



*Christ is the light of the nations*

*Icon of the Presentation of the Lord in the Temple. Joan Brand-Landkamer, Cathedral Iconographer.*

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL  
*The Presentation of the Lord*

February 2, 2014

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Dear Friends,

I am happy to be able to share with you the wonderful news that at the beginning of February, a new pipe organ will be installed along the east wall of the Cathedral chapel. The organ is a gift to the Cathedral from Carol Robl and the Robl family, and it was built by Frank Robl, Carol's wonderful husband, a devoted parishioner of this Cathedral for many years, who died last year at this time.

Frank was an extraordinary man. He had amazing human gifts – the disciplined, analytical mind of a skilled engineer and the artistic tastes of a Renaissance man. His interests were endless and encyclopedic. There were few things Frank couldn't do, few things he couldn't figure out. He not only learned to play the organ, he figured out how to build one!

The organ we will be receiving was in Frank and Carol's home for many years but I find it altogether fitting that it will now find a home in St. James Cathedral. It will be but one more of Frank's 'fingerprints' in this place – along with the handsome wooden signboards at each of the entrances of the Cathedral, the beautiful replica of a medieval chant stand on which we place an icon each Sunday at the beginning of Mass, and the processional crucifix that we use every year during Advent and Lent.

I am grateful beyond words to Carol and each of the Robl children: Frank, Jr., Chris, and Andrea, for making it possible for yet one more of Frank's works of art to find a home in St. James Cathedral. I know you will join me in praying for them and for their family.

  
Father Ryan

P.S. There will be a dedicatory recital at some point in the future.

# ORDER OF CELEBRATION FOR *The Presentation of the Lord*

Joy always endures, even as a flicker of light born  
of our personal certainty that, when everything is  
said and done, we are infinitely loved.  
Pope Francis, *Evangelii Gaudium*

## FIRST SUNDAY YOUTH CELEBRATION (Noon)

### PRELUDE

(8:00)

*Prelude & Fugue in B Major*  
Saint-Saëns  
*All glory be to God on high*  
Bach

## THE LITURGY OF LIGHT

### ANTIPHON FOR THE LIGHTING OF CANDLES

*Bohemian Brethren, 1566*  
adapt. St. James Cathedral



As the light comes to you, please light your taper. Hold lit candles upright.

### GREETING AND INTRODUCTION

### BLESSING OF THE CANDLES

### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON



### GLORIA

LAUDA ANIMA

*Choral Fanfare* (10:00)

Diemer

**Glory be to God in heaven,  
Songs of joy and peace we bring;  
Thankful hearts and voices raising,  
To creation's Lord we sing:  
Lord, we thank you, Lord, we bless you,  
Glory be to God our king.**

**Lamb of God who on your shoulders  
Bore the load of this world's sin;  
Only Son of God the Father,  
You have brought us peace within:  
Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy,  
Now your glorious reign begin.**

**You, O Son of God, are holy,  
You we praise with one accord;  
None in heav'n or earth is like you,  
Only you are Christ the Lord,  
With the Father, and the Spirit,  
Ever worshiped and adored.**

*(Text by Edwin LeGrice)*

### COLLECT

Please extinguish candles following this prayer.

# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Malachi 3:1-4

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 24  
Proulx



SECOND READING

Hebrews 2:14-18

ALLELUIA

chant



GOSPEL

Luke 2:22-40

HOMILY

Father Michael G. Ryan

DISMISSAL OF THE CATECHUMENS AND CANDIDATES (10:00am)

PROFESSION OF FAITH

**I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.**

**I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the Only Begotten Son of God,  
born of the Father before all ages.  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
consubstantial with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us men and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,**

*[ALL BOW]*

**and by the Holy Spirit  
was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,  
and became man.**

*[ALL STAND UPRIGHT]*

**For our sake he was crucified  
under Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried,  
and rose again on the third day  
in accordance with the Scriptures.  
He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son  
is adored and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.**

**I believe in one, holy,  
catholic and apostolic Church.  
I confess one Baptism  
for the forgiveness of sins  
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Berthier, adapt.



# THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

## PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS


*Adorna thalamum tuum, Sion*

Deck your bridal chamber, O Zion, and receive Christ the King.  
Embrace Mary, the gateway to heaven,  
for she bears the King of Glory and of new light.

## SANCTUS

*Compostela Mass*

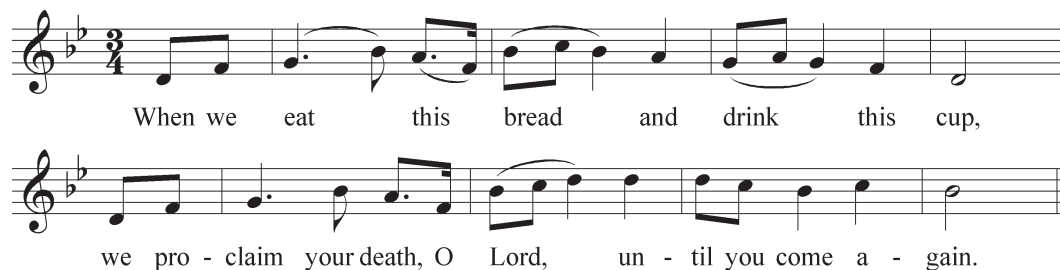
Holst, adapt. Ryan



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of Hosts,  
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - - - ry.  
Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Blest is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - - - est.

## MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Holst, adapt. Ryan



When we eat this bread and drink this cup,  
we pro - claim your death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

## AMEN

Holst, adapt. Ryan



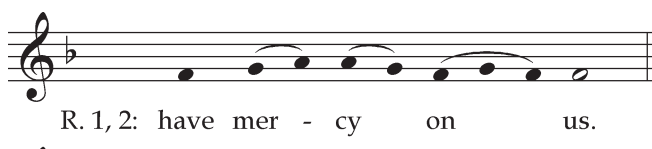
A - men, a - men, a - - - men.

## THE COMMUNION RITE


### LORD'S PRAYER

### AGNUS DEI

chant, *Missa de Angelis*



R. 1, 2: have mer - cy on us.



R. 3: give us your peace.

## COMMUNION

Simeon had received a revelation from the Holy Spirit,  
that he would not see death before he had seen the Lord's Messiah.

chant

(10:00)

“And then shall your light” from *Elijah*

And then shall your light break forth as the light of morning breaketh,  
and your health shall speedily spring forth then;

And the glory of the Lord ever shall reward you.

Lord our Creator, how excellent Thy Name is in all the nations!

