

## 2 May 2010—5th Sunday of Easter

### ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE ARCHDIOCESE



Your support is critical to the success of the Annual Catholic Appeal for the support of the Archdiocese of Seattle and its ministries and services. Today every one of you is being asked to commit to making a gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal. The reason is not just because the Archdiocese has a need—which it does, and not just because the causes are worthy—which they are, but especially because this is part of what it means to be Catholic. **This year's total goal is \$10 million. St. Mary Magdalen's assessed portion is \$102,755 and St. John Mission's assessed portion is \$22,942. Anything over and above the assessed amount is returned to the Parish in the form of a rebate.** Any rebate money for St. Mary Magdalen will be used for painting the buildings and installing upgraded security lighting and any money returned to St. John Mission will be used for painting the buildings and creating a walkway to the mission from the side parking lot.

*In light of the difficult economic situation, the reality is, some of your fellow parishioners will not be able to financially support the Archdiocesan appeal this year. If you ARE able to participate, and not giving at this level already, would you consider a gift of \$1 a day or \$365 or more, to make up for those who cannot give in 2010? Know that every gift, no matter the amount, CAN and WILL make a difference.*

#### PRAYERS REQUESTED

**Please Pray For:** Bill Gamble, Virginia Balzaretto, Carrie Bertman, Marie Scott, Marylee Penhollow, Eunice McGough, Bea & Len Whitlock, Michael Hoag, Colin Ward, Linda Pratt, Nancy Barton, and Hans Slendebroek.

**Rest in Peace:** Barbara Cole (aunt of Rosemary Mutchler).

#### FIRST FRIDAY SCHEDULE

Thurs. May. 6	6:30PM—Confession in SMM Church
Friday May 7	Mass at 7:30 and 11AM with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 11AM Mass. (Potluck in Parish Hall after 11AM Mass).
Sat. May 8	7:30AM—Mass and Benediction

#### VOCATION NIGHT PLANNED!

##### Mother/Daughter Vocations Night

Thursday, May 6th at 6:30PM in the Church. Sr. Miriam James will be here at St. Mary Magdalen Parish to discuss with young women the importance of their relationship with Christ and following the vocation God has called them to. This night is for all females from the 6th grade through age 18 and their moms if possible. Refreshments will follow in the Parish Hall.



#### CONGRATULATIONS!



Our prayer-filled congratulations to the following children who received their First Holy Communion on Saturday, April 24, 2010:

Connor Benum	Jack Modrell
Kenzie Bloom	Michael Moore
Lauren Bocalan	Quang Nguyen
Andrea Bui	Tri Nguyen
Vianne Buinguyen	Colin Ormsby
Ashley Cereno	Patrick Padgett
Janelle Doty	Michael Pelan
Garret Drake	Catherine Pepper
Tyler Franck	Madeline Ronneberg
Abby Gaffney	Josiah Santiago
Keegan Gaffney	Nia Santos
Ava Henning	Noelle Santos
Brooke Jordan	Luke Scherzinger
Luke Macwan	Olivia Scherzinger
Isabelle Maxwell	Andrew Stupey
Nicholas Meyer	Thomas Sullivan
Brooke Miller	Evan Thode
Ethan Miranda	Maria Vu

#### YOUR INPUT IS NEEDED!

Community Life Committee Invites you to give your input to the **St. Mary Magdalen-St. John Mission PARISH PICNIC— Sunday July 25**

**The next meeting will be held Monday, May 17th at 7pm in the St. Joseph Room at the Parish Office.** Our plan is to discuss all ways that all ministries and parishioners can play a role in making this a successful, entertaining and FUN picnic. If you would like to participate in the planning, contact our member, Jennifer Edson, [jen.Edson@verizon.net](mailto:jen.Edson@verizon.net), 425-397-8097

#### MASS INTENTIONS: Mon.—Sat. 7:30AM (Wed. 8:30AM)

To have a Mass said for someone deceased or for the intentions of a living person, stop at the Parish Office with your request and donation. The usual donation is \$10—\$15.

Mon. May 03	For all priests—Intentions
Tues. May 04	Johannes Falk —Deceased
Wed. May 05	For victims of war —Deceased
Thurs. May 06	Deacon Wichert—Intentions
12PM Chapel	Mary Lawrence—Intentions
Fri. May 07	Rosemary Zinger—Deceased
Sat. May 08	David & Karen Whooley—Intentions

**Please support St. Mary Magdalen School:  
Come purchase SCRIP in the SCRIP office  
following the 10AM Mass on Sunday.  
Thank you!**

## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- Mon. May 03..... - St. Andrew room reserved all day  
 - 2PM—Sch. May Crowning—CH/Plaza  
 - 5PM—Light Weigh—St. Joseph  
 - 7PM—Rel. Ed Grades 1-8—School
- Tues. May 04..... - 6PM—Sct. Leadership—PH  
 - 6:30PM—SJ Choir—Choir Loft  
 - 7PM—Adult Ed Class—CH  
 - 7PM—Marriage Prep—St. Andrew Rm.  
 - 7PM - Safe Environment Trning—PH  
 - 7:30PM—Knights of Columbus—ERB
- Wed. May 05..... - **10-11:30AM—Parish Office closed**  
 - 4PM—Jubilate Choir—CH loft/MP  
 - 6PM—Variety Show/Ice Cream Social—PH  
 - 6:30PM—Cub Sct. Den #1—ERB  
 - 7PM—Infant Baptism Class—Sch. Library  
 - 7PM—Scripture Study—Sch. Rm. 7B  
 - 7PM—Adult Choir—CH Choir loft  
 - 7PM—SJ Women's Guild—SJ Hall
- Thurs. May 06.... - 1PM—Bulletin - St. Andrew  
 - 6:30PM—Mother/daughter Vocations—CH  
 - 6:30PM—Spanish Bible Study—ERB  
 - 7PM—Adult Confirmation—Room 7B  
 - 7PM—School Activity—Sch. Library
- Fri. May 07..... - First Friday—see schedule on page 1  
 - 4PM—Auction Overnight—Parish Hall  
 - 7PM—Vietnamese Class—ERB, 7B 8B
- Sat. May 08..... - All day—Sch. Musical rehearsal—PH  
 - 8:15AM—Serra Club—St. Joseph Rm.  
 - 8:30AM—Adult Retreat—St. John Mission  
 - 8:30AM—Scripture Study—St. Andrew Rm.  
 - 3:30PM—Confessions—CH
- Sun. May 09..... - ACA Follow-up Sunday  
 - Mother's Day—No coffee and donuts  
 - 11:15AM—Teen Choir—CH  
 - 1:30PM—High School Gr. 9-12 Parish Hall  
 - 1:30-3:30PM—Teen Confirm. Class—PH

**SJ Women's Guild** meets May 5, 7PM, SJ Hall. All ladies of the mission are invited. For info call Laura Clift 425-379-0378 or Vera Hughes at 425-349-9753.

## FAMILY BIBLE QUIZ



- ◆ Where did Aaron die - Mount of Olives, Pisgah, Mount Hor or Gilboa? (Numbers 20:26)
- ◆ How many books of the Old Testament are divided into two parts—two, three, four or five?

- ◆ How many books of the New Testament are divided into two parts—two, three four or five?

## THINK ABOUT IT!

Abortions are done mostly for non-medical reasons. The abortion industry itself admits so through the Alan Guttmacher Institute: "3/4 say they cannot afford a child; 3/4 say that having a baby would interfere with work, school or the ability to care for dependents; and half say they do not want to be a single parent or are having problems with their husband or partner."

**Make your pledge today to the Annual Catholic Appeal and save our parish the postage costs for future mailings!**

## What have I given back to God For all He's given me?



### Character

Character is much easier kept than recovered.

1-Timothy 4:12 - Dcn. Dave

## ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC SCHOOL 425-353-7559

**May Crowning at the Legacy Plaza:** On Monday, May 3, at 2pm, you are invited to join the entire student body as we celebrate Mary's special month of May. The third graders and their teachers, Mrs. Houghton and Miss Pelkey, will lead the school in praying the rosary & then crown our beautiful statue of Mary.

**A Lasting Legacy for Our School:** Ensure your parish school lives long into the future. Help provide the best Catholic education for parish children for years to come. Join us in the kick-off of the second phase of our Endowment Fund as we begin our celebrations for the school's 50<sup>th</sup> Jubilee! All St. Mary Magdalen parents, alumni, and school supporters are invited to attend an Endowment Reception on Thursday, May 13, from 7 to 9pm at the Antheia Ballroom in Snohomish. This will be a terrific evening of great hors d'oeuvres, drinks and special announcements. If you can join us, please RSVP to [kathleenL@stmarym.org](mailto:kathleenL@stmarym.org) or phone the school office by May 9. If you are unable to attend, we still encourage you to pledge a donation toward our school's successful future!

**St. Mary Magdalen School Book Fair:** St. Mary Magdalen School's Book Fair continues through May 6. Drop by our library during school hours to purchase quality literature for your family and friends.

**Variety Show/Art Walk/Ice Cream Social:** This combined annual event – Variety Show/Art Walk/Ice Cream Social – is at 6pm on Wednesday, May 5. It promises to be a fun night for all current and prospective school families, showcasing the dramatic, musical, and artistic talents of our students.

**Create a Tile for the Parish Hall:** All school families, parishioners, and friends are invited to support a mini-makeover of the Parish Hall by purchasing a 6X6 tile for your child to paint for just \$60. You are also welcome to sponsor a child. The theme is "All Good Things God Has Created." The tiles will be mounted and proudly displayed in the Parish Hall for an entire year. Please call the school office for details.

**To find out more about your parish school and the registration process, please call the school or visit our informative website:** [www.stmarym.org](http://www.stmarym.org)

## YOUTH CORNER



This weekend, Sr. Miriam James is coming to talk with us. Sr. Miriam rocks, so you won't wanna miss this Sunday after the noon Mass!

Next **Sunday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2010** we are going to be talking about life issues. Euthanasia, abortion and stem cell research among others.