



We should glory in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, for he is our salvation
Christ Crucified. Detail of East Apse Stained Glass Window, St. James Cathedral.
Hans Gottfried von Stockhausen, 1994.

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL
Exaltation of the Holy Cross

September 14, 2008



ORDER OF CELEBRATION FOR THE TRIUMPH OF THE CROSS

Out of respect for the liturgy we are about to celebrate,
PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES.

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (Saturday 5:30pm)

PRELUDE
8:00

Soul, adorn thyself in gladness, BWV 654
Our Father, who art in heaven

Bach
Böhm

INTROIT

Ours it is to joy and glory (Nos autem gloriari)

NEANDER

1. Ours it is to joy and glo - ry in the cross of
2. God be gra - cious now and bless us, shine His face on
3. To the plains, then, shall you lead them, in - to vast and
4. May the earth then yield a - bun - dance as the bless - ing
5. Ours it is to boast and glo - ry on - ly, in the

Je - sus Christ, for in Him we find sal - va - tion,
us, and come. Then shall all the world con - fess that
le - vel lands, there to make them glad and feed them,
of our Lord while all lands on earth with rev' - rence
cross of Christ, source of mer - cy and sal - va - tion,

re - sur - rec - tion, life and grace; in Him, too, are
he is Lord, his rule be - gun. Let the na - tions
grant them jus - tice at your hands. Let the na - tions
hold him wor - shipped and a - dored. Let the na - tions
re - sur - rec - tion, life, and grace, auth - or of all

we set free, saved and brought to vic - to - ry.
sing your praise, all as one pro - claim your grace.
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li - ber - ty, health and last - ing Vic - to - ry.

WELCOMING OF THE CHILDREN TO BE BAPTIZED (Saturday 5:30pm)

PENITENTIAL RITE

Vatican XVI

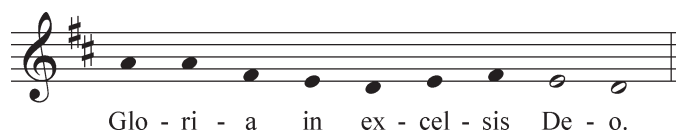
1 & 3. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.

2. Chri - ste e - lei - son.

DISMISSAL TO THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD (Noon)

GLORIA

Mass of Angels



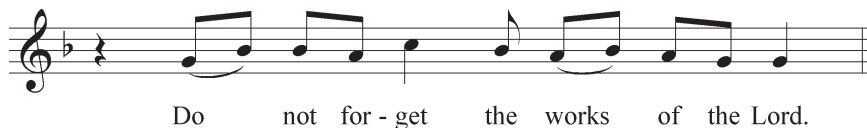
LITURGY OF THE WORD

READINGS No. 1050

PSALM RESPONSE

Psalm 78

Marier



ALLELUIA No. 237

chant

HOMILY

Father Michael G. Ryan

DISMISSAL OF THE CATECHUMENS AND CANDIDATES (10:00am)

Lift high the cross

CREED No. 238

RITE OF BAPTISM (Saturday 5:30pm)

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

Litany of Saints

LITANY OF SAINTS No. 827

BLESSING OF WATER

RENUNCIATION OF SIN AND PROFESSION OF FAITH *All respond, I do.*

BAPTISMAL ACCLAMATIONS

Herbolsheimer, adapt.



SPRINKLING WITH BAPTISMAL WATER *Vidi aquam*

Hurd



ENTRANCE OF THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

EXPLANATORY RITES

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

Offertory (10:00)

Crux fidelis

King John of Portugal

Faithful cross, above all other, the one noble tree.
None in foliage, nor in blossom, nor in fruit offers more:
sweetest wood and sweetest iron,
sweetest weight is hung on thee!

(All other Masses)

Lift high the Cross

CRUCIFER

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro - claim 'till
all the world a - dore his sa - cred name.

SANCTUS

Compostela Mass

Holst, adapt. Ryan

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might, heav'n and
earth are full of your glo - - - ry. Ho - san - na in the
high - est, Ho - san - na in the high - est. Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Compostela Mass

Holst, adapt. Ryan

Lord, by your cross and res - sur - rec - tion,
you have set us free; you are the sav - ior of the world.