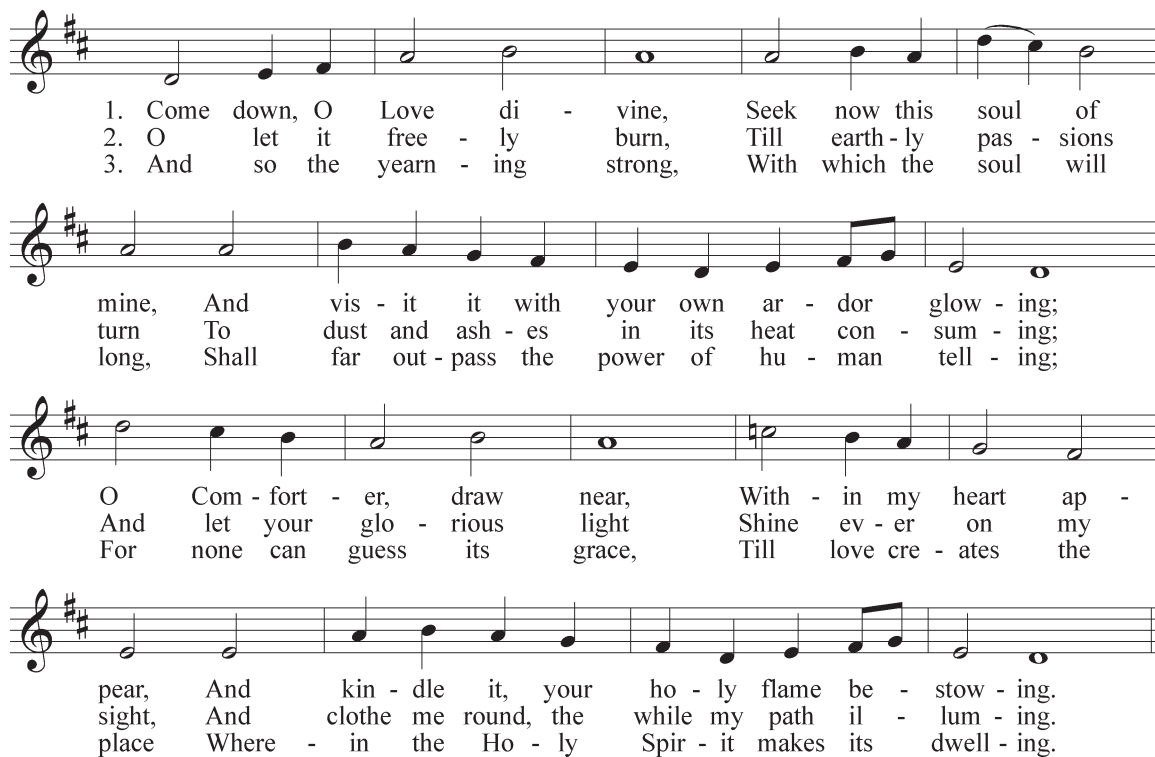
Upon returning to your place after Holy Communion, please **kneel or be seated**.

*Low-gluten hosts are distributed at the credence table near the presider's chair.*

## HYMN OF PRAISE

*Come down, O love divine*

DOWN AMPNEY



1. Come down, O Love di - vine, Seek now this soul of  
2. O let it free - ly burn, Till earth - ly pas - sions  
3. And so the yearn - ing strong, With which the soul will

mine, And vis - it it with your own ar - dor glow - ing;  
turn, To dust and ash - es in its heat con - sum - ing;  
long, Shall far out - pass the power of hu - man tell - ing;

O Com - fort - er, draw near, With - in my heart ap -  
And let your glo - rious light Shine ev - er on my  
For none can guess its grace, Till love cre - ates the

pear, And kin - dle it, your ho - ly flame be - stow - ing.  
sight, And clothe me round, the while my path il - lum - ing.  
place Where - in the Ho - ly Spir - it makes its dwell - ing.

## THE CONCLUDING RITES

### BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

Ushers will collect taper candles following Mass.

### PROCESSION

(8:00)

“Final” from *Symphony No. 4*

Vierne

*Toccata in D Minor (Dorian)*

Bach

# St. James Cathedral - Seattle

## ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

The Most Reverend J. Peter Sartain, Archbishop of Seattle

### PASTOR

The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan

### IN RESIDENCE

The Reverend David A. Brant, The Reverend Richard J. Ward

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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.

**"TAIZÉ" ECUMENICAL PRAYER**, Fridays at 6:30 pm.

**TOURS of the CATHEDRAL** Wednesdays at 1:00 pm. Groups of 4 or more may arrange a tour by calling Corinna Laughlin, 206-622-3559

**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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Emergency Number: 206-467-3049

Office Hours: Monday through Friday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

**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.*

**FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR** are offered in loving memory of Mary Marcelline Vo, on the first anniversary of her death.

