



ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL
The Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 26, 2018

ORDER OF CELEBRATION FOR

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PRELUDE

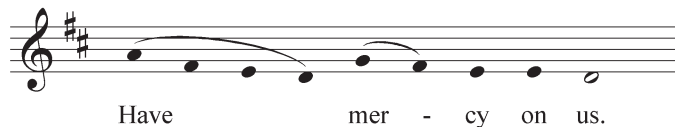
Passacaglia in D Minor, BuxWV 161
Buxtehude

ENTRANCE No. 615 in red Worship hymnal

The Kingdom of God
LAUDATE DOMINUM

PENITENTIAL ACT

Missa de angelis
Vatican VIII



Choir/Cantor Quoniam tu solus sanctus.

For you alone
are the Holy One

ALL



Tu so-lus Do - mi - nus.

you alone are the Lord

Choir/Cantor Tu solus Altissimus, Iesu Christe.

you alone are the Most High Jesus
Christ

ALL



Cum San-cto Spi - ri - tu, in glo - ri - a De - i

with the Holy Spirit
in the glory
of God the Father



Pa - tris. A - - - - men.

Amen.

OPENING PRAYER (COLLECT)

The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING

Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b

PSALM RESPONSE

Psalm 34
Proulx



Taste and see the good - ness of the Lord.

SECOND READING

Ephesians 5:21-32

ALLELUIA

Berthier



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



Al - le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia!

GOSPEL

John 6:60-69

HOMILY

Father Michael G. Ryan

CREED

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

Berthier



The Liturgy of the Eucharist

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

Offertory (10:00 & Noon)

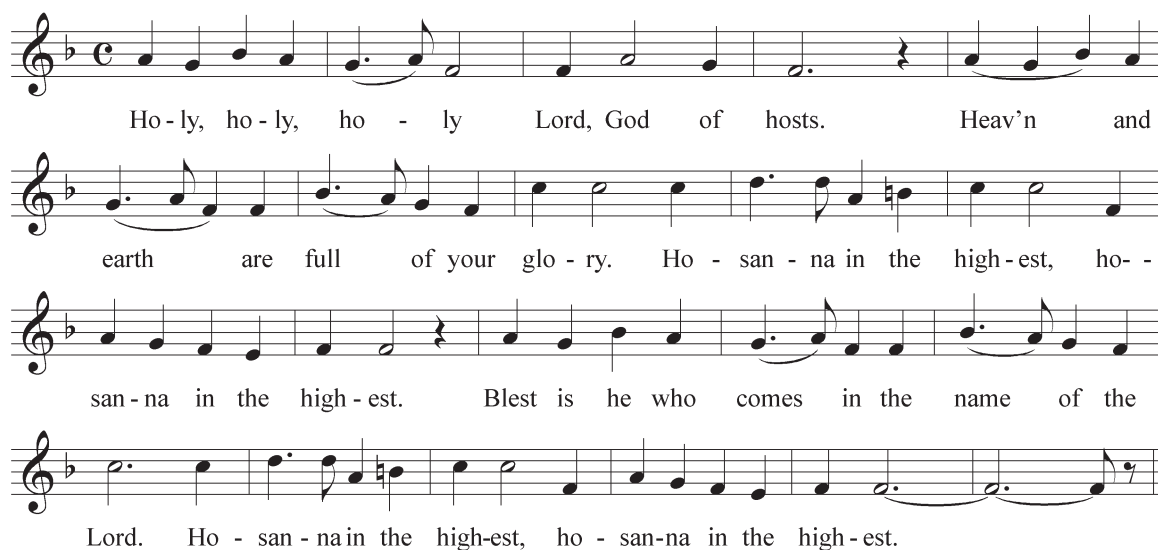
(Sunday Evening)

Hear my prayer
Martin

I will worship
Dyson

SANCTUS

Community Mass
Proulx



MYSTERY OF FAITH

Proulx



AMEN

Proulx



LORD'S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI

Missa de angelis
Vatican VIII



R. 1, 2: have mer - cy on us.



R. 3: give us your peace.

COMMUNION

De fructu operum tuorum, Domine

Mode VI

The earth will be satisfied by the work of your hands, O Lord,
as you bring forth bread from the land and wine to gladden our hearts;
oil to make his face shine, and bread to strengthen our hearts.

