center conference Room, 1PM.
- Thursday, May 3, 2018** **Sts Philip and James** *Lee Matteo/RIP*  
*1 Corinthians 15:1-8; John 14:6-14*
- **8AM Mass**
  - **Bible Study: The Prophets** meets in the Pastoral Center Conference Room, **9AM and 6:30PM.**
  - **Latin American History Class** meets in the Parish Office Conference Room, 1PM.
  - **Mahjong Group** meets in the Family Life Room, 1PM.
  - **Traditional Choir** rehearsal in the church, 6:15PM.
- Friday, May 4, 2018** **Blessed Michael Giedroyc** *Angela Ahlers/RIP*  
*Acts of the Apostles 15:22-31; John 15:12-17*
- **8AM Mass—First Friday**
  - **Women's Association** meets following 8AM Mass in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 206.
  - **9AM School Mass/May Crowning**
  - **Little Blessings** meets in the Family Life Room, 10AM.
  - **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** ends at 3PM.
- Saturday, May 5, 2018** **St. Hilary of Arles**  
*Acts of the Apostles 16:1-10; John 15:18-21*
- **8AM Rosary** in the church.
- Sunday, May 6, 2018** **Sts. Marian and James**  
*Acts of the Apostles 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; 1 John 4:7-10; John 15:9-17*
- **Knights of Columbus Breakfast** served after all Masses.
  - **Mission Carnival** in the School Hall, 10-11AM.

**Weekly Offering—Thank you for your support!**

Date	On Line/Mailed Offerings	Basket Offerings	
Mar. 31/Apr.1	\$6,921.00	\$37,718.78	
Apr. 7/8	\$8,000.00	\$25,724.82	
Apr. 14/15	\$12,798.92	\$16,522.79	
Apr. 21/22	\$5,221.00	\$14,552.00	

**CATHOLIC CEMETERIES OPEN HOUSE:**

You are invited to open house at Holyrood, Calvary and Gethsemane Catholic Cemeteries on **Sunday, April 29th, 12PM-4PM.** Staff will be on hand to help you find graves, provide refreshments, and answer questions. For directions please visit our website at [www.MyCatholicCemetery.org](http://www.MyCatholicCemetery.org).

## FAITH IN ACTION

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**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** — Marianne Jurich, Katherine Christensen, Gene Gizinski, Louise Buley, Carl Simmons, Sharon Benson, Jerry Behan, Dick Menard, Randy Ruwe, Frank Haynes, Margaret Winnie-Cooley and Bill Cooley.

**A Time to Mourn** — John O'Donnell and Chuck Crittenden (father of Paige McDonald)..

Please contact **Roberta Tassani** at 425-778-3122 or [robertat@holynosaryedmonds.org](mailto:robertat@holynosaryedmonds.org) with prayer requests.

## FAITH FORMATION

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THOSE MAKING THEIR FIRST COMMUNION** this weekend! Thank you to Mary Hupf and all her dedicated helpers in preparing the children for this very important event.

**QUO VADIS DAYS: Registration is OPEN NOW.** Are you or do you know any young men age 13-18 who are discerning a vocation to the priesthood? **June 25th-28th** are the dates of Quo Vadis days at Camp Don Bosco. There will be masses with Archbishop Sartain and Seattle Bishops. Staffed by Archdiocesan Priests, Seminarians, Serra Club members, and CYO staff. Serra Club here at Holy Rosary will be providing dinner on Monday night for the "campers". More questions? Contact Fr. Kyle Manglono, 253 564 5185.

**INTERESTED IN KNOWING MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH?** A new period of inquiry will begin on **Wednesday, May 9th at 7PM, in the Pastoral Conference Room.** We welcome those who wish to share the journey of encountering Jesus through the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation. These gatherings are for those who are unbaptized, baptized Christians from other backgrounds and also baptized Catholics in search of a re-connection to the faith. Please contact the Parish Office at 425-778-3122 or [becomingcatholic@holynosaryedmonds.org](mailto:becomingcatholic@holynosaryedmonds.org).

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**Middle School:** New middle schoolers are welcome and encouraged to join us! Our next meeting is **May 1st.** 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](http://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](mailto: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](mailto:kellyg@holynosaryedmonds.org)).

Stay tuned for our next large group event.

**Confirmation: Congratulations to our newly confirmed high school students!** New preparation sessions for high school students will begin in the fall. Students must be in 10th grade or beyond to receive the sacrament next spring. Questions? Email Kelly ([kellyg@holynosaryedmonds.org](mailto:kellyg@holynosaryedmonds.org)).

## MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE

**SAVE THE DATE:** Plan to attend the 5PM Mass for the **Celebration of Marriage on June 2nd.** We will be celebrating 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50 and 60 years of marriage at this Mass.

**Readiness for marriage** presumes that the Catholic party has received the sacrament of Confirmation. Preparation for Confirmation is to begin as part of the marriage preparation process in order that Confirmation may be conferred prior to marriage whenever possible. Confirmation is also a prerequisite to act as a godparent. Contact Roberta Tassani for additional information.



**St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank:** Our food bank is low on the following: Macaroni and cheese, red flavored Jello, canned peas, honey, microwave popcorn, and cleaning supplies, including powdered cleanser, toilet cleaner and all purpose spray cleaners like 409. *Thank you so much for your continued support of our food bank!*



**The Women's Association** will meet this Friday, May 4th, following the 8AM Mass, in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 205. We are wrapping up our year and hope to see many at the meeting. We gladly welcome any new members. Please join us.

