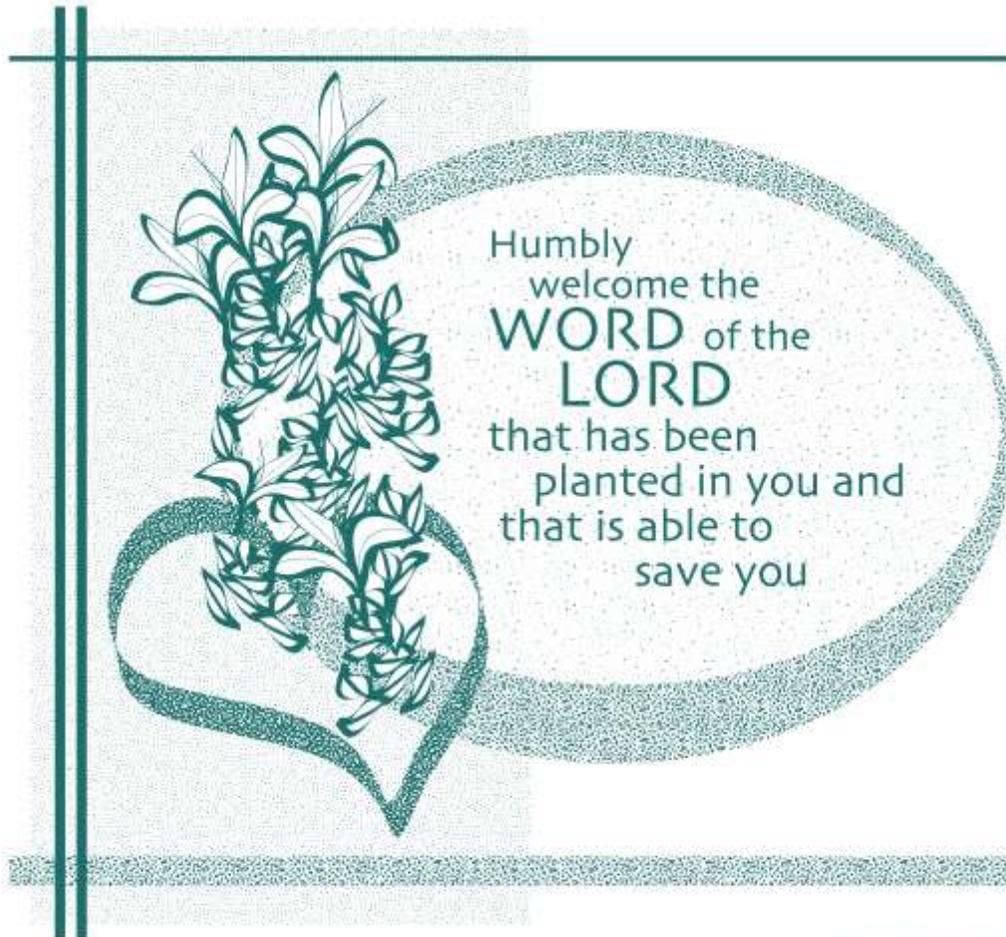




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Mass Schedule:

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

Confessions:

Friday: 8-8:20AM
Saturday:
3:30-4:30 PM

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

“The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.”

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Dear Parishioners,

Last Sunday I addressed the priest abuse scandal in our Church that has come up again with Cardinal McCarrick and the Pennsylvania Grand Jury Report. I encourage you to go to the home page of our website and read the statements by our Archbishop Sartain, a statement by Bishop Morlino and the USCCB. I also encourage you to take a look at what Bishop Robert Barron says on the sexual abuse crisis. I found this video to be very hopeful and insightful.

Back to school is upon us. Last Sunday as I was standing in the sacristy getting ready to start Mass, I asked the servers whether they were ready for school to start. One of the servers, who goes to our school, responded with a very enthusiastic, “I am very excited for school to start!” Having spent so many years in education myself, I understand what students and teachers alike feel as a new school year gets underway. There is an excitement in the air.

We are so blessed to have a school connected to our parish that has been providing Catholic education to the Edmonds community for 53 years. This is a service and ministry we are committed to because we feel Catholic education is important for our culture and the future of our Church. Our goal as a Catholic school, along with offering an excellent and holistic education, is to always enhance our Catholic culture and identity. This means we want each child to know and understand who Jesus is and how we respond to Him with virtuous and upright lives.

