

# ORDER OF CELEBRATION FOR THE SOLEMNITY OF

# *Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe*

PRELUDE

“Prayer before Communion” from *Livre du Saint-Sacrement*

Messiaen

(8:00)

*All glory be to God on high*, BWV 664

Bach

## THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

ENTRANCE

*Crown him with many crowns*

DIADEMATATA



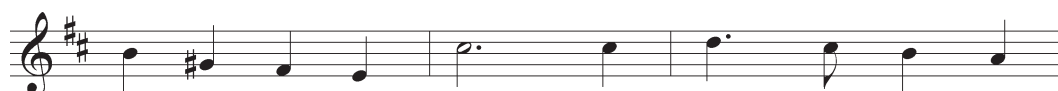
1. Crown him with man - y crowns, The Lamb up -  
2. Crown him the Lord of life, Who tri - umphed  
3. Crown him the Lord of love, Be - hold his  
4. Crown him the Lord of peace, Whose pow'r a  
5. Crown him the Lord of years, The ris - en



on his throne; Hark! how the heav'n - ly an - them drowns All  
o'er the grave, And rose vic - to - rious in the strife For  
hands and side, Rich wounds yet vis - i - ble a - bove In  
scep - ter sways From pole to pole, that wars may cease, Ab -  
Lord sub - lime, Cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, The



mu - sic but its own. A - wake, my soul, and sing Of  
those he came to save. His glo - ries now we sing, Who  
beau - ty glo - ri - fied. No an - gel in the sky Can  
sorbed in prayer and praise. His reign shall know no end, And  
Mas - ter of all time. All, hail, Re - deem - er, hail! For



him who set us free, And hail him as your  
died and rose on high, Who died, e - ter - nal  
full - y bear that sight, But down - ward bends his  
round his pier - ed feet Fair flowers of Par - a -  
you have died for me; Your praise and glo - ry



heav'n - ly King Through all e - ter - ni - ty.  
life to bring, And lives that death may die.  
burn - ing eye At mys - ter - ies so bright.  
dise ex - tend Their fra - grance ev - er sweet.  
shall not fail Through - out e - ter - ni - ty.

PENITENTIAL ACT **No. 340 in Worship hymnal**

Vatican XVI

(10:00)

“Kyrie” from *Mass for Two Choirs and Two Organs*

Widor

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

GLORIA (Sunday Evening - No.341 in Worship hymnal)

(all other Masses)

to the tune LAUDA ANIMA

**Glory be to God in heaven,  
Songs of joy and peace we bring;  
Thankful hearts and voices raising,  
To creation's Lord we sing:  
Lord, we thank you, Lord, we bless you,  
Glory be to God our king.**

**Lamb of God who on your shoulders  
Bore the load of this world's sin;  
Only Son of God the Father,  
You have brought us peace within:  
Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy,  
Now your glorious reign begin.**

**You, O Son of God, are holy,  
You we praise with one accord;  
None in heav'n or earth is like you,  
Only you are Christ the Lord,  
With the Father, and the Spirit,  
Ever worshiped and adored.** (Te

(Text by Edwin LeGrice)

## COLLECT

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

2 Samuel 5:1-3

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 122

Batastini



I re-joiced when I heard them say: let us go to the house of the Lord.

## SECOND READING

Colossians 1:12-20

ALLELUIA

Vulpius



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

GOSPEL

Luke 23:35-43

HOMILY

**Father Michael G. Ryan**

DISMISSAL OF THE CATECHUMENS AND CANDIDATES (10:00)

Proulx

ALL



Strong, ma - jes - tic and ho - ly!

CREED **chanted on one tone**

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

Proulx, adapt.



