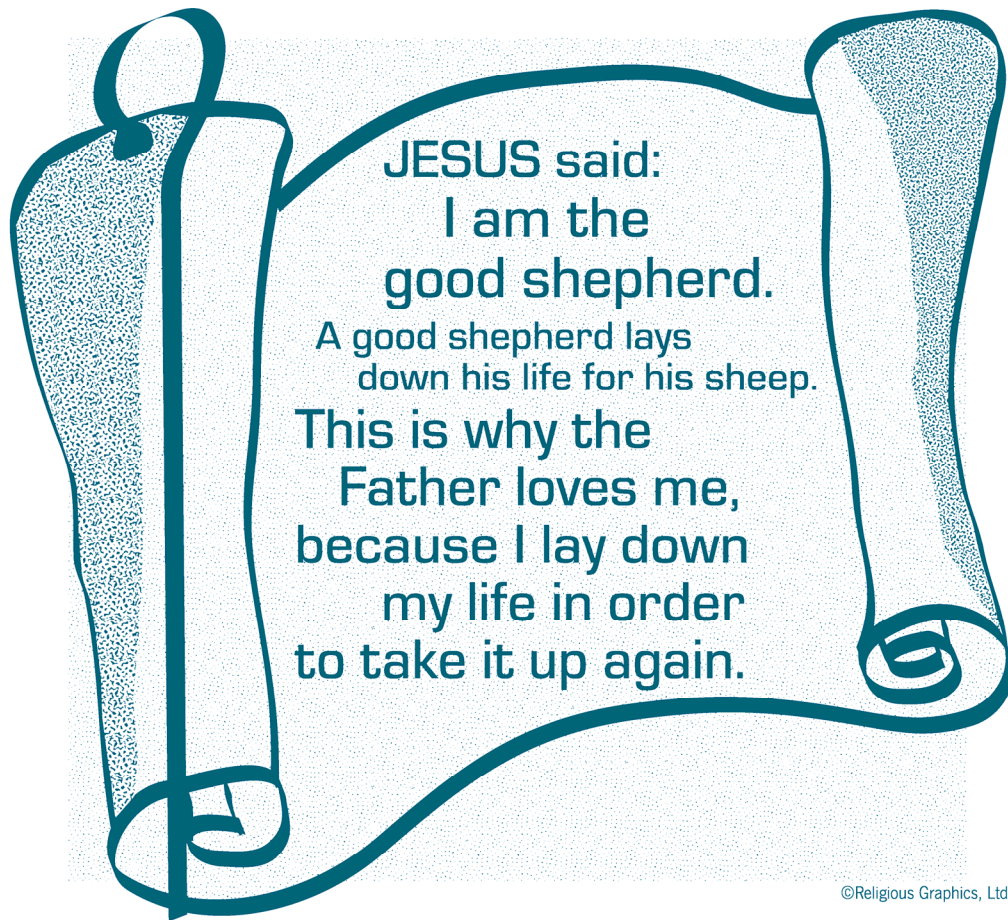




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JESUS said:
I am the
good shepherd.

A good shepherd lays
down his life for his sheep.

This is why the
Father loves me,
because I lay down
my life in order
to take it up again.

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April 22, 2018
Fourth Sunday of Easter



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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

“The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.”

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Dear Parishioners,

Last Saturday night was a phenomenal event at Holy Rosary with Matthew Kelly. Our church was packed with parishioners and many others from the area. Matthew has a special gift for communicating the truths of our faith and inspiring people to live their faith with passion and purpose, which was the title of the event. He challenged all of us as a church, parish and individuals to be more passionate and purposeful in living out our Catholic faith. He said we need “game changers” if our Catholic church is going to survive in America. The statistics are showing that we are hemorrhaging members, especially young people.

