

Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church

Kelso, Washington

Rev. Mel V. Strazicich, Pastor

Daily Reading and Mass Schedule

Monday, April 20 Daily Mass 12:15P Acts 6:8-15 Ps 119:23-24,26-27,29-30 Jn 6:22-29 †Woodford P. Jagger† Turrentine Family

Tuesday, April 21 Acts 7:51-8:1a Ps 31:3cd,4,6 & 7b&8a,17 & 21ab Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday, April 22 No Daily Mass Acts 8:1b-8 Ps 66:1-3a,4,5,6-7a Jn 6:35-40

Thursday, April 23 Acts 8:26-40 Ps 66:8-9,16-17,20 Jn 6:44-51

Friday April 24 Daily Mass 6P Acts 9:1-10 Ps 117:1bc,2 Jn 6:52-59 †Nick Specht† req by Mary Anne Gennette

Saturday, April 25 1 Pt 5:5b-14 Ps 89:2-3,6-7,16-17 Mk 16:15-20

Sunday, April 26 4th Sunday of Easter Acts 4:8-12 Ps 118:1,8-9,21-23,26,28,29 1 Jn 3:1-2 Jn 10:11-18

The following are parishioners and people who we are asked to remember in our prayers: Janice Stowell, Vi & Fred Russo, Debbie Valentine, Jeremy Anderson, Steve Aspden, Maria Ruiz, Mary Lomax, Victoria Conover, Caleb, Harold Graham, Fred Howe and anyone who is in need of our prayers. For the Repose of the Soul of Mary Jane King Glen Brice and Father Bob Kenny.

APRIL 19, 2015
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Weekly Financial Report

April 11 & 12, 2015

Contribution by Envelope:	\$ 3,178.00
Contribution by Pew Envelope:	\$ 170.00
Loose Checks:	\$ 1,674.00
Loose (Paper and Coin):	\$ 201.00
Holy Day:	\$ 360.00

Prayer Intentions of Pope Francis for April:

Creation: That people may learn to respect creation and care for it as a gift of God.

Persecuted Christians: That persecuted Christians may feel the consoling presence of the Risen Lord and the solidarity of all the Church.

#75 Be completely present to everyone who is talking to you.

Calendar of Events for the Week of April 20-26, 2015

- 4/20 Daily Mass 12:15P/MMP 1P/Anawim 6:30P/Confirmation Class 7P @ St. Rose
- 4/21 Legion of Mary 6P
- 4/22 Mens Group 6:30 a.m./CR/Al-Anon noon/Hospital Mass 11:30A
- 4/23 Bible Study 7P
- 4/24 24 Hour Adoration/Fasting Mass 6P
- 4/25 Confession 4-5P/Mass 5:30P/Sacred Stories 6:30P
- 4/26 Mass 10:30A/Youth Night 6P CR

MAJOR MAINTENANCE FUND ACTIVITY

(AS OF 2-28-15)

ACA Rebate Current Year (2014 Campaign) = \$7,662.44
ACA Rebate Prior Years (2012,2013)= \$15,932.87
MMF Envelopes = \$67,035.37
MMF Savings from Operational Budget = \$48,000.00
Expenses: (back wall room 8 fall of 2012): \$8,646.02
Total Available for Church Roof Repair as of 2-28-15
\$129,984.66

News from Father Straz regarding Daily Mass :

The last Wed 6pm Masses will be Apr 29th in Kelso & June 10th in CR . Effective immediately all other Wednesday 6pm masses are hereby cancelled . My schedule is way too inconsistent to sustain this .

School of Healing Prayer: Are you interested in learning how to pray with loved ones? Do you feel called to healing prayer ministry? This class teaches ways to pray for many different needs.

Pre-register for orientation. Limited space for this class. Call Lucille Hadden at 360-232-8299

Dates: Orientation/Registration May 1, 2015, May 9, 2015 2-4 p.m.

Full Day Classes Dates/Times 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. May 16 (this first day of class cannot be made up. If any of this day is missed, you should reconsider if this a good time to take this course. (June 13, July 11, August 1st).

All classes held at Immaculate Heart of Mary, 2200 Allen Street, Kelso.

Thank you to everyone who turned in their Rice Bowls this year and participated in the program. Bless you. I don't know if you are aware, but our parish is a recipient of a Rice Bowl Grant each year we have applied. The money is used to buy food for the FISH Program, a program we host six times yearly to feed the hungry in our community. Through the faithful participation in this yearly program, many are helped in so many ways. Thank you.

Senior Luncheon will be served on Monday, April 27th at noon in the Parish Hall. Please join us for a delicious lunch and fellowship.

Congratulations to Skip and Charlotte Marcotte on their 50th Wedding Anniversary!



JMJ

Do you need to see Jesus?