AMEN

Compostela Mass

Holst, adapt. Ryan

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

LORD'S PRAYER No. 246

AGNUS DEI

Vatican XVIII

Cantor: ALL:
A - gnus De - i, * qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta mun - di: 1, 2. mi - se - re - re no - bis.
3. do - na no - bis pa - cem.

COMMUNION

(10:00)

By the sign of the cross,
deliver us from our enemies, O Lord our God.

Philippians Canticle

Beach

Christ being found in fashion as a man,
He humbled himself and became obedient unto death,
even the death of the Cross.
Wherefore God also hath highly exalted Him,
and given Him a name which is above every name:
that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow,
of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth,
and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

When you return to your seat after receiving Holy Communion, please kneel or be seated. This is the norm for large assemblies in the Archdiocese of Seattle and we thank you for following our practice.

HYMN OF PRAISE

When I survey the wondrous cross
Verse 3 will be sung "slowly"

HAMBURG



1. When I sur - vey the won - drous cross
2. For - bid it, Lord, that I should boast
3. See, from his head, his hands, his feet,
4. Were the whole realm of na - ture mine,

On which the Prince of Glo - ry died,
Save in the death of Christ, my God;
Sor - row and love flow min - gled down;
That were a pres - ent far too small:

My rich - est gain I count but loss,
All the vain things that charm me most,
Did e'er such love and sor - row meet,
Love so a - maz - ing, so di - vine,

And pour con - tempt on all my pride.
I sac - ri - fice them to his blood.
Or thorns com - pose so rich a crown?
De - mands my soul, my life, my all.

PROCESSION

8:00

Preludium & Fugue in G Major, BWV 541
Preludium in G Major, BuxWV 147

Bach
Buxtehude

St. James Cathedral - Seattle

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

The Most Reverend Alexander J. Brunett, Archbishop of Seattle

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The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan

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The Reverend Thomas Marti, MM

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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. Please call the parish office for an appointment.

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 regularly. In other situations (anticipated surgery, emergency) please call the parish office.

ECUMENICAL PRAYER with music from Taizé, Fridays at 6:30 pm.

TOURS OF THE CATHEDRAL Groups of 6 or more may arrange a tour by calling Maria Laughlin, 206-382-4284

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

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL PARISH

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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. Thanks, in part, to the generosity of visitors like you, we are able to celebrate the Church's liturgy here in a fitting and beautiful way. We are also able to offer a wide range of services to needy people living in the central district of our city.*

FLOWERS IN THE CATHEDRAL are in memory of David Pettigrew on his birthday and also of Ed Lynch, Marna Pettigrew's father. Flowers are also from the Saturday wedding of Ariadna Archer and Remi Gunsett.

REGISTRATION FOR CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION will be in Cathedral Hall today, September 14, after the 10:00 am and 12 noon Masses. Children's Liturgy of the Word resumes on September 7 at the noon Mass. Faith Formation classes begin on September 28. Our theme for this new school year is: "Toward Jesus with St. Paul." We look forward to seeing you. *Information*, Lita McBride 206-654-4658, or TerryAnn Bowen 206-382-2018.

AN INTRODUCTION TO ST. PAUL As part of our ongoing celebration of the Year of St. Paul, the three week introductory series on St. Paul and his writings will be repeated on Tuesday evenings, September 9, 16 and 30 from 7:00-9:00 pm at Cathedral Place, second floor. This is a great opportunity to learn more about St. Paul and prepare for this year's bible studies on Corinthians and Romans. "I never knew Paul could be so interesting and insightful!" commented one of last year's participants. *Information*, Helen Oesterle, 206-382-4514, hoesterle@stjames-cathedral.org

BAPTISM AND FIRST COMMUNION FOR CHILDREN aged seven and older takes place through RCIA adapted for children. If your child would like to be baptized, or has been baptized into another Christian Church and would like to be received into the Catholic Church, or baptized Catholic but not catechized, call for details about this process. Classes begin September 28. Registration will be available at the Children's Faith Formation registration table in Cathedral Hall following the 10:00 and 12:00 Masses on September 14, or contact TerryAnn Bowen tbowen@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-382-2018.

