



St. Hugh's News & Views

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Communications Make the World Go 'Round



I was thinking today, as I prepared some incoming pieces for the church newsletter – how important the sharing of information is for our parish, and for each of us, as individuals.

What we share, how we share it, the when and how can make all the difference in the way it is received, digested and used. Obviously, the printed word – whether in our local area newspapers, letters and emails or even our church newsletter must be accurate in fact, and presented in a way that is good for the reader. My idea of really good journalism is, that the message is easily understood and timely, and written with proper intention. My goal as editor of our News & Views, is to have the content we present inform, teach, and also bring a bit of laughter to readers. I want it to remind, inspire, and always bring acknowledgement to the goodness of people!

The thoughtful use of language can encourage tolerance for others by remembering kindness and care. To acknowledge – praise – thank – give credit to – is perhaps the ultimate use of words !!

Also, communication has the responsibility to never be careless. Words, either written or spoken, have the potential of helping the receiver to hear the message in the context of kindness and helpfulness – But, when it is carelessly used, the words can hurt and cause pain. We have all experienced that, I'm sure. When love is present, as it is within our St. Hugh Family, my mission to communicate is made very simple. I have but to listen to you at choir practice or conversing at Coffee Hour to hear good communication at work and to recognize the good intentions abounding in your words.

I thank you for the privilege of this work – if keeping my fingers busy as I click away on my PC is my Gift, then I am grateful for having ten fingers! Never hesitate to share new ideas or suggestions with me. "My door is always open"..... I read that somewhere and liked it!



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With gratitude,

JoAnna Meyer



Here is a recap of our financial support to Outreach ministries/agencies year to date, through the end of May:

February	200.00	Faith in Action
	200.00	Food Bank shopping
	50.00	Coalition of Churches
March	400.00*	Faith in Action
	100.00	Food Bank shopping
	200.00	St. Andrew's House
	25.00	Coalition of Churches
April	100.00	Faith in Action
	500.00	North Mason Boys and Girls Club
	100.00	Food Bank shopping
	25.00	Coalition of Churches
May	100.00	Faith in Action
	200.00	Habitat for Humanity
	200.00	Nets for Africa
	100.00	Food Bank shopping
	25.00	Coalition of Churches

Year to date spending is \$2,525.00 against a total budget amount of \$6,700.00. Hazel continues to collect money to help the Coalition of Churches provide a week's worth of lunch groceries for hungry school children during the summer months. See her if you'd like to contribute to this important cause.

Faithfully, Vicki



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Financial information is monthly and in a very basic format. Detailed information can be obtained by contacting either Linda Niles or the Ministries Council Member. A list of each ministry and the contact person is displayed in the copy room above the mail bins.

Utility expense is over budget due to the furnace issue. Over time this will come back into line; Property maintenance is under budget primarily due to building maintenance and property taxes; Even though lawn/yard/parking lot is under budget primarily due to time of year, it is an area where we can save money with volunteer help; Administrative expenses under budget because December payroll booked in December rather than January (normal procedure); Outreach under budget due to timing of distribution; Meeting/Clergy Mileage under budget because Convention will be in October as a one time expense but mileage reimbursement is over budget.

		April YTD Budget	April YTD Actual	Difference
Income	Pledge	16,037.33	14,996.00	(1,041.33)
	Plate	5,584.36	5,989.00	404.64
	Palestinian	200.00	307.39	107.39
	Circle of Friends		300.00	300.00
	Flowers	83.33	344.00	260.67
	Total Income	21,905.02	21,936.39	31.37
Expense	Utilities	1,627.67	2,220.55	592.88
	Property Maintenance	4,135.00	3,274.80	(860.20)
	Administrative Expense	4,124.28	3,585.75	(538.53)
	Mortgage/Assessment/Gifts	7,829.33	7,781.32	(48.01)
	Evangelism	451.00	559.40	108.40
	Outreach	2,483.33	2,236.69	(246.64)
	Education	666.67	148.75	(517.92)
	Hospitality/Fellowship	408.33	331.37	(76.96)
	Worship Exp.	645.00	713.58	68.58
	Diocesan Meeting/Clergy Mileage	1,830.00	1,400.00	430.00
	Total Expenses	24,200.61	22,252.21	(1,948.40)

A Special Guest



Bishop Greg Rickel scheduled his first opportunity to experience St. Hugh on **June 14th**. No doubt he'll sense the St. Hugh excitement and joy the minute he steps inside our special community. Our genuine smiles of greetings to one another with that bright sparkle in our eyes will easily make him feel special to be a part of us that day.

As we join our voices in a grand variety of ranges to sing our praises, he'll hear our exuberance. As we boldly pray our responses, he'll hear our sincerity. As we wish Peace to one another, he'll experience our total commitment.

Bishop Rickel's introduction to our special people that have prepared to be **Confirmed** is scheduled for **9AM in the church**.

