

**June 1, 2014  
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF  
EASTER —THE  
ASCENSION OF THE  
LORD**

*Jesus, having completed the work of his Father, speaks of returning to him and of being glorified. As we share in his glory, so too do we share in Christ's suffering. We have nothing to fear, however, since the Lord is our refuge. In his name do we gather, attentive to the Spirit.*

**WORSHIP AND SPIRITUAL  
LIFE**

June 2	10:30 AM	
<b>Kathryn Donnelly</b>		<b>RIP</b>
June 4	2:00 PM	
St. Joseph's Hospital patients		<b>SI</b>
	6:00 PM	
<b>Fr. Michael J. Ryan</b>		<b>RIP</b>
June 5	7:00 PM	
Assumption School Grads		<b>SI</b>
June 6	10:30 AM	
<b>Charles Pero</b>		<b>RIP</b>
June 7	5:00 PM	
<b>Andrea McNitt</b>		<b>SI</b>
June 8	8:30 AM	
<b>Pro Populo</b>	10:30 AM	
<b>Vinh Truong</b>		<b>RIP</b>
	12:30 PM	
<b>Fr. Brian Snyder</b>		<b>RIP</b>

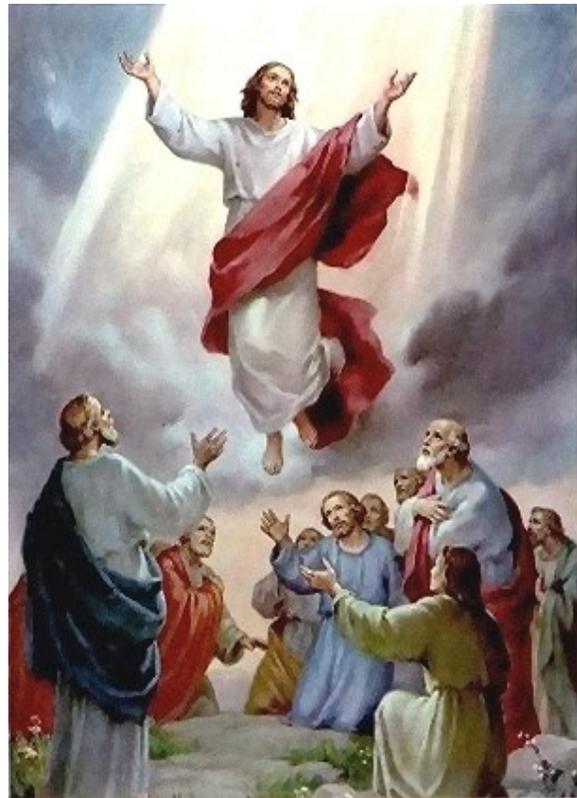
*SI = Special Intension  
RIP = Rest in Peace  
Pro Populo = For the people*



This week the Sanctuary Lamp burns in honor of:  
*Clara Dennis*

**Daily Worship  
Week of June 1, 2014**

<b>Monday, June 2</b> Saint Marcellinus and Peter	Acts 19:1-8 Psalm 68:2-5acd, 6-7b John 16:29-33
<b>Tuesday, June 3</b> Saint Charles Lwanga	Acts 20:17-27 Psalm 68:10-11, 20-21 John 17:1-11a
<b>Wednesday, June 4</b>	Acts 20:28-38 Psalm 68:29-30, 33-36a, 35bc-36b John 17:11b-19
<b>Thursday, June 5</b>	Acts 22:30; 23:6-11 Psalm 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11 John 17:20-26
<b>Friday, June 6</b>	Acts 25:13b-21 Psalm 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20b John 21:15-19
<b>Saturday, June 7</b>	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31 Isaiah 11:4-5, 7 John 21:20-25
<b>Sunday, June 8</b> PENTECOST	Acts 2:1-11 Psalm 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 John 20:19-23



**EVENING PRAYER  
and  
EXPOSITION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT**



**Tuesday eves.  
Beginning at 6:30 PM**  
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament continues until Wednesday evening and ends with Benediction at 5:45 PM, and Mass at 6 PM.  
**If there are any questions, please call Karen at 671-1544.**

**HEALING PRAYER  
MINISTRY  
Wednesday after Mass  
6:45-8:30 PM**

"When you call me, when you go to pray to me, I will listen to you. When you look for me, you will find me. Yes, when you seek me with all your heart, you will find me with you, says the Lord, and I will change your lot." Jer.29:12-14a.

