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Ministry Listing

*"Stir up the gift of God
which is in thee." 2 Timothy 1:6*



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Prayer

God, You so love us that our hearts overflow with gratitude. From a heart of gratitude, we thank you for giving us all that we have and are and will be. Please guide us to constantly learn to be better stewards of Your gifts.....*Amen*

Father's Message

Just as God so loved that He gave, we too give from a heart of gratitude. It is important for all of us, as recipients of God's good gifts, to prioritize how we use our gifts. Our gifts are meant to be shared. Stewardship is not so much about giving to a need, but having a need to give of ourselves and share our gifts. When we recognize that need— to joyfully thank God for our many gifts, by joyfully giving back— then we are a grateful and cheerful giver. In thanksgiving for all God's many gifts to us....*Fr. Jim*

Overview

- Schedule facilities Rose Kinsella
253-630-0170, ext. 103

- To add bulletin item Connie Tietz
253-630-0170, ext. 101

- Strengths sessions Sue Ray
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- Strengths coaches Sue Ray
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Joan Williamson
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- Gifts ministry/
Volunteer opportunities Sue Ray
253-630-0701, ext. 112

<p>RETURNING CATHOLICS/ LANDINGS</p> <p>Sue Ray (253) 630-0701 ext. 112</p>	<p>Provide a contact to discuss coming back to the Church. Offer a program for those who have been away from the Church and would like to come back to their Catholic faith.</p>
<p>STEWARDSHIP & EVANGELIZATION COMMISSION</p> <p>Mary-Kaye Soderlind (253) 508-6987</p>	<p>Coordinate Renewal Campaigns for stewardship: Time during Lent, Talent and Treasure in the Fall. We support our welcoming of new members and returning Catholics. We strive to engage our total community in making stewardship a 'way of life', encourage our ministries and volunteers. We meet the 3rd Tuesday of each month.</p>
<p>WELCOMING COMMITTEE</p> <p>Erin Marshall (425) 432-1478 Irene Aguilar (209) 712-4007</p>	<p>The Welcoming Committee assists new members in becoming part of the SJTB community. The Welcome Table staff is the face of the community and is there to answer questions and suggest ways to explore becoming involved in our parish. The New Member Welcome Gathering event helps build relationships with current members and provides a tour of the parish along with a host ministry serving lunch.</p>

NOTES:

At St. John the Baptist, there are many ministries and people who can help you find a good place to use your God-given gifts. If you are interested in learning more about a certain ministry, please contact Sue Ray at 253-630-0701 ext. 112 or email at suer@sjtbcc.org. Also, you can contact the Ministry Coordinator directly, they are listed in this Ministry Listing and in the bulletin. Thank you for sharing your gifts with others.

<p>DIVORCE & BEYOND</p> <p>Monica Saalfeld (253) 638-2442 Mary-Kaye Soderlind (253) 508-6987</p>	<p>This ministry offers sessions to help people deal with the reality and pain of divorce.</p>
<p>GRIEF SUPPORT MINISTRY</p> <p>Richard Staiti (425) 432-4496</p>	<p>The Grief Support Ministry, (From Sorrow to a Feeling of Peace through the Holy Spirit) offers support during the grieving process. This ministry is in need of volunteers to act as greeters and facilitators. The ministry holds a grief support session the 2nd Wednesday of each month from 7-8:30pm.</p>
<p>HELPING HANDS</p> <p>Jennifer Beckie (253) 630-6484</p>	<p>The Helping Hands ministry is a group of volunteers who provide meals to families and individuals of St. John the Baptist (on a short term basis) who are recovering from an illness and/or medical procedure, having a new baby or experiencing a death in the family.</p>
<p>MINISTRY TO THE SICK & HOMEBOUND</p> <p>Laurie Moloney (253) 630-0701, ext. 111</p>	<p>We are the hands and feet of Christ on earth. We visit and bring Eucharist to parishioners who are sick and/or homebound.</p>
<p>PASTORAL CARE</p> <p>Laurie Moloney (253) 630-0701, ext. 111</p>	<p>The ministry of presence. To bring the presence of the community of St. John's to those who cannot be present themselves, who are: ill, homebound, dying or in need of emotional and spiritual support during a time of personal strife.</p>
<p>PRAYER SONG MINISTRY</p> <p>Cheryl Nowacki (206) 713-0220 Nancy Schmitt (253) 569-2701</p>	<p>We are formed for the sole purpose of lifting up those in need due to illness, loneliness, broken heartedness or the simple need of fellowship with people who share God's Word through music. Please contact us if you would like to experience our music.</p>