### CELEBRATING OUR CATHOLIC "RAINBOW" SCHOOLS

On Sunday, February 2, we will celebrate Catholic Schools, and in a particular way the Cathedral kids who attend one of the five Rainbow Schools. Our parish is a contributing member of the Rainbow Schools Coalition whereby children from our parish can attend at "parishioner" tuition rates. Approximately 50 Cathedral children are enrolled in one of these terrific schools. On February 2, representatives of St. Edward, St. George, St. Paul, St. Joseph and St. Therese Catholic Schools will be available following the 10:00am and Noon Masses during hospitality. Please note: Children attending any Catholic school are encouraged to come to Mass in their uniforms! *Information*, Theresa Van de Ven, 206-219-5822.

**FREE CREATIVE ARTS WORKSHOP** Gallagher Center, every other Saturday, from 10am–12 Noon. Our next session is February 8. Gilda will guide you in creating artwork and crafts including water colors, pencil drawing, collage, beading, sculpting, seasonal decorations and more! *Information*, Nancy Granger, 206-382-4269, [ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org).

**CONFIRMATION CLASSES BEGIN SOON!** If you are interested in pursuing Confirmation this year, please contact Brenda Bellamy now. Confirmation classes begin on Thursday, February 13. Confirmation is open to all persons who have been Baptized and received First Communion, and who are age 16 or older. *Information*, Brenda Bellamy, [bbellamy@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:bbellamy@stjames-cathedral.org), or 206 274 3108.

**WRITERS GROUP** If you are interested in "telling your story" and would like the guidance of a professional educator and published author to help develop your writing skills, we will be holding an informative meeting to learn more. Call or e-mail for details! *Information*, Nancy Granger, 206-382-4269, [ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:ngranger@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. Thomas Aquinas in Camas and St. John Bosco in Tacoma.*

**THE CATHEDRAL ESPRESSO CART** is open! Please come by after the 10:00 and Noon Masses. All proceeds for the month of February benefit the Cathedral Music Program.

**BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!** Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) Workshop, Saturday, February 22, 8:30am–4:30pm. This is an informational program to help individuals understand and respond to signs of mental illness and substance use disorders. Learn a simple 5 Step Action Plan to help an individual in crisis. Comments from an attendee of recent MHFA training: “I found it very informative and helpful. I found the tools very specific, how to approach a disturbed person and when X happens, do Y. That is very helpful to persons who aren’t trained in how to handle individuals with mental health problems.” Scholarships to cover \$100 cost available for King County residents through NAMI. *Information*, Nancy Granger, 206-382-4269, [ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org).

**TOILETRY DONATIONS** We are collecting donations of toiletries for our Winter Shelter and for the Solanus Casey Center. Please bring in donations of cough drops, lip balm, razors, combs, individual tissue packets, large cans of spray deodorant or small individual deodorant sticks, and colored washcloths. We cannot accept used items. Please drop off donations at Coffee Hour after masses or at the parish office Monday through Friday 9:00am-5:00pm.

**FIRST FRIDAY EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AND HOLY HOUR** On Friday, February 7, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will begin immediately following the 8:15am Mass and continue until 1:00pm. Holy Hour, including readings, reflections, hymns, and rosary, will begin at 12 Noon. You are invited to join in all or part of this prayer in the presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.

**YOUNG ADULTS “FIRST FRIDAYS”** On the first Friday of every month join St. James Young Adults at Taizé. Following Taizé we go out for dinner on Capitol Hill. It is a great way to unwind from the work week and to meet other Catholics in their 20’s and 30’s. Join us in February on Friday the 7. *Information*, Caitlin Lanigan, [clanigan@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:clanigan@stjames-cathedral.org).

**GREAT MUSIC FOR GREAT CATHEDRALS** returns on February 28 and March 1, 8:00 pm. Nine Cathedral choirs, and 16-member Cathedral brass are conducted by James Savage, Cathedral Director of Music; along with seven pipe organs, six synthesizers, and one grand piano! Movement, poetry, stunning artistic creations, and evocative lighting of St. James’ grand interior by lighting designer Linet Henry, combine to highlight and bring to life Cathedral music from the 12th to the 21st centuries. Suggested donation \$30, students and seniors pay as able. Get your Reserved Passes now by calling 206-382-4874 or use your credit card at [www.stjames-cathedral.org/music](http://www.stjames-cathedral.org/music).