Whatever your problems, trust in God's mercy. Come that we may join you in your prayer. Quiet and confidential, no appt. needed. Info. Nancy Fudge, 733-1380, Ext. 28.

**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP**  
Fridays at 1:30-3:30 PM in the Stafford Rm.

"But let all who take refuge in you be glad and exult forever. Protect them that you may be the joy of those who love your name. For you, O Lord, bless the just man; you surround him with a shield of your good will." Ps. 5:12-14.

No one asks that we forget, to turn away from our loved one who has died. We couldn't do that even if we wanted to. Our task is to incorporate this grief and loss into the rest of our lives. The journey is different for each of us but we gather drawing strength from our faith and each other.  
All are welcome.

Please consider supporting the vendors listed on the back of the bulletin. Their advertising allows us to have the cover page of the bulletin printed free.



Dear Parishioners:

We began a tradition here at Assumption a couple of years ago that on the Feast of **Corpus Christi** (the Body & Blood of Christ) we would have a collection of wines from our parishioners. We invite anyone who would like, to bring two bottles of wine to Mass with them on **June 21 & 22**. Please bring them to the back of the church where the gifts of bread and wine are kept, and during the procession we will invite people to bring the wine up in the procession. This is a great reminder of the important line which says that the bread and wine we offer is “the work of human hands.” We may not have made the wine ourselves, but going out of our way to purchase it and bring it with us that Sunday helps remind us that it takes all of us and that our contribution counts. We will be using the wine throughout the course of the coming year at our regular celebration of the Eucharist. We ask that you bring two bottles as that is approximately what we use at each Sunday liturgy. Please make sure it is wine made from grapes. You are a blessing to me and I look forward to seeing what you bring!

Querido Amigos,

Comenzamos una tradición aquí en la iglesia Asunción hace como dos años que en el fiesta de **Corpus Christi** (El Cuerpo y Sangre de Cristo) tendríamos una colección de vinos que nuestros feligreses nos traigan. Invitamos a cualquier persona que quisiera, que traiga dos botellas de vino para continuar nuestra tradición **el 21 de Junio y el 22**. Tráigalas por favor a la parte posterior de la iglesia donde los dones del pan y vino se mantienen. Esta será una ocasión especial para ofrecer el vino en la procesión. Este es un gran recordatorio de la importante línea que dice en la biblia que el pan y vino que ofrecen es “El trabajo de nuestras manos.” Tal vez no preparamos el vino nosotros, pero si salimos a cómpralo y proporcionamos de nuestro tiempo. Y de alguna manera nos recuerda que nuestra contribución es necesaria y muy importante. Vamos a utilizar el vino en el curso del próximo año en nuestra celebración regular de la Eucaristía. Le pedimos que traiga dos botellas, esto es aproximadamente lo que usamos cada liturgia del domingo. Por favor, asegúrese de que es vino de la uva. Ustedes son una bendición para mí y con ansias espero ver lo que traigan.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. K. Scott Connolly  
Pastor

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## THANK YOU FOR PARTICIPATING IN THE INTERFAITH COALITION CHOIR FESTIVAL!

The Assumption choir participated in the Interfaith Coalition Choir Festival on May 10 at our parish. Nine choirs performed individually, and then joined in a combined choir of more than 200 voices under the direction of Leslie Guelker-Cone, Director of Choral Activities and Vocal Studies at Western Washington University. An offering to benefit Interfaith Coalition programs, which provide homes, healthcare and shelter for all, was gratefully accepted.



**ENGAGED CHURCH—IN MY PARISH MY SPIRITUAL NEEDS ARE MET.**

**PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD...**

Assumption Preschool is now enrolling for the next school year:



**3 yrs. old – 2 days/week**

**4 yrs. old – 3 days/week**

**4 yrs. old (multi-age) - 5 days/week**

Call to schedule a visit  
(360) 733-6133

**SERVANTS OF THE LORD PRAYER GROUP**

Mondays 6:30-8:30 PM in the St. Cecilia's room.  
"Be glad in the Lord and rejoice, you just; exult, all you upright of heart." Ps. 32:11.

Joy is not the absence of difficulties, disappointments and dissension. Joy is rather the awareness of the presence and goodness of the Lord in our lives. All are welcome.

