

Prayer Requests

Mon.	4/1	8:30am	Eucharistic Svc
Tues.	4/2	8:30am	Eucharistic Svc
Wed.	4/3	8:30am	For the sick and deceased SI†
Thurs.	4/4	8:30am	Bill Cantrell †
Fri.	4/5	8:30am	Benedicto Paulino †



Faith Formation
Sundays 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

Youth Ministry
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

Weekly Collection Including Weekly Online Giving
March 23 & 24, 2019

Weekend Collection	\$9,193.00
Weekly Online Giving	\$1,263.00
Total Weekly Collection	\$10,456.00
Budgeted Weekly Goal	\$14,273.70
Weekly Goal Under/Over Budget	(\$3,817.70)
Actual Fiscal Year-to-Date Giving (July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019)	\$496,438.68
Budgeted Fiscal Year-to-Date Goal (July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019)	\$556,674.30
Under/Over Budgeted Goal	(\$60,235.62)



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.

No Breakfast on March 31st



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



Project Easter Basket

Our Easter Basket Drive sponsored by our Youth Ministry Community ends **Sunday, March 31st**. Please return your basket to the table set up outside the office for processing. Thank you for supporting this important Easter project.

Blessings,
Youth Ministry Community

Lent & Easter

Palm Sunday: April 13 (Sat Vigil), 5pm at SJB
April 14, 7:30am IC, 9:30am at SJB 

Holy Thursday: April 18, 7pm at SJB
Followed by Adoration 

Good Friday: April 19, 7pm at SJB
****Office Closed**** 

Holy Saturday: April 20, 8:30pm at SJB
Gather outside at bonfire 

Easter Sunday: April 21, 9:30am at SJB 

Fish Fry: Every Friday (except Good Friday)
5:45 - 6:45pm at SJB 

Pentecost: June 9th, 7:30am IC, 9:30am at SJB 


Soup Supper: Every Tuesday, 6pm
Served at SJB in the Parish Hall 

Adoration: 24 hours 9am Friday to 9am Saturday
in the Chapel (except Good Friday) 

Widowed, Divorced or Separated?

To cope with the pain of loss and to move into the future with renewed hope, join us for a weekend away for a lifetime of change. Our Spring Puget Sound area weekend is Friday to Sunday, April 5-7 at the Gwinwood Conference Center in Lacey, WA.

Call **Chris** for additional information [253-223-2645](tel:253-223-2645)

Health Ministry 

The next date for blood pressure checks will be **Saturday, April 6th** and **Sunday, April 7th** available immediately after Mass.

Questions please call **Maura** at [253-584-1528](tel:253-584-1528)



In today's Gospel the prodigal son repents and finds mercy in the heart of his father. Know that your penance during Lent can give the poor the grace of finding the merciful heart of God the Father.

Through your almsgiving you are performing a good work; far greater than you think. Know that your nickel, dime or quarter is multiplied by the coins also placed by others in the St. Vincent de Paul red envelopes located in the pews.

Our next meeting is on [April 9th at 7pm](#)

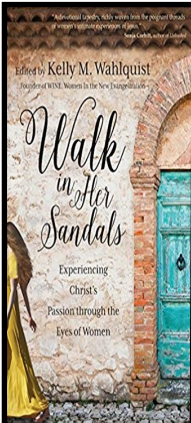
Rachel's Corner -Hope and Healing After Abortion

"I gave all to Our Lord, and He broke the chains, and I am free now. I feel more at peace and a deep feeling of joy and hope that I can one day be with my child, my God and with Jesus. That is the hope I had one day lost and now have again. I want to live in peace with my wife now and have a strong relationship with God."

- Man's Testimonial

Register for our next retreat: [April 5-7](#), Stanwood, WA at www.ccsww.org/projectrachel

Women's Book Study



Join us for a 6-week Women's Book Study on Wednesday Nights (6pm - 8pm), beginning April 3 - May 8. We will be reading and discussing "Walk in Her Sandals: Experiencing Christ's passion through the Eyes of Women" by Kelly M. Wahlquist, founder of WINE: Women In the New Evangelization. Books are available in the parish office for \$16. **Preregistration is required** - call the parish office at 253-582-1028.

New Book Discussion Group



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



The next meeting will be [Saturday, March 30th](#), at [6:05pm](#) in the conference room.

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**

CRS Rice Bowl

Ends Easter Sunday, April 21, 2019

Fourth Week of Lent - Encounter Kumba

We encounter Kumba from Sierra Leone, who, through her education, is providing hope for her family and community. How has education given you opportunities in life? How do you use your education for the common good? Visit crs-ricebowl.org for more.

Checks are payable to "Missions Office," with "Rice Bowl" on the memo line or indicated elsewhere. Thank you for not combining checks. For questions, please contact the Missions Office at: missions.office@seattlearch.org



First Friday Adoration!
April 5th & 6th

Begins at 9am on First Friday and ends at 9am on Saturday. Come and spend time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament!

For questions please contact:
Bob Miller: 253-584-8741

CRS Collection - March 30 - 31, 2019
www.usccb.org/crscollection

The CRS Collection supports six Catholic organizations (CRS; the US Conference of Catholic Bishops' Dept. of Justice, Peace, and Human Development; Migration and Refugee Svcs; Catholic Legal Immigration Network Inc.; Secretariat for Cultural Diversity in the Church; and Holy Father's Relief Fund) that advance the international social ministry of the Catholic Church. In addition, the collection supports your Missions Office as the representative of many of the above agencies.

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK **Pace Dermatology** www.pacedermatology.com **253-572-2842**
(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).

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ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

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