Through humor, stories and practical suggestions Matthew taught ways to live our faith with passion and purpose. I was paying close attention to the things he was saying and over time would like to bring some of these suggestions to our Holy Rosary community. At the intermission I was able to spend some time talking with Matthew in private. In that conversation much of the work begun with our Pastoral council this past year was affirmed. Many of the things we talked about are what our Pastoral Council and I have been exploring and discerning this past year as ways to renew our parish. I believe Matthew understands the state of the Church in America. Through his organization, Dynamic Catholic, he is providing resources and content to help parishes be more effective in communicating the truths of our Catholic faith.

I would like to thank Cindy Olson and her many helpers who were invaluable in the planning and execution of the Matthew Kelly event. I think the good fruits of this event will have a lasting effect on our parish.

Some time ago I mentioned that a new altar was being built by parishioner Sonny Tremoulet. The altar is now complete and I am happy to announce that on May 13 at the 11AM Mass Archbishop Peter Sartain will be here to consecrate the new altar. The consecration of an altar is a beautiful ceremony during mass and I invite everyone to come to this special event for our parish.

On another note, we will be offering Mass reader training for anyone who may wish to be a part of this ministry. Jeffrey Morse, who is offering a musical course and will be starting a children’s chorister program at our parish, will be conducting the reader training. If you may be interested in joining this ministry to be a reader at Mass, please call the office.

In Christ,

Father Vincent

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.

- Sunday, April 22, 2018** **St. Adalbert of Prague**
Acts of the Apostles 4:8-12; 1 John 3:1-2; John 10:11-18
- **Coffee'nd** hosted by the Knights of Columbus.
 - **Religious Ed. classes** meet in the school, 9AM.
 - **Blessing of the Womb** at 11AM Mass.
 - **Baptism Preparation Class** meets in the Pastoral Center, Rm. 206, 12:15PM.
 - **Rehearsal for Confirmation** in the Church, 1:30PM.
 - **Blood Pressure Clinic** in the Reconciliation Room after all masses.
- Monday, April 23, 2018** **St. George** *Richard Selin/RIP*
Acts of the Apostles 11:1-18; John 10:1-10
- **8AM Mass**
 - **Funeral for John Duffy** in the church, 11AM.
 - **Confirmation Liturgy** in the church, 7PM.
- Tuesday, April 24, 2018** **St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen** *Veronica Cullen/RIP*
Acts of the Apostles 11:19-26; John 10:22-30
- **8AM Mass**
 - **Middle School Ministry** meets in the Pastoral Center, 7PM.
- Wednesday, April 25, 2018** **St. Mark** *Lorraine Barbano/Intentions*
1 Peter 5:5b-14; Mark 16:15-20
- **8AM Mass**
 - **First Communion rehearsal**, 4-5PM.
 - **Serra Club Mass** in the church, 5:30PM, followed by dinner and meeting in the Pastoral Center.
- Thursday, April 26, 2018** **St. Pedro de San José Betancur** *Ilaria Lichty/RIP*
Acts of the Apostles 13:13-25; John 13:16-20
- **8AM Mass**
 - **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.
 - **Contemporary Choir** rehearsal in the church, 7:30PM.
- Friday, April 27, 2018** **St. Louis Mary Grignion de Montfort** *Nephew of Brida Lang/RIP*
Acts of the Apostles 13:26-33; John 14:1-6
- **8AM Mass**
 - **Grandparents Day Mass** in the church, 9AM. Reception follows in the Pastoral Center.
 - **Rube Goldberg Event** in the School Hall,
 - **Little Blessings** meets in the Family Life Room, 10AM.
- Saturday, April 28, 2018** **St. Peter Chanel**
Acts of the Apostles 13:44-52; John 14:7-14
- **8AM Rosary** in the church.
 - **First Communion Liturgy** in the church, 10AM.
- 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.**

Weekly Offering—Thank you for your support!

| Date | On Line/Mailed Offerings | Basket Offerings |
|---------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| March 24/25 | \$11,089.00 | \$18,300.81 |
| 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 |

If you would prefer to set up an online account for giving; please visit: holyroaryedmonds.org and click on **“Giving”** in the upper right corner of the website, and then choose **“Online Giving.”** You may create an account and donate via credit card or electronic bank transfer, your choice. *Thank you for your ongoing support.*

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 and Randy Ruwe.