(10:00 & Noon)

While they were eating, Jesus took the bread, blessed it, and gave it to his disciples:
"Take and eat, for this is my body."

Cænantibus autem illis

Lienas

(Sunday evening)

Prayer of St. Richard of Chichester

White

Low-gluten hosts are distributed at the credence table, near the presider's chair.

When you return to your place, please kneel or be seated.

HYMN OF PRAISE

Thy strong word

EBENEZER



1. Thy strong word did cleave the dark - ness; At thy speak - ing
2. Thy strong word be - speaks us right - eous; Bright with thine own



it was done; For cre - at - ed light we thank thee,
ho - li - ness, Glo - rious now, we press toward glo - ry,



While thine or - dered sea - sons run: Al - le - lu - ia!
And our lives our hopes con - fess: Al - le - lu - ia!



Al - le - lu - ia! Praise to thee who light dost send!
Al - le - lu - ia! Praise to thee who light dost send!



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!

PROCESSION

Praeludium in G Minor, BuxWV 148

Buxtehude

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

PASTORAL ASSISTANT for ADMINISTRATION

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sacristans (206-654-4646)

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John Givins, Ray Cisneros (206-264-2091)

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Christopher J. Koehler, Director
Glenda Caldwell, ESL Specialist; Patrick Suhrbier, Immigrant Legal
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Maria Laughlin, Director (206-382-4284)

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Sister Mary Slater, SNJM, Bookkeeper (206-382-4564)
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Jane Mueller, Receptionist (206-622-3559)

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Tang Nguyen, Facilities Supervisor (206-264-2087)
Alan Frasher, Melina McCombs, Abraham Merutse, Steve Raab

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 Julianna 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.

ANOIDING 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

804 Ninth Avenue, Seattle, WA 98104

Telephone: 206-622-3559 FAX: 206-622-5303

Website: www.stjames-cathedral.org

WELCOME, VISITORS! *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. Be sure to stop by the **Cathedral Bookstore** after Mass for a wide selection of Cathedral souvenirs as well as Catholic books and gifts.*

FOR YOUR SAFETY At each of the weekend Masses a Seattle police officer is present on the Cathedral campus.

ON THE COVER *Crucified Christ*. Stained glass window, Blessed Sacrament Chapel Triptych. Charles Connick, artist.

FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR last Sunday were offered in loving memory of Thomas McCarthy from his family. This Sunday, flowers are from the Saturday wedding of Katie Lee and Rich Rosati.

SENIOR ICE CREAM AND BINGO SUMMER SOCIAL
Enjoy the company of others on the Pastoral Outreach Center Patio while playing Bingo and enjoying delicious make-it yourself Sundaes! Come for the Ice Cream! Come for the Prizes! Come for the Fun! Thursday, August 30, 1–3pm. RSVP to the Parish Office, 206-622-3559.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL THANKS YOU Often when we visit residents of our parish who need a little financial help, we encounter sadness, even tragedy. But sometimes we find joy, even laughter – like the man who asked us late last fall if he could spend part of the grocery store gift card we gave him to buy a corned beef brisket. We smiled and said, “Sure!” He grinned as big as his face would allow and said, “Then I’m going to start celebrating St Patrick’s Day right now!” Thank you for your donations, which make any day a holiday for those we help. *Information*, Bob Clifford at 206-718-4158 or bobclifford53@gmail.com.