STEWARDSHIP & EVANGELIZATION

<p>MEMBER ENGAGEMENT & STRENGTHS</p> <p>Sue Ray (253) 630-0701 ext. 112</p>	<p>Focus on all aspects of our community with a goal of growing member engagement. Facilitates group sessions to discover and use our strengths to serve God and our community.</p>
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<p>PASTORAL LEADERSHIP TEAM</p> <p>Trish Hanson (206) 650-2018 Bob Denney (425) 432-3714</p>	<p>The Pastoral Leadership Team serves with our Pastor, Fr. Jim, to envision and implement parish priorities that will strengthen and engage our parish community. Meetings are held the 3rd Monday of each month.</p>
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ADMINISTRATION SUPPORT

<p>COMMUNICATIONS TEAM</p> <p>Bob Jensen bobengr@gmail.com</p>	<p>The Communications Team evaluates methods of parish communication, (i.e., bulletin, letters, e-mail, website, posters, announcements, meetings, etc.) to ensure effectiveness and clarity. Meetings are held the 3rd Monday of each month.</p>
<p>FINANCE COUNCIL</p> <p>Mike Dennis (425) 413-8643</p>	<p>This ministry oversees the financial health of the Parish by preparing long- range financial projections, creating the fiscal year operating budget and advising the Pastor on financial matters.</p>
<p>MONEY COUNTERS</p> <p>Rose Kinsella (253) 630-0701, ext. 103</p>	<p>The money counters tabulate donations from the weekend, Holy Days and special collections. We also prepare currency/ checks for deposit and create deposit worksheets and deposit slips.</p>
<p>OFFICE SPECIAL PROJECT HELPERS</p> <p>Connie Tietz (253) 630-0701, ext. 101</p>	<p>Office Special Project helps collate materials and stuff envelopes for parish mailings. We also assist with other special administrative projects as needed.</p>
<p>OFFICE HELPERS</p> <p>Rose Kinsella (253) 630-0701, ext. 103</p>	<p>Office helpers provide office/administrative assistance. Activities include greeting visitors, answering the phone, copying/ collating materials, word-processing and data entry.</p>
<p>WEBSITE SUPPORT</p> <p>Rose Kinsella (253) 630-0701, ext. 103 Bob Jensen bobengr@gmail.com</p>	<p>Web support keeps our parish website current and appealing. The Webmaster converts the weekly bulletin into electronic articles, calendar items and posts this information to our website.</p> <p>Visit us at www.sjtbcc.org</p>

<p>LECTORS MINISTRY</p> <p>Norm & Tia Bailey (253) 351-2959</p>	<p>Proclaims the Word of God at Mass and special liturgies.</p>
<p>LITURGICAL PLANNING & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE</p> <p>Open– Coordinator Needed Contact Laurie Moloney (253) 630-0701 ext. 111</p>	<p>Specifically works on enhancing all physical aspects of our worship, education and ground space. They coordinate and plan all liturgies with Father and the Music ministry.</p>
<p>MUSIC MINISTRY</p> <p>Luis Diaz de Leon (253) 630-0701 ext. 108</p>	<p>The Music Ministry provides musicians and singers an opportunity to minister to the Church body through the gift of music. The leaders meet quarterly and coordinate upcoming music functions according to the liturgical seasons. They also hold music practice, choose music and lead at Mass. The general participants practice weekly and sing in a choir at their particular Mass time. All are welcome and encouraged to join at any time.</p>
<p>POINT PERSON</p> <p>Scott Gilyeat (425) 433-0530</p>	<p>A Point Person is responsible for checking the church before and after each Mass, taking care of collections and ensuring liturgical ministers are on hand for all positions.</p>
<p>SACRISTAN MINISTRY</p> <p>Paul Dehmer (weekend) (253) 852-8839 Laura Rothschilds (weekday) (360) 886-2872</p>	<p>The Sacristan Ministry cares for the Sanctuary and Mass items such as the vessels for Communion, altar cloths, etc. They set up the vessels for Mass.</p>