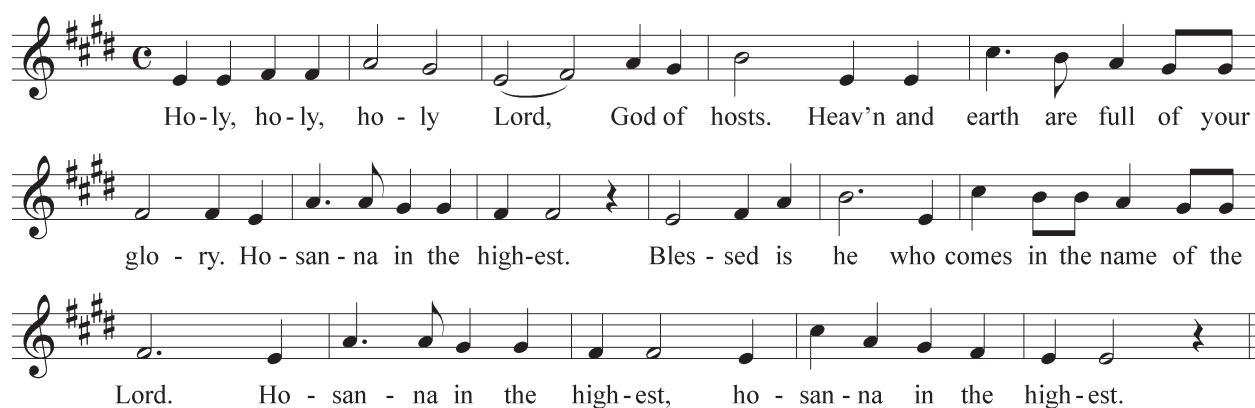
## THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

### PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS (10:00)

*Tu Rex gloriae*  
 Potiron

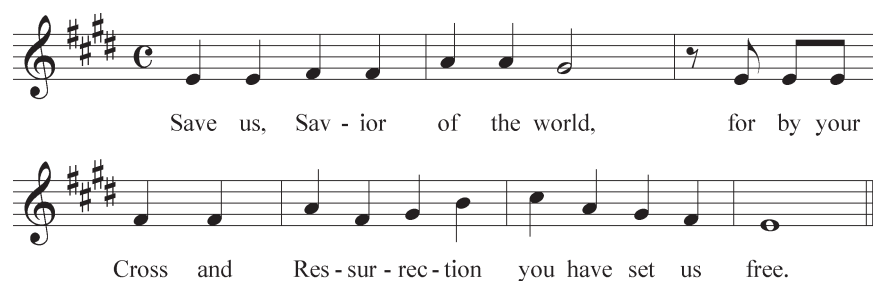
### SANCTUS

*St. James Mass for Peace*  
 Herbolzheimer



### MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Herbolzheimer



### AMEN

Holst, adapt. Ryan



## THE COMMUNION RITE

### LORD'S PRAYER

## AGNUS DEI

Vatican XVIII

(10:00)

“Agnus Dei” from *Mass for Choir and Two Organs*

Vierne

## COMMUNION

The Lord will sit on his royal throne forever;  
the Lord will bless his people in peace.

chant

(10:00)

*Dextera Domini*

Franck

Upon returning to your place after Holy Communion, please **kneel or be seated**.  
*Low-gluten hosts are distributed at the credence table near the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.*

## HYMN OF PRAISE

*All hail the power of Jesus' name*

CORONATION



1. All hail the power of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels  
2. Crown him, ye mar - tyrs of our God, Who from his  
3. Ye cho - sen seed of Is - rael's race, A rem - nant  
4. O that, with yon - der sa - cred throng, We at his



pros - trate fall; Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem And  
al - tar call; Ex - tol the stem of Jes - se's rod, And  
weak and small, Hail him who saved you by his grace, And  
feet may fall, Join in the ev - er - last - ing song, And



crown him Lord of all; Bring forth the roy - al  
crown him Lord of all; Ex - tol the stem of  
crown him Lord of all; Hail him who saved you  
crown him Lord of all; Join in the ev - er -



di - a - dem And crown him Lord of all.  
Jes - se's rod, And crown him Lord of all.  
by his grace, And crown him Lord of all.  
last - ing song, And crown him Lord of all.