CRS RICE BOWL UPDATE Thank you for participating in the Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl program through prayer, fasting, learning and giving this past Lent. Parishioners of St. James Cathedral donated an amazing \$23,981.67 (a 37% increase from last year). Seventy-five percent of the alms will support humanitarian aid projects that bring vital hope and life-saving aid to the poorest of the poor overseas. Visit www.crs.org to learn how our gifts are put to use around the world. Twenty-five percent will stay here in our archdiocese to help fund hunger and poverty alleviation programs that assist people in our own local communities, including our own Cathedral Kitchen Garden!

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 pray for the parishes of St. Monica on Mercer Island and St. Augustine in Oak Harbor.*

Opportunities to Serve

MINISTRY OF PRESENCE IN THE CATHEDRAL

Each weekday in the Cathedral, a volunteer sits at a desk in the northeast corner of the Cathedral near the Mary Shrine, available to answer questions, accept prayer requests, and greet visitors who stop in between 1:00pm-4:00pm. It's a quiet time to pray, read, and be present to those who come to the Cathedral, often people in need. **We have immediate need for volunteers on weekdays, especially Wednesdays and Thursdays, one day each month.** If you'd like some quiet time in the Cathedral, we'd love to have you be a part of this ministry. *Information*, Maria Laughlin, 206-382-4284 or mlaughter@stjames-cathedral.org.

SING WITH CATHEDRAL CHOIR OR WOMEN'S SCHOLA

Have you been considering answering the call to serve in the music ministry at St. James? Now's your chance! Music Director Joseph Adam will be holding auditions over the summer for membership in the Cathedral Choir (Thursday night rehearsals, sing at 10:00am Mass) and the Women of St. James Schola (meet at 4:00pm on Sundays to sing for 5:30pm Mass). For more information about the required commitment of these ensembles and to schedule an audition, contact Marjorie at musicoffice@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-382-4874.

2018-2019 CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN St. James Cathedral offers classes for children age 3 through High School, including a class for children with special needs, as well as sacramental preparation classes. *Information*, visit the Kids' Page of the Cathedral website or contact Brenda Bellamy, 206-274-3108 or bbellamy@stjames-cathedral.org.

A WEEKLY TIP ON CARING FOR OUR COMMON HOME

Make it a priority to increase your use of public transportation. Buses and light rail are operating anyway, so making use of them instead of your car—even just two or three times a month—is a step in reducing emissions and congestion. You might find it easy enough to do even more often.

LAUDATO SI': A MASS CELEBRATING THE SEASON OF CREATION

Saturday, September 22, 10:30am Join with Christians worldwide to mark the Season of Creation, to celebrate the joy which the Earth shares with us. Fr. Ryan will preside. After Mass, he will bless the new Cathedral Garden. All are welcome.

HOUSING ADVOCACY COMMITTEE ANNUAL

GENERAL MEETING Mark your calendars to learn more about the current state of affordable housing and homelessness in King County. A panel discussion including staff from Catholic Housing Services and Muslim Housing Services will be moderated by Michael Ramos of the Church Council of Greater Seattle. Thursday, September 27, 7:00pm in Cathedral Hall.

DO YOU WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF REFUGEES AND IMMIGRANTS? Join our new group of *Immigration Champions*. Together we will pray, learn, and take action to make a difference locally, nationally, and around the world. We will gain a deeper grounding in what our faith calls us to do, develop an understanding of the complexity of migration and immigration, and work together to make a difference. Our first meeting will be on Tuesday, September 11 at 6:30 in the Pastoral Outreach Center. *Information and RSVP*, Christopher Koehler, ckoehler@stjames-cathedral.org.

LGBTQ MINISTRY AT ST. MARY'S PARISH

LGBTQ Catholics are welcomed to a new ministry based in spirituality, community-building, and service. We meet 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at St. Mary's Father Tony Haycock Parish Center, 2021 S. Weller St., 7-9 pm. Our next gathering is Tuesday, August 28. Come celebrate our unique spiritual gifts (Eph 4:11) in an affirming community, with prayer, art, story-sharing, lectio divina, education, and service. *Information*, lgbtq.welcoming.ministry@gmail.com.