**SUPPORT OUR EDGE MISSION TRIP**

EDGE is doing the Agape Service Project, serving the local migrant population in Whatcom County. One of the activities the ASP does is organize a migrant food bank. We're inviting you, our parishioners, to be part of our mission trip by either donating an item below or donating money to help us buy fresh produce for the food bank. Please drop off donations in the bin at the Cornwall entrance. We are looking for non-perishable food items, hygiene items, gently used clothes, toys, and school supplies. A full list of possible donations are listed on the EDGE bulletin board at the Cornwall entrance. Please stop by and consider buying an item or two from the list and continue to pray for us and those we will encounter during our mission trip June 22-June 27. ¡Muchísimas gracias!

**ATTENTION ALL CATHOLIC YOUNG MEN AGES 13-18!**

Do you know where your life is going? The Lord Jesus has a great plan for you! You are invited to attend Quo Vadis Days camp to spend time with other young men your age looking at the Lord's call in your life while having a great time. QVD is led by priests and seminarians of the Archdiocese. Archbishop Sartain will join us on Monday to celebrate Mass with the participants. QVD will be held from June 22nd- June 25th at Camp Don Bosco near Carnation, WA. The cost of the camp will be covered by the Serra Club. Please check us out at [www.qvdays.org](http://www.qvdays.org) if interested. All registration is online! E-mail Grace Bandolon if you sign up and are interested in carpooling.

**ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL IS SEEKING**

A Full time 2<sup>nd</sup> grade teacher who is a Practicing Catholic with a Washington State teaching certification. If you are interested, apply through the Archdiocese of Seattle <http://www.ocsw.org/employment.php>

**ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL ANNUAL FUND CAMPAIGN**

**Please Help Us Reach Our Goal**

The Assumption Catholic School Annual Fund Campaign is only \$9,000 from our goal! Please help us fulfill our mission:

Assumption Catholic School, a ministry of the Church of the Assumption, provides excellent Catholic Education to students of Whatcom County. A rigorous curriculum is the foundation that nurtures the whole student in body, mind, and spirit. All students are expected to reach their potential, achieve a strong faith in God to go forth and make a lasting difference in the world.

Please contribute online at <http://school.assumption.org> or contact Principal Monica Des Jarlais at 733-6133.

**ATTENTION ALL CATHOLIC MOMS (AND DADS)!**

We would like to invite you and your child(ren) to our annual summer park picnic/playdates. We meet at a local park around 11:00 with lunches and are able to watch our children play and chat with other moms. You don't have to have been to any meetings to attend and please invite your friends! It is a fun way to get to know other moms and let the kids play together. Our schedule follows and please contact Bev Williams if you have any questions (920-7592 or [bevjohnson\\_13@hotmail.com](mailto:bevjohnson_13@hotmail.com)).  
June 12 (Thur) -Cornwall Park  
June 24 (Tues) -Broadway Park  
July 10 (Thur) -Fairhaven Park  
July 22 (Tues) -Lake Padden  
August 14 (Thur) -Blodel Donovan  
August 26 (Tues) -Elizabeth Park



**FAITH FORMATION, SCHOOL, PARISH EVENTS**

**ATTENTION SCRIP SUPPORTERS**

Please note: Scrip will be sold on the **first & third** Sunday of the month after the 8:30 AM Mass and before the 10:30 AM mass.

El Scrip ya esta en venta después de la misa en Español. Gracias por su apoyo.

**PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY**

- Floyd Carpenter*
- Chris Formichella*
- Don Veltum*
- Capt. Mark Bieda*
- Capt. Trevor Corrigan*
- Adam Honda*
- Jason Woolsey*
- Steve Ploog*
- Corey McDaniel*
- Patrick Kelley*
- Patrick L. Blake*
- Paul Cleary*
- Michael Condit*
- Gabriel Feely*
- John Hutson*
- Gabriel Rodriguez*
- Steven Faecke*
- Lt Col Gregory DeMarco*
- Keanu Franco*
- Michael Dahl*
- Matt Edge*
- Kyle Frisbie*
- Kurt DeVries*
- Cadet Garrett Burnham*

## ENGAGED CHURCH—IN MY PARISH I HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO DO WHAT I DO

### **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT & LIFE, JUSTICE & PEACE MINISTRY**

#### **PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Bill Attebery  
Jim Gibson  
Jerilou Jones  
Carlos Muñoz  
José Ordóñez  
Denise Plaisier  
Sam Raines  
Belen Saturay  
Jean Wilford  
Tashie Zang

