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# PENTECOST

## A Celebration of Ministry

### May 10, 2013

Dear Friends in Christ,

It is a joy to invite you to the first *Pentecost: A Celebration of Ministry*! All lay ministers and clergy are invited to participate in the event, which includes two major keynote addresses and more than 20 workshops and breakout sessions, some in Spanish and Vietnamese. The day is meant to be a time of spiritual enrichment, blessing, and celebration of the ministerial life of the Archdiocese, and concludes with a liturgy at St. James Cathedral, with a special blessing of lay ministers serving in the Archdiocese.

This year, we are pleased to have as keynote speakers:

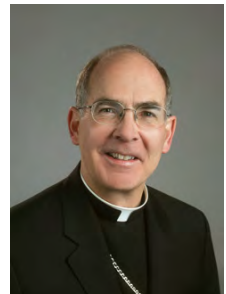
- Fr. Bruce Nieli, CSP, a Paulist Priest with exceptional gifts in evangelization and communication.
- Fr. Bill Watson, SJ, a Jesuit Priest who has launched a successful parish-based program, engaging large numbers in daily prayer and participation in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

May God continue to bless each of you and the ministry you offer the Church. I look forward to seeing you at *Pentecost: A Celebration of Ministry*.

Sincerely in Christ,

+ *J. Peter Sartain*

Most Rev. J. Peter Sartain  
Archbishop of Seattle



Registration closes on May 1<sup>st</sup>.

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O'Dea High School and Chancery Campus, Seattle

## Event Outline

- 10:00 am Gathering and Opening Prayer
- 10:30 Keynote Presentation
- 11:30 Lunchtime Concert - Angus McDonnell
- 1:00 pm Breakout sessions/2<sup>nd</sup> Keynote
- 2:30 Mass at St. James Cathedral
- 4:00 *Optional After-program (feature film)*

### Evangelization for a New Pentecost:

#### The Year of Faith

Father Bruce Nieli, CSP



Father Bruce Nieli is a Paulist priest from the Archdiocese of New York. He is well-known for his presentations and writings on the subject of evangelization and is currently a Paulist National Catholic Evangelist and Missionary. Father Nieli

also has an extensive background in spiritual advising. He has devoted his life to working with the poor, especially on issues related to immigration, social justice, and pro-life. (*Disponibilidad de traducción simultánea al español.*)

### Sacred Story:

#### Grace for Daily Life

Father William Watson, SJ



Father William Watson is Founder, President, and Executive Director of the Sacred Story Institute. He has spent over thirty years developing Ignatian programs and retreats. In 2011, his provincial missioned him to start a non-profit institute to take what he learned

about Ignatian program development and build a project for the Society of Jesus and the Church to bring the time-tested Examination of Conscience of St. Ignatius to as wide an audience as possible.

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## 101 – The Multicultural Church

**Presenter:** Savio Pham

**Ministry:** Multicultural

We are called to serve God and one another, be mindful of the diversity among our brothers and sisters in Christ, and engage on the continuous journey of self-directed development to improve further our capacity for loving one another by embracing our differences. We will reexamine the meaning of multicultural ministry, acknowledge new challenges, and review different effective approaches to multiculturalism in our parishes.

## 102 – Spiritual Companionship: A Hunger in Today's Church

**Presenter:** Jan Alkire

**Ministry:** PAFF, Young Adult, Catechist Certification

Are spiritual direction and spiritual companionship the same experience with different titles? How can leaders in today's Church fill people's hunger for guidance and companionship when "the harvest is great but the workers are few?" This session will address these questions and look at issues such as listening skills (rather than advice-giving), personal boundaries, and discernment.

## 103 - Committed Firmly to Solidarity and Holiness

**Presenter:** J.L. Drouhard and Patty Bowman

**Ministry:** Parish Staff

Theologian Fr. Bryan Hehir has said, "Solidarity is the conviction that we are born into a fabric of relationships, that our humanity ties us to others, that the Gospel consecrates those ties and that the prophets tell us that those ties are the test by which our very holiness will be judged." Why should, how can, our local faith communities be committed firmly to solidarity and holiness? Where does Jesus' "good news to the poor" find its ties in our ministries?