## PROCESSION

(8:00)

*Toccata*

Barié

*Psalm 150*

Karg-Elert

# St. James Cathedral - Seattle

## ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

The Most Reverend J. Peter Sartain, Archbishop of Seattle

### PASTOR

The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan

### IN RESIDENCE

The Reverend David A. Brant, The Reverend Richard J. Ward

### PASTORAL ASSISTANT for ADMINISTRATION

Lawrence N. Brouse (206-382-4280)

### FAITH FORMATION

Patty Bowman & Corinna Laughlin, Interim Directors (206-622-3559)

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Brenda Bellamy, Children's RCIA/Confirmation (206-274-3108)

Theresa Van de Ven, Administrative Assistant (206-219-5822)

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Margaret Lynch, Wedding Office (206-382-4288)

Bev Mauser, Louise Mennella, Wedding Coordinators

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Corinna Laughlin, Pastoral Assistant for Liturgy (622-3559 x3996)

Peter Burns, John Marquez, Stephen Pace, sacristans

### MUSIC MINISTRY (206-382-4874)

Dr. James Savage, Director of Music

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Dr. Clint Kraus, Associate Organist

Stacey Sunde, Director of Youth Music

Thomas Thompson, Coordinator of Special Projects

### PASTORAL CARE MINISTRIES

John Simpson, Pastoral Care Minister (206-274-3173)

Nancy Granger, Parish Mental Health Nurse (206-382-4269)

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Patty Bowman, Director (206-382-4515)

Caitlin Lanigan, Outreach Ministries, Young Adults (206-382-4235)

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### ST. JAMES IMMIGRANT ASSISTANCE (206-382-4511)

Christopher J. Koehler, Director

Cecilia Erin Walsh, ESL Coordinator; Glenda Caldwell, ESL Specialist,

Jim Hodges, Citizenship

### STEWARDSHIP and DEVELOPMENT

Maria Laughlin, Director (206-382-4284)

### YOUTH MINISTRY

Joe Cotton, Director (206-264-2082)

### PARISH OFFICE

Sister Mary Slater, SNJM, Bookkeeper (206-382-4564)

Jane Mueller, Receptionist (206-654-4650)

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### FACILITIES and GROUNDS

Tang Nguyen, Facilities Supervisor (206-622-3559)

### 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.

**"TAIZÉ" ECUMENICAL PRAYER**, Fridays at 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, 206-622-3559

**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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Emergency Number: 206-467-3049

Office Hours: Monday through Friday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

**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.*

**CATHEDRAL ESPRESSO** Please come by after the 10:00 and Noon Masses. All proceeds for the month of October benefit the Environmental Justice Committee.

**ADVENT IN THE CATHEDRAL BOOKSTORE** Stop by the Cathedral Bookstore for a wide array of resources for Advent, including Sunday Missals, prayer books, and *Daily Prayer 2014*, a publication from LTP written by Corinna Laughlin and Maria Laughlin (of the Cathedral staff). Advent candles, rosaries, medals, and more!

**THANKSGIVING DAY MASS** On Thursday, November 28 at 9:30am, we will have our annual Mass of Thanksgiving Day. This beautiful celebration is a wonderful tradition at St. James. Please bring with you non-perishable food items to share with those in need. You will be invited to bring them forward in procession during the Mass. *Please note that the Parish Office and Bookstore will be closed on Thursday, November 28 and Friday, November 29. The Cathedral will be closed following the Thanksgiving Day Mass but will be open as usual the day after Thanksgiving; Masses on Friday, November 29 will follow the usual schedule.*

**CARE FOR THE CAREGIVER** On Sunday, November 24 at 11:15am, come to the Gallagher Center to hear about an upcoming workshop beginning in December, for those who are caring for family members with chronic illness of any kind. Learn self-care strategies to maintain health and balance in your own life. *Information*, Nancy Granger, Parish Mental Health Nurse, 206-382-4269, [ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org).