He is available at Our Lady of Fatima Adoration Chapel in Kelso every day from 9AM to 4PM. Walk-ins welcome! No appointment necessary! For directions see www.ihmkelso.org, or call (360)-423-3650

#33 A Holy Hour of adoration testifies to the fact that the Jesus who died on the cross, is present in the Eucharist, and reigns in Heaven, are identical. (Pope Pius XII)



Beads of Hope Campaign III

Rosaries Prayed: 28,048
Chaplets Prayed: 3,148
Adoration Hours: 4,068
Total: 35,264

Important Contact Information:

Outreach to the Sick and Homebound: Dianne Foglesong @ 703-3144.

Kitchen, Hall or Hospitality Questions: Cory Mugaas @ 423-0519.

Prayer Chain: Linda Waterman 425-6194
waterman.linda@gmail.com

Peggy Howe 425-1726

Parish e-mail ihom@cni.net

GABRIEL PROJECT: PREGNANT? NEED HELP?
1-888-926-ANGEL ¿EMBARAZADA? ¿NECESITA AYUDA?

New Day of Prayer on Second Thursday of Each Month: The Anawim Inner-Healing and Unbound Prayer Teams will be available to pray from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary, Kelso, BY APPOINTMENT ONLY. Call 232-8299 for more information. All teams have been trained through the School of Healing Prayer and the Unbound Ministries. All prayer is confidential and remains private between the team and the person receiving prayer.

The Hospitality Calendar needs more volunteers to host the coffee hour after the Sunday Mass. The sign up sheet is by the door in the hall. Questions, please contact Cory Mugaas.

The Gabriel Project is a ministry of the Archdiocese of Seattle and is carried out through the local Catholic Churches. We see in the conception of each child a fresh expression of God's unending love. The Gabriel Project works along with other community resources to provide immediate and practical help to any pregnant mother in need regardless of their personal situation, faith, the size of their family, their age or their baby's gestational stage. Please call Norma at 636-4553 for more information.

Prayer for the Year of Consecrated Life

O God, throughout the ages you have called women and men to pursue lives of perfect charity through the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience. During this Year of Consecrated Life, we give you thanks for these courageous witnesses of Faith and models of inspiration. Their pursuit of holy lives teaches us to make a more perfect offering of ourselves to you. Continue to enrich your Church by calling forth sons and daughters who, having found the pearl of great price, treasure the Kingdom of Heaven above all things. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Western Washington Catholic Charismatic Renewal
Charismatic Healing Mass

Monday, April 27, 2015

6:30 p.m. Immaculate Heart of Mary, Kelso

Bishop Peter Smith, Fr. Mel Strazicich and the Anawim Prayer Teams.

Music: Greg and Karissa Stone

We hosted FISH on April 9th and 10th. We served 35 families, including 61 adults and 45 children, for a total of 105 people. Many families were of one or two adults, some senior citizens. When one family called the FISH line to request food they asked for a cake or cake mix because one of their three children was celebrating a birthday that day. Happily, we happened to have a cake available that we were able to give them. The child was very excited when they picked up their food. Mom and the other kids also had big grins on their faces. It brought a lot of joy to our FISH volunteers that we were able to do something special for them and to make everyone in the family feel good about celebrating the child's birthday in the traditional manner. Please know that all of your food and cash donations help the poor and challenged amongst us. Without your support it would be very difficult to carry out this ministry for the poor in our community. Many thanks to our volunteers for setting up tables, gathering food items from the CAP Warehouse and grocery stores, and distributing food: Joe Brunelle, John Coleman, Rich Hickey, Andrew Hoover, Caleigh Maffett, Chuck Marshall, Cory Mugaas, and Bernie Storm. Our next time to host FISH is June 4th and 5th. Please help refill our pantry shelves; we especially need: canned fruit, soups, stews, chili, veggies, and pork n' beans. Cash donations are also welcome. Your support makes a difference for those suffering from food insecurity in our community!

St. Mary's Castle Rock

Third Sunday of Easter

April 19, 2015

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DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

April 20th -- April 26th, 2015

MON: Mass in Kelso 12:15pm
TUE: No Mass
WED: No Mass
THUR: No Mass
FRI: Fasting Mass 6pm @ Kelso
SAT: Vigil Mass in Kelso @ 5:30pm
SUN: *Fourth Sunday of Easter*
 Mass @ 8:30 am

HOMEBOUND MINISTRIES

Are you ill and unable to come to Mass? Do disabilities make it difficult to leave your home? Would you like to have someone pray with you, or just sit and chat? If so, St. Mary's offers Homebound Ministry. If you or a loved one would be interested, you can contact the office.