A **luncheon will be served** after the service. Our community will be asked to provide a variety of **salads and homemade pies**. Hopefully the weather will be bright and beautiful so the Bay and mountains will show off their glory.

The Bishop will have the opportunity to sit in a St. Hugh circle with our incredible **Ministry Conveners at 1:30pm in the church**.

To enhance his memory of St. Hugh, the Bishop will be given one of our t-shirts, of course. We are also preparing a special notebook of ministries, evangelism and future visions. It's sort of a **Total Common Ministry handbook**.

A special collection will be taken on this Sunday to express our generosity to the **Bishop's Discretionary Fund**. Checks may be to St. Hugh with a memo/purpose note.

June 14th will be a special and blessed day for all.

Senior Warden, Suzy Petty

Volunteers Needed



The HAVEN is in need of people to come up to read to residents, to do puzzles with them, and to visit. If this is something you can do, please call the director, Debra Jamerson, at 277-0636

NEWS & Notes

To all the Saints at St. Hugh,
Thank you so much for your prayers and kind thoughts. I believe they are responsible for how well my surgery went (laparoscopic!), that none of the cancer had escaped the kidney, and that my recovery is going so well.

I appreciate you all so much.
In Christ,
Terri Wooldridge



*A special
thank you!*

*Thank you for
your prayers
& kindness for
Perry. He is
now back at
the Haven in
Allyn and
would love to
have visitors,*

*anytime other than meal
times which are 12-1 and 5-6
Blessings Brenda*

Thanks From Turning Point

Gracious "THANKS" from Turning Point, the new center for family abuse victims in Shelton. St. Hugh has been so generous in all the personal items donated and they will continue to be used for comfort.

At this time, TOWELS of all sizes and shapes are needed, new ones, used ones, colored ones any extras you might have. Please leave your "no longer the right color" or "I'm tired of that one" towels in the Turning Point basket in the Narthex and they will be delivered! LET'S SEE HOW MANY WE CAN GIVE! Call Wilma 360-426-7320 if you have any questions.

*In God's love,
Wilma Neal.*



When on vacation, be with us in spirit.

The rest of the summer, be with us in person.

Church words & what they mean

Confirmation: The sacramental rite in which the candidates “express a mature commitment to Christ, and receive strength from the Holy Spirit through prayer and the laying on of hands by a bishop”. Confirmation has been increasingly understood in terms of a mature, public reaffirmation of the Christian faith and the baptismal promises.

Pentecost: The term means “the fiftieth day”. It is used in both the Old and the New Testament. In the Old Testament it refers to a feast of seven weeks known as the Feast of Weeks. It was apparently an agricultural event that focused on the harvesting of first fruits. In the New Testament it refers to the coming of the Spirit on the day of Pentecost, shortly after Jesus’ death, resurrection and ascension. In the Christian tradition, Pentecost is now the seventh Sunday after Easter. It emphasizes that the church is understood as the body of Christ which is drawn together and given life by the Holy Spirit.

Source: An Episcopal Dictionary of the Church

Don S. Armentrout and Robert Boak Slocum, Editors

News from Mission Creek

A big thank you to Sue Duncan for her kind donation of beads.

The ladies loved making the bookmarks for our ECW luncheon. They are now starting to make nice things for our Patio Sale. They think St. Hugh is the best and want to say thank your for the love & support.

Mission Creek now has 200 women and they are talking about adding a new wing. This means our class will be getting bigger, we don’t mind, we love to help them.

Both Pastor Pam and I couldn’t make it to the banquet they had for the volunteers on Wednesday, May 20. Pastor Pam was out of town and my knee was acting up.

Friday, May 2 - Sunday, May 4, Pastor Pam and I did Kairos outside. We had 12 ladies. It was a beautiful weekend, of touching stories, tears, laughter, & lots of music. I was table leader, I helped a young lady come from quiet to full of tears & laughter. The Holy Spirit was really working with me.

Thank you for all your support.

Love & Blessings,

Carol Kennedy

Don Green as Guest Speaker



Being one of the very few remaining survivors of the Pearl Harbor attack, our own Don Green has become a popular and often called upon speaker about his experiences during that time.

One of the first times he was invited to speak was during the time the movie "Tora! Tora! Tora!" was being shown at the Callow Avenue Theatre in Bremerton. He spoke prior to the film being shown, and for several days during the run. An article was published in the Kitsap Sun advertising his speech. Don remembers several young people from the audience coming up to him after, asking for his autograph on their copy of the newspaper article. What great audiences!

After that, Don spoke at the Bremerton Lions' Club to a group of about 75 adults. Then a gentleman he met at a Remembrance Ceremony in Port Orchard



arranged for him to speak about his Pearl Harbor experiences at a special dinner held for more than 90 PSNS supervisors from Shop 38. Following his speech, the DVD he had given his host was shown to all attending. In appreciation for his fine speech and service during WWII he was presented with a framed aerial view of the Bremerton-Silverdale area which included the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard. This picture was signed by the commander of the PSNS Shipyard.