**AN INVITATION FROM ST. PAUL, ST. GEORGE, AND ST. EDWARD CATHOLIC SCHOOLS** Open House Monday, November 25 and Tuesday, November 26, from 8:30-10:30am. See what a positive difference a Catholic education can make for your family. Our highly diverse school communities have traditions of engaging students with academic rigor steeped in strong Catholic values. Our enrichment programs include: sports programs, after school clubs as well as Extended Care programs for working families. *Information*, St. Edward School, 206-725-1744; St. George School, 206-762-0656; St. Paul School, 206-725, 0780.

**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 Christ the King in Seattle, St. Cecilia in Stanwood and Bainbridge Island, St. Columban in Yelm, and St. Andrew in Sumner.*

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH NIGHTS** Every Sunday evening from 6:30 – 8:30pm in the Pastoral Outreach Center. Join us for interactive games and activities that will challenge you to apply your faith to everyday life. All are welcome!

**MIGRANT FAMILY TOY/WINTER CLOTHES DRIVE** Given our ongoing commitment to the Migrant Project, the Youth Leadership Team is asking for donations of unwrapped toys for children ages 1-12 and winter clothing items (e.g. socks, gloves, hats, scarves, jackets, etc.) to help support the Skagit Valley migrant community during the holiday season. Our team will personally deliver these items to the migrant community in December. Items can be delivered to the parish office or brought to Youth Night.

**QUESTIONS?** Joe Cotton, 206-264-2082  
jcotton@stjames-cathedral.org  
www.stjames-cathedral.org/youthministry

**SIMBANG GABI COMMISSIONING** Saturday, December 14, 11:00am. Catholics from throughout the Archdiocese will gather in St. James Cathedral to begin the Advent novena of Masses in honor of Mary to prepare for the celebration of Christmas. Archbishop Sartain will preside at this Mass which includes the blessing and commissioning of Simbang Gabi coordinators from some 80 participating parishes in the archdiocese. This celebration points to Christ, Light of the World, symbolized by the *parols* (Christmas lanterns). All are invited and warmly welcome.

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES** At this time, we are in need of volunteers to join the important ministry of Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, especially at the Noon Mass. You must be a confirmed, active Catholic and a registered parishioner to participate in this ministry. A new training session begins in December. We also have openings for youth altar servers, especially at the Sunday 8:00am and 5:30pm Masses. *Information*, Corinna Laughlin, cloughlin@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-622-3559.

**ST. JAMES IMMIGRANT ASSISTANCE** is guided and served by an Advisory Board of knowledgeable and skilled volunteers sharing their valuable insights, perspective, and energy. This group of diverse and talented board members share passionate interest in one of our nation's most pressing issues: immigration. By providing thoughtful leadership to our staff, and taking meaningful action in our community, these volunteers are helping to effect positive change in a challenging arena. If you share their passion for justice for immigrants and refugees, and have enthusiasm for fundraising, please consider serving with this committed group. *Information*, Cecelia Erin Walsh, cwalsh@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-382-4511.

**WINTER SHELTER** St. James Cathedral partners with St. Martin de Porres Shelter to provide overflow sleeping space for our neighbors without homes. Four nights a week from October through April, we provide a warm refuge in Cathedral Hall for 10-15 men. Nearly 100 cathedral parishioners serve as overnight hosts and breakfast cooks. We are currently in need of a few more overnight hosts to join us for the season. There is a commitment of volunteering once a month. *Information*, Caitlin Lanigan 206-382-4235 or clanigan@stjames-cathedral.org.

**LOOKING FOR AN OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE IN ADVENT?** St. James Young Adults host a sock drive during the Advent Season. We will need help collecting the socks following the Sunday masses during Advent, counting the socks as we strive to collect 2,014 pairs, and then delivering them to our homeless neighbors. *Information*, Caitlin Lanigan, clanigan@stjames-cathedral.org.

