Dear Parishioners,

I think summer is finally upon and that means lots of nice warm weather, people traveling, picnics, barbecues and all those nice outdoor activities. This week we will have our vacation bible school which is a guaranteed fun for all the participants. There will be lots of interactive games and catechisms classes for all.

Next month will be our chili cook-off. Some of our chili aficionado have already expressed interest in the competition. If you are ready to take the challenge and are planning on entering the chili cook-off, please see Laura Stanger.

On a different note but still staying on the topic of summer, we received a question in our parish office regarding proper attire in the church during summer. I thought about this for a while and asked myself "what would I wear when I go to church?" for me the answer is quite simple as I have no other choice but to wear my priestly garb but for the laity it's a different situation. And so as I pondered on the question, the word "modesty" came into mind. As we come to church and stand before God, it would be proper to dress oneself in an attire that would express our reverence, love and respect to God. "Short" shorts for the younger girls should not be worn in the church during liturgical celebrations as well as tank tops or flip flops. If you are serving as a Eucharistic Minister, or Lector, you should also be mindful of your attire since as a minister, you are acting as an extension of the priest's hands either in proclaims the scriptures or distributing the body of Christ, this goes for choir members as well. I hope that this answered the question on "what should I wear to church during the summer season?" that was posed to us.

God bless you all and have a fun and safe summer!

**Stewardship of Treasure**

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July 2012 Budget $65,000

Income needed for July 2012 Budget ($36,830)

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**Prayers are Requested:**

*For healing:* RJ Poole, Chad Hults, Nicole Studley, Marit Zimmerman, Steve Nafziger, Kathleen Green, Wendy Petersen, Rose Zimmerman, Chloe Hall, John Gohndrone, Barbara Aquino, Mary Jo Becker, Madonna Underland

*For those who have died:* Tom Rizzuto (husband of Barb), Ernest Briand (father of Florent), Margot Florell, Liguya Culala, Maria Cecilia Santos, & Lilly Ann Key

*For those of our community who are serving in harm’s way:* Bret Meyer, Bowe Bergdahl (prisoner of the Taliban), Whitney Sellers Sutherland, Paul Clayborn, and Duane De Bruler, Capt William James Lewis (Germany/Afghanistan.)

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An information sheet and donation envelopes are available and the “Welcome Table” in the Narthex.

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**Prayer Chain**

Do you or someone you know need a prayer? If so, reach out to Kay Smith and the prayer chain at 425-486-2528.
This Week at St. John Vianney

**Sunday, July 15**
8:30 am Mass
10:30 am Mass

**Monday, July 16**
8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Mass
9:30 am—12:30 pm Vacation Bible Camp

**Tuesday, July 17**
AM Funeral Mass for Tom Rizzuto
9:30 am—12:30 pm Vacation Bible Camp
7:00 pm AA Meeting

**Wednesday, July 18**
8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Mass
9:30 am—12:30 pm Vacation Bible Camp
10:00 am Quilters
7:30 pm Boy Scouts

**Thursday, July 19**
8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Mass
9:30 am—12:30 pm Vacation Bible Camp
7:00 pm Praise and Worship Band
7:00 pm Centering Prayer Group

**Friday, July 20**
8:30 am Adoration
9:00 am Mass

**Saturday, July 21**
3:30 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm Mass
6:00 pm Senior Singles Potluck

**Sunday, July 22**
8:30 am Mass
10:30 am Mass

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**Mark your Calendar**

Parish Office Hours 8:30 am–3:30 pm
(summer hours)

- July 16-19 Sonrise National Parks Vacation Bible Camp
  Mon - Thu 9:30am -12:30pm for children 4 years—5th grade. Older kids join as Junior Rangers!
- July 27-29 Parish Yard Sale
- July 28-29 St. Vincent de Paul “Bundle Sunday” truck here
- August 3 Annual Chili Cook-Off
- September 9 12pm-3pm St. John Vianney Annual Picnic
- September 29 Oktoberfest
- October 21 Family Auction (silent auction follows 10:30 am Mass)
- October 27 Gala Auction (silent/live auction and dinner)

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**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Readings**

Jeremiah 23:1-6
Ephesians 2:13-16
Mark 6:30-34

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**Questions for the Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

- What are the divine favors that the psalmist envisions for the people of God?
- How is the “mission” lived out in your life?
- What do you think is the Church’s most successful missionary work today?
Vacation Bible Camp! SonRise National Parks Vacation Bible School is this week July 16th-19th from 9:30 am—12:30 pm. If your children are between 4 years-old and a fifth grader, think about VBC! It's going to be a blast!