CONGRATULATIONS AND GOD'S BLESSINGS to Nicole Bognar and Taylor Loykasek and also Shannon Watts and Michael McQuaid, married in the Cathedral on Saturday, September 6. Please keep them in your prayers as they begin their new life together.

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 Holy Cross, Tacoma and Granite Falls; and Our Lady of Sorrows, Snoqualmie.*

I AM IN YOUR MIDST AS ONE WHO SERVES

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

CATHEDRAL KITCHEN Stuck in traffic after work? Come and help clean the Parish Hall from 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm. We are also always looking for more volunteers to join our daily prep teams—start time 2:00 pm. *Information*, Jill McAuliffe, 206-264-2091.

SOLANUS CASEY CENTER, a joint outreach ministry of St. James Cathedral, Catholic Community Services, and the Archdiocesan Detention Ministry, is seeking volunteers to assist in providing information, referrals and ministry of presence to homeless persons and to people recently released from detention. We are especially looking for volunteers on Monday afternoons. *Information*, Patty Bowman, 206-382-4515, pbowman@stjames-cathedral.org.

LOOKING FOR ENERGETIC YOUNG ADULTS (ages 21-35). Combine your desires to have fun and plan events and become part of our Young Adults coordinating team. Our goal is to provide great events for young adults to enjoy – social and faith-based. Bring your energy, thoughts and ideas, and skills and help make it a great year for young adults at St. James! *Information* TerryAnn Bowen tbowen@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-382-2018.

ARE YOU REGISTERED TO VOTE? The Church teaches that we have a moral obligation to participate in the political process. If you are not yet registered to vote, please consider doing so. You can register to vote at the coffee hours following the Sunday morning masses today and next Sunday. To learn more about how we are called as Catholics to bring our consciences to bear on how we vote, visit the Faithful Citizenship website, www.faithfulcitizenship.org. *Information*, Patty Bowman, 206-382-4515.

ARE YOU A CATHOLIC WHO HAS BEEN AWAY FROM THE CHURCH? Our Welcome Back program provides a safe place, in the company of others who are also examining their faith, to ask questions about returning to regular church attendance, returning to the sacraments, and to learn about changes in the church. The sessions are offered on Mondays from 7:00-9:00 pm, September 15 through December 8 (except no class on September 22) in Cathedral Place, 2nd floor. Classes are offered without any obligation. *Information*, TerryAnn Bowen 206-382-2018 or tbowen@stjames-cathedral.org

THE NEXT SENIOR TRIP will be Wednesday September 17. Enjoy downtown Leavenworth and its Bavarian charm! Explore the shops and find everything from nutcrackers, beer steins and music boxes to specialty

cheeses, handmade soaps, candles and chocolates. Space is limited and priority will be given to registered parishioners! *Information*, or to reserve your place leave a message with John Simpson, Pastoral Care Minister, at 206-274-3173 or jsimpson@stjames-cathedral.org.

“SPIRITUALITY ON TAP” - YOUNG ADULT GATHERING PRESENTS: “Spirituality Woven Through Daily Life: A Conversation on Staying Grounded in the ‘Real World’.” Four young adults will share on the every day impact of their spiritual lives on decisions of profession, relationships, care of the earth, and involvement in their community. Hosted by Ignatian Spirituality Center and St. Joseph’s Parish for young adults 21-35 thirsty for spiritual nourishment in community, September 18, 7:00-9:00 pm at St. Joseph’s Parish, 732 18th Ave. E. Seattle. *Information* deb@ignatiancenter.org or see www.ignatiancenter.org.