This school year we will be beginning to have the school attend weekly liturgies of the Eucharist. The Eucharist is the heart of our worship as Catholics and the place we most encounter our Lord in His Word and Body. It is important for our school community to gather weekly around the table of Lord. This weekly Eucharist will be on Fridays at 8:30am; this will also be the parish daily Mass for that day.

This past year a Catholic School Identity Committee has come together and has been working on several initiatives. A few that have come forth are access to monthly confession, monthly benediction, and a Saint of the week. We will also continue the school’s annual Lady of Guadalupe procession and the May Crowning. Another initiative is the virtue project, where we focus on a virtue of the month. These virtues include: Humility, Patience, Generosity, Hope, Kindness, Purity, Persistence, Charity, Self-Control, and Faith.

And finally a great gift we have been given as a school and parish is our name – Holy Rosary. We will continue to promote the Rosary as a way to come to know, love and serve Christ. The twenty mysteries of the Rosary are a summary or compendium of the Gospels. Through learning and praying the mysteries of the Rosary we come into contact with the mystery of Christ. The beautiful thing about the Rosary is that Mary prays with us. The Rosary is a great way to pray together as a family, in the car or at home.

France this year has banned smart phones from all its schools in an effort to see that the children have more concrete experiences with nature, others, crafts and the arts. We might add to this list that one of our goals as a Catholic school is that each child have a concrete experience of God in the person of Jesus Christ our Savior.

In Christ,

Fr. Vincent

CALENDAR

Sunday, September 2, 2018 **Blessed John Francis Burté and Companions**
Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8; James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27; Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Monday, September 3, 2018 **St. Gregory the Great** *Michael Lynch/RIP*
1 Corinthians 2:1-5; Luke 4:16-30

- **LABOR DAY HOLIDAY—SCHOOL AND OFFICE CLOSED**
- **No Liturgy**

Tuesday, September 4, 2018 **St. Rose of Viterbo** *Herb Streuli/Intentions*
1 Corinthians 2:10b-16; Luke 4:31-37

- **School Opens—Noon Dismissal**
- **5:30PM Mass** (*Note new start time*)
- **RCIA** meets in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 204, 7PM.

Wednesday, September 5, 2018 **St. Teresa of Calcutta** *Tom Braidech/RIP*
1 Corinthians 3:1-9; Luke 4:38-44

- **8AM Mass**
- **Senior Moments Book Club** meets in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 204, 1PM.

Thursday, September 6, 2018 **Blessed Claudio Granzotto** *Ed MacMillan/RIP*
1 Corinthians 3:18-23; Luke 5:1-11

- **8AM Mass**
- **Mahjong Group** meets in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 204, 1PM.
- **Traditional Choir** rehearsal in the church, 6:15PM
- **Contemporary Choir** rehearsal in the church, 7:30PM.

Friday, September 7, 2018 **Blessed Frédéric Ozanam** *Joey Polastri/RIP*
1 Corinthians 4:1-5; Luke 5:33-39

- **Reconciliation—8-8:20AM**
- **8:30AM Mass**
- **First Friday**—Exposition Ends at 3PM

Saturday, September 8, 2018 **Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
Micah 5:1-4a; Matthew 1:1-16, 18-23

- **8AM Rosary** in the church.

Sunday, September 9, 2018 **St. Peter Claver**
Isaiah 35:4-7a; James 2:1-5; Mark 7:31-37

- **Baptisms—12:30PM**

Weekly Offering—Thank you for your support!

| Date | On Line/Mailed Offerings | Basket Offerings |
|--------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| August 4/5 | \$6,733.67 | \$22,281.33 |
| August 11/12 | \$12,869.00 | \$14,990.36 |
| August 18/19 | \$9,284.00 | \$14,250.86 |
| August 25/26 | \$7,034.00 | \$12,948.05 |

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL: We are pleased to let you know that we have met and exceeded our goal of \$196,188 for the Annual Catholic Appeal! Through your generosity and commitment, the parish has received contributions and pledges totaling \$205,978. *THANK YOU* for your support.