PASTORAL CARE

<p>ANNULMENTS</p> <p>Fr. Jim Coyne (253) 630-0701 ext. 105</p>	<p>If you have questions about an annulment, this is a ministry you can contact.</p>
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COMMUNITY LIFE

<p>ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY</p> <p>Tom Howell (206) 914-7709</p>	<p>We serve people in need within our general parish area. We do this by providing rent, utility and food assistance – primarily through a voucher system. We work directly with landlords, utilities and local grocers to provide this assistance. Ministry volunteers receive names of those in need through the St. Vincent de Paul Helpline. Volunteer teams of two make home visits to follow-up on their needs. Funding for this ministry comes through our parish Life, Justice & Peace budget and private donations.</p>
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LITURGY

<p>ALTAR SERVERS & CROSS BEARERS</p> <p>Kathy Androes-Downes (206) 949-8758</p>	<p>Altar servers and cross bearers assist the presider during the celebration of the Mass by setting the altar, holding the Roman Missal, ringing the bells, washing the hands of the priest, dispensing incense and giving the proper responses to prayers.</p>
<p>CHARISMATIC PRAISE & WORSHIP</p> <p>Linda Smith (253) 854-1728</p>	<p>Join us on Sunday evening after the Life Teen Mass for prayer and sharing in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit.</p>
<p>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</p> <p>Pat DeFiesta (253) 833-4316 ext. 111</p>	<p>Eucharistic Ministers help with Mass by serving the consecrated bread and wine.</p>
<p>FLOWER MINISTRY</p> <p>Judy Fuchs (253) 350-8545</p>	<p>Those in the Flower Ministry enhance the celebration of the Mass by providing and preparing flowers for church.</p>
<p>GREETERS MINISTRY</p> <p>Chuck & Angie Santillan (253) 737-5886</p>	<p>Greeters welcome people to church, manage the collection and distribute bulletins.</p>
<p>LAY LEADERS OF PRAYER</p> <p>Laura Rothschilds (360) 886-2872</p>	<p>Lay Leaders of Prayer provide opportunities to gather in prayer when a priest is not available. This includes presiding at prayer and Communion services both at church and at community sites such as senior residence centers, Alzheimer's facilities and nursing homes.</p>

<p>AUCTION COMMITTEE</p> <p>Open– Coordinator Needed Contact Rose Kinsella (253) 630-0701</p>	<p>A community-building event (held every other year), proceeds benefit identified ministries in the parish and in the greater community. Committee activities include: Procurement, Data processing, Publicity, Invitations, Decorations, Security, Cashiering, Set up & Tear down. .</p>
<p>BITE OF ST. JOHN'S</p> <p>Laura Heck-Ryan (218) 929-3005</p>	<p>A summer celebration of community, culture, food, entertainment and fun. Join this committee and/or volunteer at the actual event. We need coordinators for food booths, assistance in setting up/taking down and selling tickets/hospitality.</p>
<p>COFFEE & DONUTS</p> <p>John & Melissa Fieser (253) 630-0170</p>	<p>We invite people to the McMullen Center after the 9am and 11:30am Mass four to six times during the year to socialize with other members of our faith community. We provide coffee, donuts and juice making for a pleasant setting in which to gather and share.</p>
<p>COMMUNITY LIFE COMMITTEE</p> <p>Rose Kinsella (253) 630-0701, ext. 103</p>	<p>Meets to ensure coordination of all parish social activities.</p>
<p>CRAFT & HOBBY GROUP</p> <p>Nancy Moore (253) 630-0701, ext. 102</p>	<p>We meet 6-8 times per year on a Saturday, (10am-5pm) to work on our crafts or hobbies and chat with like-minded friends. There is nothing to buy– you bring your own supplies. We provide lots of workspace, you provide a small snack to share with the group and a brown bag lunch. In January, we offer a 2-day retreat with meals provided.</p>
<p>CREATIVE KINDNESS SEWING GROUP</p> <p>Barbara O'Neill (253) 631-9770</p>	<p>The Creative Kindness Sewing Group is a collection of sewers that do community sewing projects. They gather monthly and share a potluck or brown bag lunch. Fabric patterns, cutting equipment and sewing supplies are provided. If the sewer has a sewing machine they are encouraged to bring it. (Some machines are provided.)</p>
<p>FILIPINO-AMERICAN ASSOCIATION</p> <p>Ray Palisoc (253) 638-0781</p>	<p>Our mission is to engage every Filipino-American family in the parish, become a model of fervent Catholic faith, family togetherness and religious celebrations, making each Filipino a better steward of traditions amidst our parish community.</p>

