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PENTECOST: A Celebration of Ministry

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Chancery Campus and O'Dea High School, Seattle

Event Outline

9:30 am	Gathering & Opening Prayer
10:30	Keynote
11:30	Lunch
1:00 pm	Breakout sessions
2:30	Mass at St. James Cathedral

Keynote - "They Went Forth: Bringing the New Evangelization to Life"

Father John E. Hurley, CSP



In May 2014, Fr. John E. Hurley, CSP launched *New Evangelization Strategies*. This national Paulist ministry, based at Old Saint Mary's Cathedral in San Francisco, will assist Pastoral Leaders, Councils and Staff, and Catholic ministries in creating a new paradigm for the sake of the mission entrusted to the Church and us as Jesus' disciples. Father Hurley has taken the Paulist charism to serve the Church across the United States and beyond. He has keynoted in over 80 dioceses across the United States and Canada, and he continues to speak on evangelization before parish, diocesan, and national Church leadership.

Father Hurley is the former Executive Director for the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' Secretariat for Evangelization, where he served for almost nine years, the National Pastoral Life Center in New York City and the new established Department of Evangelization for the Archdiocese of Baltimore. While in Baltimore, he co-chaired the first three Mid-Atlantic Congresses for Catholic Leaders. Since 2008 he is serving as a consultant to the US Bishops' Committee on Evangelization and Catechesis.

Father Hurley is a native New Yorker. He entered the Paulists in 1970 and was ordained in 1977. He graduated with a BA in Religious Education from the Catholic University of America, a Master of Divinity degree from the Washington Theological Union and a Doctor of Ministry degree from the Jesuit School of Theology in Berkeley.

Registration opens in March 2015.

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CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING

CST-01 Coming Together in Mission: Forming Communities of Missionary Disciples

Pope Francis writes that the Church "is a community of missionary disciples" which "gets involved in people's daily lives..." (*Evangelii Gaudium*, 24). Using principles developed by the Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers, participants will learn practical approaches for parishioners to live God's mission through love and service. Learn ways to encourage and support your community to serve the "daily lives" of people in the margins living in the local Church and beyond.

Presenter: Kevin Foy, Maryknoll

CST-02 Encouraging a Cooperative Culture of Life in Your Parish

This workshop will present strategies and resources for the integration of life, justice and peace ministries within a parish, including its faith formation programs.

Presenter: Jim Thomas

CST-03 Walking the Journey: Helping Parishes Offer Pregnancy and Parenting Support

Prepares is a nurturing response of the Catholic community of Washington State to assist pregnant women, fathers, and their extended family by walking the journey from conception through their child's fifth birthday. The Prepares network includes Catholic Community Services and parishes.

Presenter: Erin Maguire

DIVERSITY

DIV-01 How the Vietnamese Martyrs' Heritage Contributes to the Diverse Mosaic of the US Catholic Church

An audio-visual presentation brings the story alive to the participants of this workshop. We will discuss how this diverse heritage contributes to your parishes, whether your parish has Vietnamese members or not. We will brainstorm ideas about what we can do to benefit more from this inspiring heritage.

Presenters: Dr. Le Xuan Hy and Fr. Joseph Nguyen Viet Hung, ICM

DIV-02 María, Signo Femenino del Espíritu Santo

Coincidiendo con el Mes de María, reflexionaremos en ella como principio humano de Jesús, como signo de Dios con nosotros, como testigo de su intimidad virginal con el Espíritu de Dios. Entender el signo, es enriquecer nuestra experiencia de fe.

Presenter: Jose Ramirez

DIV-03 The Holy Spirit Speaking to Us Today: Gifts of Diversity and Unity

Pope Francis writes in *Evangelii Gaudium* that "differences between persons and communities can sometimes prove uncomfortable, but the Holy Spirit, who is the source of that diversity, can bring forth something good from all things and turn it into an attractive means of evangelization. Diversity must always be reconciled by the help of the Holy Spirit; he alone can raise up diversity, plurality and multiplicity while at the same time bringing about unity." Participants will learn and discuss practical approaches for creating a vibrant intercultural parish by fostering inclusion and integration, with a spirituality of hospitality and mission.

