ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

December 15, 2013

Dear Friends,

At their best, these Advent days are filled with joy and expectation – with what one contemporary spiritual writer likes to call "the holy longing." But I know they can also be filled to overflowing with big demands on our time, our attention, our pocketbooks, and even our peace of mind. That's true for me and I suspect it's true for you. In the midst of it all, however, I do hope that you are finding time to do some quiet reflecting on what it is we are waiting for – who it is we are waiting for in these Advent days. Most of us don't have the luxury of putting life on hold during Advent. We're not contemplative monks, after all! But each of us can find ways to be quietly prayerful: to stop and breathe and reflect and give thanks. Christmas celebrates the God who wanted there to be no distance whatever between creator and creature, the God who bridged that distance in a moment in time by becoming one of us. May we, during these Advent days, take time to bask in the wonder of what it all means!

I want to take this opportunity to express my thanks to all of you who have renewed your Sacrificial Giving commitment for the coming year, With some very real hesitation, I asked you to consider increasing your gift this year in order to make it possible for us to fund some new and very exciting ministries. Not only did you respond positively to my request, many of you even went beyond what I asked. So, to all of you who have so generously stepped forward to support our parish, a huge word of thanks. And to those of you who have yet to make a commitment, well, there's still time (and, yes, there's a great need!). We are still \$390,000 short of where we hope to be, but I'm confident we can get there.

Over the years, many of you have asked us to increase the availability near the Cathedral of parking for disabled persons. I am sorry it has taken so long to make this happen, but happen it finally has! The city of Seattle acceded to our request to designate most of the west side of Terry Avenue behind the Cathedral as parking for the disabled. Our hope is that this will make it much easier for parishioners with disabilities to park close to the Cathedral seven days a week. If you know of people who have not been coming to the Cathedral because of the lack of designated parking for the disabled, you may wish to share with them the good word that some real improvement has been made. And yet another improvement should come fairly early in the new year: stop signs at the intersection of Terry Avenue and Columbia Street. I believe that corner has been an accident waiting to happen. The new stop signs and marked crosswalks should make things far safer for everyone.

May the remaining days of Advent bring peace and joy to all of us – and deepen within us a "holy longing" for the Christ who comes to us at Christmas, at the end of time, and who, even now, is "in our midst as one who serves!"

Father Michael G. Ryan

ORDER OF CELEBRATION FOR

The Third Sunday of Advent

The Gospel, radiant with the glory of Christ's cross, constantly invites us to rejoice....
Why should we not also enter into this great stream of joy?

Pope Francis, Evangelii Gaudium

PRELUDE

(8:00)

Praised be thou, Lord Jesus Christ

Pepping

Wake, awake, for night is flying

Bach

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH

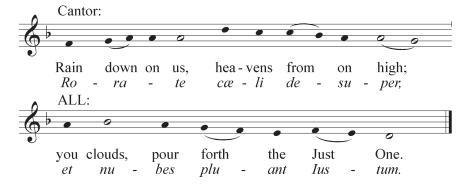
INTROIT FOR ADVENT III

Gaudete in Domino semper chant, adapt. St. James Cathedral



SPRINKLING RITE

Rorate cæli chant, adapt. Stratman



COLLECT

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

PSALM RESPONSE

SECOND READING



Isaiah 35:1-6a, 10

Psalm 146 Thompson

James 5:7-10

ALLELUIA



GOSPEL READING

Matthew 11:2-11

HOMILY Father Michael G. Ryan

DISMISSAL OF THE CATECHUMENS AND CANDIDATES (10:00)

Mawby

Mode VI



CREED chanted on one tone

(10:00 and Sunday Evening)

chant, Jubilate Deo

Presider Credo in unum Deum,

Schola Patrem omnipotentem factorem cæli et terræ, visibilium omnium et invisibilium.

ALL u - num Do - mi - num

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

I believe in one Lord Iesus Christ. the Only Begotten Son of God,

Et ex Patre natum ante omnia sæcula.

Fi - li - um De - i

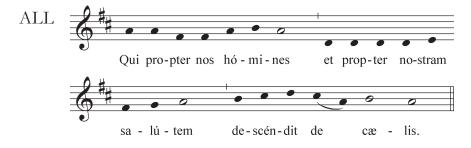
ALL De-um de De-o, De - o de De - um ve - rum

born of the Father before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,

Schola Genitum, non factum, consubstantialem Patri: per quem omnia facta sunt.

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 at the words of incarnation, sung by the Schola:

et homo factus est.