## 104 – The Role of the Laity in the New Evangelization

**Presenter:** John Anderson

**Ministry:** PAFF, Young Adults

A presentation and discussion on Blessed John Paul II's *Christifideles Laici* (On the Vocation and the Mission of the Lay Faithful) and, in the Spirit of the Year of Faith, tied in with *Lumen Gentium*, *Gaudium et Spes*, and *Apostolicam Actuositatem* (Decree on the Apostolate of the Lay Faithful). This session will focus on the role of the Holy Spirit—with an emphasis on the gifts/charisms of the Holy Spirit—in the life and ministry of the laity.

## 105 – Gaudium et Spes, 50 Years Later: Reading Clearly the "Signs of the Times"

**Presenter:** Dr. Peter Beaulieu

**Ministry:** PAFF

"In the years following (the Second Vatican Council), however, many embraced uncritically the dominant mentality, placing in doubt the very foundations of the deposit of faith, which they sadly no longer felt able to accept as truth." These are the words of Pope Benedict XVI in opening the Year of Faith (Oct. 11, 2012). What does the Pope mean, and what does his meaning mean for us in the Third Millennium?

## 106 – In the Footsteps of the Living Jesus: A NOW Message Beyond Facebook and Twitter

**Presenter:** Sister Joyce Cox, BVM

**Ministry:** PAFF, Young Adults, Teachers (Elementary & Secondary)

How can the Message of the Good News of Jesus Christ in the 1st Century be a compelling Facebook and Twitter message in the 21st Century? Twitter spells out any message in only 140 characters. What are the Twitter messages in the New Evangelization? 21st Century hot and cool media flood our culture with allurements and entertainment. How do we challenge this culture with witnesses whose lives breathed with the likeness of Christ. The New Evangelization calls us as disciples to re-energize our lives as living witnesses to the Good News in this NOW moment.

## 107 – "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing!"

(Lk 12:49)

**Presenter:** Sister Mary Annette

Dworshak, SNJM

**Ministry:** Young Adults

What are ways in which we can 'create a culture of witness' that touches the lives of our youth, invites them to know Jesus, challenges them to Gospel responsibility, and welcomes them as co-workers to address contemporary injustices? What are examples of projects, prayers, rituals that 'spark' the fires of love, compassion, and justice that become a burning passion in one's life that sustains commitment to personal prayer and sacramental life in a fast-paced, social media-compressed existence?

## 108 – Gospel Metaphors for Ministry

**Presenter:** Brian Guillot

**Ministry:** PAFF, Young Adults, Youth Ministry

At one level, many of Jesus' parables are metaphors for Church Ministry. We will reflect on two favorites: The Good Samaritan and the Disciples on the way to Emmaus. Bring your favorite parable for discussion.

## 109 – A New Pentecost for the New Evangelization

**Presenter:** Virginia King

**Ministry:** Parish Staff, Those involved in various ecclesial movements

An overview of how the new ecclesial movements in general, and Catholic Charismatic Renewal in particular, serve the Church in her mission of evangelization through the "New Pentecost."

## 110 – Special Needs Awareness and Creating Inclusive Parish Communities

**Presenter:** Erica Cohen Moore

**Ministry:** Liturgy, Faith Formation, Pastoral Care/Outreach

An overview of how to address the sacramental, spiritual, educational, and pastoral needs of our brothers and sisters with special needs.

## 111 – The RCIA Process

**Presenter:** Helen Oesterle

**Ministry:** PAFF, RCIA, Adult Ed.

A presentation and discussion on the importance of the year-round RCIA process, its implementation in a variety of parish settings, and in particular, how to support the baptized candidates in a way that honors their baptism status and their personal needs in their faith journey exploring the Catholic Church.

## PENTECOST: A CELEBRATION OF MINISTRY BREAKOUT SESSIONS

### 112 – Water in the Desert: Attractive Presence in Evangelization

**Presenter:** Claudia Pétursson  
**Ministry:** General

Does the word *evangelization* make you shudder? Do you have images of people knocking on your door, or you yourself going door to door? Come and join the discussion about evangelizing in a wholly Catholic and effective way. It begins with deep attention to the promptings of the Holy Spirit, the One who evangelizes in all ways and at all times. Discover how inner formation sets a foundation for effective evangelization, inner freedom, and peace. Find the New Pentecost for the Year of Faith taking deep root in your heart.