WINTER SHELTER TOILETRIES DONATIONS NEEDED

St. James is gearing up for its 17th year of Winter Shelter. As part of their overnight stay at our shelter, the men are given toiletries that they can use to freshen up before they head out for the day (many go to work in the mornings). Please consider dropping off any of the following unused items in the blue bin at coffee hour: disposable razors, small sewing kits, cough drops, economy-sized bottles of Tums and Tylenol, and travel-sized toothpaste, shampoo, and lotion. *Information*, Denise Carlascio, 425 481-6839.

LISTENING DEVICES Did you know the Cathedral has an assistive listening system? If you have difficulty hearing the spoken word, please talk to an usher about borrowing a listening device to use during Mass.



THE YEAR OF ST. PAUL

Each week during this Year of St. Paul, watch this space in the bulletin for reflection questions that will lead us deeper into the writings and example of St. Paul. You are also invited to visit the Place of Prayer in the west aisle and at www.stjames-cathedral.org.

On this Feast of the Triumph of the Cross, we hear a hymn or canticle from St. Paul’s letter to the Philippians (2:6-11). The first part of the poem focuses on the humility of Christ, who emptied himself to take on our human flesh. The second part speaks of God’s action, raising Christ from death. At the very center, the turning point of the poem, is the word “cross.” When in your life have you encountered the cross? How did the encounter transform you?

St. Paul tells the Philippians, “have among yourselves the same attitude that is also yours in Christ Jesus” (Philippians 2:5). What do today’s readings reveal about Christ’s “attitude”? If we had that same attitude, what might be different about the way we live our lives?

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

September 14, 2008

Dear Friends,

I'm writing this on a beautiful Indian summer day that is considerably nicer than almost any day we had this past summer. In fact, I feel like I should put "summer" in quotation marks! But whether it seemed like summer or not, it's almost over and fall is taking over nicely.

It's always nice to be able to share good news. Two weekends ago, Paul Wilkes, a nationally acclaimed writer and filmmaker, was with us to speak about the Home of Hope, an orphanage for poor and abused girls in the south of India. At latest count, your gifts to this wonderful cause came to over \$40,000, a remarkable response, but not a surprising one to someone who has been around long enough to know the generosity of the people of St. James Cathedral. And, in case you're curious, it does look like there will be a cow named Mike. I can't wait to get a picture!

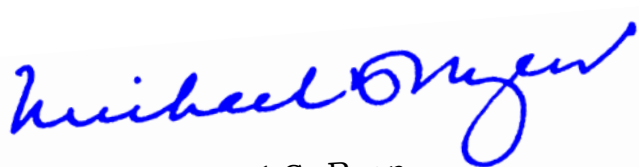
The Archbishop Hunthausen Charity Golf Tournament is a week from Monday. It's not too late to sign up to play and, for the non-golfers among you, the dinner afterwards has become a most enjoyable parish social event. Newcastle Golf Club is stunning, the dinner will be delicious, the auction fun, and the cause (our social outreach programs) couldn't be better. (Registration materials are in today's bulletin.)

Last week many of you took advantage of the opportunity to contribute to the campaign to defeat I-1000, the ballot initiative that would legalize physician-assisted suicide. On Monday evening, October 7, at 7:00 pm you will have an opportunity to learn more about the Initiative and the Church's position from Sister Sharon Park, OP, Executive Director of the Washington State Catholic Conference. Sister Sharon is coordinating the response of the Catholic bishops of the State of Washington and is extremely articulate on the subject. Her presentation should be well worth hearing. The following Monday, October 14, Patty Bowman, director of Cathedral outreach ministries, will give a follow-up talk on the "consistent ethic of life," the Church's approach to a whole host of important questions that deal with the unique value of each and every human life. Both of these presentations are part of our Respect Life Month observance and should be very timely in light of the coming elections.

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And speaking of "life" questions: Sister Helen Prejean, who became famous some years ago for her book (later a movie) "Dead Man Walking," will present the **second annual St. James Cathedral Lecture at 7:30 pm in Cathedral Hall on Thursday evening, October 2.** You may remember that Vatican correspondent, John Allen, presented the first of these lectures last year at this time. It is a rare privilege for us to be able to host Sister Helen. Her message is a powerful one and a timely one, too. Because it will take place the same evening as the Vice-Presidential Debate between Senator Biden and Governor Palin (bad timing on our part, I know, but we had our event scheduled long before the debate!), we are going to make a 'package deal' of the evening: from 6:00-7:30 pm, those who wish to may gather in the Pastoral Outreach Center to watch the debate on TV. Feel free to bring a brown bag lunch if you like. Following the debate, Sister Helen will present her lecture. Any way you look at it, this will be a memorable evening!