#### **COMMISSION & COMMITTEE CHAIRS**

Faith Formation Commission  
John Getchell  
Parish Life & Social  
Mary & Bill Chambers  
Spiritual Life & Worship  
Ronald Delbecq  
School Commission  
Dan Kamkoff  
Life, Justice & Peace  
Michael DiSpigno  
Pastoral Care  
Carol Frazey  
Building & Grounds  
Eric Schueler  
Stewardship/Engaged  
Church  
Patti & James Wright  
Finance Council  
Bill Zang  
Pastoral Council  
Jim Gibson  
Bill Attebery  
Belen Saturay

#### **CALLED TO PROTECT – ARE YOU UP TO DATE?**

If you are a volunteer in the school or parish, you must keep your compliance up-to-date by taking one online course each year (August-May). To check your status, go to the Safe Environment website, [www.seattle.setanet.org](http://www.seattle.setanet.org), and select “My Obligations”. Fill in your first name, last name, and street address to search for your record. If you need an online class to be compliant, follow the instructions on the website. Please complete the class before June 6th.

#### **A PILGRIMAGE**

Join Fr. Scott for a pilgrimage to Lourdes and Fatima as well as a journey along “The Way” to Santiago and the Sea Side Town of Muros to see many of the places Fr. Scott went two Summers ago. We will go to Avila, Zaragoza and Burgos among just a few of the sites. Land Price is \$2859.00 per person and includes 4 and 5 Star Hotels, private mass daily, breakfast and dinner daily, entrance fees and private guide and bus. June 15 thru June 28th, 2015. Airfare prices from Seattle will be available in July 2014. Travel Insurance is \$248. Please view our website for a more detailed schedule. You may also find the Registration form on our website: [www.assumption.org](http://www.assumption.org) Thank you!

#### **JOIN FR. JOHN MADIGAN ON A PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND!**

Walk the footsteps of Jesus through Israel and Palestine, October 25-November 4, 2014. \$3,295 includes RT air, taxes, breakfast & dinner with 4 star hotels for 11 days & 8 nights. REGISTER by June 15, 2014 and SAVE \$100.00! For a complete brochure, visit [www.myfaithjourneys.com](http://www.myfaithjourneys.com) Click on Log In & Enter ID: 14060, or call 877-732-4845, Ext. 100. Space is limited!

#### **WESTERN'S NEWMAN CENTER**

On June 7th, the Siena house and Xavier house of Western's Newman Center will be hosting a yard sale on 35th Street. The proceeds will go to the Newman Center and Agape Service project. If you have things that you'd like to donate to the yard sale, drop them off at the Siena House anytime before June 1st. Contact Katey Sullivan with any questions: [\(760\) 807-1399](tel:7608071399)



They're tiny, innocent little lives—newborn babies are truly angels from heaven! At Hope House we are lucky to be a part of their lives, watching them grow, supplying diapers and clothing, car seats and toys. There is another group in our community that started as an Assumption ministry and has spread to include members of other churches that is also making a difference in these lives. That group is called Welcome Baby and they supply the hospital with newborn baby baskets for distribution to those mothers with little to no resources for their angels. I would invite our parishioners to support this group with donations of baby blankets, newborn onesies and pajamas, socks, bibs and washcloths. If you would like to bring these to Hope House marked Welcome Baby, we will make sure they get them!  
Bless you for all you do,  
Cheri Woolsey

#### **NEWS FROM ASSUMPTION BOY SCOUTS TROOP 16**

1. We would like to invite adventurous young boys 1st-8th grade to join us for a "Rain Gutter Regatta" boat race & Ice Cream Sundaes June 10th at 7 PM at the Gym.
2. Scott Wendling will also receive an award for being the Top Boy Scout Committee Chairman in the entire Whatcom District. Congratulations Scott!
3. Also please join us for a Court of Honor celebration recognizing 4 new Eagle Scouts on June 17th at 7 PM in the Gym.
4. Once again, thank you for your continued support of the Scouting at Assumption as Konrad Kocsis will be stepping Down after 8 years as Scoutmaster, and welcoming Jason Napier who will be taking over the lead role.

#### **RACHEL'S CORNER**

##### ***Hope and Healing After Abortion***

*"I experienced a great inner healing as a result of attending a Rachel's Vineyard™ retreat. It is a wonderful way to forgive yourself, find the unconditional love of Christ and grieve the loss of your little child."*

*-Testimonial from retreat*

Join us on our next Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and find healing through the love and peace of Christ Jesus.