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH NIGHTS** There will be NO Youth Night this week, February 2, to allow for Super Bowl enjoyment. Go Hawks!!! Youth Nights will resume on Sunday, February 9 at 6:30pm with a continued grief process for our youth struggling with loss.

**JUNIOR HIGH SOJOURN** Due to conflicting schedules, the Sojourn program is switching to a MONTHLY gathering on the THIRD SUNDAY of each month in the Pastoral Outreach Center from 6:30 – 8:30pm. The next Sojourn will occur on Sunday, February 16. The gatherings on February 5 and 19 have been canceled.

**INNER TUBING AT SNOQUALMIE** Calling all high school students (Grades 9-12) who’d like to hit the slopes and inner tube the day away. (Weather permitting) Join us on Monday, February 17 (President’s Day). Permission forms are available in the Youth Ministry office.

**SU BASKETBALL GAME** St. James will be participating in “Catholic Community at the Key” in support of Seattle University’s D1 basketball team, the Redhawks! Please join us on Thursday, February 20 at 6:00pm. All middle and high school students (Grades 7-12) are invited.

**QUESTIONS?** Joe Cotton, 206-264-2082  
[jcotton@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:jcotton@stjames-cathedral.org)  
[www.stjames-cathedral.org/youthministry](http://www.stjames-cathedral.org/youthministry)

**STOP HUMAN TRAFFICKING** The USCCB's anti-trafficking program encourages Catholics to pray, learn more, and help combat modern day slavery. Participate in the upcoming February 8 Day of Prayer for Survivors and Victims of Human Trafficking on the feast day of St. Josephine Bakhita, who was kidnapped as a child and sold into slavery. "On that day, we will lift our voices loudly in prayer, hope, and love for trafficking victims and survivors" said Bishop Eusebio Elizondo, M.Sp.S., chairman of the Committee. Catholics are invited to pray for the emotional, physical, and spiritual healing of those that have been trafficked, and make a personal commitment to work against human trafficking. *Information*, [www.stjames-cathedral.org/immigration](http://www.stjames-cathedral.org/immigration).

**GRIEF & LOSS SUPPORT GROUP** Wednesdays 10:30-12:00. Join pastoral counselor and psychotherapist, John Baumann, M.Div., LMHCA as he guides the group in journeying through the complexities of losing a loved one; in the Fireside Room in the Pastoral Outreach Center. A freewill donation of \$15 is suggested; however, attendance is strongly encouraged regardless of ability to pay. *Information*, Nancy Granger, RN 206-382-4269 or [ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org).

# Theology

## ON TAP:

### *"Called to Love"*

**Sister Cathy Beckley, SNJM**

**February 6th**

Sister Cathy has a heart for the poor and a gift of connecting with young adults on their spiritual journey. Come listen to Sister Cathy as she explores how God does not just call us to love our neighbor, but also to love ourselves.

**Joe Cotton**

**February 13th**

Joe Cotton has lived his life with a heart open to the needs of others by serving as a social worker for at-risk youth and an international volunteer for orphaned children in Nicaragua. Joe is currently the youth minister at St. James Cathedral and will talk about God's call for us to love others.

**Fr. John Whitney, SJ**

**February 20th**

The Pastor of St. Joseph Parish, Fr. John sees his current role as supporting a sacramental community while building bridges towards other cultures and communities. He will share with us about our call to love God.

