

Saint John Bosco Catholic Church
10508 112th Street SW, Lakewood, WA 98498 - (253) 582-1028



Prayer Requests

Mon.	3/11	8:30am	Eucharistic Svc
Tues.	3/12	8:30am	Eucharistic Svc
Wed.	3/13	8:30am	Robert & Claire Plummer SI
Thurs.	3/14	8:30am	Mary Grogan †
Fri.	3/15	8:30am	Connie Balderson SI

Weekly Collection Including Weekly Online Giving March 2 & 3, 2019

Weekend Collection	\$13,702.00
Weekly Online Giving	\$3,358.00
Total Weekly Collection	\$17,060.00
Budgeted Weekly Goal	\$14,273.70
Weekly Goal Under/Over Budget	\$2,786.30
Actual Fiscal Year-to-Date Giving (July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019)	\$464,764.83
Budgeted Fiscal Year-to-Date Goal (July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019)	\$513,853.20
Under/Over Budgeted Goal	(\$49,088.37)

Breakfast

March 10, 2019
Youth Ministry Team

Project Easter Basket



Help us provide a gift of love from our parish to children and families in need.

Consider donating toys, goodies, toiletries, and other essential items during our Easter Basket Drive.

Our Youth Ministry Community is *currently collecting* donations until *March 31st*.

A table will be set up outside the office where you can select an Easter Basket. A list of suggested items will be placed inside each basket. Once filled, please return your basket to the same table for processing.

Thank you for supporting this important Easter project.

Blessings,

Youth Ministry Community

Youth Ministry

Faith Formation

Sundays 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

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Sundays, Junior High 11:00 am to 12:00 pm
Sundays, Senior High 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Scholarship applications are now available. Pick up an application at the parish office or email our youth minister Sonia Martinez at: soniamartinez@stjbosco.org



Second Saturday of every month 9am to 11am

Next scheduled Baptism class will be *May 11th* and the next scheduled Baptism(s) will be *May 26th* at the 9:30am Mass. No Baptism(s) will be scheduled during the months of March & April.

Please contact Mary Lou Colasurdo to register for the class at: maryloucolasurdo@stjbosco.org.



For information regarding RCIA please contact:
Mary Lou Colasurdo @ maryloucolasurdo@stjbosco.org

CRS Rice Bowl

Ends Easter Sunday, April 21, 2019

Rice Bowl contributions support projects that assist our sisters and brothers in need, both overseas and here in the United States. 75 percent of Rice Bowl contributions are sent to Catholic Relief Services and help fund development projects overseas that help increase and maintain communities' access to food. 25 percent of the contributions fund local poverty and hunger alleviation programs in dioceses in the U.S. Visit www.seattlearchdioces.org/ricebowl to learn how we use the 25 percent in this archdiocese through our Rice Bowl grants program. No administrative expense is taken from your donation.

Please make checks payable to "Missions Office," with "Rice Bowl" on the memo line or indicated elsewhere. Thank you for not combining checks.

If you have any questions, please contact the Missions Office at missions.office@seattlearch.org or call 800-869-7028; 206-382-4580.



In today's Gospel, Jesus overcomes the temptations to wealth, power and esteem. As we begin Lent, may we open our hearts to the grace of prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

For the month of February, through your gifts, SVDP was able to assist 56 people, including 4 single parent families.

For 2019, we have provided \$10,075 worth of services to include rental assistance that aided 133 people, to include 34 people with disabilities.

Please be generous and support the Society of St. Vincent de Paul by putting your donations in the Red envelopes located in the pews, so we can continue to help our neighbors in need.

Rachel's Corner

Hope and Healing After Abortion
Confidential

"I have hope now. I have not felt that before. I got rid of a 30-year weight and I have been able to go to Communion and have that weight removed. I didn't even believe there was forgiveness for what I had done. Now I know differently."

-Testimonial from retreat

Now registering for our next healing retreat: **April 5-7**, Stanwood, WA. Call **206-920-6413** or visit www.ccsww.org/projectrachel

New Book Discussion Group



On the Brink of Everything: Grace Gravity and Getting Old
by **Parker J. Palmer**



The first meeting will be **Saturday, March 9th**, at **6:05pm** in the conference room. This first meeting will be a simple meet and greet.

If interested, please purchase the book on your own from Barnes and Noble, Amazon or your favorite book store.

Fr. Marc

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK & COMMUNION CALLS

We are most anxious to help our parish families because of illness, handicap, or age. If you or a family member is ill or hospitalized and you wish to receive the Sacraments, please call the parish office so that we may support you during these difficult times.

- * Our parish office number is **253-582-1028**.
- * Emergency **ONLY** number for an **emergency Anointing of the Sick** request **206-225-8058**

Mental Ministry Committee

Free workshop luncheon event Wednesday, March 20th at Holy Family Kirkland from 11:30am to 1:30pm. Lunch provided. Register at erica@seattlearch.org

Considering Separation or Divorce?



Wait! There is an alternative. Retrouvaille has brought healing to tens of thousands of troubled marriages worldwide. Your situation may seem hopeless, but there is always hope, and you are not alone in your struggle. For more information about Retrouvaille or to register for the **March 22-24 program**, call **206-706-2608**.

Catholic Home Missions (CHM)
March 9th & 10th

Over 40% of dioceses in the United States are considered home mission territory because they are unable to fund the essential pastoral work needed in their communities. These dioceses face challenges due to priest shortages, lack of funds, remote geography, or impoverished parishes. Through annual grants, the CHM Collection funds catechesis, seminarian education, lay ministry training, Hispanic ministry and other pastoral programs. As a result of your generosity, CHM impacts the lives of nearly nine million Catholics in the United States. Envelopes are located at each exit. Please remit collections to: CCAS (Insert in check memo line: Catholic Home Missions .



Wedding Anniversary
Celebrating 63 Years of Marriage
Wayne & Lori Hogan
March 4, 1956

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK **New Tacoma Cemeteries, Funeral home, & Crematory 253-564-1311**
(Please be sure to let our advertisers know you saw their advertisement in our bulletin)

WELCOME We welcome you to St. John Bosco Parish, celebrating with us, whether you are new to the area/parish or maybe not so new but just have not registered. If you are not registered, please complete the form below and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office. Thank you. (This is not a registration form).

NAME _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

{ } New Parishioner { } New Address { } Moving, please remove from parish directory]