



ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL
The Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 30, 2016

ORDER OF CELEBRATION FOR

The Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (Noon)

PRELUDE

Benedictus

Roger

THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

ENTRANCE

Only begotten, Word of God

ROUEN



1. On - ly - be - got - ten, Word of God e - ter - nal,
2. Ho - ly this tem - ple where our Lord is dwell - ing,
3. Lord, we be - seech you, as we throng your tem - ple,
4. God in Three Per - sons, Fa - ther ev - er - liv - ing,

Lord of cre - a - tion, mer - ci - ful and might - y,
This is none oth - er than the gate of heav - en;
by your past bless - ings, by your pres - ent boun - ty,
Son co - e - ter - nal, ev - er - bless - ed Spir - it,

Hear now your ser - vants, when their tune - ful
Stran - gers and pil - grims, seek - ing homes e -
Smile on your chil - dren, and with ten - der
Yours be the glo - ry, praise and ad - or -

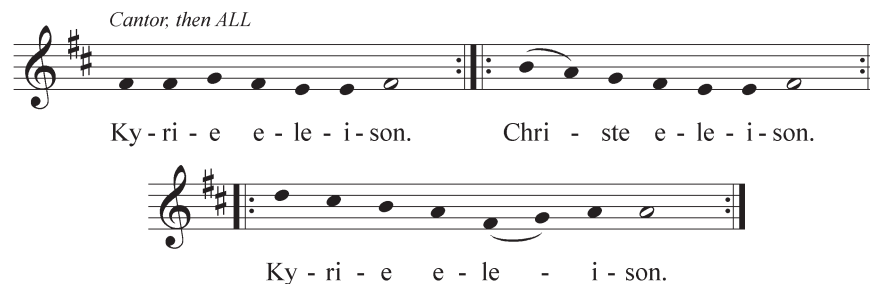
voic - es Rise to your pres - - - ence.
ter - nal, Pass through its por - - - tals.
mer - cy Hear our pe - ti - - - tions.
a - tion, Now and for ev - - - er.

PRESENTATION OF THE CHILDREN TO BE BAPTIZED (Noon)

PENITENTIAL ACT

New Plainsong Mass

Hurd



Cantor, then ALL

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Chri - ste e - le - i - son.

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

ALL:

Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace to peo - ple of good will. We

praise you, we bless you, we a - dore you, we

glo - ri - fy you, we give you thanks for

your great glo - ry, Lord God heav - en - ly King, O God, al - might - y Fa - ther.

Cantor or Choir:

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

ALL:

For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,

you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it, in the

glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men, a - men, a - - - men.

OPENING PRAYER (COLLECT)

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Wisdom 11:22-12:2

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 145

Carroll

I will praise your name for ev - er, my king and my God.

SECOND READING

2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2

ALLELUIA

Vulpus

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

CREED (except at Noon)

**I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.**

**I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,**

[ALL BOW]

**and by the Holy Spirit
was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.**

[ALL STAND UPRIGHT]

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,**

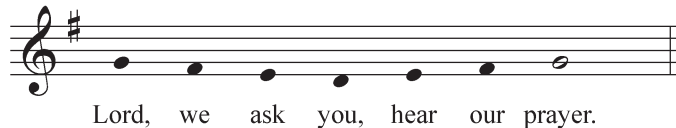
**and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son
is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.**

**I believe in one, holy,
catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Litany of Saints



RITE OF BAPTISM (Noon)

INTERCESSIONS AND LITANY OF SAINTS No. 827

BLESSING OF BAPTISMAL WATER

PROFESSION OF FAITH *All join in the response, I do.*

ACCLAMATION FOLLOWING EACH BAPTISM

Herbolsheimer, adapt.

SPRINKLING WITH BAPTISMAL WATER

Hurd

ENTRANCE OF THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

EXPLANATORY RITES

Anointing with Chrism, White Garment Prayer, Presentation of a Lighted Candle

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

Offertory (10:00)

Laudibus in sanctis
Byrd

In holy praises celebrate the Lord most high; Let the heavens echo the glorious acts of God:
Sing of the glorious acts of God, and with holy voice Ever magnify his power and handiwork.
Let the martial trumpet praise the great name of the Lord And the Muses' lyre join in celebration.
Let the loud timbrel resound in praise of the most high God, Likewise the lofty organ.

Praise him with the psaltery's nimble string; Praise him with joyful dancing feet.

Let the hollow cymbals pour forth his holy praises And the sweet-sounding cymbals be filled with the praise of God.
Let everything in the world that lives and breathes Sing an endless alleluia to God. (Psalm 150)

SANCTUS

Mass for the City

Proulx

2

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of hosts._____

Heav - en and earth_____ are full of your glo-ry. Ho - san - na, ho -

san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he_____ who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the

high - est. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est.