Keep your seatbelts fastened. It's going to be a busy fall!



Father Michael G. Ryan



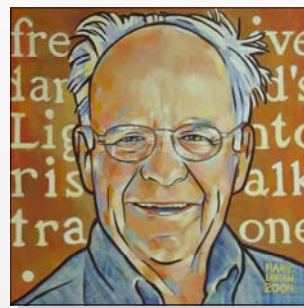
St. James Cathedral presents
the Archbishop Raymond G. Hunthausen

Benefit Dinner & Auction

Supporting St. James Cathedral's outreach programs
to children, the elderly & the homeless

Monday, September 22, 2008
The Golf Club at Newcastle
Newcastle, Washington

PLEASE JOIN ARCHBISHOP HUNTHAUSEN at a Benefit Dinner and Auction. The evening begins with a cocktail reception and silent auction at 5:30pm, continues with a marvelous dinner at the beautiful St. Andrews Ballroom at the Golf Club at Newcastle, and concludes with a fun live auction benefiting the Cathedral's outreach ministries. Come on your own or reserve a table for you and friends. The views are spectacular and the company can't be beat. This year, there will be some great surprises on the auction block!



The cost of \$100 per person includes a \$50 tax-deductible donation to support St. James Cathedral's outreach ministries.

Information, Maria Laughlin, 206-382-4284
or visit www.stjames-cathedral.org

BENEFIT DINNER & AUCTION

Please print

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- ☐ Bill my VISA/Mastercard
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Name as it appears on Credit Card

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Expiration date

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Cathedral Blood Drive

Tuesday, September 16, 2008
Pastoral Outreach Center
1:00pm to 3:30pm, 4:15pm to 7:00pm

Your Community Blood Center

Puget Sound Blood Center is an independent, volunteer-supported, nonprofit community resource. It is a key link in the healthcare network, providing blood, tissue and specialized laboratory services in Western Washington and across the Northwest. Blood Center physicians offer 24-hour consultation to the medical community on transfusion and transplantation medicine issues, and provide valuable education aimed at improving patient care.

Who needs blood?

Most of us will require a blood transfusion at some point in our lifetimes. To meet the transfusion needs of patients in our community, at least 900 people must donate blood through the Puget Sound Blood Center every weekday.

Who can donate blood?

Most people can donate blood. Those who are at least 18 years old and weigh at least 110 pounds may donate blood every 56 days. Those 16 or 17 may donate with a signed Blood Center permission slip; there is no upper age limit. Some health conditions or medications may temporarily or permanently prevent people from donating blood.

Sign up today!

Sign up at coffee hours on 8/31, 9/7 and 9/14. Or e-mail jsimpson@stjames-cathedral.org to sign up or to find out more. Or call 206-274-3173.

At left: St. Luke the Physician. *Madonna & Child with Saints* (detail), Neri di Bicci, ca. 1456

Sponsored by St. James Cathedral's Health and Healing Ministry

Olivier Messiaen

the complete works for organ

in honor of the 100th anniversary of the composer's birth

a joint presentation in six recitals by the four organists of Seattle's cathedrals...



Born in 1908, the French composer Olivier Messiaen left an incredible legacy of sound in the organ works he composed during his lifetime. Organist of the Church of La Trinité in Paris from 1931 until his death in 1992, his profound Catholic faith found expression in these great personal musical reflections.

Throughout the fall season, the four organists of St. James Cathedral and St. Mark's Cathedral will mark the centenary of Messiaen's birth with performances of his complete organ works in six recitals.