IS THERE A 3 YEAR-OLD IN YOUR FAMILY? We are exploring expanding our Children's Faith Formation classes to include a class for 3 year-olds and their parents. Class would meet on most Sundays September through June from 11:00am to 11:45am. Interested? *Information*, Brenda Bellamy, 206-274-3108 or bbellamy@stjames-cathedral.org.

ARE YOU RAISING A CHILD WITH SPECIAL NEEDS?

The Faith Mentors program pairs your child one-on-one with a teen mentor for ongoing faith formation or preparation for the sacraments. *Information*, Brenda Bellamy, 206-274-3108 or bbellamy@stjames-cathedral.org.

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 the RCIA website. *Information*, Kathleen McCabe, 206-382-2018.

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, 206-619-0816.

Sacred Steps

SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS AT ST. JAMES

REST IN PEACE Please pray for the repose of the soul of *Robert Feist*.

St. James Cathedral

WINTER SHELTER



"Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or see you thirsty and give you drink? When did we welcome you or clothe you?" The King will answer them: "I assure you, as often as you did it for the least of my brothers and sisters, you did it for me." Matthew 25:37-40

On January 26, 2018, 12,112 people were experiencing homelessness in Seattle and King County.

St. James Cathedral partners with St. Martin de Porres Shelter to provide overflow sleeping space during the cold winter months.

St. Martin de Porres, a program of Catholic Community Services, has room for 212 homeless men.

During the winter, St. Martin's is always full and has to turn away many people.

From October through April, Friday night through Monday night,

St. James provides a warm and safe place to sleep in Cathedral Hall for up to 14 men.

Nearly 100 parishioners are needed to volunteer at the Winter Shelter.

**Join our shelter team as
an overnight host or a breakfast cook.**

Comments from our volunteers:

"I feel that working at the Winter Shelter helps me put my faith in action."

"I truly felt a connection with this ministry...I left Monday morning with an energized heart."

TRAINING- SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

6.30-7.30 PM in CATHEDRAL HALL

New and Returning Volunteers Encouraged to Come!

Information: Patrick Barredo ,pbarredo@stjames-cathedral.org, 206-382-4515



Opportunities for Adult Faith Formation

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Wednesdays August 22- October 10	Exploring Migration: A Faith Journey JustFaith Ministries' new 8-week program, <i>Exploring Migration: A Faith Journey</i> , invites participants to formulate a personal response, inspired by their Christian beliefs, to the 21st-century reality of migration.	7:00pm Holy Names Room Pastoral Outreach Center
Wednesday September 12	Film Screening: Frances Xavier Cabrini—the Peoples' Saint Chicago filmmaker Lucia Mauro's new film, a 50-minute documentary will screen at St. James Cathedral in Seattle, where Mother Cabrini founded institutions and, in 1909, became an American citizen.	7:00pm Cathedral Hall
Wednesday September 26	Catholic 101: Faith and Reason One Wednesday of each month is devoted to a lecture exploring different facets of Catholic life and teaching. For the first in this year's series, we welcome Father Brad Hagelin, Pastor of St. Luke Parish, Shoreline.	7:00pm Holy Names Room
Tuesdays September 25- November 27	Alpha Alpha is an opportunity to explore life and the Christian faith in a friendly, open, and informal environment. No pressure. No follow up. No charge.	7:00pm Holy Names Room
Tuesdays September 25— November 13	Bible Study: The Psalms Patty Bowman returns to lead us in an eight-week scripture study on the Psalms.	7:00pm 1EW, Cathedral Place
Thursdays October 4, 11, 18	Faith & Ecology Film Series Join the St. James Care for Creation Committee, Bet Alef Meditative Synagogue and Seattle First Baptist Church for the films <i>Return of the River</i> , <i>Sonic Sea</i> , and <i>Sustainable</i> . All 3 showings, which are free and open to the public, focus on environmental issues that affect food security. Supper is at 6pm with the films beginning at 6:30pm sharp.	6:00pm-8:30pm Holy Names Room
Wednesday October 24	Catholic 101: Saint Oscar Romero Joe Hastings, Pastoral Assistant for Faith Formation at St. Leo Parish, Tacoma, presents on Archbishop Oscar Romero, who will be canonized October 14.	7:00pm Holy Names Room
Monday October 30	The Minister's Black Veil Just in time for Halloween, we will explore Hawthorne's spooky tale of the Reverend Mr. Hooper and his black veil, a profound exploration of sin and community. Cathedral Reader Scott Webster will read the tale aloud, with an introduction and commentary by Corinna Laughlin.	7:00pm Holy Names Room
Wednesday November 28	Catholic 101: What does the Gospel say about Migration? Bishop Elizondo shares his own experience of serving on the Bishops' Committee on Migration.	7:00pm Holy Names Room