**6:30 Mass at Christ Our Hope**

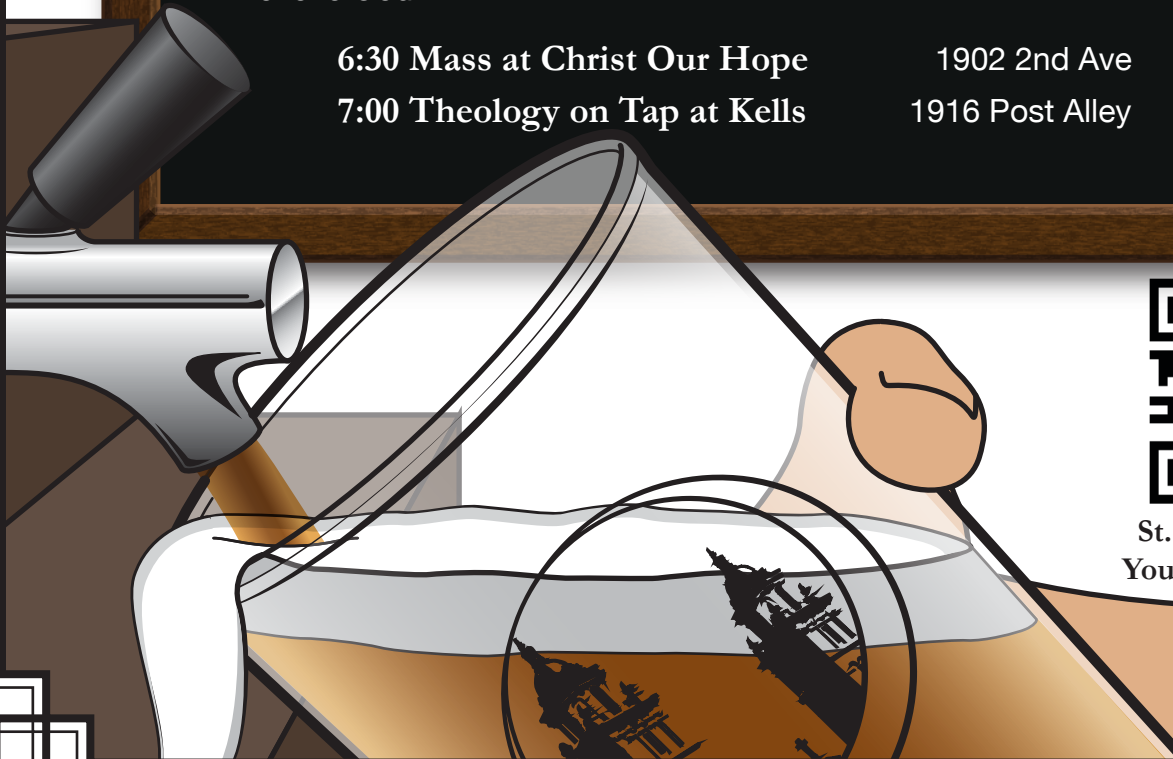
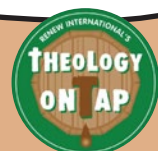
**1902 2nd Ave**

**7:00 Theology on Tap at Kells**

**1916 Post Alley**



St. James Cathedral  
Young Adult Ministry



# Confirmation

## *IS IT FOR ME?*

- ✓ I will be 16 years old or older by May 2014
- ✓ I have been Baptized and have received First Communion
- ✓ I attend Mass regularly and am actively involved in ongoing Faith Formation\*
- ✓ I want to explore the invitation to receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit in order to become a lifelong disciple of Jesus and a faithful member of the Church



## *CLASSES BEGIN FEBRUARY 13*

For more information:

Brenda Bellamy, *Faith Formation Assistant*

[bbellamy@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:bbellamy@stjames-cathedral.org), (206) 274-3108

The Rite of Confirmation will be celebrated Thursday, May 29, 2014, at 7:00pm. Weekly classes in preparation for this Sacrament are held on Thursday evenings beginning February 13 and continue through May.