MYSTERY OF FAITH

Proulx

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-

claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

AMEN

Proulx

A - men, a - men, a - - - men.

THE COMMUNION RITE

LORD'S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI

Missa orbis factor

Vatican IX

Cantor, then ALL:

1., 2. Have mer - cy on us.

3. Grant us peace.

COMMUNION

You will show me the path of life,
the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord.

Notas mibi
chant, Mode VII

(10:00)

The Deer's Cry
Pärt

Upon returning to your place after Holy Communion, please **kneel or be seated**.
Low-gluten hosts are distributed at the credence table near the presider's chair.

HYMN OF PRAISE

I come with joy to meet my Lord
LAND OF REST



1. I come with joy to meet my Lord, For -
2. I come with Chris - tians far and near To
3. As Christ breaks bread and bids us share Each
4. And thus with joy we meet our Lord. His
5. To - geth - er met, to - geth - er bound, We'll

giv - en, loved, and free, In awe and won - der
find, as all are fed, The new com - mu - ni -
proud di - vi - sion ends. The love that made us
pres - ence, al - ways near, Is in such friend - ship
go our dif - f'rent ways, And as his peo - ple

to re - call His life laid down for me.
ty of love In Christ's com - mu - nion bread.
makes us one, And strang - ers now are friends.
bet - ter known; We see and praise him here.
in the world, We'll live and speak his praise.

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

ANTIPHON IN HONOR OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (10:00, Sunday Evening)

(10:00)

Bogoroditse Devo
Pärt

Rejoice, O Mother of God, Virgin Mary,
full of grace, the Lord is with thee;
Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb,
for thou hast borne the savior of our souls.

PROCESSION

“Allegro” from *Symphony No. 6*
Widor

St. James Cathedral - Seattle

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

The Most Reverend J. Peter Sartain, Archbishop of Seattle

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The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan

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CELEBRATIONS of the SACRAMENTS MASS

Sundays 8:10 - 12 & 5:30 Pm
Weekdays 8:15 & 5:30 Pm
Saturdays 8:15 & Vigil 5:30 Pm

LITURGY of the HOURS weekdays at 12:10 Pm

VESPERS and BENEDICTION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT Sundays at 4:00 Pm.

BAPTISM communal celebrations are held monthly. A Preparation Program for Parents and Godparents is required. Contact Julianne Castro for information, 206-619-0816.

RECONCILIATION Saturdays, 4:00 - 5:00 Pm. A communal celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated four times yearly in Preparation for Christmas and Easter.

MARRIAGE A formal Program of marriage Preparation over a period of several months is required, however, registered Parishioners may begin the scheduling process 14 months in advance.

ANointING of the SICK A communal celebration is held twice yearly. In case of serious illness, impending surgery, or advanced age, please call the Parish Office. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick should not be delayed until the person is unconscious or in imminent danger of death. Call the Parish Office for information.

FUNERALS for Parishioners, contact Suzanne Lee, 206-654-4640.

CONTEMPLATIVE ECUMENICAL PRAYER, First Fridays, 6:30 Pm

TOURS of the CATHEDRAL Wednesdays at 1:00 Pm. Groups of 4 or more may arrange a tour by calling Corinna Laughlin, 206-264-2086.

CATHEDRAL BOOKSTORE open 11:00 am to 3:00 Pm weekdays, after Masses on weekends. Call 206-382-4500 for information

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday through Friday, 9:00 am - 5:00 Pm.

After-hours Emergency answering service for Parishioners: 206-467-3049

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Website: www.stjames-cathedral.org

WELCOME! If you are a visitor to the Cathedral, we want you to know how welcome you are – whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world, or simply from another parish here in the Archdiocese. For more information about the parish, to register, or to ask a question, visit our **Sunday Help Desk at Coffee Hour**. A Cathedral staff person will be on hand to assist you.

FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR are offered in loving memory of Esperanza Gonzales, Dolores Delgado, and Concepcion Parra from Ernesto Muñoz. If you would like to make a floral offering, contact Jane Mueller, jmueller@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-654-4650.

ALL SAINTS Masses for the Solemnity of All Saints will be celebrated on Monday, October 31 at 5:30pm, and on Tuesday, November 1 at 8:15am and 5:30pm. In addition, you are welcome to join the O'Dea High School community for their Holy Day Mass in the Cathedral at 10:00am.

REMEMBERING OUR BELOVED DEAD You are invited to write the names of deceased loved ones in the Book of Remembrance which has been placed near the Shrine of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This book will be carried in procession at the solemn Requiem Mass of All Souls on Tuesday, November 2 at 7:30pm.

ALL SOULS The Commemoration of the Faithful Departed is observed on Wednesday, November 2, with Masses in the Cathedral at 8:15am and 5:30pm. The solemn Requiem Mass will take place at 7:30pm with the Cathedral Choir singing Gabriel Fauré's beautiful setting of the Requiem Mass. Father Ryan will preside. All are welcome.