KEEP AN EYE ON THE BULLETIN FOR MORE DETAILS AND ADDITIONAL EVENTS!

THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT is SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2018

Tuesday December 4	Advent Retreat Rosanne Michaels leads an Advent Retreat for the parish.	7:00pm—9:00pm Holy Names Room, Pastoral Outreach Center
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Tuesday December 11	Christmas with Dickens We will read Dicken’s other Christmas story, <i>The Haunted Man</i> . What if we could erase all our negative memories of suffering, rejection, or pain? This wonderful story by Dickens explores that question. Cathedral Reader Scott Webster will read the story, with an introduction by Corinna Laughlin.	7:00pm Holy Names Room
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CHRISTMAS IS TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25

Saturday January 5	New Year Retreat Rosanne Michaels offers a retreat to help us get the new year started right.	9:00am-3:00pm Holy Names Room
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Mondays January 28— February 25	Racism Dialogues Details still pending.	6:30pm Holy Names Room
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Mondays January 28— March 4	Ignatian Spirituality Series Rosanne Michaels presents a series for the parish based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius.	TBD
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Wednesday January 30	Catholic 101: Investing for the Common Good Sister Judy Byron, OP, shares the story of her ministry doing shareholder advocacy work with corporations.	7:00pm Holy Names Room
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Wednesday February 27	Catholic 101: Ecological Spirituality Sister Alexandra Covats, CSJP, draws upon the timeless wisdom of nature, the insights of scientists, native people, scripture, theologians and mystics, emphasizing the Christian responsibility to listen to and live in harmony with Earth and to be co-creators with God in shaping the future.	7:00pm Holy Names Room
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ASH WEDNESDAY is MARCH 6, 2019

Lent 2019	Lenten Series on <i>Gaudete et Exsultate</i> Details TBD	Various times and locations
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Wednesday March 27	Catholic 101: A Whirlwind History of the Church in Washington Corinna Laughlin shares the story of the Catholic Church in Western Washington, including a “show and tell.”	7:00pm Holy Names Room
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EASTER is SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 2019

Thursdays May 2, 9, 16, 23	Shakespeare’s <i>The Tempest</i> We’ll explore <i>The Tempest</i> , one of the most popular of all Shakespeare’s plays. The play touches on themes of innocence and experience, redemption, forgiveness, and freedom. Cathedral Reader Scott Webster will read key speeches and scenes, and Corinna Laughlin will present.	7:00pm Holy Names Room
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Wednesday April 24	Catholic 101: Rembrandt and the Face of Jesus Father Tom Lucas, SJ, Rector of the Jesuit Community at Seattle University, reflects on the face of Jesus in the works of Rembrandt.	7:00pm Holy Names Room
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Wednesday May 22	Catholic 101: Lt. Gov. Cyrus Habib Parishioner and Lt. Gov. Cyrus Habib shares about how he brings his faith to bear in the political arena.	7:00pm Holy Names Room
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Frances Xavier Cabrini: The People's Saint

Wednesday, September 12, 2018

7:00pm, Cathedral Hall

St. James Cathedral


Chicago filmmaker Lucia Mauro's new film, a 50-minute documentary titled *Frances Xavier Cabrini: The People's Saint* – in honor of the first American citizen saint's 100th anniversary -- will screen on September 12 at St. James Cathedral in Seattle, where Mother Cabrini founded institutions and, in 1909, became an American citizen.