BLOOD DRIVE: We're taking appointments **this weekend and next** for the Holy Rosary blood drive on **Sunday, Sept. 16th**. Someone will be in the back of the church after Mass. The drive will be in the School Hall. Appointment times are 8:30 to 11 AM. and noon to 2:10PM. Or you can email Jim Haley at haleyjml@comcast.net, or call, 425-771-9065. We hope to have at least 30 blood donors to help save lives.

CUSTODIAN: Holy Rosary Parish in Edmonds is seeking a reliable and hard-working person for a part-time custodial position. The successful candidate would be responsible for cleaning and maintaining the church, Pastoral Center and other parish buildings. There may be an opportunity for increased hours and responsibility based on skills. Compensation will be dependent on experience. Please send cover letter and resume to Deacon Craig Lundberg at craigl@holynosaryedmonds.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 — Gene Gizinski, Dick Menard, Mary Pat Thorpe, Noreen O’Leary, David Mooney, Peggy Jerrel, Dean Allard, Maureen Haggerty and Kim Witt.

A Time to Mourn —

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

Looking for ways to support your parish? Ushers are needed at all Masses. Ushering at Mass is a great way for Holy Rosary School families and high school teens to earn community service hours. For more information contact Bob Kovich at rckovich@gmail.com

More opportunities: Altar Linens need to be laundered and returned. It’s not difficult, and training is provided. If you can take a month to come once or twice a week to provide this service, contact Roberta Tassani at the Parish Office.

Votive Candles must be replaced as they are used, so someone checks a couple of times during their week to make sure there are candles available. Training provided; if you can help, please contact Linda Denton at the Parish Office.

Funeral Reception Team: Assist with set-up and serving for funeral receptions. This ministry is greatly appreciated by families mourning the loss of a loved one. Hours served by School Parents in this capacity are applicable to your School Volunteer Commitment. Please contact Nancy Fleck at 206-713-9893

NEW PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY Be included in our parish directory!

Sign up available after Masses *next weekend* or online on the Holy Rosary website.

20-minute photo sessions will be on: **Sept 25-29, Oct. 16-20, Oct. 23-27 and Nov. 6-10** in the Pastoral Center Family Life Room. No cost; a free directory & 8x10 photo included for participation. Questions? Call Cindy Olson at 206-730-7438 or Jeannine Lupton at 206-715-5203.

FAITH FORMATION

INTERESTED IN KNOWING MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH? RCIA weekly sessions will start on Tuesday, September 4th, 7-8:30PM in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 204. 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 to join us.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Ministry 2018-2019: Plan to be a part of **Koinonia** this fall- **Wednesdays 6-8 pm!**

Middle School Ministry: Registration is now open for Middle School Edge nights! These will take place during our Wednesday night Koinonia gatherings. See the webpage for more info and registration: holynosaryedmonds.org>Faith Formation>Youth>Middle School

Confirmation: Registration is now open for High School Confirmation prep! Please see the parish webpage for more info...holynosaryedmonds.org>Faith Formation>Youth>High School confirmation

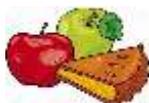
High School: YDisciple small groups are now forming! Contact Kelly for more info

Any questions? Contact Kelly...kellyg@holynosaryedmonds.org

St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank: Our wish list is for the following this week: flour, spaghetti sauce, assorted pasta, boxed mashed potatoes, canned pears, toothpaste, and liquid dish soap. *Thank you for your ongoing and generous support of our food bank, and have a great Labor Day Weekend!*



THE WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION is looking for apples, rhubarb, pears and blackberries for their delicious pies that are sold at the Holiday Fair. If you happen to have any extras and would be willing to share, please call Bonnie Strother at 425-582-8277. *Thank you in advance for your donation.*



We will be meeting this week on **Friday, September 7th, following the 8:30AM Mass.** We will be planning the coming year's projects, especially the Holiday Fair. All women of the parish are welcome to join us. We will meet in Rm. 206 in the Pastoral Center.