Presenter: Jesús Huerta, CRS

FAITH FORMATION

FF-01 NORTHWEST CATHOLIC: New Media and the New Evangelization

NORTHWEST CATHOLIC is a multimedia, multi-platform new evangelization initiative in the Archdiocese of Seattle. Greg Magnoni, Editor of NORTHWEST CATHOLIC, and columnist Father Cal Christiansen, Pastor of St. Pius X Parish in Mountlake Terrace, will lead a discussion on using the magazine, website and social media to inform, educate and inspire Catholics in western Washington to live their faith to the fullest.

Presenters: Greg Magnoni and Fr. Cal Christiansen

FF-02 How Can I Make Sense of the New Archdiocesan Religion Standards?

Come learn about the new Archdiocesan Religion Standards and interact with a fun and purposeful activity that will show you how to engage your elementary students in developing their knowledge of our Catholic faith.

Presenters: Dr. Anne Frederick and Hannah Hochkeppel

FF-03 Young Adult Ministry

Participants will review the resources and services available for Young Adult Ministry and have an opportunity to consider vehicles of ministry that are most welcoming to Young Adults.

Presenter: Caitlin Lanigan

FF-04 Forming Intentional Disciples and "Rebuilt" Catholic Youth

Christ came to set the world on fire, but what is happening with our youth? Can you believe that 60% of adult Catholics said that they "did not know a personal relationship with Christ was possible" and only "about 5% of Catholic parishioners are purposeful disciples?" Come learn about the 21st century reality of Catholic Religious formation according to the valuable research of Sherry Weddell's recent book. We will explore new and energizing solutions to "rebuild" a vibrant school culture of

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discipleship. Let's ignite the flame of living as intentional disciples in the 21st century!

Presenter: Tom Schutte

FF-05 Office for Youth and Young Adult Evangelization

The Executive Director of the Office for Youth and Young Adult Ministry will review both new and current programs, events and opportunities for development for parish staff, leadership, and members. Participants will have an opportunity to share their experience and integrate resources to parish programs and leadership development.

Presenter: Michelle Fischer

FF-06 Rejoice, Remain, Respond - Living the Parables for Evangelization

Together we will explore the parables of the Good Shepherd and the True Vine, enjoying our deep response to this vital relationship of loving and being loved by God. We will investigate our part in the *Parousia* – what each one of us is called to do for the greater Glory of God and for participating in the coming of God's Kingdom.

Presenter: Claudia Pétursson

LITURGY

LIT-01 Beauty Will Save the World: Sharing the Gift of Beauty in the Church

Participants will learn about the heritage of literature, art, and music in the Church. Considering ways that beauty is the path to Truth and Healing, how is beauty expressed in buildings, preaching and community life of the parish.

Presenter: Greg Wolfe

LIT-02 Bringing the Joy of the Gospel to the Catechumenate (RCIA)

In *The Joy of the Gospel*, Pope Francis describes how "in all its activities the parish encourages and trains its members to be evangelizers" (28) and reminds us that "every Christian is a missionary to the extent that he or she has encountered the love of God in

Christ Jesus...we are always 'missionary disciples'" (120). Come explore how the full implementation of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults seeks to train not only catechumens as missionary disciples but also to renew the parish in the Joy of the Gospel.

Presenter: Helen Oesterle

LIT-03 Living the Liturgy

We know that "the liturgy is the summit toward which the activity of the Church is directed; at the same time it is the font from which all her power flows" (*Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy*, 10). But how aware are we of the ways in which we participate with Christ, our high priest, in the sacred liturgy? How can we be more "actively engaged in the rite and enriched by its effects" (11)? Together we will deepen our understanding of the mystery and meaning of the Mass, "the source and summit of the whole Christian life" (*Lumen Gentium*, 11).

Presenter: Andrew Casad

LIT-04 Sing to the Lord

"Charity, justice, and evangelization are thus the normal consequences of liturgical celebration. Particularly inspired by sung participation, the body of the Word Incarnate goes forth to spread the Gospel with full force and compassion" (*Sing to the Lord: Music in Divine Worship*, 9). Choir directors from around the Archdiocese of Seattle are invited to come together and rehearse the music for the celebration of the Liturgy of the Eucharist which will have been distributed and prepared for in advance.

Presenter: St. James Cathedral Music

LIT-05 The Way of Beauty

How we adorn both our parish and domestic churches—our homes—is "part of our daily concern to spread goodness. The Church evangelizes and is herself evangelized through the beauty of the liturgy" (*The Joy of the Gospel*, 24). Come explore ways to participate fully in the liturgical seasons through sacred art and how we decorate our homes and worship

spaces in order to draw others to Christ. Our catechesis attends to this way of beauty, "showing that to believe in and to follow Christ is...something beautiful, capable of filling life with new splendour and profound joy" (167).