### 113 – Using Our Treasury of Prayer in Ministry

**Presenter:** Father Steve Sallis  
**Ministry:** Liturgy, Musicians, Pastoral Ministers

Explore ways to use prayers from *The Roman Missal*, *The Liturgy of the Hours*, *Book of Blessings*, sacramental rites, and devotions in daily ministry. Resources will be shared and there will be time to pray together.

### 114 – How to Keep the Ministry in Administration

**Presenter:** Mary Santi and Ed Williams  
**Ministry:** PAA  
Administration in our parishes and schools is truly a pastoral undertaking. We will explore the pastoral nature of administrative functions in the Church and give participants an opportunity to reflect on ways in which this ministry can bring us closer to Jesus and enrich our faith.

### 115 – Celebrating Catholic Identity in a Secular World

**Presenter:** Father Frank Schuster  
**Ministry:** Parish Staff, General  
Blessed John Paul II challenged us, “Do not be afraid to go out on the streets and into public places, like the first Apostles who preached Christ and the Good News of salvation in the squares of cities, towns and villages. This is no time to be ashamed of the Gospel. It is the time to preach it from the rooftops.” In a world full of skepticism, we have opportunities to celebrate our Catholic identity. We will explore best practices in evangelization so to celebrate Catholic identity in our modern world.

### 116 – The Heart of the Our Father

**Presenter:** Mark Shea  
**Ministry:** PAFF

To learn and understand the Our Father is to learn the deepest contours of the Church's interior life, for it is a prayer from Christ himself. At once meditative and catechetical, *The Heart of the Our Father* dissects this anchor of our faith line by line in a journey into the Church's deep tradition of prayer, drawing us more deeply into the heart of the mystery of God's love. It weaves the contemporary with the historical and the theological with the practical as it opens up this most common of prayers with a fresh and penetrating perspective for all to see.

### 117 – Peace: The First Gift of the Spirit

**Presenter:** Jim Thomas  
**Ministry:** PAFF, Young Adult, Outreach, Life, Justice & Peace  
Explore current challenges to peace in light of the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of *Pacem in Terris* and the Second Vatican Council's teaching on weapons of mass destruction.

### 118 – Partnering with Parents: Evangelizing Catholics into the Future

**Presenter:** Dr. Anne Frederick  
**Ministry:** PAFF, Young Adult, Youth Ministry  
What are best practices to assist families with raising happy, healthy and holy children? Come explore resources and ideas to support the domestic Church across generations.

### 119 – Discipleship Formation

**Presenter:** Bridget Harris  
**Ministry:** Young Adult, Youth Ministry  
Session facilitated by the staff from the Office for Youth and Young Adult Evangelization.

### 120 – Diaconal Ministry and the Work of the Spirit: Call to Servant Leadership

**Presenter:** Deacon Roy Harrington  
**Ministry:** Deacons  
This session will give the deacon community, both deacons and their spouses, the opportunity to share how the Spirit has guided them as servant leaders in the Church.

### 121 – Sacred Story: Grace for Daily Life (Keynote in Main Hall)

**Presenter:** Father William Watson, SJ  
**Ministry:** General  
Enter more deeply into a life of reflection and prayer during the Year of Faith using the Ignatian Sacred Story Examen prayer. Participants will learn a holistic way to bring their life to Christ in prayer and reconciliation.

### 122 – Renew Our Faith

**Presenter:** Fr. Khanh Nguyen  
**Ministry:** Vietnamese Ministers (*session presented in Vietnamese*)  
How does the Holy Spirit help us to be strong in our faith?

### 123 – Bautismo en el Espíritu, Don y Espacio Sagrado

**Presenter:** Jose Ramirez-Lomeli  
**Ministry:** Spanish-Speaking Ministers (*en Español*)  
Haremos memoria de la promesa de un don supremo descrito como “corazón nuevo” (Ez 36:26) y “espíritu nuevo” (Jer 31-34) que realiza su obra en lo profundo del ser; luego, abordaremos su actualización en nosotros como prototipo del mejor Educador que sabe despertar habilidades y cualidades en sus educandos.

### 124 – Espíritu de Dios, Fuerza de la Iglesia

**Presenter:** Father Bruce Nieli, CSP  
**Ministry:** Spanish-Speaking Ministers (*en Español*)



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