JUBILEE During the month of October, the Cathedral Chapel is home to JUBILEE, a traveling exhibit of artwork. These works celebrate rest, renewal, and relationships in keeping with the biblical concept of Jubilee. The exhibit is curated by the Grunewald Guild, a Christian arts center located just outside Leavenworth. During the month of October, stop by the Chapel any time the Cathedral is open to explore the exhibit.

LEARN MORE ABOUT VENERABLE SOLANUS CASEY After the 10:00am Mass on Sunday, November 6, two Capuchin friars will be in the Chapel to give a short talk about Venerable Solanus Casey. Learn more about this modern-day saint with close ties to the Pacific Northwest (and our own Sister Anne Herkenrath SNJM!).

FOR YOUR SAFETY It is important for you to know that at each of the weekend Masses a Seattle police officer or a private security guard is present on the Cathedral campus.

PARISH REMEMBRANCE Throughout the year, because we are the Cathedral Church, we remember in prayer at Mass and Vespers each of the parishes and missions of the Archdiocese of Seattle on a Sunday near their feast day. This week we remember in prayer the parishes of All Saints in Puyallup and St. Charles Borromeo in Tacoma and Burlington.

DONATE CLOTHES THIS SUNDAY TO ST VINCENT DE PAUL On Sunday, October 30 between 8 am and 2:30pm, an SVdP truck will be in the O'Dea parking lot! Local SVdP thrift stores are running low on clothes and Vincentians will gladly accept your gently used clothes (sorry, this time we cannot accept anything but clothes). Your items will be sold through the stores, which help fund programs benefiting our neighbors in need.

MASS FOR THE DECEASED HOMELESS On Friday, November 11 at 5:30pm, come and pray for the women and men who have died this past year on the streets or by violence in our community. Please join the St. James Housing Advocacy Committee to honor their memory, to celebrate their lives, and to pray for them. There will be a simple reception following Mass. All are welcome.

MASS FOR DECEASED O'DEA ALUMNI On Saturday, November 12 at 11:00am, O'Dea High School will celebrate its annual Alumni Memorial Mass to honor their deceased graduates. After Mass a complimentary lunch will be offered in the Isaac Orr Center, 910 Marion St. If you wish to attend the Mass and/or the lunch, respond by Tuesday, November 8, to Dianne Irwin, O'Dea High School's Director of Development, dirwin@odea.org or 206-622-7151.

RCIA REUNION Calling all former RCIA participants! Are you someone who has come through the RCIA process at St. James? Please join us for a social time to check in and catch up. We will gather on Tuesday evening, November 15 at 7:00pm in the Holy Names Room in the Pastoral Outreach Center. If you can attend RSVP to Kathleen McCabe, kmccabe@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-382-2018.

SAFE RESPONSE TRAINING Tuesday, November 15 5:30–7:30 pm Cathedral Hall. (Please note change of time!) Join Marty Reinsel, MA, LMHC, Clinical Educator and Therapist at Navos Psychiatric Hospital to learn basic intervention and de-escalation approaches including verbal and non-verbal communication, environmental and safety considerations and basic non-violent physical defense. Essential for all who volunteer and work in ministries providing outreach to our less advantaged brothers and sisters in Christ who experience serious mental illness and / or addiction. *Information*, Nancy Granger, 206-382-4269 or ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org.

VAN DRIVER NEEDED Our Sunday van ministry is an important outreach to senior parishioners who would not be able to get to 10:00am Mass on Sunday if it weren't for our drivers. Right now we have a need for a driver on the third Thursday of the month. All training provided; background check required. *Information*, Maria Laughlin, mlaughlin@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-382-4284.

CONFRONTING PORNOGRAPHY St. James will resume its weekly anonymous support group on Tuesdays at 8pm in the Pastoral Outreach Center (907 Columbia St.) The first meeting will take place on October 25. All are welcome. *Information*, Curtis Leighton, 206-264-2082, cleighton@stjames-cathedral.org.

CALLING ALL KIDS! Join in the procession at the beginning of the Noon Mass next week. Bring a drawing or photo showing how you share with others.

FAITH MENTORS IS A CLASS FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS Do you know of a family whose child could benefit from one-on-one specialized faith formation and/or preparation for sacraments? St James' Faith Mentors class meets most Sundays from 11:00 to 11:45 October through June. *Information*, Brenda Bellamy bbellamy@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-274-3108.

CHRISTMAS WREATH and POINSETTIA SALE Our ACC circle is named after Father Ryan's late mother Marjorie in honor of the many years she donated her time and amazing energy to her own ACC circle. For the 12th consecutive year, the Marjorie Ryan Circle of the Association for Catholic Childhood (ACC) will be selling the finest quality Northwest 22" mixed Noble Fir wreaths for \$20 each. We will also offer locally grown, stunning red or white 6" poinsettias for \$15 each. All proceeds from this sale go directly to the charitable local children's organizations that ACC supports. Order for yourself, or as gifts for family and friends. **Download the order form at the Cathedral website, www.stjames-cathedral.org. Orders are due by November 4!** ACC would like to extend a big thank you to the entire St. James Community for supporting our wreath sale. Because of your support we were able to donate over \$8,000 to local children's charities last year.