*\* Ongoing Faith Formation can include, but is not limited to, involvement in Children's Faith Formation, Senior High Youth Ministry, Catholic Schools, Young Adult Ministry, Welcome Back and Marriage Preparation*



# The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

**A communal celebration of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will take place at St. James Cathedral on Saturday, February 15, at a special 10:30am Mass.** Father Ryan will preside. All are welcome to attend the Mass. If you have questions, contact John Simpson, Pastoral Care Minister, at 206-274-3173, or e-mail [jsimpson@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:jsimpson@stjames-cathedral.org).

## **What is the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick?**

The sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is one of the seven sacraments of the Catholic Church. Like the sacrament of reconciliation (confession), it is a sacrament of healing. Our understanding of this sacrament has changed with time. In the early Church it was seen as a sacrament of healing, but later it came to be known as “Extreme Unction” – literally, “last anointing” – and was not administered until death was imminent. With the reforms of the Second Vatican Council, the Church has returned to the more ancient practice with regard to this sacrament.

## **Who can receive this sacrament?**

Catholics, both children and adults, who are *seriously ill, facing surgery, or experiencing the weakness that comes with old age* should seek this sacrament.

## **What happens during the Rite of Anointing?**

The Rite of Anointing will be celebrated in the context of a special Mass on Saturday, February 15, at 10:30am.

After the homily, the Liturgy of Anointing begins. The priest leads a litany in which all pray for the healing and forgiveness of the sick person, as well as for doctors, nurses, and caregivers. Then, in silence, the priest lays his hands on the head of the sick person, an ancient gesture of prayer that is used in connection with many of the sacraments, especially the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Holy Orders. After the laying on of hands, each sick person is anointed with the Oil of the Sick (pure olive oil, blessed each year by the Archbishop at the Chrism Mass). The sick person is anointed on the forehead and then on the hands, and simple words accompany the anointing: “Through this holy anointing may the Lord in his love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit. May the Lord who frees you from sin save you and raise you up.” A concluding prayer follows, and if the sacrament takes place in the context of the Mass, the Liturgy of the Eucharist continues as usual.

# Wills & Estate Planning Seminar

St. James Cathedral, Pastoral Outreach Center

Wednesday, February 19 at 3:00pm & 7:00pm

**Did you know that an estimated 65% of Americans do not have a will?** Many think that only wealthy people need an estate plan. But this simply isn't true! Even those with no dependents need an estate plan if they have any property and want to decide who receives it. A will can cut delays and probate costs, waive expenses, and help reduce taxes.

The Cathedral parish will provide a free seminar on Wills and Estate Planning on **Wednesday, February 19** from 3:00pm until 4:30pm, and again from 7:00pm until 8:30pm. **Celeste McDonell**, Cathedral parishioner and estate planning attorney, and the **Planned Giving Office** of the Archdiocese of Seattle will offer their broad knowledge and expertise. You'll have a chance to ask questions and get good advice on what to do next. The whole session is short, simple, and to the point! You'll also receive useful materials to take home and study.

**All are welcome.** This session will benefit people of *all ages* and is offered with no strings attached. Please sign up by detaching the form below and dropping it in the offering basket or returning it to the parish office. Or simply RSVP to Maria Laughlin, Director of Stewardship and Development, 206-382-4284.

**This is a FREE, no-strings-attached presentation which includes**

- Assurance that "putting your affairs in order" is easier than you may think
- Information on how to prepare your will
- Information on distributing your estate
- Information on guardianship issues
- Estate gifting techniques and more information on tax advantages
- Methods of increasing your retirement income
- An attorney available to answer your questions

## RSVP Wills & Estate Planning Seminar

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

I AM INTERESTED IN ATTENDING THE SEMINAR ON... (PLEASE CHECK ONE)