CHURCH PRAYER LIST

Please pray for Cathy Craggen, Patty Beyer, Donna Brooks-Stagner, Ripley Ubl, John Miller, Mary Lou & Bill Green, Gloria Seine, Don & Marie Stagner, Gordon Risner, Ralph Roggenback, Joe Garr, Ron Thompson, Lynn Bush, Ken Noe, Kevin Lyons, Nonnie Parris, Victoria Conover, Vince, Dixie Manthe, Schumacher Family, Thomasina Gallo, Wayne Wooster, Cindy, Lisa, Larry Lydon, Bonnie Staggs, Desiree Warren, Louie Kloewer, Rita Skirvin, Jeannie Scheffler, Ken Swanson, the Hughes Family, Caleb, Lonna Luster, Alexis Aguilar, Helena and David Balch, Bill Leff, Gladys McClellan, Charles Lunday, Susan Hutchison, Pearl Lee, Delilah Barrett, Roberta Tritch, Marilyn Carty, Jacob Sneddon, Kimberly Lemmons, Todd Karnofski and Diane Love. Repose of the soul of Fr. Bob Kenny.

Please call Betty Caulfield 274-8259 or Shirley Smith 274-7666 for additions or deletions.

DONATIONS – APRIL 12, 2015

27 Envelopes	\$ 648.00
Loose	\$ 340.00
Total	\$ 988.00
St. Mary's Charities	\$ 194.00
Rice Bowl	\$ 253.42

FUND RAISING UPDATES

Classroom Building Fund	\$ 16,300.43
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Major Maintenance Fund	\$ 22,714.79
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Regarding the Building and MMFunds: The FC is reallocating some old funds and also updating the MMF with new monthly savings. Please contact the FC for any questions.

Final payments for the 2014 Annual Catholic Appeal Campaign are due by the end of April 2015. Thank you for your generosity.

APRIL 26TH, 2015

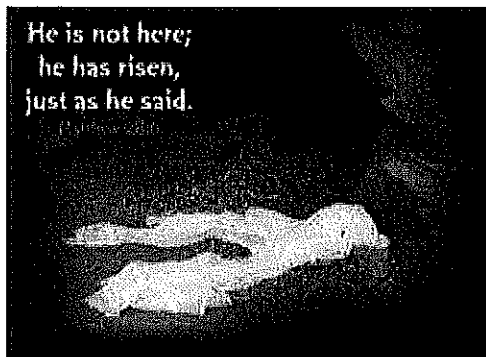
LECTORS: Rich Heltemes & Sue Strickland
ALTAR SERVERS: Josie Partridge, Adam Partridge, Henry Foultner
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS: HM-Paul Hadaller
CM: Jodi Hadaller, James Bobst, Pat Miller, Kasey Richter
USHERS: Mary Swift & Kay Cobb
GREETERS: Gary & Joyce Sanderson
HOSP: Rich & Coy Heltemes
APRIL CHURCH CLEANING: Melanie Schaures, Darlene Miller, Cynthia Meyer
APRIL YARD WORK: Paul Hadaller

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April 20 – Confirmation Class 7pm @ St. Rose
April 21 – Patriotic Rosary 6pm
April 21 – Legion of Mary 6 pm @ Kelso
April 22 – Choir Practice 6:30 pm
April 23 – New Bible Study “7 pm @ Kelso

PRAYER WALKS

Every Tuesday at 1:30 pm the Baptist Church will be having Prayer Walks leading up to National Day of Prayer on May 7th.



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

This year's Annual Catholic Appeal has us reflect upon A Future Full of Hope: Passion for our Faith, Promise for our Future, Care for our Community, and Love for our Family. Please prayerfully consider giving to the needs of our Archdiocese as we conduct the 2015 Annual Catholic Appeal over the next four weeks. Our witness speaker will be here next weekend to speak to us. Thank you if you have already made your gift to the Appeal! If not, please fill out a pledge envelope today or go online to donate: www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate

RUMMAGE SALE

It's that time of year again. St. Mary's annual rummage sale is once again almost upon us. The rummage sale is scheduled for Friday and Saturday May 8th and 9th. Set up will begin on Wednesday May 6th; if you are able to come and help set things up Please come. If you have things you would like to donate, you may start bringing them and dropping them off in the parish hall or out by the shed in the carport area.

However tiring, the road to Emmaus leads from a sense of discouragement and bewilderment to the fullness of Easter faith. ... As the light of the risen Christ illumines the whole universe, we can only express solidarity with all our brothers and sisters in the Middle East who have been caught in a maelstrom of armed violence and retaliation. The roar of weapons must give way to the voice of reason and conscience: sincere concern for the legitimate aspirations of all peoples and the scrupulous observance of international law are the only way to bring the parties back to the negotiating table and to mark out a path of brotherhood for those peoples.

John Paul II, 18 April 2001