

The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul (Psalm 19)
Stained-glass window, West Nave Clerestory. Charles Connick, 1917-1919.

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL
Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 27, 2009

ORDER OF CELEBRATION FOR THE TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Out of respect for the prayer of others, PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE.

RITE OF RECEPTION INTO FULL COMMUNION (Sunday 5:30pm)

PRELUDE

"Grave - Adagio" from *Sonata No. 2 in C Minor* Mendelssohn
(8:00) "Andante" from *Trio Sonata No. 3 in D Minor, BWV 527* Bach

ENTRANCE

Praise to the Lord

LOBE DEN HERREN

1. Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the
2. Praise to the Lord, a - bove all things so
3. Praise to the Lord, who shall pros - per our
4. Praise to the Lord — O let all that is

king of cre - a - tion! O my soul,
might - i - ly reign - ing; Keep - ing us
work and de - fend us; Sure - ly his
in us a - dore him! All that has

praise him, for he is your health and sal - va - tion!
safe at his side, and so gent - ly sus - tain - ing.
good - ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at - tend
life and breath come now with prais - es be - fore us. him!

Come, all who hear: Broth - ers and sis - ters, draw
Have you not seen All you have need - ed has
Pon - der a - new What the Al - might - y can
Let the "A - men!" sound from his peo - ple a -

near, Praise him in glad ad - o - ra - - tion!
been Met by his gra - cious or - dain - ing?
do, Who with his love will be - friend us.
gain — Glad - ly with praise we a - dore him!

PENITENTIAL RITE

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1. & 3. Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

2. Chri - ste e - le - i - son.

DISMISSAL TO THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD (Noon)

GLORIA

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Sunday Evening No. 341

Missa de angelis

Vatican VIII

LITURGY OF THE WORD

READINGS No. 941

PSALM RESPONSE

Psalm 19

Proulx



ALLELUIA

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HOMILY

Father Michael G. Ryan

RITE OF RECEPTION INTO THE FULL COMMUNION OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH (Sunday 5:30pm)

PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATES

CREED No. 238

ACT OF RECEPTION

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

CREED No. 238

INTERCESSIONS

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LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

Offertory (10:00)

Psalm 119: *Beati quorum via*

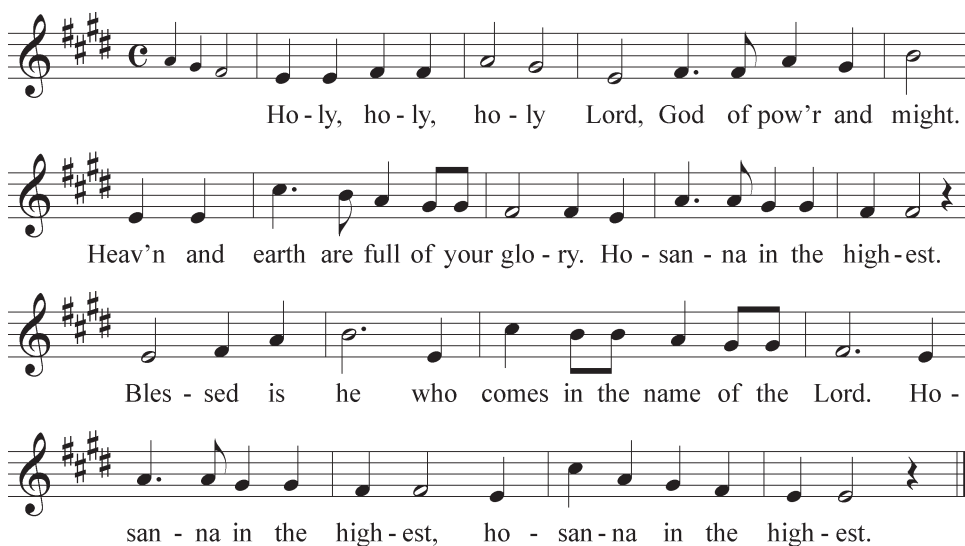
Stanford

Happy are they whose way is blameless,
who walk in the Law of the Lord.

SANCTUS

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Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might.
Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bles - sed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

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Christ has died, Christ is ri - sen, Christ will come a - gain.

AMEN

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A - men, A - men, A - men, A - - - men.