"Our goal is to bring our film to institutions that focus on the many facets of immigration, education, and humanitarian efforts and embody Mother Cabrini's compassionate mission," says writer-director Lucia Mauro.

Frances Xavier Cabrini: The People's Saint presents a living portrait of the Italy-born humanitarian that showcases her relevance and global reach in an ever-changing world. The patron saint of immigrants and hospital administrators is explored as a fearless, roll-up-her-sleeves woman who, despite frail health, traveled the world at the turn of the 20th century to serve the less fortunate. It shows the environment in Lombardy, Italy that shaped her compassionate vision and includes interviews with individuals from all walks of life, who carry on Mother Cabrini's work today as the needs of immigrants and other populations continue to evolve.

All are welcome!





Everyone has questions.



What is Alpha?

Alpha is a series of sessions exploring the Christian faith. Each talk looks at a different question around faith and is designed to create conversation. Alpha is run all around the globe, and everyone's welcome. No two Alphas look the same, but they all have three key things in common: food, a talk and good conversation.



You're Invited!

Starting September 25, 2018
Tuesday nights, food at 7pm

Bring a friend or relative with you who might want to learn more about the Christian faith

St. James Cathedral

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Save the Date



LAUDATO SÍ

A MASS CELEBRATING THE SEASON OF CREATION

Saturday, September 22, 2018 at 10:30am

St. James Cathedral, 804 Ninth Avenue, Seattle

Join with Christians worldwide to commemorate the SEASON OF CREATION, the time between September 1 (World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation) and October 4 (feast day of St. Francis of Assisi).

We invite all people of faith to celebrate the joy which the Earth shares with us.

Let us come together to thank God for the richness that is in the Creation which we share. Father Michael G. Ryan will preside at the Mass and afterwards, he will bless the new Cathedral Kitchen Garden on Madison Street.

All are welcome.



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Welcome Back

A CATHEDRAL PROGRAM FOR NON-PRACTICING CATHOLICS

*Come back to the Lord with all your heart!
God is gracious and compassionate,
slow to anger, rich in faithful love. Joel 2*



Have you drifted away from your Catholic faith? Are you disillusioned by what you hear about your Church? Do you desire a life filled with faith?

St. James Cathedral offers “Welcome Back,” a nine-week parish program for Catholics out of touch with a Church that once may have been home. It’s a safe place to ask questions, learn about changes in the Church, and begin to experience a small community of faith. If you desire, we’ll help you return to the sacraments, and to becoming an active part of the faith community.

The fall program begins Monday, September 24, 2018, and continues Mondays through November. Sessions are held 7:00–9:00pm in Cathedral Place, 803 Terry Avenue.

For more information, without any obligation, contact Rosanne Michaels at 206-654-4658 or rmichaels@stjames-cathedral.org.

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL PARISH

We are the cathedral for the Catholic Archdiocese of Seattle and its Archbishop, The Most Reverend J. Peter Sartain. We are also a parish church for a vibrant faith community with a long history that reaches back to Seattle's early days.

We are an inner-city parish with an outreach to many who live on the edge of poverty and loneliness. We are a diverse community that welcomes, accepts, and celebrates the differences we all bring. We exist in the heart of the city, yet sometimes our parishioners come from considerable distances to worship here.

St. James Cathedral is a crossroads where ideas and challenges both old and new are explored in the light of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Our cathedral is also the center for many cultural and ecumenical events which both reflect and help to shape the fabric of a vital metropolitan community.

Above all, St. James Cathedral is a community of prayer.