The first recital begins this coming weekend with Cathedral Organist Joseph Adam performing ***Les corps glorieux*** — "Seven brief visions of the life of the resurrected" — written in 1939 on the brink of war. Cathedral Associate Organist Clint Kraus will open the program with performances of ***L'Apparition de l'Église éternelle***, ***Monodie***, and ***Diptyque***. Hear this deeply-felt music by one of the 20th century's greatest Catholic composers come alive on the spectacular organs and incredible acoustics of St. James Cathedral.

Upcoming recitals at St. James Cathedral will be on Friday, November 7; Monday, November 24; and Sunday, December 7. Recitals at St. Mark's Cathedrals are on Friday, October 24 and Friday, November 21.

Friday, September 19 at 8:00 pm

\$15 suggested donation, with students & seniors paying as able.

Reserved passes are available online

Information at www.stjames-cathedral.org/music or call 206-382-4874

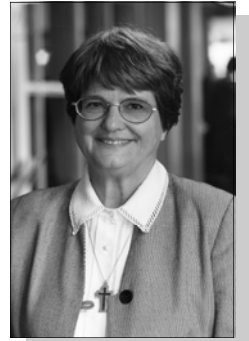
Dead Man Walking: The Journey Continues

An Evening with SISTER HELEN PREJEAN, CSJ
Thursday, October 2, 2008 at 7:30pm
Cathedral Hall, St. James Cathedral, Seattle

"Is God *vengeful*, demanding a death for a death?
Or is God *compassionate*, luring souls into love so
great that no one can be considered 'enemy'?"

Sister Helen Prejean

SISTER HELEN PREJEAN was born on April 21, 1939, in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. She joined the Sisters of St. Joseph of Medaille in 1957. Sister Helen began her prison ministry in 1981 when she dedicated her life to the poor of New Orleans. While living in the St. Thomas housing project, she became pen pals with Patrick Sonnier, the convicted killer of two teenagers, sentenced to die in the electric chair of Louisiana's Angola State Prison. Upon Sonnier's request, Sister Helen repeatedly visited him as his spiritual advisor. In doing so, her eyes were opened to the Louisiana execution process. Sister Helen turned her experiences into a book that not only made the 1994 American Library Associates Notable Book List, it was also nominated for a 1993 Pulitzer Prize. *Dead Man Walking: An Eyewitness Account of the Death Penalty in the United States* was number one on the New York Times Best Seller List for 31 weeks. It also was an international best seller and has been translated into ten different languages.



I WAS IN PRISON AND YOU
DID NOT VISIT ME

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RSVP An Evening with Sister Helen Prejean, CSJ

- ☐ YES, I/we will be attending DEAD MAN WALKING: THE JOURNEY CONTINUES on October 2, 2008 at 7:30pm. Please send me _____ passes.
Suggested donation \$10 each.

NAME(S) _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ E-MAIL _____

Please drop this form in the offering basket or mail to:

Sister Helen Prejean Lecture, St. James Cathedral, 804 Ninth Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98104
or e-mail mlaughlin@stjames-cathedral.org



Foundations of our Catholic Faith

An Adult Faith Formation Program

*What does the Catholic Church believe
and what difference does it make
in my life?*

Sunday afternoons, 1:30-5:30 pm

October 12, October 26, February 22,
March 8, March 22, April 19, April 26
at St. Peter's Parish Hall, Beacon Hill

Using the Bible, *The Catechism of the Catholic Church*, and Church documents, this adult enrichment program will explore the Catholic interpretation of scripture, key theological concepts, and the history of the Church. This is a wonderful opportunity for an in-depth look at Catholic teaching and its implications for our everyday lives.

YEAR 1 CLASSES ♦ Introduction to Scripture and Tradition ♦ The Pentateuch ♦ God and the Human Person ♦ Matthew and Mark ♦ Luke and Acts ♦ History: The Founding of the Church

This three-year course is sponsored by the Office of Catholic Faith Formation of the Archdiocese of Seattle. **Registration is required** and the cost is \$5 per person/class for Cathedral parishioners. Brochures are available at the Parish Office or contact Helen Oesterle, 206-382-4514, hoesterle@stjames-cathedral.org for more information.