During the weekend of March 13-15 of this year, Don was invited to speak before two different groups in Denver, CO. The invitation included an all expenses paid round trip for both Don and his daughter, who accompanied him. The first audience was the Sons of the American Revolution, and the second was the Mountain Chapter of Pearl Harbor Survivors.

Soon after returning from his trip to Denver, Don was invited to speak to the students of Capital High School in Olympia. Following, he spoke to a Kiwanis Group in Bremerton. Word seems to be spreading.....!

In addition to his faithful service to St. Hugh Church, our Don Green is keeping quite busy with telling the chilling story of how life was for him and other servicemen during a terrible time in the history of our country. May God continue to bless him, as he brings history alive as only he can! Many thanks to you, Don.

By JoAnna Meyer



Ardele, Arlene & Doug Pritchard, Bill BcCoy, Berit Riddle, Bill Green, Bob & Kathy Potter, Brenda & Perry Baunsgard, David, Denise Cieply, Don & Ginny Green, Don Beeber, Gretchen,

Jacob & Family, Jennifer Sayers, Joseph, LeighAnn Gasper, Loren, Lucille, Mandy, Margaret Barnard, Margaret Kraus, Mary Forman, Matthew Thornhill, Mo, Bishop Robert Cochran, Patricia, Phyllis Rose, Rupe & Fran Bledsoe, Scott, Sheri Lamar,

those who have died

Ed Savage, Lillian Krois, LeighAnn's Mother, Georgia Hunley

Those who sacrificed their lives in service to their country

those who mourn

the Krois Family, LeighAnn Gasper and her family

Families of Servicemen & Women

those in service to our Country

Chris, Dustin Risko, Gary, Ian Larson, Jed, Kyle, Nick, Richard, Zack



...to DeVonne & Lucy, Christine M., Heidi & Donna F., & Paddy Gilson for hosting fellowship last month.

...to Suzy, Jim & Wilma, Carol K. & the Forman's, for Altar flowers last month.

...to Donna Fisher for cleaning all the coffee pots and making them shine like new.

...to the Secret Bulletin Angel who finished folding and stapling the Pentecost bulletins.

June Lectionary Readings

June 7, Trinity Sunday: Isaiah6:1-8, Psalm 29, Romans 8:12-17, John 31-17

June 14, 2nd Sunday after Pentecost: 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13, Psalm 20, 2nd Corinthians 5:6-10[11-13] 14-17, Mark 4:26-34

June 21, 3rd Sunday after Pentecost: 1 Samuel 17:[1a, 4-11, 19-23] 32-49, Psalm 9:9-20, 2 Corinthians 6:1-13, Mark 4:35-41

June 28, 4th Sunday after Pentecost: 2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27, Psalm 130, 2 Corinthians 8:7-15. Mark 5:21-43



Don Green	6-1
Helen Peters	6-6
Bob Preble	6-13
Lee Gidlof	6-22
Susan Duncan	6-28
Janie McPherson	6-29

Please let us know of any birthdays we missed or listed incorrectly. Thank you!



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 Trinity Sunday	1	2 Circle of Friends 10-3	3 Alzheimer's Association 10:00	4 Choir 10:30	5	6
7 Palestinian Children's Fund Youth/Food Bank Sunday Worship 10:00	8 ECW @ Vicki's B's house 10:00	9 Circle of Friends 10-3	10	11 Choir 10:30	12	13
14 Bishop's Visit Worship 10:00 FLAG DAY	15	16 Circle of Friends 10-3 Office open 10-2	17	18 Choir 10:30 Karen off office closed NewsLetter DEADLINE	19	20
21 Worship 10:00 Happy Father's Day First Day of Summer	22	23 Circle of Friends 10-3	24	25 Choir 10:30	26	27
28 Worship 10:00	29	30 Circle of Friends 10-3				

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Sunday Worship 10:00 am

office hours
 Wednesday's & Thursday's
 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

June Schedule

	Presider	Preacher	Deacon	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Guild	Flowers	Coffee Hour	Lectors
June 7	Jennifer	Dick	Sylvia	Hazel & Karen	Brooke & Hazel	Green	Connie & Roy	Sheri S. & Donna T.
June 14	Bishop	Bishop	Sylvia	Vicki & Barry	Ginny G. & Cheryl	Karen Kennedy		Virginia T. & Ian L.
June 21	Christie	Christie	Sylvia	John L. & Kim	Helen & Ginny W.	Suzy	Virginia P. & Wilma	Ginny W. & Barbara
June 28	Jim	Jim	Sylvia	Brenda & Barry	Barbara & Donna	Linda Niles	Betty & Donna G.	Cheryl & Brenda