LORD'S PRAYER No. 246

AGNUS DEI

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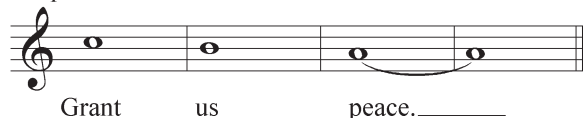
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Response 1, 2



Have mer - cy on us.

Response 3



Grant us peace. _____

COMMUNION

Be mindful of your word to your servant, O Lord,
in which you caused me to hope;
this has been my comfort in my affliction.

(10:00)

Ego sum panis vite

Roth

I am the Bread of Life, the Bread that came down from heaven;
whoever eats this bread will live for ever. John 6:48-51

When you return to your seat after the communion procession, please kneel or be seated.
This is the norm for large assemblies in the Archdiocese of Seattle
and we thank you for following our practice.



1. How sweet the name of Je - sus sounds To
2. It makes the wound - ed spir - it whole, And
3. Blest Name! the rock on which we build, Our
4. O Je - sus, Shep-herd, Guard - ian, Friend, Our



all be - liev - ing ears! It soothes our sor - rows,
 calms the trou - bled mind; His man - na for each
 shield and rest - ing place, Our nev - er - fail - ing
 Proph - et, Priest and King, Our Lord, our Life, our



heals our wounds, And drives a - way our fears.
 hun - gry soul, The lost and wear - y find.
 com - fort, filled With bless - ings of his grace.
 Way, our End, Ac - cept the praise we bring.

PROCESSION

(8:00) “Allegro maestoso” from *Sonata No. 2 in C Minor* Mendelssohn
 “Vivace” from *Trio Sonata No. 3 in D Minor*, BWV 527 Bach

St. James Cathedral - Seattle

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

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CELEBRATIONS of the SACRAMENTS

MASS

Sundays 8 - 10 - 12 & 5:30 pm
Weekdays 8:15 & 5:30 pm
Saturdays 8:15 & "Vigil" 5:30 pm

LITURGY of the HOURS Weekdays at 12:10 pm

VESPERS and BENEDICTION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

Sundays at 4:00 pm.

BAPTISM Communal celebrations are held monthly. A preparation program for parents and godparents is required. Please call the parish office for an appointment.

RECONCILIATION Saturdays, 4:00 - 5:00 pm. A communal celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated four times yearly in preparation for Christmas and Easter.

MARRIAGE A formal program of marriage preparation over a period of several months is required, however, registered parishioners may begin the scheduling process 14 months in advance.

ANointing of the SICK A communal celebration is held regularly. In other situations (anticipated surgery, emergency) please call the parish office.

ECUMENICAL PRAYER with music from Taizé, Fridays at 6:30 pm.

TOURS of the CATHEDRAL Groups of 6 or more may arrange a tour by calling Maria Laughlin, 206-382-4284

CATHEDRAL BOOKSTORE Open 11:00 am to 3:00 pm weekdays, after Masses on weekends. Call 206-382-4500 for information

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WELCOME! *If you are a visitor to the Cathedral, we want you to know how welcome you are – whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world, or simply from another parish here in the Archdiocese. Thanks, in part, to the generosity of visitors like you, we are able to celebrate the Church's liturgy here in a fitting and beautiful way. We are also able to offer a wide range of services to needy people living in the central district of our city.*

BUILD HOPE COLLECTION The Archbishop has asked us to raise \$12,000 for this important collection which will fund a major local media campaign in Lent, 2010. Thank you to all who have given so generously to this important cause. *A gift of \$35 from each of our regular contributors would allow us to meet our goal.*

CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION sessions begin this Sunday, September 27, 11:00 to 11:50 and will continue every Sunday thereafter. If you were not able to register your child, come to the second floor of Cathedral Place; you'll still have the opportunity to do so. *Information, Lita McBride, 206-654-4658; Theresa VanDeVen, 206-219-5822.*

ROSARY FOR LIFE Each Thursday in October, beginning this coming Thursday, October 1, the rosary will be prayed in the Cathedral at 6:00pm (shortly following the 5:30pm Mass). What better way to begin the month of October, Respect Life Month, than by praying the rosary together for a greater respect for all life, from conception to natural death? The rosary will be prayed each Thursday evening in October as we observe Respect Life Month.

FIRST FRIDAY On Friday, October 2, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will begin following the 8:15am Mass and continue until 1:00pm, with a Holy Hour for Life beginning at 12:00 Noon, with Liturgy of the Hours, Rosary, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Deacon David Olsen will preside. All are welcome.