Et incarnatus est de Spiritu Sancto ex Maria Virgine,

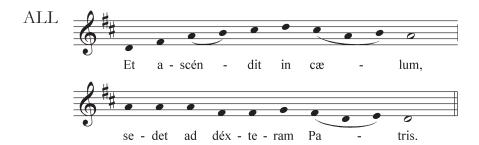
ALL xus é - ti - am pro no - bis sub Pón-ti - o Pi-lá-to; pas-sus et se-púl

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.

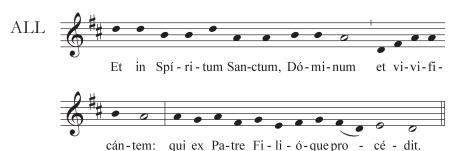
Schola Et resurrexit tertia die, secundum Scripturas.



He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

Schola Et iterum venturus est cum gloria, judicare vivos et mortuos, cuius regni non erit finis.

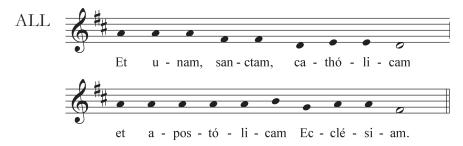
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.



I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

Schola Qui cum Patre et Filio simul adoratur et conglorificatur: qui locutus est per prophetas.

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.

Schola Confiteor unum Baptisma in remissionem peccatorum.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins



and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead

Schola Et vitam venturi sæculi.

and the life of the world to come.



Amen.

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Ve-ni Domi - ne, (Come, Lord, tarry no longer)

Berthier

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

(10:00)

Peace be to you Manz

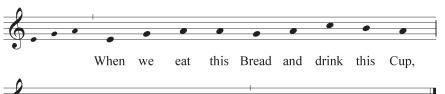
SANCTUS

chant, Vatican XVIII



MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

chant, Roman Missal III



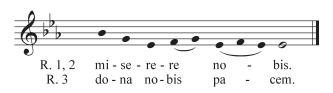
a - gain. we pro-claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come

AMEN

chant

Vatican XVII

AGNUS DEI



COMMUNION

Venez, divin Messie



O come, Di-vine Mes - si - ah! The world in si - lence waits.

(10:00)

Hymns to Our Lady of Guadalupe Zumaya (Mexico City, 1717)

Say, "Take courage, you who are fainthearted, and do not fear; behold, our God will come and save us."

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 No. 405 in Worship hymnal

The God whom earth and sea and sky **EISENACH**

Parish Communal Celebration of the SACRAMENT of PENANCE



Sedes Sapientiae, Seat of Wisdom. Archbishop Murphy Courtyard, St. James Cathedral.

Monday, December 16, 2013 7:30 pm

During this beautiful service 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. This will be the ideal time to do so.

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

The Most Reverend J. Peter Sartain, Archbishop of Seattle

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)

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Joe Cotton, Director (206-264-2082)

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CELEBRATIONS of the SACRAMENTS

MASS

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

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

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

ELCOME! *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.

ADVENT IN THE CATHEDRAL BOOKSTORE Stop by the Cathedral Bookstore for a wide array of resources for Advent, including Cathedral Christmas Cards, Advent candles, rosaries, medals, and more!

MEDIEVAL ART OF SUSAN BONDURANT Susan Bondurant returns to the Cathedral Chapel this Advent with a new show of her recreated medieval book illuminations. Stop by the Cathedral Chapel to view these works from November 30 through December 20.

OPUS 7: A BOY WAS BORN Saturday, December 14 at 8:00 pm, Opus 7 Vocal Ensemble, Loren Pontén, Artistic Director, presents Benjamin Britten's masterpiece. Information, 206-782-2899 or www.opus7.org.

NO TAIZÉ THIS FRIDAY Please note that there will be no Taizé Prayer on Friday, December 20, because the Cathedral will be closed to prepare for Christmas. We apologize for the inconvenience. The service will resume on Friday, December 27.

HOLIDAY GIFT MAKING PARTY! Join us in crafting homemade gifts as we listen to Christmas Music, enjoy hot cocoa and yummy snacks! All materials included. Just bring yourself, your creativity and a smile! Sunday, December 15 from 1:00pm-4:00pm, Gallagher Center. Sponsored by Circle of Friends for Mental Health. Information, or to RSVP, Nancy Granger, Parish Mental Health Nurse, 206-382-4269.

YOUNG ADULTS "THIRD SUNDAY" On the third Sunday of every month join young adults in the parish at the 5:30 Mass. This month we will be at Mass TODAY, December 15. After Mass join us for a reception in the Pastoral Outreach Center on the corner of 9th and Columbia. Hope to see you there!

CARE FOR THE CAREGIVER WORKSHOP SERIES Learn sensible tactics for keeping well and reducing stress this holiday season as you busily care for others in your life. This 6-week program begins Monday, December 16, 11am-1:30pm in Mother Cabrini Room of Pastoral Outreach Center. Sponsored by Living Well with Chronic Conditions in Washington State. *Information or to RSVP*, Nancy Granger, RN, 206-382-4269 or ngranger@stjames -cathedral.org.