CATHEDRAL BOOKSTORE OPEN AFTER MASS Visitors and regulars alike are invited to stop by the Cathedral Bookstore, open following each weekend Mass thanks to our volunteers.

THANKS TO ALL OF YOU WHO PARTICIPATED in the St. James blood drive for BloodWorks NW on October 16. On October 19, Bloodworks NW donors supported a 29 year old local female who received blood due to pregnancy-related complications. She received 16 units of red cells, 11 units of plasma, and 3 units of platelets. There is a good chance she received a unit of blood donated at our blood drive. Thank you for making a life-saving difference!

THE CATHEDRAL KITCHEN THANKS Pagliacci Pizza for providing your wonderful pizzas to our guests on Thursday, October 20. With your help we served more than 180 guests on that day! Thank you, Pemco for supplying, cooking and serving your amazing dinner on Tuesday, October 25. Your lasagna, salad and delicious desserts were greatly appreciated by more than 180 meal guests.

ENJOY A GENTLE CHAIR YOGA PRACTICE, with emphasis on individual needs. Improve flexibility, joint mobility, core strength and balance. A focus on mindfulness and gratitude enhances this energizing and restorative experience. Thursdays, 6:30 – 7:45 pm Holy Names Room, Pastoral Outreach Center.

BAPTISM OF INFANTS & YOUNG CHILDREN (under the age of 7) is celebrated monthly at one of the weekend Masses. To prepare for this most important sacrament, parents and godparents participate in a series of classes to update their understanding of baptism, to reflect on their responsibility to guide their children in the practice of the faith, and to learn about the many ways our parish supports families. Please allow at least two months for preparation. *Information*, Julianna Castro, jcastro@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-619-0816.

SUPPORT GROUP FOR MOTHERS OF YOUNG CHILDREN offers moms an opportunity to connect with and support each other through the journey of motherhood. Facilitated by Ansebe Bicoff-Smit, a child, couple, and family psychotherapist, the group explores topics such as child development, emotional attachment, positive parenting, transitioning into the role of being a mother, and reconnecting with one's partner. Mothers enjoy weekly conversations with one another and experience a sense of community. Mondays 10 am – Noon *Information*, Ansebe Bicoff-Smit 240-516-676 or abicoffsmi@hushmail.com.

PARENTS' FAITH FORMATION takes place during the time your children are in their CFF classes. Learn about praying at home and new ways to pray with your family. Join other parents today, November 6 and November 13 from 11:05 – 11:40 in Room 211 of O'Dea High School. *Information*, Rosanne Michaels rmichaels@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-654-4658.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC? If you are an adult who has never been baptized, an adult who has been baptized in another Christian tradition or a Catholic who has been baptized, but not received First Eucharist or Confirmation, you are invited to participate in the RCIA, a process of initiation into the Catholic Church. You can learn more by going to www.stjames-cathedral.org/RCIA. *Information*, Kathleen McCabe, kmccabe@stjames-cathedral.org.

BABYSITTING is available for children up to four years of age on Sundays during the 10:00am and Noon Masses, during baptism preparation classes, and during special events for parents and families. The program is located in the Mother Cabrini Room on the first floor of the Pastoral Outreach Center; enter through the courtyard at Ninth and Columbia. *Information*, Suzanne Lee, slee@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-654-4640.

THINKING OF BEING MARRIED AT ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL? Parishioners are able to schedule a wedding at St. James Cathedral 14 months in advance; non-parishioners are able to schedule 12 months in advance. We do require at least six months preparation for the Sacrament of Matrimony. *Information*, Margaret Lynch, mlynch@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-382-4288

REMEMBER THE CATHEDRAL IN YOUR WILL The generous bequests of parishioners and friends is critical to fulfilling the mission of St James Cathedral. Each year, we rely on bequests to help us carry out our mission of prayer and outreach here on First Hill. *Information*, Maria Laughlin, 206-382-4284 or e-mail mLaughlin@stjames-cathedral.org.

YOUTH MINISTRY

CATHOLIC YOUTH CONVENTION Register now for your spot with the Cathedral Youth delegation to this year's CYC at the Puyallup Fairgrounds Nov. 12 and 13. It's bound to be a weekend of fun activities, prayer, community, and a lasting experience of God's "Reckless Mercy" in our lives. Register online at <http://www.oyyae.org/youthministry/calendar/cyc-2016>

NPH MISSION TRIP We invite youth and families who desire to be in solidarity with the poor to consider joining our parish mission trip to Nicaragua in July 2017. Space is limited on this transformative experience, so please don't delay if you think you or your family would like to join us. Contact Curtis Leighton.