JOURNEY THROUGH GRIEF Are you seeking comfort after the death of a loved one? Join others who have also experienced loss in a prayerful supportive environment. In a six-week guided group process we will journey through our grief and gently embrace our mourning so that ultimately we may find healing. *Information, John Simpson, Pastoral Care Minister, 206-274-3173 or jsimpson@stjames-cathedral.org.*

PARISH REMEMBRANCE *Throughout the year because we are the Cathedral Church, we remember in prayer at Mass and Vespers each of the parishes and missions of the Archdiocese of Seattle on a Sunday near their feast day. This week we remember in prayer the parishes of St. Matthew in Seattle, St. Gabriel in Port Orchard, St. Jerome in Ocean Shores, St. Therese in Seattle and St. Theresa in Federal Way.*

BAPTISM AND FIRST COMMUNION FOR CHILDREN

aged seven and older takes place through RCIA for children. If your child would like to be baptized, or has been baptized into another Christian Church and would like to be received into the Catholic Church, or baptized Catholic but not catechized, call for details about this process. Classes start today, Sunday, September 27—but it is not too late to sign up!

Information and registration TerryAnn Bowen 206-382-2018 or tbowen@stjames-cathedral.org.

CATHOLIC 101: THE TEN COMMANDMENTS: LIVING A MORAL CHRISTIAN LIFE

Join us on Tuesday, September 29, 1:00-3:00 or 7:00-9:00, Cathedral Place, second floor for an ongoing look at the newly published US Catechism for Adults. Helen Oesterle reviews the foundations of our Catholic faith from our American Catholic experience and facilitates lively conversations among the participants. *Information*, Helen Oesterle, 206-382-4514 hoesterle@stjames-cathedral.org (Next Class: *The Tenth Commandment: Embrace Poverty of Spirit*)

ADVOCACY TRAINING During the year over 24,000 people experience homelessness in King County, many of whom are families with children. On Saturday, October 10 from 10:00am-Noon in Cathedral Hall, the St. James Housing Advocacy Committee will co-host a training program to make advocacy for the homeless politically effective, simple, and yes, even fun! This free program will be conducted by Nancy Amidei, a national expert in advocacy training who is renowned for her knowledge and the joy she brings to this important learning event. *Information*, Jennifer Ibach, 206-654-4640 or jibach@stjames-cathedral.org.

MARRIED COUPLES ENRICHMENT GROUP Join us on Sunday, October 11 following the 12:00 Noon Mass for the first gathering of St. James' Married Couples Enrichment Group. It will be an opportunity for couples to share ideas for what a marriage fellowship group might look like at St. James Cathedral. The gathering will take place on the second floor of Cathedral Place from 1:30-3:00 pm. Refreshments and babysitting provided. *Information* Helen Oesterle, 206-382-4514; hoesterle@stjames-cathedral.org

SACRED MUSIC OF THE EARLY BAROQUE in the Cathedral Chapel, Sunday, October 11, 2:30pm. The singers and instrumentalists of Cathedral Resident Ensemble, Seattle Academy of Opera, present an hour-long program of masterpieces from the 17th century with Cathedral Resident Artists, Stephen Stubbs, lute; Maxine Eilander, baroque harp; Margriet Tindemans, viola da gamba; and Cathedral Organist, Joseph Adam. The Chapel concert includes the sublime soprano duet "Pulchra es" from Monteverdi's 1610 Vespers and the modern debut of the expressive trio, Anima Peccatrice by Marco Marazzoli, composer to the Barberini Popes. Suggested donation: \$10, students and seniors pay as able. *Information* www.seattleacademyofopera.org.

Sacred Steps

Sacramental Celebrations at St. James

rites of acceptance and welcoming

Last weekend we celebrated the Rites of Acceptance/Welcoming for those in our RCIA process who are ready to take the next step towards becoming full members of our Catholic Christian Church. We welcome Kristine Hartley, Randall Payne, Christopher Power, Frank Williamson and Gary Wingert, who are preparing for baptism and enter the order of catechumens; and our candidates: Dusti Banazzio, Cheryl Bryant, Sam Carpenter, Nick Fullwiler, Sally Kim, Justin Mack, Ngoc-Huong Nguyen, Karyn Payne, April Quaid, Dona Seely, and Mariko Trias who are already baptized and are preparing for Full Communion with us.

Many of them will now participate in the ancient tradition of being dismissed after the homily at the 10:00am Mass. Please continue to pray for our catechumens and candidates.

