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### Upcoming Events:

- Feb 13th K4J
- Feb 14th Confirmation ( at St. James)
- No classes next week due to President's Day

### SUMMER DATES

- Middle School Intensive: July 27-Aug 7
- Vacation Bible School: August 10-14

# FAMILY UPDATES

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## Survey Total

Families that want...

Sunday Morning: 16 families

Sunday Afternoon: 5 families

Tuesday Afternoon: 18 families

Total Families in RE: 203

Know that enrollment in all classes will be decided on a first-come, first-serve basis. Registrations will be available in late February.

## *Parenting For Peace and Justice*

Our first informational gathering will be **Thursday, March 19th at 6:30 pm.** RSVP to Megan at [communitylife@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:communitylife@holyredeemervanc.org) or 885-7780 X16.

At our Parenting for Peace and Justice family gatherings, we will look at how we can make a difference within the community we live and how to work for the well being of the global community. We will also reflect, pray and discuss our values for parenting and how they strengthen us in our hope of working for positive social change. As parents you will learn the tools and make a clear commitment to teach your children to be peace makers and justice doers.

## ***Adult Activities***

Nobel Peace Laureate Bishop Desmond Tutu will be giving a lecture at the University of Portland on May 4th. Bishop Tutu will be speaking about "The Transformative Power of Reconciliation in Society." Tickets are \$20.00 per person. The evening will begin with a concert at 6:30 pm and the Lecture begins at 7:30 pm.

For tickets, please call Jan Elfers at 503-224-1054 X208 Please RSVP to Megan at: [communitylife@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:communitylife@holyredeemervanc.org) or 885-7780 X16.

## ***Parish Picnic***

We need to begin planning for our Summer Parish Picnic! If you are interested in helping with this fun event, please contact Megan at 885-7780 X16 or [communitylife@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:communitylife@holyredeemervanc.org)

## ***Family Camp***

If you are interested in this great family event, please contact Megan if you can help plan and implement Family Camp! Megan 885-7780 X16 [communitylife@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:communitylife@holyredeemervanc.org)

## ***Little Lenten Books***

The Little Lenten Books have arrived. Both the adult version (black cover) and the special children's version (purple cover) will be available while supplies last. You can pick up your copy after any Mass this weekend, at the Spaghetti Feed Feb 21 (6:45 PM), any Mass on Feb 21 and 22, or at Faith Formation Feb 22 /24. The cost of the books are \$2 each through the Knights of Columbus.