PUMPKING-CARVING PARTY this Sunday after the 5:30pm Mass with Cathedral Youth and Young Adults! Fun, prizes and autumnal gourd creations await in the Cathedral Hall THIS Sunday evening! Note: this will take the place of our regular Youth Night in the Pastoral Outreach Center.

QUESTIONS? Curtis Leighton, 206-264-2082, cleighton@stjames-cathedral.org

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

For Catholics in their 20s and 30s

TAIZE AND SIMPLE SUPPER Come enjoy a simple meal and lively conversation after the Ecumenical Contemplative Prayer on Friday, Nov. 4. The service begins at 6:30pm; we'll gather afterward in the Pastoral Outreach Center (across Columbia St.) for the meal. Welcome to non-Catholic young adults as well our regulars!

FLAG FOOTBALL Our small but formidable flag football team continues to represent the Cathedral Young Adults well! If you're interested in joining us for a Saturday game or playing in Turkey Bowl Tournament that ends the season on Nov. 19, contact Curtis Leighton, cleighton@stjames-cathedral.org.

PUMPKIN CARVING CONTEST See details above!

Information, Curtis Leighton, 206-264-2082, cleighton@stjames-cathedral.org

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The Protestant Reformation: 500 Years

31 OCTOBER 1517—31 OCTOBER 2017

This coming Monday, Pope Francis will travel to Sweden to lead an ecumenical prayer service with Lutheran leaders in Lund Cathedral. In the afternoon, he will participate in a second ecumenical event in Malmö arena where he will meet with delegations of different Christian churches. What is the occasion?

October 31 marks the beginning of a year-long, worldwide observance of the 500th anniversary of the beginning of the Protestant Reformation. On October 31, 1517, Martin Luther, an Augustinian priest, submitted his “Ninety-Five Theses” on indulgences to the Archbishop of Mainz and the Bishop of Brandenburg. Famously, he also nailed them to the door of the castle church in Wittenberg. What began as a theological debate soon became much more, and all of Europe was caught up in religious controversy, often leading to political strife. Five hundred years later—after many years of prejudice and misunderstanding on both sides—Lutherans and Catholics have begun to explore this history together, to understand how much we share, and to discuss what still divides us. “What happened in the past cannot be changed,” write a joint group of Catholic and Lutheran leaders in *From Conflict to Communion*, “but what is remembered of the past and how it is remembered can, with the passage of time, indeed change.... In view of 2017, the point is not to tell a different history, but to tell that history differently.”

Martin Luther was born in 1483 and prepared for a career in the law. In 1505, as he was journeying back to university after a visit home, he was caught in a summer thunderstorm. Lightning struck near him, and, terrified, he cried out, “Help! Saint Anna! I will become a monk!” When he completed his journey safely, he considered this a binding vow, and entered the Augustinian monastery at Erfurt. There he dedicated himself to a life of prayer, penance, and study. Following his ordination and completion of doctoral studies, he joined the faculty of the University of Wittenberg.

The “flash point” for Reformation came in 1517, with a controversy over indulgences. In that year, papal indulgences were being sold all over Europe, to raise funds for the new St. Peter’s Basilica. An indulgence is not a replacement for the sacrament of reconciliation; rather, it is a remission of the “temporal punishment to be expiated in this life or in the life to come, namely, in Purgatory” (*Enchiridion Indulgentiarum*, 1999). The use of indulgences (which still exist but are no longer bought and sold in the Church today) is rooted in the power of binding and loosing



“I cannot do otherwise, here I stand, may God help me, Amen.” *Portrait of Martin Luther by Lucas Cranach the Elder.*

which Christ conferred upon St. Peter and his successors.

On October 31, on the eve of All Saints Day, Martin Luther published his “Disputation on the Efficacy and Power of Indulgences” (the “Ninety-Five Theses”) raising questions about the efficacy of indulgences and the use of the money paid for them. Luther’s theses were intended to start an academic discussion of the issue. But the objections he had raised spread like wildfire and soon were impacting the fundraising campaigns. Luther’s works were condemned and he was accused of heresy. “I cannot and I will not retract anything, since it is neither safe nor right to go against conscience,” he told the Diet of Worms. “I cannot do otherwise, here I stand, may God help me, Amen.” In 1521, Luther was excommunicated by Pope Leo X.