**“That All May Sing” - A WEEKLY MUSIC CLASS FOR CHILDREN AGES 7-13.** Plans are being made to offer a musical “short course” for children starting in May and running until mid-June, picking up again in September after the Summer vacations. The class will offer a complete music education in Gregorian Chant, its notation, theory, and practice as well modern notation and theory. Particular emphasis will be placed on the cultivation of a beautiful vocal tone, on sight singing and reading through the learning of solfege (do, re, mi, fa, etc.), as well as musical dictation, rhythm, and rudimentary directing.

The child in this course will learn to discover their first and most important musical instrument- their own voice. The learning of music at an early age has been proven to vastly improve a child’s IQ and test scores and success in life in general.

The class will be offered by Jeffrey Morse, a student of Dr. Mary Berry at Cambridge (UK) in Gregorian Chant and Semiology as well as Ward Method, and holds a certificate in Ward Method studies (a method of teaching music to children) from the University of Northern Colorado where he was a student of Dr Alise Brown. Students successfully completing this course will be invited to be the first singers in a child chorister program that will be developed next year if they so desire.

Classes will be held at Holy Rosary Church, Edmonds, starting date and time to be determined, for more information and to sign-up, you may email Jeffrey Morse at [jeffreym@holyrosaryedmonds.org](mailto:jeffreym@holyrosaryedmonds.org) or call the parish office on 425 778 3122.

**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**  
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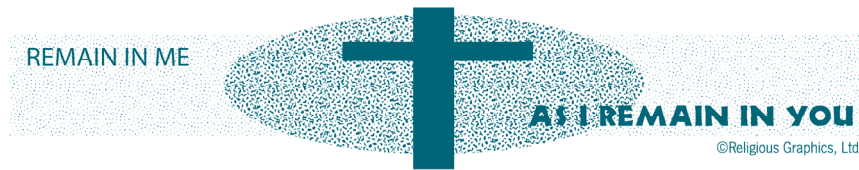
*Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.*

 **The Senior Moments book group** will meet **Wednesday, May 2nd** in the Pastoral Center Conference Room, 1-2PM. We all read the book of our choice, and share what it is about. Hope you will join us.

**Our annual Mission Carnival** will be held on **Sunday, May 6, 10-11AM** in the School Hall for all children in the parish. Come join us after the 9AM Mass.

**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, 10:00-11:30AM** in the Family Life Room in the Pastoral Center. More info:  Danielle Corbin 408-221-4606.

**LATIN AMERICAN HISTORY CLASS** continues with Latin American Independence. Please join us on **Thursdays** at 1PM, in the Parish Office Conference Room.



## SCHOOL NEWS



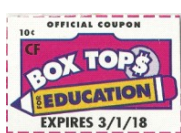
### Dates to Note Week of April 29th

- **April 30th** - April Birthdays Free Dress
- **May 4th**—First Friday Mass/May Crowning, 9AM. FORMAL UNIFORMS.
- **May 11th**—Outdoor Ed (Grades 5 & 6)
- **May 24th**—Spring Concert.

SCRIP is available to buy after the masses. Thank you for supporting your school while you shop!



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



## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

**Padre Pio relics coming to Seattle:** To mark the 50th anniversary of his death on September 23, 1968, the official relics of St. Pio of Pietrelcina, the Italian mystic who bore the marks of Jesus' passion, will be at St. James Cathedral on May 5th. Archbishop J. Peter Sartain will celebrate a Mass in honor of St. Pio at 9AM, and the saint's relics will be available for veneration from 10AM to 4:30PM. More information at [www.stjames-cathedral.org](http://www.stjames-cathedral.org).

**SAVE THE DATE: Next Step Pregnancy Services** will hold their 20th Anniversary Gala and Fundraiser **Saturday, May 19, 2018** at 5:15PM at the Holy Rosary Pastoral Center. Info and tickets at [www.nssupport.org](http://www.nssupport.org) or phone Kathy Dizard at 425-329-4569.

**MAY IS MENTAL HEALTH MONTH** Mental illnesses are far more common than cancer, diabetes, heart disease or arthritis. Our faith communities can be an important part of the recovery process through education, support and by helping individuals and families feel part of a caring community. Find resources for you and your community <https://www.facebook.com/mentalhealthministry>.

Let us LOVE  
not in word and speech  
but in deed and truth

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MONDAY-FRIDAY

8:30 AM TO 4:30 PM.

THE ANSWERING SERVICE WILL RELAY MESSAGES WHEN THE OFFICE IS CLOSED.

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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 **July 22nd, 2018 beginning with mass at 11AM and ending by 2:30PM**. Please call the Parish Office to register. Upcoming baptisms are on **June 10th, July 8th, and August 12, 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.

**ANOIDTING OF THE SICK** - is celebrated any time there is a serious illness or health crisis. Contact the parish office to make arrangements.

**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](mailto: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 and a prerequisite to be a godparent. 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.

**BECOMING CATHOLIC** - 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 AT [WWW.HOLYROSARYEDMONDS.ORG](http://WWW.HOLYROSARYEDMONDS.ORG).**