YOUNG ADULTS (21-40) "FIRST-THURSDAY" SOCIAL ON OCTOBER 1

Return to the taste of a unique neighborhood within a neighborhood nestled at the top of Capitol Hill. It was such a hit at our earlier visit we have chosen to return to the scene of the delight. For our October 1 First Thursday dinner out we will gather at 7:00pm at Liberty Bar, 517 15th Ave. E. for some delicious food and "artisan" beverages as we enjoy our usual comfortable conviviality. *Information* youngadults@stjames-cathedral.org or TerryAnn Bowen 206-382-2018.

FIRST NATIONS HOUSE, a residence for persons in recovery, co-sponsored by St. James Cathedral and Catholic Community Services, is expanding its program, and seeks donations of some pieces of furniture—four twin-sized beds, twin-sized bedding, and three dressers. *Information*, Monte Twin, 206-550-2812 or e-mail montetwin@yahoo.com.

THE YOUTH MUSIC PROGRAM has several openings for singers age 6-18. This outstanding program teaches children how to sing, and offers them the special opportunity of participating in Cathedral liturgies and special music events. Rehearsals are once a week at the Cathedral, and each choir sings approximately once a month at a 12:00 Noon Mass. Cathedral Parishioners and those who attend the Rainbow Schools may participate on a full-scholarship. *Information* 206-382-4874, or musicoffice@stjames-cathedral.org

A Consistent Ethic of Life

OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH | No. 1 of 5

September 27, 2009

October is Respect Life Month! Each week during the coming month, a page in the bulletin will explore different aspects of Church teaching on a wide range of life issues: abortion, war, the death penalty, and euthanasia. This week, we look at the roots of the Church's teaching about the consistent ethic of life.

What does the Church say about the consistent ethic of life?

Whatever is opposed to life itself, such as any type of murder, genocide, abortion, euthanasia or willful self-destruction, whatever violates the integrity of the human person, such as mutilation, torments inflicted on body or mind, attempts to coerce the will itself; whatever insults human dignity, such as subhuman living conditions, arbitrary imprisonment, deportation, slavery, prostitution, the selling of women and children; as well as disgraceful working conditions, where men are treated as mere tools for profit, rather than as free and responsible persons; all these things and others of their like are infamies indeed. They poison human society, but they do more harm to those who practice them than those who suffer from the injury. Moreover, they are supreme dishonor to the Creator.

Gaudium et Spes 27 | The Pastoral Constitution on the Church in the Modern World of the Second Vatican Council

Reflection

I am convinced that the pro-life position of the Church must be developed in terms of a comprehensive and consistent ethic of life.... The substance of a Catholic position on a consistent ethic of life is rooted in a religious vision. But the citizenry of the United States is radically pluralistic in moral and religious conviction. So we face the challenge of stating our case, which is shaped in terms of our faith and our religious convictions, in non-religious terms which others of different faith convictions might find morally persuasive.... We should maintain and clearly articulate our religious convictions but also maintain our civil courtesy. We should be vigorous in stating a case and attentive in hearing another's case; we should test everyone's logic but not his or her motives.

Joseph Cardinal Bernardin, *A Consistent Ethic of Life: An American Catholic Dialogue*, 1983



MARY, MOTHER OF THE LIVING, PRAY FOR US!

The Seattle Madonna, Hans Gottfried von Stockhausen, 1994
St. James Cathedral Sacristy

Talking Points

Talking points are intended to promote discussion of contemporary issues with friends, neighbors, and fellow workers.

When you hear someone accuse the Catholic Church that it only opposes abortion, you might say something like: "The Church is especially concerned about abortion as well as euthanasia because many in our society claim they have a legal right to end life before birth and when someone is thought to be terminally ill. Life is the source of all other inalienable rights of individuals. We believe that all life is sacred because it is a gift from God. Based on this principle, the Catholic Church also opposes the death penalty, the destruction of the environment, and any act of war directly aimed at innocents."

When you hear someone dismiss people who are suffering from poverty, you might say something like: "I think every human being has an inherent dignity and we should support changes in our society so that no person has to suffer from hunger or lack of sufficient housing. Like the Declaration of Independence said, we have certain inalienable rights. Every person has a fundamental right to life — the right that makes all other rights possible."