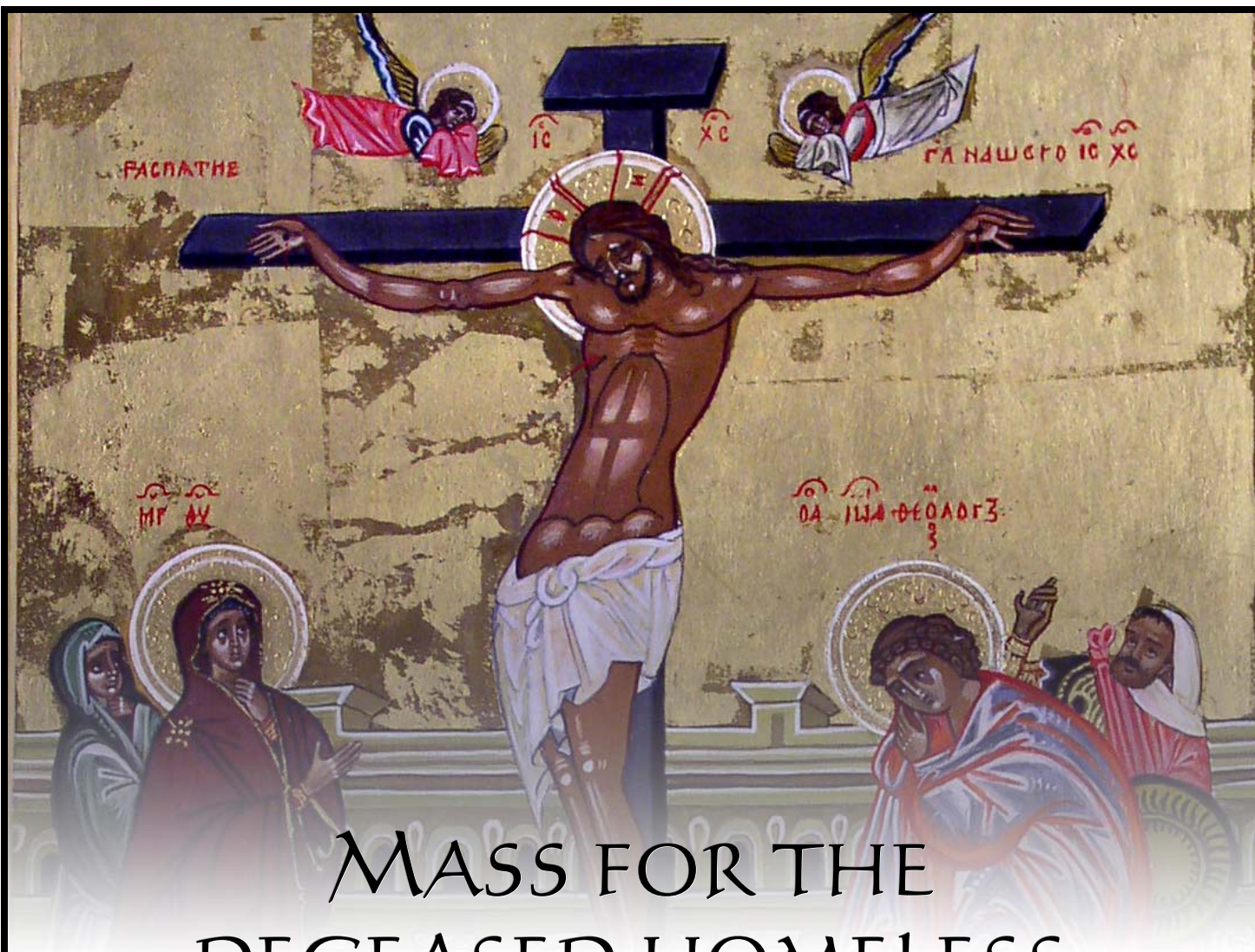
In the meantime, Luther continued to develop his theology of *sola fide*, we are saved by ‘faith alone.’ He also translated the

Scriptures into German, and composed many works to help ordinary lay people understand their faith better, especially catechisms and hymns. Luther both wrote and composed many hymns, most famously “A mighty fortress is our God.” He said of sacred music, “we marvel when we hear music in which one voice sings a simple melody, while three, four, or five other voices play and trip lustily around the voice that sings its simple melody and adorn this simple melody wonderfully with artistic musical effects, thus reminding us of a heavenly dance, where all meet in a spirit of friendliness, caress and embrace. A person who gives this some thought and yet does not regard music as a marvelous creation of God, must be a clodhopper indeed and does not deserve to be called a human being; he should be permitted to hear nothing but the braying of asses and the grunting of hogs.” The Lutheran treasury of hymns has greatly enriched our Catholic worship—one of many points of intersection between Catholics and Lutherans.

The coming year-long observance is an opportunity to learn anew the history of the Reformation, which has had such a profound impact for Lutherans and Catholics alike; to pray for each other; to heal old wounds; and to continue along the path of encounter and dialogue.

A mighty fortress is our God,
a bulwark never failing;
our helper he, amid the flood
of mortal ills prevailing.

—Corinna Laughlin



MASS FOR THE DECEASED HOMELESS

You are invited to gather at St. James Cathedral on
Friday, November 11, 2016, at 5:30 pm
for a special Mass in memory of the men and women
who died on the streets or by violence
in our community this past year.