Healing Mass “Let me teach you for I am gentle and humble of heart.” Attend a healing Mass with Fr. Jim Northrop on Wed., July 18 at 7:30 PM at St. Brendan Church 10100 NE 192nd Street, Bothell WA 98011. Sponsored by the Western Washington Catholic Charismatic Renewal. There will be a prayer ministry following Mass.

Senior Singles Potluck
The potluck is this Saturday, July 21st. It's an old-fashioned picnic with hot dogs, beans and other goodies! WOW. Please read the flyer in today’s bulletin for important information regarding WOW.

Quilting Group Wednesdays 10 am
Join us as we sew quilts for charitable purposes. Beginners to experienced quilters welcome. Contact: Sue Cholewczynski 425-488-9447.

Lift up Your Voice! Do you enjoy listening to the melodic music in the parish choir and would like to be part of the group? The choir is not meeting during the summer for rehearsals however if you are interested in joining the 8:30 or 10:30 choir please contact Mary Thurtle.

Women’s Book Group Join other women in the parish on the first Tuesday of each month for our book group. The next book is The Resilience Factor by Karen Revich, Ph.D and Andrew Shatte PhD. (Almost) always wine, chocolate and great conversations.

Auction 2012 We are currently taking donations and/ or donation forms for our Oct. 21 & 27 auctions. Donation forms are available in the Narthex.

Eucharistic Ministers Found!
Thanks to Roberta Hatfield and Marie Cory for volunteering to bring the Eucharist to those in the hospital. Your blessing and service will mean so much to those who are sick.

Thinking About Becoming a Catholic? Contact Fr. Ramon in the parish office to learn more.

A Trip of a lifetime with Father Ramon Join Fr. Ramon for an unforgettable 14-day Pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Turkey September 17-30th. $3799+ tax from SeaTac. Includes roundtrip airfare, first class hotel accommodations (double occupancy), breakfast and dinner daily, all entrance fees to the sites and daily Mass. The tour is professionally guided on a deluxe motor coach. Registration forms are available at the welcome table.

Parish Rummage Sale July 27th-29th: Do you have terrific stuff that needs a home? Consider donating your usable items to our parish rummage sale this summer. No clothes please. Contact: the parish office.

Praise & Worship Band Auditions Are you a musician? Do people tell you that you have a great voice? Then think about auditioning for the Praise and Worship Band (Sat. 5pm Mass). Arrange an audition as a musician or vocalist. Contact: Margaret Graham mgraham@sjvkirkland.org or the parish office.

Parish Picnic: We are looking for musical and entertainment groups for our main stage event at the parish picnic as well as chairpersons for subcommittees. Contact: Laura Stanger. Donations are also needed: Flat bed sheets (used are just fine), Beanie Babies, water coolers (the electric ones that you put 5-Gallon water bottles into that we could borrow for the afternoon).

Liturgical Ministers: The July schedule is available. Is your email address current? Are your “can’t serve” dates updated? Please remember to put in your August ‘can’t serve’ dates. Contact Marti: martib1@earthlink.net or the parish office.

2012 Habitat for Humanity Golf Tournament Monday, July 30 at The Plateau Club, 25625 E. Plateau Dr., Sammamish.. The best ball tournament will have a shotgun start at 11:00 am and will include lunch, drinks, contests, prizes, cocktail hour, and a light dinner afterwards. Tickets are only $150 per individual / $600 per foursome! Proceeds benefit Habitat’s mission to provide affordable housing to hard working, low-income families in our community. Visit http://habitatkc.org/golf/index.html for more details.

Post Abortion Hope & Healing Retreat Do you suffer from feelings of guilt, grief, anger or depression from a past abortion experience? Do you wonder if God can forgive you? Can you forgive yourself? Join others on a journey of emotional and spiritual healing at a Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat™ weekend. The next retreat is August 10-12 2012. For more information, call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673). Completely confidential. Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.

Hike, Pray, Swim Join other Catholic single parent families at The 30th Annual Catholic Family Campout on Aug. 17th, 18th, and 19th at Miller-sylvania State Park. For more on Christian fellowship, memory making and campfires call Mary Pat at (206)

Social Concerns
Our social concerns group is committed to educating our parish in the United States Catholic Conference of Bishops position on a variety of issues.