<p>FUNERAL RECEPTION COMMITTEE</p> <p>Kathleen Williams 206) 715-7121 Denise Jackson (206) 261-1487</p>	<p>The mission of the Funeral Reception Committee is to provide a familiar, comfortable gathering place to share memories and food with family and friends after a funeral. Volunteers provide salads or desserts and/or assist on the day of the reception.</p>
<p>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS</p> <p>Kevin Jenne (206) 795-4073</p>	<p>Catholic Men's service organization that is based on the principles of Faith, Family and Fraternalism.</p>
<p>MULTICULTURAL MINISTRY</p> <p>Milly Nabarrete (253) 638-3486</p>	<p>To support the various ethnic groups within our parish community and to enrich the lives of all parishioners by sharing cultures and traditions from these groups</p>
<p>PARISH SOCIAL EVENTS</p> <p>Open - Coordinator Needed Contact Rose Kinsella (253) 630-0701 ext 103</p>	<p>We organize and carry out social events for the parish community.</p>
<p>PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY</p> <p>Monica Saalfeld (253) 638-2442</p>	<p>Prayer shawls through the ages have provided comfort and peace. They are a blessing to the recipient as well as the shawl maker. Prayer shawls are given by parishioners to anyone in need due to illness, crisis or in time of grief. In addition, other knit and crochet items are made for charities.</p>
<p>SOCIALLY ACTIVE SINGLES</p> <p>Monica Saalfeld (253) 638-2442</p>	<p>Socially Active Singles group provides fun social events for the single members of the parish. We are made up of never-married, divorced and widowed members. We range in age from young adult to senior citizens. Our commonality is that we are single Catholics (non-Catholics are also invited). We have a regularly scheduled event the 3rd Friday of the month.</p>
<p>STRONG BONES YOGA</p> <p>Ann Happe (206) 953-5952</p>	<p>The Strong Bones Yoga ministry is a St. John the Baptist community group that meets weekly on Thursday mornings to promote health and wholeness of body, mind and spirit. The class is friendly and non-competitive, honoring each body and exploring an awareness of our movements, deep breathing and conscious relaxation, modeling stewards of God's creation.</p>
<p>YARD SALE</p> <p>Tracy Hajek (206) 650-2903</p>	<p>We hold an ALL-PARISH YARD SALE every June. (6/21-24/2018) Many hands are needed to collect and sort the donations before the yard sale. We also need volunteers during the yard sale to help with sales.</p>

LIFE, JUSTICE, & PEACE

<p>GARDEN OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD</p> <p>Angelo & Margie Battisti (253) 236-8066</p>	<p>The Garden of the Good Shepherd helps those in need of food by growing and cultivating a vegetable garden and donating the crop yield to food banks for distribution. Successful crops have been harvested, and continued expansion and improvements are planned for future development.</p>
<p>GUATEMALA COMPANION PARISH</p> <p>Steve Corbett (253) 468-3870</p>	<p>The Corpus Christi Companion Parish Committee focuses on developing and deepening our parish relationship with the Union de lass Aldeas Corpus Christi, our companion parish in San Sebastian, Guatemala. The committee sponsors events and activities within our parish through which the lives and hopes of our companions become known to us, as well as visits to Union de las Aldeas Corpus Christi.</p>
<p>HOME (HOMELESS OUTREACH)</p> <p>Nancy Huntington (253) 631-1171 Pamela Neumann (253) 631-0574</p>	<p>HOME is a nonprofit group that provides shelter to homeless men in the community by using donated space in numerous local churches. Sixteen local churches, including St. John the Baptist, participate in the program, either by providing space or by providing volunteers, meals and financial contributions.</p>
<p>LIFE, JUSTICE & PEACE COMMISSION</p> <p>Norm Bailey (253) 351-2959</p>	<p>Connects social outreach from our parish to the broader community. We coordinate specific outreach ministries as needed. The Life, Justice & Peace Commission allocates parish financial resources for various outreach ministries.</p>
<p>PREGNANCY AID</p> <p>Judy Peterson (253) 631-4785</p>	<p>We help women who are pregnant and/or have young families until their youngest child reaches age six. We need people who believe in the rights of the unborn and want to help woman in a difficult situation by serving at our office 4-6 hours a week.</p>
<p>RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE</p> <p>Open- Coordinator Needed Contact Norm Bailey (253) 351-2959</p>	<p>The Respect Life Committee promotes respect for and protection of all human life from conception to natural death. The committee supports pro-life organizations and work with the following: Helpers of God's Precious Infants, 40 Days for Life, March for Life, Knights of Columbus and the Gabriel Project.</p>