☐ **Wednesday AFTERNOON, February 19, 3:00pm-4:30pm, Pastoral Outreach Center**

☐ **Wednesday EVENING, February 19, 7:00pm-8:30pm, Pastoral Outreach Center**

*Please drop this form in the offering basket or mail to:*

Maria Laughlin, St. James Cathedral, 804 Ninth Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98104  
*You may also e-mail [mlaughterlin@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:mlaughterlin@stjames-cathedral.org) or call 206-382-4284*

# Parish-wide Volunteer Opportunities

## *Great Music for Great Cathedrals* (February 28 & March 1)

### January and February, 2014

*Thanks to the many generous parishioners who have stepped forward to volunteer for Great Music!*

**But...**

## WE STILL NEED MORE STAGE CREW, OFFICE VOLUNTEERS AND USHERS!

For over two **Great** decades, **Great** Music has provided a **Great** way to get to know other **Great** parishioners! Volunteer an hour, a morning, a day, a week or a whole bunch of time. **Great** Music couldn't happen if it wasn't for hundreds of **Great** volunteers who generously give their time. Every year we look forward to new **Great** volunteers joining our ranks, learning, having fun, and enjoying the fellowship of a dedicated group of parishioners and community folk. **Great** Music requires that we have a lot of **Great** volunteers doing a lot of different things.



**STAGE CREW** - Must be able to attend all rehearsals and performances - Tuesday, February 25 through Saturday, March 1, after work until 10:30 pm. Stage Crew members get to be part of the show, by moving sets and props around in between and during the performances. This is a job for adults and older teens, and requires light to moderate lifting. We need four to five more folks to help us fill this crew. Dinner provided each night!

Also **STAGE CREW SUPPORT** - Similar to above, but for folks who are unable to commit to all performances and rehearsals. Dinner provided, as well!

**OFFICE** - Beginning February 1, we need volunteers in the Music Office, weekdays 10-4. Give information over the phone, take messages, and help us sell Reserved Passes for the concert. We need help during the entire week of February 3-7, and February 13 & 25 from 1-4, and February 17 from 10-1.



**USHERING** - Be the face of hospitality as people arrive and are seated for the concerts. You will also assist in selling passes at the door, and directing people within and around the Cathedral building. We could use 3-4 more ushers for both Friday (February 28) and Saturday (March 1).

*For more information call the Music Office at 206-382-4874  
or email [musicoffice@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:musicoffice@stjames-cathedral.org)*



# Cathedral Blood Drive

**Tuesday, March 4, 2014**  
**Pastoral Outreach Center**

**12:30pm to 6:30pm (closed 2:30pm-3:15pm)**

## *A Unique Gift*

What could be a more personal, caring and meaningful gift than the gift of blood to someone in our community who has the need? The urgent and ongoing need for blood donors invites us to consider yet another aspect of stewardship, that is, the gift of ourselves in a way that is fundamental and essential to life itself.

## *Who needs blood?*

It is very likely that someone you know at St. James has had a need for blood. People who need blood include those who have been in accidents or require surgery or chemotherapy. In our community, that blood would have come from donors to the Puget Sound Blood Center, including St. James blood drive donors. To meet the needs in our community, over 900 people must donate blood through the Puget Sound Blood Center every weekday.

## *St. James & the Puget Sound Blood Center*

St. James has been sponsoring Lenten and Fall blood drives since 2006. The Puget Sound Blood Center is always enthusiastic about our partnership in this effort, but most especially about the number of new donors at our blood drives. **We ask those who have not yet donated to consider donating for the first time. We ask those who have generously donated in the past to please consider doing so again.**

**Sign up at coffee hours on 2/16, 2/23 or 3/2.**

Or e-mail [jsimpson@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:jsimpson@stjames-cathedral.org) to sign up or to find out more. Or call 206-274-3173.

At left: St. Luke the Physician. *Madonna & Child with Saints* (detail), Neri di Bicci, ca. 1456

*Sponsored by St. James Cathedral's Health and Healing Ministry*