A Time to Mourn — Lisa Hopper Petschl.

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

NOURISHING NETWORK FOOD DRIVE: *THANK YOU* for your recent food drive with the Nourishing Network!! Your generous support is a tangible expression of your love for God and people, and it is currently blessing local students and families in their times of great need. We greatly appreciate it and all you do to bless our community. Very gratefully, *Foundation for Edmonds School District.*



FAITH FORMATION

Our annual Mission Carnival is scheduled for May 6th. We are looking for donations of stuffed animals (new or gently used and clean) and small prizes for the booths. Please bring to the Pastoral Center labelled “Mission Carnival”. *Thank you for always being so generous in supporting our programs for children.*

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@holyrosaryedmonds.org.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Middle School: New middle schoolers are welcome and encouraged to join us! Our next meeting is **April 24th.** We meet Tuesdays from 7-8:30PM. All 6th-8th graders are invited. Please see the parish website for the schedule and registration paperwork (holyrosaryedmonds.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@holyrosaryedmonds.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@holyrosaryedmonds.org).

Stay tuned for our next large group event.

Confirmation for High School students is on **Monday, April 23rd at 7PM (Students should arrive at the Pastoral Center by 5:50PM.). Rehearsal is on April 22nd, 1:30-2:30PM.** *Parishioners' attendance to support our youth is welcome.* New preparation sessions will begin in the fall. Students must be in 10th grade or beyond to receive the sacrament next spring. Questions? Email Kelly (kellyg@holyrosaryedmonds.org).

MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE

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 wish list this week is for the following: mayonnaise, ranch and Italian salad dressing, canned pineapple, granola/power bars, jiffy muffin mixes, laundry detergent, and #4 diapers. *THANK YOU!*



The monthly Blood Pressure Clinic is this weekend, **April 21-22nd**, after all masses, in the Reconciliation Room. Please take this opportunity to support your health and well-being.



“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@holyroaryedmonds.org or call the parish office on 425 778 3122.

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



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

“Out of my distress I cried to Yahweh and he answered me, from the belly of Sheol I cried out; you heard my voice!”

- Jonah 2:3

You may feel like you lost the ability and the right to cry out and be heard, all due to having had an abortion. God hears you and He sees your distress. Allow Him to respond and heal your heart as He holds you in His merciful embrace. Join us on a Rachel’s Vineyard™ Retreat.

August 24-26, 2018 Stanwood WA

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

You are loved with an everlasting Love!

Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

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.

Today, the Fourth Sunday of Easter: Good Shepherd Sunday is a special celebration of WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS. The world wide church honors all Christian vocations. Christ Jesus gave his life for us that we might know fullness of life. We pray for openness to God’s call and to accept the gift of our Christian vocation. Christ Jesus, the Good Shepherd, is with us to guide and protect us on our life journey. You are invited to join Holy Rosary Serra Club members in praying for vocations in our Seattle Archdiocese.

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.



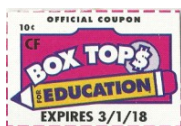
SCHOOL NEWS



Dates to Note Week of April 22nd

- **April 26th and 27th** - Rube Goldberg Presentations
- **April 27th** - Grandparents' and Special Friends' Day - 9am Mass
- **April 28th** - First Communion - 10AM
- **April 30th** - April Birthdays Free Dress

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.

SACRED HEART RADIO 1050 AM provides our area with news from the Universal Catholic Church. The Holy Mass and the rosary are broadcast daily as well as shows. Give it a listen and become a more engaged Catholic. Listen on your device by downloading the app. For more information visit sacredheartradio.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 or phone Kathy Dizard at 425-329-4569.



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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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 **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 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.