**DO YOU GIVE AT THE OFFICE?** When you make a gift through the United Way or other workplace giving campaign, you can designate St. James Immigrant Assistance. For United Way, simply write in "St. James Immigrant Assistance formerly St. James ESL" for the specific agency you want to designate. If you work for Boeing or Microsoft, your gift will automatically be matched, doubling your donation. Visit our website at [www.stjames-cathedral.org/immigrant](http://www.stjames-cathedral.org/immigrant) to see what a difference your donation can make. *Information*, Christopher Koehler, 206-382-4511, or ckoehler@stjames-cathedral.org.

## Sacred Steps

### Sacramental Celebrations at St. James

**REST IN PEACE** Please pray for the repose of the soul of *Patricia Barclay*.

**CONGRATULATIONS AND GOD'S BLESSINGS** to the following children, baptized in the Cathedral on Saturday, November 16: *Landen Estrada Bautista, Camille Isabel Villeneuve Bouchez, Maya Rose Krishnamoorthy, Jalani Christopher Shoel, Jarriid Raylen Shoel, and Javier Mateo Shoel*. We welcome with joy these newest members of the family of faith.

## Sacrificial Sunday Giving 2014

### GIVE IN A SPIRIT OF JOY!

Please drop your commitment card in the offering basket today. If you prefer, you can make your pledge online.

#### Results through November 17

Total pledges received .....	381
% participation (out of 2,173 households)...	17%
Participation goal .....	100%
Total goal.....	\$2,100,000
% of goal reached.....	44.5%

*As you can see, we still have a long way to go...!*





# Advent 2013

## Advent Liturgies

To mark this holy season of longing and waiting, we change some of our usual liturgical practices. The procession is modified and the altar is decorated more simply. During the liturgies, a greater role is given to silence, to the chanting of psalms, and to the ringing of bells. In accordance with a very ancient tradition in the church, the use of the organ is reduced during Advent.

## Advent Wreath

The Advent wreath is a devotion we have adopted from the Lutheran tradition. Prior to each Mass, the priest gathers with the liturgical ministers for the prayer and candle-lighting associated with the wreath. Each Sunday of Advent, an additional candle is lighted on the wreath, a symbol of the dawning of the light of Christ into the world.

## Musical Prayer for Advent

### Blue Heron: A Medieval Advent

**Saturday, December 7 at 8:00 pm**

*Advent and Christmas in Medieval England.* Presented by the renowned a cappella ensemble Blue Heron and co-sponsored by St. James Cathedral and the Early Music Guild. *Information*, Early Music Guild, 206-325-7066 or visit [www.earlymusicguild.org](http://www.earlymusicguild.org).

### Opus 7: A Boy Was Born

**Saturday, December 14 at 8:00 pm**

Opus 7 Vocal Ensemble, Loren Pontén, Artistic Director. *Information*, 206-782-2899 or [www.opus7.org](http://www.opus7.org).

### Christmas in the Cloister

**Saturday, December 21 at 8:00 pm**

The Medieval Women's Choir presents music from abbey churches in Germany, France and Spain. With Linda Strandberg, soprano. Margriet Tindemans, Artistic Director. *Information* 206-264-4822 or [www.medievalwomenschoir.org](http://www.medievalwomenschoir.org).

### Candlelight, Carols & Cathedral Children

**Sunday, December 22, 7:30 pm**

The Cathedral's youth choirs present the traditional candle-lit service of readings and carols. Father Ryan, presider. Stacey Sunde, conductor. Free-will offering. *Information* [www.stjames-cathedral.org/music](http://www.stjames-cathedral.org/music) or 206-382-4874.

Parishioner pay-as-able passes available  
for Advent Music events, 206-382-4874

## 50 Years of Liturgical Renewal

On December 4, 1963, Pope Paul VI promulgated the decree on liturgy of the Second Vatican Council. From this watershed moment flowed the renewal we take for granted: the use of the vernacular, access to communion from the cup for lay people, the Lectionary, the RCIA, and so much more. On **Monday, December 2, at 7:00pm** in the Holy Names Room, you're invited to explore the importance of this watershed moment with an illustrated lecture by Corinna Laughlin, Director of Liturgy. Then, on **Wednesday, December 4**, the Liturgy Office of the Archdiocese of Seattle is marking this 50th anniversary with two special liturgies in the Cathedral: Midday Prayer in the Chapel at **12:10pm**, and the **5:30pm evening Mass** with Father James Eblen presiding. There will also be presentations throughout the afternoon; details TBA. All are welcome. *Information*, Corinna Laughlin, 206-622-3559 or [claughlin@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:claughlin@stjames-cathedral.org).