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 Our Lady of Guadalupe in Seattle and St. Mary of Guadalupe in Ridgefield.

CATHEDRAL FAMILIES CHRISTMAS PARTY is Saturday, December 21 starting at 11:30am in the Cathedral Hall. This party is open to all Cathedral Children and their families. *RSVP required!* Call or email Theresa Van de Ven at 206-219-5822 or tvandeven@stjamescathedral.org with the number of children and their accompanying adults by Wednesday, December 18. Come join us for food, fun, and fellowship.

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 beautiful for the Christmas season. Once we are finished decorating we will have a pizza party. This is a favorite event for the young adults. We hope you can join us! *Information or to RSVP*, Caitlin Lanigan, clanigan@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-382-4235 by Monday, December 16.

christmas in the cloister Saturday, December 21 at 8:00pm, 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. *Parishioner pay-as-able passes available by calling* 206-382-4874.

READINGS AND CAROLS Sunday, December 22, 7:30 pm. The sublime voices of the Cathedral's children's choirs present the traditional candle-lit service of Readings and Carols, the perfect way to bring the celebration of Christmas. Free and open to all. *Information*, 206-382-4874.

WARM HEARTS AND SOLES SOCKS DRIVE The St. James Young Adults are collecting new socks for the 11th Annual Warm Hearts and Soles Sock Drive. Please bring sock donations to Cathedral Hall after 8:00am, 10:00am, and Noon Masses December 8, 15, and 22 or to the parish office Monday–Friday, 9am-5pm. Help us reach our goal of 2,014 socks! Thank you for your generosity. *Information*, Caitlin Lanigan, 206-382-4235 or clanigan@stjames-cathedral.org.

PARISIAN ROYAL HOLIDAYS Tuesday, December 31, 11:00pm. Ring in the New Year with festive music from the reigns of Louis XIV, Marie Antoinette, and Napoleon III, sung by the professional vocal ensemble of St. James, the Cathedral Cantorei, Cathedral Soloists, and Chamber Orchestra, with Joseph Adam and Clint Kraus, organists; special guest pianist, Angelo Rondelo; all conducted by James Savage, Cathedral Director of Music. Suggested donation \$30, pay-as-able passes available. For a listing of the pieces to be performed and for reserved passes visit www.stjames-cathedral.org/music or call 206-382-4874.

Sacred Steps Sacramental Celebrations at St. James

REST IN PEACE Please pray for the repose of the soul of *Shirley Lambert*.

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.

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. Items can be delivered to the parish office.

TRI-PARISH FOOD BANK TRIP Saturday, December 21 from 7:30am–5:00pm. Join us as we return to Burlington to work at the food bank, helping to support migrant families and other neighbors in need. Contact Joe for a permission form.

JUNIOR HIGH SOJOURN We are launching a biweekly gathering for middle school youth (Grades 7 & 8) that will help young people explore who they are, what they're about, and what role God and faith will play in their lives. Please e-mail Joe to "vote" for a day of the week and time frame that would be ideal for you.

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

Sacrificial Sunday Giving 2014 GIVE IN A SPIRIT OF JOY!

Results through December 9, 2013

Total pledges received	728
% participation (out of 2,	173 households) 34 %
Participation goal	
Total goal	
% of goal reached	81%

Thank you to ALL who have turned in a pledge card. As you can see, we are getting there, but we still have a long way to go...! With your help, we can get there. Please turn in your pledge today, or make your pledge online at www.stjames-cathedral.org

THE ST VINCENT DE PAUL CONFERENCES of St. James thank cathedral parishioners for their generous donations last month. During November we made 46 home visits to our low income neighbors. Your contributions allowed us to help 29 individuals and families pay their rent and stay safely in their homes. In addition, we prevented 2 utility shut-offs, provided food for 38 families, beds and furniture for 16 households, clothes for 5 people, and transportation assistance for 2 individuals. Our priority is preventing homelessness. This makes your contributions go a long way. Helping our neighbors pay their rent is far cheaper welcome you to drop by on Sundays from 9am–2pm. than picking up the pieces after they lose their homes. Members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society follow Jesus through service to those in need. Bearing witness to Christ's compassionate and liberating love, we show our commitment through person-to-person contact, making our home visits in pairs. Please consider joining ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org our ministry to the poor among us. *Information*, Rob Millar 206-954-8902 and Tammy Bendix 206-595-9158.

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 overnight hosts to volunteer on Sunday or Monday evenings. Please consider joining our Winter Shelter Team. There is a commitment of volunteering once a month. *Information*, Caitlin Lanigan 206-382-4235 or clanigan@stjames-cathedral.org.