Presenter: Fr. Steve Sallis

PASTORAL

PA-01 Special Needs

Presenter: Erica Cohen Moore

PA-02 Déjà Vu and the New Evangelization

Evangelization has almost always been a journey forward in past eras of crisis. Historically, the Church moved from attempts to evangelize in a time of Church-state struggles to the second Vatican Council which broadened the efforts of evangelization to society and defense of the human person. Today, an era seems to be dawning in which a variety of forces seek to marginalize and expunge Christian witness in both non-Christian and post-Christian settings. This workshop will review some of the wisdom from past efforts at evangelization and link them to the attempts of current and recent popes to address the current challenges. History shows us that evangelization is about an ongoing Encounter in varied settings, not simply a new program. What does this mean today for our archdiocese and parishes?

Presenter: Dr. Peter Beaulieu

PA-03 Healing from the Moral Wounds of War and Violence

Deacon Roy, a retired Army human resources colonel, will discuss moral injury—a relatively new concept of how warriors including soldiers and police officers are wounded spiritually when they must participate in, witness, or support violence against others. This workshop is for anyone who is working with warriors or their families as they recover from the trauma of the past decade in America's wars.

Presenter: Deacon Roy Harrington

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PA-04 Leadership Formation for Sacred Story

Fr. Watson will offer an overview of the development of *Sacred Story*, Jesuit use of the *Examen* and the resources available through the *Sacred Story* Institute. Participants will share their experience of *Sacred Story* Forty Weeks in their individual and parish experience.

Presenter: Fr. Bill Watson, SJ

PA-05 Parishes: Reconsidering Our Focus

The mission of the Church isn't to build itself up, but to bring God's love and presence to the world. What would a parish look like if it saw its primary purpose as empowering its lay members to transform the secular world? Come and explore some simple steps parish staff and leaders can take to support lay people in their vocation.

Presenter: Ron Ryan

PA-06 The Vocation of the Deacon

Participants will learn the history of the ministry of the Deacon, with an emphasis on the understanding of the vocation of the Deacon and how it is lived in the local Church. This workshop is of particular interest to men interested in applying as Deacons, pastors interested in promoting deacon candidates, and lay ecclesial ministers interested in learning more about the diaconate.

Presenter: Fr. Frank Schuster

PA-07 "Though I walk through the Valley of the Shadow..." Ps. 23: Lessons for Believers from the Oso Slide

Suffering is a part of the human experience and death is inevitable. In this workshop, we will explore how our faith and the community of disciples, the Church, help us to face these realities with courage and hope.

Presenter: Fr. Tim Sauer

PA-08 Your Family Matters: A World Conference on Family Life

Using reflection materials developed in preparation of the World Meeting of Families, participants will review both current challenges and sustaining influences to family life in order to share more widely the Catholic understanding of marriage and family life.

Presenter: Dr. Sarah Bartel

SP-05 Young Adults Preach With Prayer: A Dominican Spirituality

Participants will learn of the heritage and foundations of Dominican Spirituality and its particular interest for young adults. Participants will have an opportunity to reflect and share in local history and experiences of Dominican spiritual life.

Presenter: Fr. Lukasz Misko, OP and students from the UW Newman Center

SPIRITUALITY

SP-01 Benedictine Spirituality

Presenter: Fr. Marion Nguyen

SP-02 Centering Prayer

Participants will learn the basic concept, structure, and history of Centering Prayer through experience and reflection. This workshop will be useful for those new and experienced in the practice of Centering Prayer.

Presenter: Sister Joyce Cox, BVM

SP-03 Pilgrimage: Grace and the Camino

Participants will share Fr. Scott Connolly's experience of pilgrimage on the *Camino to Santiago de Compostela* in order to introduce the classic spirituality of pilgrimage. Participants will learn the basic structure, concept, and graces that underpin pilgrimage as an ancient form of devotion and prayer.

Presenter: Fr. Scott Connolly

SP-04 The Mystical Horizon of Ignatian Spirituality

From the lived experience of St. Ignatius, participants will explore the mystical depth of a contemplative, "incarnational" spirituality where union and communion with God is grounded in experience, discernment, decision and action, a radical freedom, and availability to Word and empowering Spirit, the unfolding of God's ever greater glory.

Presenter: Fr. Pat O'Leary