## The Giving Tree

Stop by Cathedral Hall after any Mass November 24 or December 1 to pick a tag off of our annual Giving Tree. Each tag contains a gift wish from someone in need in our community. This year we are partnering with Frederic Ozanam House, Youth Detention Ministry, and St. Joseph Baby Corner. It's easy and fun to participate: simply shop for the gift and return it after Sunday Mass. *Information*, Patty Bowman, 206-382-4515 or [pbowman@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:pbowman@stjames-cathedral.org).

## Madre de las Americas

Saturday, December 7, 11:30am, Entrance of the Dancers and Mariachi. 12:10pm, Mass with Archbishop J. Peter Sartain. The Hispanic community of western Washington comes together at this celebration in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe, the Mother of the Americas. *All are welcome.*

## Advent Fair Trade Bazaar

On Sunday morning, December 8, after the 8am, 10am, and Noon Masses, we have an opportunity to get started on our Christmas shopping while supporting a number of great causes! L'Arche, Catholic Relief Services, the Association of Catholic Childhood, the Cathedral Bookstore and others will be selling items to support those in need. An all-new Christmas CD from our Youth Music Program, Christmas cards, Nativity scenes, and much more!

## The Immaculate Conception

Because December 8 falls on a Sunday this year, the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be observed on Monday, December 9 with Masses at 8:15 am and 5:30 pm.

## ***Migrant Family Toy & Clothing Drive***

The Youth Leadership Team is asking for donations of unwrapped toys for children ages 1-12 and winter clothing items (e.g. socks, gloves, hats, scarves, jackets, etc.) to help support the Skagit Valley migrant community during the holiday season. Our team will personally deliver these items to the migrant community in December. Items can be delivered to the parish office or brought to Youth Night. *Information*, Joe Cotton, 206-264-2082.

***Young Adults Sock Drive*** Our 11th Annual "Warm Hearts and Soles" Advent Sock Drive is underway! Our Goal: 2,014 pairs of socks for homeless men. Please drop socks off at coffee hour after 8:00am, 10:00am, and 12 Noon Masses in Advent. If you're ordering socks online, have them shipped directly to St. James Cathedral! *Information*, Caitlin Lanigan, 206-382-4235.

## ***Advent Movie Night!***

On Tuesday, December 10 at 7:00pm, join us in Cathedral Hall for a screening of *The Nativity Story*, an exquisite 2006 film that follows Mary's journey from the Annunciation to the birth of Jesus. The movie is great for all ages; holiday treats will be provided. Feel free to bring a comfy pillow. You will love the new projector, large screen, and great sound system in Cathedral Hall!

*Information*, Maria Laughlin, 206-382-4284, [mlaughter@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:mlaughter@stjames-cathedral.org).



## ***Archdiocesan Simbang Gabi Commissioning***

Saturday, December 14, 11:00 am. Catholics from throughout the Archdiocese gather to begin the traditional Advent novena from the Philippines, honoring Mary in the days leading up to Christmas. Archbishop Sartain will preside at this Mass which includes the blessing and commissioning of Simbang Gabi coordinators from some 80 participating parishes throughout the archdiocese. A highlight of this celebration is the procession of nearly 100 parols, star-shaped Christmas lanterns from the Philippines which represent Christ, the light of the world. All are welcome.