GRIEF & LOSS SUPPORT GROUP Wednesdays 10:30-12:00. Join pastoral counselor and psychotherapist, John Baumann, M.Div., LMHCA as he guides the group in journeying through the complexities of losing a loved one. Enter at the patio level of the Fireside Room in The Parish Outreach Center. A Free Will donation of \$15 is suggested; however attendance is strongly encouraged regardless of ability to pay.

GALLAGHER CENTER OPEN EVERY SUNDAY The Parish Mental Health Nurse and MHM volunteers Feel free to have a hot drink and snack while you browse through literature on mental health, talk with a volunteer, learn about the ministry, obtain resources, develop supportive relationships with others. Information, Nancy Granger, RN 206-382-4269 or

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO IS IN A PSYCHIATRIC **HOSPITAL?** We would like to support you during this difficult time. Would your loved one appreciate a visit or a card letting them know they are cared for? Would you like their name to be entered in our Prayer Partner Ministry? Let us know how we can help. *Information*, Nancy Granger, RN 206-382-4269 or ngranger@stjames-cathedral.org.

TOILETRY DONATIONS We are collecting donations of toiletries for our Winter Shelter and for the Solanus Casey Center. Please bring in donations of cough drops, lip balm, razors, combs, individual tissue packets, large cans of spray deodorant or small individual deodorant sticks, and colored wash cloths. We cannot accepted used items. Please drop off donations at Coffee Hour after masses or at the parish office Monday through Friday 9:00am-5:00pm.

A reminder about Sunday parking at the Cathedral

We know that parking in this area is at a premium and we do our best to make it available to you. *In consideration of our neighbors, please note these important Do's and Don'ts!*

PLEASE DO park:

- In the O'Dea High School lot.
- In the Cabrini Tower Garage on Marion Street across from O'Dea High School for the Saturday 5:30 pm Mass and all Sunday Masses. The Cathedral pays for parking (and for official traffic officers from the Seattle Police Department) during these times, and you are encouraged to take advantage of it.
- In the P-1 parking lot under the Chancery building at 9th and Marion.
- In the Cherry and Terry Parking lot, only in spaces 1-22.

Please **DO NOT** park:

- In any parking spot blocked with an orange cone.
- In the lot adjacent to the Envoy Apartments on 9th Avenue, directly across from the Cathedral.
- In the Blood Bank parking lot at the corner of Terry and Columbia.
- In the Frye Museum parking lots on Terry Avenue.
- In the parking places at the Pastoral Outreach Center.
- In the spaces on Terry Avenue reserved for loading and unloading of the parish vans.

Give in a Spirit of Joy!













SUNDAY GIVING AT ST JAMES CATHEDRAL

Please drop your pledge in the basket TODAY.
Your generous support makes it possible for St. James Cathedral...

- To celebrate the Church's liturgy with beauty and dignity;
- To reach out with love to the poor, the needy, and the elderly;
- To offer educational programs to children, teens, and adults;
- To pay our staff a just and living wage;
- To sustain our highly acclaimed musical and cultural programs;
- To maintain our magnificent cathedral and other parish buildings.

If you prefer, you can make your pledge online at www.stjames-cathedral.org.



WARD SIES

Advent Sock Drive for the homeless

Help us reach our goal of collecting 2,014 socks! Please bring sock donations to Cathedral Hall after 8:00, 10:00, and Noon Masses on December 8, 15, & 22 or to the Parish office Monday - Friday, 9-5.

To volunteer to collect socks after a Mass contact Luke Henkel, luke.henkel@gmail.com

Christmas 2013

at Saint James Cathedral



Tuesday, December 24, 2013

5:30 pm

The Nativity of the Lord—
Vigil Mass with Children and Youth

Entrance Procession of the Children and Crib Figures; blessing of the Christmas Crib The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan, Presider & Homilist with youth readers, musicians, and servers.

11:00 pm Carol Service

12:00 Midnight

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD—Mass during the Night

The Most Reverend J. Peter Sartain, Archbishop of Seattle, Presider & Homilist

This Mass is broadcast live on KING-TV

Wednesday, December 25, 2013

8:00 am

The Nativity of the Lord—Mass at Dawn
The Reverend David A. Brant, Presider

The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan, Homilist

10:00 am and **12 Noon**

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD—

Mass during the Day

The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan, Presider & Homilist (10:00am) The Most Reverend J. Peter Sartain, Presider & Homilist (12:00 Noon)

4:00 pm

SOLEMN VESPERS OF CHRISTMAS

The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan, Presider

Please Note:

There will NOT be a 5:30pm Mass on Christmas Day