Senior Moments book group will meet on **Wednesday, September 5th** in the Pastoral Center, **Rm. 204** (note the new location) from 1-2PM. We welcome new members. Everyone reads a book of their choice and briefly shares about the book. It is a good way to learn about some good books. Everyone is welcome. Hope you'll come join us. *-Pat Holzmeyer*



GROTTO GARDENERS INVITED! Our wonderful Grotto Group is looking for new members. Do you love to garden/pray/socialize? We'd like to find a few special individuals to help keep this area a beautiful place to pray and reflect. Please contact Joy Baudart at baudart@comcast.net or 425-582-7017 for more information, and come join our work group. We'll have brief prayer before and after our work sessions. *Please join us!*



WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION HOLIDAY FAIR: Since the Parish Office will be closed on Monday, Labor Day, there will be no collection of donations for the Holiday Fair. Beginning **Friday, Sept. 7th**, we will be collecting donations on **Mondays and Fridays from 10AM—12PM.** If you have questions, please contact Barbara Vadset, 425-778-5095 or Joan Gerdon, 425-742-0113.

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

"What an amazing way to experience forgiveness and bring your heart closer to Christ. You leave the darkness and embrace the Light!"

-August retreat testimonial

Last weekend, several retreat participants experienced the loving embrace of God and a pathway to self-forgiveness. Join us for a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and discover the merciful embrace that is just for you.

October 26-27 (en Español)
November 9-11, (in English)

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

You are loved with an everlasting Love!

Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.



SAVE THE DATE!! Edmonds

Serra Club Fourth Annual Wine and Dine Event on Saturday, September 29th, 2018, 6PM in the Holy Rosary Pastoral Center. Our Edmonds Serra Club is finalizing plans for a delightful evening, to which YOU are invited. Invitations to all registered parishioners will be in the mail this week, and tickets will be on sale after all Masses on September 8/9 and 15/16. Please join us in supporting our Archdiocesan seminarians, priests and sisters.

A Safe Environment class will be offered at Holy Rosary on Thursday, **September 20th at 7PM**, in the Pastoral Center. To register, go to the Virtus website at www.virtusonline.org, click on First Time Registrant to set up an account and view the list of classes.

LATIN AMERICAN HISTORY CLASS, led by Millie Thompson, will resume on **Monday, September 10th**, at **1PM** in the Parish Office Conference Room. Fall sessions will explore histories of Haiti, the Dominican Republic and Cuba. All are welcome.



Dates to Note Week of Sept. 2nd

Sept. 4th—First Day of School - Noon Dismissal
Sept. 24th—10th Annual “Swing for the Kids” Golf Tournament at Everett Golf & Country Club.
 Register to play or become a sponsor at <http://school.hrsedmonds.org/fundraising/fund>.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

“Becoming an Ordinary Martyr” Young Adult Retreat, October 12-14, 2018

Led by Bishop Daniel Mueggenborg teaching on how to translate spiritual ideals into practical realities. Learn how to increase your ability to recognize and respond to the inspiration of the Holy Spirit speaking to you just as the Holy Spirit inspired Bl. Stanley Rother. This retreat will immerse you deeply into the life and faith of this “ordinary martyr” to inspire you in your own Christian discipleship. This is for young adults ages 18-30. Please visit the Palisades Retreat Center website for more information: <http://palisadesretreatcenter.org/retreat-details/?retreat=1345>.

Associated Catholic Cemeteries is hosting an open house at Holyrood, Calvary and Gethsemane Catholic cemeteries on **Sunday, September 16th** from 12 Noon to 4PM. Stop by to say hello to our staff, ask questions, walk the grounds, visit an ancestor, or just enjoy some refreshments.

UPCOMING DATES OF NOTE

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| Sept. 4th | First day of School (Noon dismissal) RICA begins |
| Sept. 16th | Blood Drive CYO Italian Dinner |
| 20th | Safe Environment Training Class |
| 23rd | Knights of Columbus Breakfast |
| 24th | Holy Rosary School Golf Tournament |
| 26th | Koinonia begins |
| 29th | Serra Club Wine & Dine Event |
| Nov. 17-18 | Women’s Assn. Holiday Fair |

Koinonia Please register for **Koinonia** on the Holy Rosary website, and join us on **Wednesdays, beginning September 26th!**

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 MONDAY-FRIDAY
 8:30 AM TO 4:30 PM.
 THE ANSWERING SERVICE WILL RELAY
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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 October 21, 2018 beginning with Mass at 11AM and ending by 2:30PM. Please call the Parish Office to register. Upcoming baptisms are on September 9th, October 14th, and November 11, 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.

ANONTING 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 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 Timothy Putnam, Director of Faith Formation & Evangelization.

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 or email becomingCatholic@holyrosaryedmonds.org.

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.