**Call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673)**

***You are loved with an everlasting Love!***

*Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services*

## **W** Monday, June 2nd

10:30 AM Mass Church  
6:30 PM One King Light Weigh PCLR  
6:30 PM Servants of the Lord Prayer Group St. Cecilia

## **E** Tuesday, June 3rd

3:00 PM Cub Scout Pack Meeting Stafford  
6:30 PM Adoration Church  
6:30 PM Knights of Columbus First Degree St. Cecilia  
7:00 PM Boy Scout Troop 16 Meeting Gym  
7:00 PM Frassati Young Adult Small Group Off-site  
7:00 PM Pax Christi PCLR

## Wednesday, June 4th

12:00 AM Adoration Church  
10:00 AM Women's Scripture Study Stafford  
2:00 PM Mass St. Joseph's Hospital  
3:00 PM Little Flowers Stafford/Room 1  
5:45 PM Benediction Church  
6:00 PM Mass Church  
7:00 PM Prayer Ministry Church  
7:00 PM PTC Executive Meeting LMC  
7:00 PM Harvest Festival Meeting Stafford  
7:00 PM Parish Life and Social PC 2nd floor

## **G** Thursday, June 5th

10:00 AM Graduation Breakfast Gym  
1:00 PM Purple Readers Group Stafford  
7:00 PM 8th Graduation Mass Church  
8:00 PM Graduation Reception Gym

## **L** Friday, June 6th

10:30 AM Mass Church  
11:30 AM Rosary Prayer Group Church  
1:30 PM Grief Support Stafford  
6:00 PM Rosary Makers Stafford  
7:00 PM Grupo de Compartir el Evangelio LMC

## **A** Saturday, June 7th

7:00 AM CPR Training Boy/Girl Scout Gym/Stafford  
1:00 PM Art & Environment Committee PC 2nd floor  
3:00 PM Tagalog Choir Church  
3:00 PM Agape Service Project Meeting Off-site  
3:30 PM Reconciliation Church  
4:00 PM Cantor Rehearsal St. Cecilia  
5:00 PM Certificate Mass Church  
6:00 PM Certificate Reception Gym

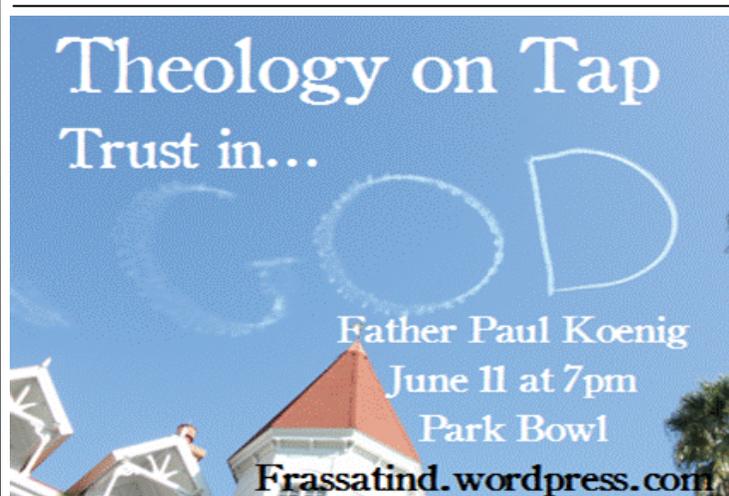
## Sunday, June 8th

### **PENTECOST –WEAR RED**

7:45 AM English Choir Rehearsal Church  
8:30 AM Mass Church  
9:30 AM English Choir Rehearsal Church  
9:30 AM Coffee Hour Gym  
10:30 AM Mass Church  
11:30 AM Coffee Hour Gym  
11:30 AM K-5 Faith Formation School  
11:30 AM Ensayo de Mariachi St. Cecilia  
12:30 PM Misa Iglesia  
2:00 PM Tarea de Catequesis Gym  
4:00 PM School Commission BBQ Off-site

### **PLEASE NOTE**

There will be no 10:30 AM Mass on Thursday, June 5th.  
Please come to the 7:00 PM 8th Grade Graduation Mass.



### **HOMEBOUND MINISTRY**

Is Homebound the Ministry for you? We are in need of additional Ministers. Homebound Ministers do the Lord's work, taking Him to those who are unable to attend mass. In addition to homes, we also visit several facilities. Please contact: Margaret Duffy, 671-4061 or at duffy1533@comcast.net if you are interested in joining this very important Ministry. If anyone knows of someone this ministry could serve, please contact Margaret with that information.