A Great Day for PB&J There are many area families who go hungry every day. When you’re at the market this week, could you pick up ONE of the following? Boxes of macaroni & cheese, peanut butter, jelly, canned fruit, tuna, mayonnaise and cooking oil. Donations can be left in the church narthex. Think of how many families we could help if we each left just one item each week! Thank you!

Everyone Deserves Clean Water The no-overhead, non-profit organization wateraccessnow.org was created in 2011 by parishioners Bob Maher and Jan Kline. The goal is to raise funds to implement well digging in Ghana. (CRS is our main contractor.) Did you know that SJV invested in over 15 wells since 2005? Jesus said “Lord, when did we see you thirsty and give you something to drink. . .?”
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. John Vianney Catholic Preschool
Preschool is over for this year and we had an amazing time. We are really excited for next year to begin. We are expanding the preschool classroom to add more space and a few more preschoolers. We are also adding a Tuesday Thursday Class for younger ones. St. John Vianney Catholic Preschool has openings in the Tue/Thu program and Our Monday/Wednesday/Friday group. Visit our website at www.sjvkirkland.org and click the Preschool tab. If you would like a tour, Annette Schwientek would be delighted to help you learn more. Contact her at: aschwientek@sjvkirkland.org or 206-234-3988. We can always use gently used toys, games and books. The preschool kids appreciate your donations. THANK YOU!!!

Children and Family Life Ministry Infant Baptism
Parents seeking Baptism for children newborn to 7 years-old participate in the infant Baptism Program. Please plan to attend one group session and a rehearsal and be registered members of the parish 6 months prior to the Baptism. Our Next Baptism Class is scheduled for Tuesday, September 4, 2012 with Baptisms on the 9th of September at 10:30 Mass.

First Reconciliation and First Eucharist Preparation
We will begin in September to prepare children who are at or about the age of 7 who have been Baptized in the Catholic Church and would like to receive the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. Our first session is in September. I will keep you posted!

Catholic Kids’ Catechism Club
Sunday School for children ages 3– 5th grade will begin in early October. Looking forward to another great year!

Junior & Senior High School & Young Adult Outreach
On June 24th, a 36 person high school trek left for an Esperanza mission and returned on July 7th. God blessed us with amazing adult chaperones and youth leaders Rachel Christensen, Chris Norwood, Lauren Kulesa and Liz Breysse. We had a couple of days of illness for a small group of us but what we accomplished regardless was miracles. Read about our experience on our blog at http://sjvesperanza.wordpress.com/

Most inspiring Kyla Terashima, Liz Breysse, Chris Norwood, and a 3 way tie Ashley Allemeier, Lauren Kulesa & Sam Roe. We set our all time record for number of bags of cement poured for any project with 86 bags on a roof in Cumbres. We were joined our 2nd week by a first time group from St Charles Missouri. Inspiration was widespread, reflection was relevant, and the Holy Spirit had our backs. 2013 leaders will be, by vote of their peers, Liz Breysse, Natalie Fletcher, Conor Goodwin, Pen Toland, & Emily Johnson.

Youth Migrant Project
Permission forms are out. See the bulletin board outside the youth office to see the history, mission and goals statement. Aug 5—10th! Mary Goodwin, coordinator.

Are you registered to Vote?
All Citizens who will be 18 years of age or older on election day are eligible. If you have moved to or within King County since the last election you need to call the Election office 206-296-VOTE (8683) to update your registration. All Ballots will be mailed. (Ballots in King County are available in English, Chinese and Vietnamese)

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St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Sunday
is coming to our parish on Saturday July 28 & Sunday July 29th. The St. Vincent De Paul truck will be parked on our premises and there will someone before and after all masses to accept your donations of clean clothes, bedding linen, winter jackets and shoes in a condition that is fit for sale in one of our many thrift stores. We will also accept lamps, small appliances, used bicycles and sports gear all in working condition and crockery / glassware that is not broken or chipped.

We will not accept any TVs, computers, monitors, printers, or other computer accessories. Please call 206-767- 3835 if you wish to recycle any of the above electronic items. We also cannot accept any powered exercise equipment such as treadmills. Please no box springs or mattresses that have rips, soils or stains.