Please join us to honor their memory, to celebrate their lives,
and to pray for them. Father Ryan will preside at the Mass;
a simple reception will follow. All are welcome to bring winter hats,
gloves, and scarves to be distributed to those in need.

St. James Cathedral is located at 9th and Marion on First Hill in Downtown Seattle.
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I desire mercy

An exploration of the Biblical call to mercy

PATTY BOWMAN, PRESENTER



Mondays, November 7, 14, 21, and 28

6:30pm-8:00pm, Holy Names Room

Pastoral Outreach Center, 907 Columbia Street

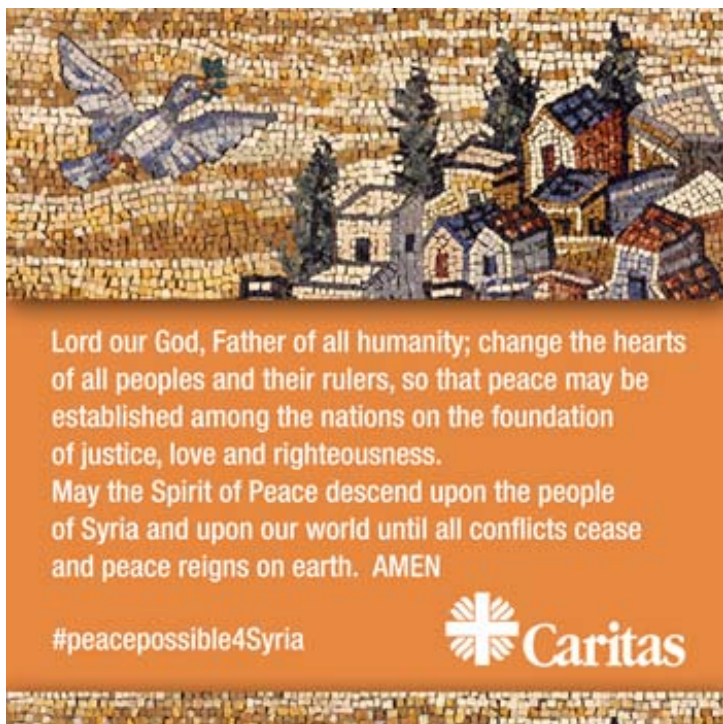
"I desire mercy, not sacrifice, and knowledge of God rather than holocausts."

Hosea 6:6

As we draw near to the conclusion of the Year of Mercy, you are invited to join in an exploration of the theme of mercy as it appears in Scripture. Patty Bowman will help us to explore questions like: What are some of the ways in which mercy is described in Scripture? How is mercy consistent with the Biblical portrayal of justice? How does Scripture summon us to Pope Francis' "revolution of tenderness?"

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Pray with Pope Francis for Peace in Syria

On Monday, October 31, 2016

In July, Cardinal Luis Antonio Tagle, said, "We need a worldwide movement towards peace in Syria." On October 31, please join Pope Francis in prayer for Peace in Syria at 3 p.m. in Sweden. Caritas Internationalis is inviting people of faith around the world to pray at that time (6 a.m. local time) or any time that works for you that day. Go to <http://syria.caritas.org> to learn more.

Looking for Ways to help Syrian Refugees Already Here?

The Sayouf family is a Syrian refugee family consisting of 5 members – Omar (father), Manar (mother), and their three daughters. Rana is 10, Hala is 8, and Maria is 4 years old. The Sayouf family lives in Tukwila where their monthly rent is \$1150. They don't speak much English but are all trying hard to learn. Omar continues to look for a job that pays a livable wage. He worked as a furniture carpenter in Homs, Syria. In early 2014, the Sayouf family fled Syria after being under siege for six months during which time water and electricity were cut off and daily bombing was the way of life. They made their escape to Jordan and lived in the Zaatari camp. They applied for resettlement through UNHCR, eventually were interviewed by the US Embassy officials, and were accepted for resettlement in July 2016. They arrived in Texas in early August, only to find Syrian refugees the target of anti-refugee rhetoric from local politicians. Fearing what might happen, they decided to move to Washington.

There are many ways you could help this family and others. To get involved or just find out more, contact our friends at the Syrian American Coordination Committee of Washington at www.saccwa.org or email Alex Kabor at aakabor@yahoo.com

Want to help refugees and immigrants, but don't know how?

Contact Cecelia Erin Walsh at 206-382-4511 or cwalsh@stjames-cathedral.org

As the Client Services Coordinator for St. James Immigrant Assistance, she will help you find the place that matches your interests, talents, and gifts.

The Syrian American Coordination Committee of Washington

is a local non-profit helping displaced Syrians by providing food, baby formula, hygiene products, clothing, blankets, school supplies, medical and housing assistance. They help displaced Syrians in Syria, Jordan, Turkey, Greece, as well as the U.S.