### **CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS**

Saturday, June 14 we will be celebrating our Court's 100th Anniversary at the 5pm Mass at Assumption with a catered dinner following. Contact a Catholic Daughter for information and tickets for this special event.

### **SUMMER OFFICE HOURS**

Starting June 16th the office phones will be answered from 8:00 AM to Noon.  
Please schedule your calls for those hours.  
Thank you.



**PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

	Wk(05/25/2014)	Month	YTD
Contributions needed:	\$17,404	\$69,615	\$817,988
Contributions received:	\$13,828	\$68,898	\$855,113
Over/ <b>under</b> for wk/mo/yr	<b>-\$3,576</b>	<b>-\$ 718</b>	\$ 37,125

*Thank you for sharing God's blessings with our parish community.*

<b>Debt Reduction</b>	Wk(05/25/2014)	Month	YTD
Contributions needed:	\$ 1,058	\$ 4,232	\$49,726
Contributions received:	\$ 773	\$ 3,255	\$61,931
Over/ <b>Under</b> for wk/mo/yr	<b>-\$ 285</b>	<b>-\$ 977</b>	\$12,205

**GIFTS FROM THE OTHER HALF OF OUR STEWARDSHIP GIVING**

Hope House \$ 136

*Thank you for sharing God's blessings with the larger community.*

**FAITHFUL STEWARD OF THE WEEK**

For the sharing of her time and talent with Assumption Parish, we acknowledge:

**Beverly Williams**

Beverly Williams is completing her second year as the leader of our "Mothers and Children" group, which meets twice each month and ministers to moms with young children. Under her leadership, the gatherings provide spiritual enrichment, practical support and enjoyable discussions for mothers, as well as fun activities for the children. She also arranges gatherings in the park during the summer. This past school year, Bev also agreed to be a 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Catechist in our Faith Formation program. She brought her knowledge of the faith and love of teaching together for our younger parishioners. In addition, she was a regular prayer leader for Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 8:30 a.m. Sunday Mass. Thank you, Beverly!

**ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL/PETICIÓN CATÓLICA ANUAL**

*We're almost to our goal, but your gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal is still needed!*

Your gift, no matter the amount, can help us surpass our goal and provide funding for our parish project: **Hiring a WWU Newman Center Disciple in Service to continue our Young Adult Ministry.** It is not too late to return your pledge envelope if you haven't already done so. Please fill out a pledge envelope today or go online to donate:

[www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate](http://www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate)

*Ya casi llegamos a nuestra meta, pero se sigue necesitando su donativo para la Petición Católica Anual!* Su donativo, no importando la cantidad, nos ayudara superar nuestra meta y proporcionar fondos: *Para la contratación de un Discípulo de WWU Newman Center de servicio para continuar con nuestro ministerios de Jóvenes Adultos.* Todavía no es muy tarde para regresar su Sobre de Compromiso si no lo ha regresado. Por favor, llene un Sobre de Compromiso hoy o haga su donativo en línea yendo a la página web: [www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate](http://www.seattlearchdiocese.org/donate)

Our Annual Catholic Appeal goal:	\$87,510	Registered parish households:	1460
Amount pledged so far:	\$81,434	Pledge envelopes returned:	287
% of goal reached:	93%	% of participating households:	20%

Thank you to all who have already turned in your pledge envelopes or pledged online./  
Gracias a todos los que ya entregaron su tarjeta de compromiso en sobre o la llenaron en la línea del web.

**A Stewardship Moment**

In today's Gospel, Jesus prays, "I have given You glory on earth by finishing the work You gave Me to do." Good stewards follow His example by using their time and talents for the glory of God.

**Un Momento De Corresponsabilidad**

En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús reza: "Yo Te he dado gloria en la tierra al haber terminado el trabajo que Tú Me diste." Los buenos administradores siguen Su ejemplo utilizando su tiempo y talento para la gloria de Dios.



Generous and loving God,

You call us to be disciples of your son Jesus and good stewards of all your many gifts.

Open our minds and hearts to a greater awareness and deeper appreciation of your countless blessings.

Transform us through the power of your Spirit to nurture a stewardship way of life marked by faith-filled prayer, service to our neighbor and generous sharing.

Teach us to be faithful servants of your gifts. With Mary's help, may we return ten-fold the gifts entrusted to us.

Bless our Parish with a deepening devotion to prayer, a growing commitment for service, and increasing levels of generosity as we work to advance the mission of both our parish and diocese.

We pray through Christ, our Lord. Amen.