## ***Ecumenical Prayer with Music from Taizé***

Each Friday evening at 6:30pm, you are invited to join in this beautiful prayer of music, candlelight, and silence. Set aside a Friday evening this Advent to experience the meditative, peaceful spirit of Taizé. *The prayer concludes about 7:15pm.*

## ***Cathedral Kids Christmas Party***

Saturday, December 21, 11:30am – 2:00pm, Cathedral Hall. It's really for the whole family – don't miss it! There will be a piñata, Santa Claus, and of course, food and fun! We will also have a blessing of nativity sets. So if you have a small family crèche, bring it to the party to be blessed. RSVP to Theresa at 206-219-5822 by 4:00pm, Wednesday, December 18 to help us with planning.

***Communal Reconciliation Services*** will be held on **Saturday, December 14** at 4:00pm and **Monday, December 16** at 7:30pm. During these beautiful services of readings, reflection and song, we will open ourselves to experience the gift of God's gracious and loving forgiveness in the Sacrament of Penance. *It has long been a tradition in the church to confess one's sins before celebrating the great feast of Christmas. These will be ideal times to do so.*

## ***Greening of the Cathedral***

Friday, December 20 at 6:30pm Young Adults are invited to help decorate the Cathedral for Christmas. This is a fun evening for anyone in their 20's or 30's to come together to make the Cathedral even more beautiful for the Christmas season. Once we are finished decorating we will have a pizza party. This is a favorite event for young adults – we hope you can join us! RSVP required! *Information or to RSVP*, Caitlin Lanigan, [clanigan@stjames-cathedral.org](mailto:clanigan@stjames-cathedral.org) or 206-382-4235.

## ***Vespers: Evening Prayer***

4:00pm Sunday afternoons. You are invited to join in the universal prayer of the Church, the Liturgy of the Hours, a forty minute service of sung prayer concluding with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. This beautiful candlelit service is the perfect conclusion to a December Sunday.

## ***Midday Prayer***

Each weekday, Monday through Friday, we celebrate the Liturgy of the Hours at 12:10pm in the Cathedral Chapel. Called "the prayer of the Church," the Liturgy of the Hours is a good way to enter into the spirit of Advent. Make a brief retreat in the middle of the day by joining in this beautiful, simple Advent prayer.

## ***Christmas Masses***

The celebration of Christmas begins with the Vigil Mass of Christmas at 5:30pm on Tuesday, December 24, and continues with the Midnight Mass of Christmas (Carol Service at 11:00pm, Mass at Midnight), and the Masses of Christmas Day on Wednesday, December 25 – 8:00am, 10:00am, and 12:00 Noon. Solemn Vespers of Christmas will be at 4:00pm on Christmas Day. *Note that there is no 5:30pm Evening Mass on Christmas Day.* View the complete schedule of Christmas Masses, with details on music, at St. James Cathedral at [www.stjames-cathedral.org](http://www.stjames-cathedral.org).



St. James Cathedral  
**ADVENT 2013**  
Hoping, Waiting, Sharing

**December 1, December 8, December 15, December 22**

Please keep us in mind as you shop  
during the holidays.

We especially need these  
clothing items for  
**infants and toddlers:**

Warm blanket sleepers (fleece  
pajamas)

Warm sweatpants

Warm sweatshirts, hoodies & sweaters

Socks & tights

**We constantly need these items:**

Diapers (sizes 3, 4, 5, & 6)

Diaper wipes

Diaper rash cream

Baby bath soap

Baby lotion

New pacifiers

New teething rings

New rattles

Board books

Educational baby toys such as  
nesting cups and stacking rings



During Advent, the Cathedral's  
**Children's Faith Formation Program**  
and

**Pregnancy Support Ministry**  
partner to collect donations for  
**St. Joseph's Baby Corner**

Pick up a tag for Baby Corner  
from the *Giving Tree*  
on Sunday, December 8th.

Or choose from the needed items listed here.

Please leave your donations  
in the boxes marked *Baby Corner*  
at coffee hour

or on the 2nd floor of Cathedral Hall.

During weekdays, you may leave donations  
at the parish office.

*On behalf of the young families we serve,  
thank you for your generosity!  
We wish you an Advent filled with peace and joy.*



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**Baby Corner**

*Changing the world one diaper at a time...*