CATHOLIC 101

Throughout the coming year, the last Wednesday of each month will be devoted to a refresher course in the basics of Catholic life and teaching.

September 28: CATHEDRAL 101

7:00pm, in the Cathedral

FATHER RYAN launches the series. Cathedral tour included!

October 26: BIBLE 101

7:00pm, Holy Names Room

FATHER JAMES EBLEN, Professor Emeritus of Scripture at Seattle University, offers an introduction to reading scripture

November 30: WAY OF BEAUTY 101

7:00pm, Holy Names Room

FATHER TOM LUCAS, SJ, explores the idea of beauty. "Every expression of true beauty can thus be acknowledged as a path leading to an encounter with the Lord Jesus." (Pope Francis)

January 25: LITURGY OF THE HOURS 101

7:30pm (note start time), Holy Names Room

ANDREW CASAD, Director of Liturgy for the Archdiocese of Seattle, gives an overview of the "Prayer of the Church"—and an opportunity to pray together.

February 22: GRACE 101—FLANNERY O'CONNOR

7:00pm, Holy Names Room

Through Flannery O'Connor's story "Revelation," FATHER STEPHEN ROWAN walks us through the often violent ways that grace transforms people in a secular age.

March 29: HOLY WEEK 101

7:00pm, Room 1EW, Cathedral Place

Director of Liturgy CORINNA LAUGHLIN leads us on a guided tour through the great liturgies of Holy Week. The perfect way to prepare for the coming holy days.

April 26: RESURRECTION 101

7:00pm, Holy Names Room

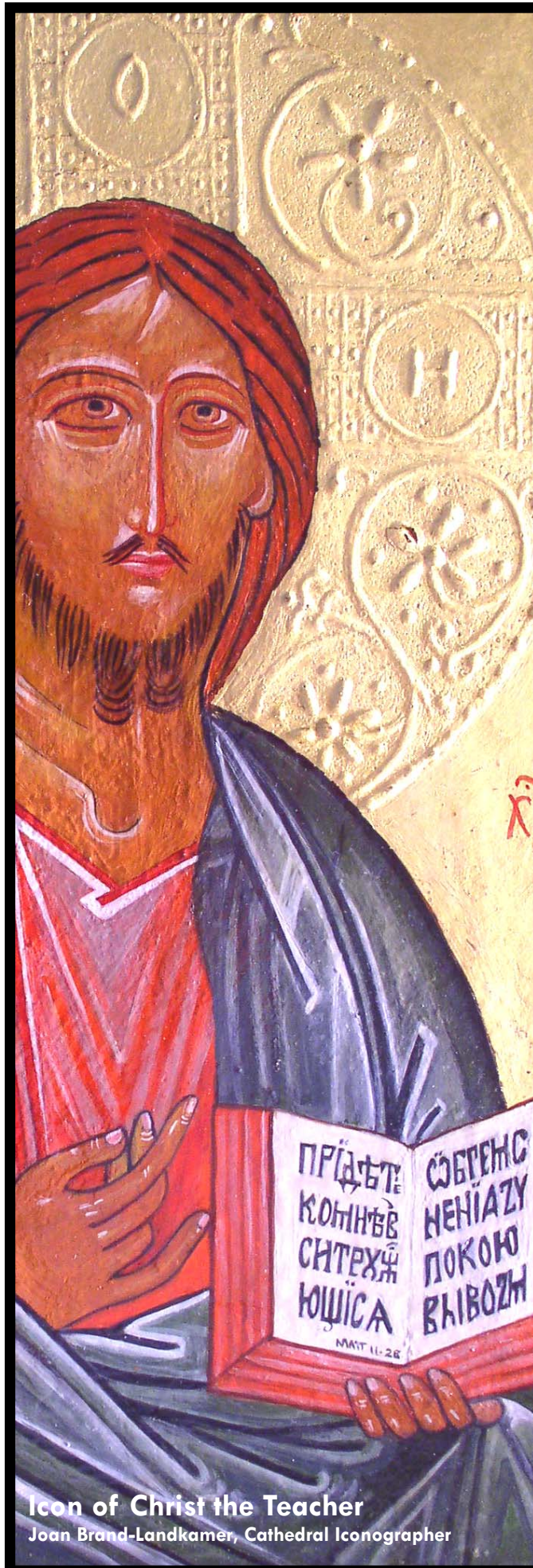
Theologian FATHER MIKE RASCHKO explores the question of suffering in the light of Christ's resurrection

June 28: MUSIC 101

7:00pm, Holy Names Room

DR. PAUL THORNOCK explores the basics of liturgical music, and the role it plays in the celebration of the Mass. Some singing may be involved!

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Icon of Christ the Teacher

Joan Brand-Landkamer, Cathedral Iconographer