<p>SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR 1st EUCHARIST & 1st RECONCILIATION</p> <p>Joan Williamson (253) 630-0701 ext. 109 Amy Bonte ext. 123</p>	<p>Join our team approach in preparing our young people as they continue the growth toward full membership in the Church through the Sacraments of Initiation and Healing.</p>
<p>SMALL FAITH COMMUNITIES</p> <p>Joan Williamson (253) 630-0701 ext. 109 Mary-Kaye Soderlind (253) 508-6987</p>	<p>Join a small faith community; times and frequency vary. This is a place where you can connect with a smaller number of people exploring and celebrating your faith. These groups use different resources to grow, discuss and pray as community. They can be based in prayer, spirituality, bible study, faith sharing or theological themes as methods of exploration and growth,</p>
<p>VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL</p> <p>Open– Contact Joan Williamson (253) 630-0701 ext. 109</p>	<p>Vacation Bible School is open to all children age 3 years old through 6th grade. One week in the summer, (mid July) from 9am-Noon. Volunteers are needed as crew leaders, activity leaders, nursery helpers and much more.</p>
<p>YOUNG ADULTS (18-39 yrs.)</p> <p>Tina Reeves (253) 630-0701, ext. 115</p>	<p>A place where you can connect with other young adults to open up discussion using bible study and other resources. This is a time of prayer, deepening your faith and social activities.</p>
<p>YOUNG FAMILIES OF FAITH</p> <p>Patti Smith patti.battles@gmail.com</p>	<p>This is a great opportunity to meet other families with little ones in our parish. We gather once a month, spending time getting to know each other and growing in faith. This ministry is for families with children: newborn to four years old.</p>
<p>YOUTH GROUP CATECHIST Grades (5-8)</p> <p>Paul Gockel (253) 630-0701 ext. 110</p>	<p>Volunteers in our ministry assist the 5th-8th grade youth of our parish in their journey of spiritual and social growth. We help them recognize their responsibilities as members of Christ's family to reach out to all those in need.</p>

FACILITY & GROUNDS

<p>FACILITY & GROUNDS COMMISSION</p> <p>Kathy Kernan (253) 931-8105</p>	<p>We are the leadership team chartered with ensuring that we have well maintained facilities and grounds, which meet the needs of the parish community. We sponsor various committees responsible for maintaining the facilities and grounds. We initiate and carry out periodic maintenance and inspection of the facilities. We develop and execute the short and long term plans for the modification and improvement of our facilities and grounds. We administer facility action requests.</p>
<p>FACILITY & MAINTENANCE CREW</p> <p>David Aldous (253) 630-0701, ext. 114</p>	<p>The facility & maintenance crew is directed by the Facility Steward in cooperation with the Facility and Grounds Commission. We schedule and execute the spring and fall cleaning parties and other projects required by special events and activities.</p>
<p>GROUNDS MAINTENANCE CREW</p> <p>Richard Staiti (425) 432-4496</p>	<p>The core group schedules weekend, spring and fall work parties as necessary to keep the grounds well maintained. We are also responsible for the maintenance and repair of the grounds equipment. There are no regularly scheduled meetings of the core group, but activity does accelerate during summer months.</p>
<p>KITCHEN HELPER</p> <p>Open– Coordinator Needed Contact David Aldous (253) 630-0701 ext. 114</p>	<p>The people in the kitchen ministry keep the kitchen clean, organized, and stocked with the products that parish ministries (and other groups) need to provide refreshments for their functions.</p>
<p>PRAYER GARDEN MAINTENANCE TEAM</p> <p>Mark Rosenberger (206) 856-3482</p>	<p>This team is responsible for maintaining the outside Prayer Garden.</p>
<p>SANCTUARY/ CHURCH HOUSE-KEEPING</p> <p>David Aldous (253) 630-0701</p>	<p>The Sanctuary/Church Housekeeping ministry needs volunteers to tidy up the church by cleaning and picking up brochures,, pens, etc., left on the chairs in the sanctuary. Volunteers will also distribute envelopes and pens on the chairs from time to time. You can choose to do this ministry anytime the sanctuary is not being utilized.</p>