*from Living Faith, published by
the Archdiocese of Seattle, 2007*



Praying at Home

October 2009

St. Thérèse On Prayer

How great is the power of prayer! To be heard it is not necessary to read from a book some beautiful formula composed for the occasion. If this were the case, alas, I would have to be pitied! I do not have the courage to force myself to search out beautiful prayers in books. There are so many of them it really gives me a headache! and each prayer is more beautiful than the others. Not knowing which to choose, I do like children who do not know how to read, I say very simply to God what I wish to say, without composing beautiful sentences, and he always understands me.

The feast of St. Thérèse of Lisieux, the Little Flower, is October 1

A Morning Thanksgiving for the Gift of Life

My God, I thank you for my life, body, and soul;
help me realize that I am something new,
someone who never existed before,
someone original and unique in the world.
For if there had ever been someone like me,
there would have been no need for me to exist.

Martin Buber

Grace before Meals

May our home be made holy,
O God, by your light.
May the light of love and truth shine
upon us all as a blessing from you.
May our table and our family
be consecrated by your divine presence
at this meal and at all our family meals.
Amen.

From Prayers for the Domestic Church by Edward Hays

Blessing of a Pet on the Feast of St. Francis (October 4)

As all present place their hands on their animals in blessing, the leader prays:

Hear our humble prayer, O God,
for our friends the animals, your creatures.
We pray for [name your pet or pets],
and for all animals.
We pray especially for animals that are suffering in any way,
the overworked and underfed,
the hunted, lost, or hungry.
May all who care for animals
be blessed with compassionate hearts,
gentle hands, and kindly words.
Make us true friends to animals,
and worthy followers of our merciful Savior,
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Adapted from Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers

Holy Father's Intentions for October

Each month, the Holy Father asks us to pray with him by remembering his intentions in our prayer. These are Pope Benedict XVI's special intentions for the month of October.

GENERAL INTENTION: That Sunday may be lived as the day when Christians gather to celebrate the resurrection of the Lord by participating in the Eucharist.

MISSION INTENTION: That the entire People of God, to whom Christ entrusted the mandate to go and preach the Gospel to every creature, may eagerly assume their own missionary responsibility and consider it the highest service they can offer humanity.

A Prayer for Respect Life Month

Pope John Paul II's prayer to Mary, Mother of the Living

O Mary,
bright dawn of the new world,
Mother of the living,
to you do we entrust the cause of life
Look down, O Mother,
upon the vast numbers of babies not allowed to be born,
of the poor whose lives are made difficult,
of men and women who are victims of brutal violence,
of the elderly and the sick killed
by indifference or out of misguided mercy.
Grant that all who believe in your Son
may proclaim the Gospel of life
with honesty and love to the people of our time.
Obtain for them the grace
to accept that Gospel as a gift ever new,
the joy of celebrating it with gratitude
throughout their lives
and the courage to bear witness to it
resolutely, in order to build,
together with all people of good will,
the civilization of truth and love,
to the praise and glory of God,
the Creator and lover of life.

John Paul II, Evangelium Vitae

An Ancient Prayer to Mary from Ethiopia

O Mary, vastness of the heavens,
foundation of the earth,
depth of the oceans, light of the sun,
beauty of the moon, splendor of the stars,
your womb contained God
whose majesty makes man tremble.
Your arms cradled the burning coal.
You held on your lap the lion whose majesty is awesome.
Your hands touched him who is untouchable
and the divine fire within him.
our most high God. Amen.

The St. James Housing Advocacy Committee presents

Advocacy Training



Father Ryan and members of the St. James Housing Advocacy Committee with State Senator Ed Murray at Ozanam House.

Learn effective political strategies all citizens can use with their local government and faith communities.

During the year over 24,000 people experience homelessness in King County; many of whom are families with children. One of the most effective means to resolving this issue is accessible and affordable housing. Developing the political will to support this solution is a primary goal of the St. James Housing Advocacy Committee.

Please join us, along with FAITH (Faithful Action in Transforming Homelessness) and SKCCH (Seattle King County Coalition for the Homeless) for a free and exceptional training program. Led by Nancy Amidei, a national expert in advocacy training, renowned for her joyful teaching, the training makes advocacy for the homeless both a personal and practical political skill. We will also learn about the City and County budgets this fall and how they will impact housing for those with very low incomes.

**Saturday, October 10 from 10am-Noon
Cathedral Hall**

Please pre-register at www.faihtadvocacy.org.

Information, Jennifer Ibach 206-654-4640 or jibach@stjames-cathedral.org