<p>SECURITY TEAM</p> <p>David Aldous (253) 630-0701, ext. 114</p>	<p>The Security Team opens and closes the building to support the needs of the parish community. Provide for nightly lock-up of facility, assuring security of interior and exterior of buildings. Assure that the alarm system is set. Open building to support building use when staff is not available. Serve as a member of the parish emergency response team.</p>
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FAITH FORMATION

<p>ADULT FORMATION COMMITTEE</p> <p>Al Myers (206) 302-9153</p>	<p>Provides quality education and resources for continuing education for the adults of our community, in the areas of Spirituality, Catechetical, Relational and Social Outreach.</p>
<p>BAPTISM PREPARATION</p> <p>Joan Williamson 253-630-0701 ext. 109</p>	<p>We prepare families for the sacrament of Baptism: both teaching the class and providing support at the ceremony.</p>
<p>CATHOLIC SCHOOL FAMILIES GROUP</p> <p>Hannah Hobbs (425) 584-7093 Mary Jo Rammer (425) 478-7832</p>	<p>Any family that has a child enrolled in one of the Catholic elementary schools that St. John's subsidizes belongs to the group. We promote community building within our church. The time commitment is 10-15 hours per week.</p>
<p>CONFIRMATION PREP TEAM</p> <p>Paul Gockel 253) 630-0701 ext. 110</p>	<p>The Confirmation Prep Team provides a program to help youth prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation. They facilitate small groups, help to prepare session materials, assist in large group activities, retreats, liturgies and other events involved in the Confirmation process. They organize and put on reception following the Sacrament of Confirmation. Any amount of involvement is welcomed.</p>
<p>ELEMENTARY FAITH FORMATION (Grades 1-4)</p> <p>Anne Forsythe (253) 277-2211</p>	<p>We provide faith formation for students in grades 1 through 4. Classes are held on Sunday between the Masses (10:15-11:15 a.m.).</p>

<p>FAITH FORMATION COMMISSION</p> <p>Laura Sutton (253) 631-8673</p>	<p>In recognition of the need to introduce, develop and nurture our faith, the purpose of the Faith Formation Commission is to provide direction and support through educational opportunities that strengthen Catholic beliefs, teaching and traditions for the community of St. John the Baptist.</p>
<p>HOME EDUCATORS SUPPORT GROUP</p> <p>Marisa Maricich (206) 930-6351</p>	<p>The home Education Support Group helps to bring up children to love and serve God in the Catholic tradition.</p>
<p>LIBRARY</p> <p>Open - Coordinator Needed Contact Joan Williamson (253) 630-0701 ext. 109</p>	<p>The Library ministry provides a diverse collection of materials and resources to support Catholic spirituality in our parish community.</p>
<p>LIFE TEEN (GRADES 9-12)</p> <p>Paul Gockel (253) 630-0701 ext. 110</p>	<p>Life Teen ministers to senior high youth through the Life Teen Mass, our weekly Life Nights, retreats, and through social outreach to the wider community. Our purpose is to reach teens on all levels: emotional, intellectual, spiritual and relational, with a strong focus on the Eucharist through the Life Teen Mass. Support teams include: Core, Hospitality, Environment, and Outreach.</p>
<p>MARRIAGE PREP TEAM</p> <p>Jim & Monica Battles (425) 358-1877 monicabattles@comcast.net</p>	<p>The marriage Prep Team helps prepare couples for the Sacrament of Marriage.</p>
<p>PRESCHOOL FAITH FORMATION (PS / K)</p> <p>Stephenie Abadilla (425) 584-7433 Alisha Nguyen (206) 794-1885</p>	<p>We provide faith formation classes on Sunday between Masses (10:15—11:15) for preschool children for three, four and five year olds and those six year olds in kindergarten. There are a variety of volunteer opportunities within the faith formation program: assist with curriculum selection and planning, become a catechist and teach a class of your own, assist with supplies, direct the music program, assist in the classroom or assist at social gatherings.</p>
<p>RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA/RCIC) TEAM</p> <p>Joan Williamson (253) 630-0701, ext. 109</p>	<p>This ministry assists individuals (adults and children) interested in discerning membership in the Catholic faith.</p>