



5th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden.” - Mt 5:14

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MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS

- Saturday Vigil-Vigilia en Ingles: 5:00 pm**
- Sunday: 9 am and 5 pm**
- Misa del domingo: 11:15 am (Spanish)**
- Daily Mass: 8 am Monday-Friday**
- Misas en español: 7pm Martes**
- Confessions: Saturdays at 3:30 pm, also by appt.**
- Confesiones: Sábados a las 3:30 pm o por cita.**

OFFICE HOURS / HORAS DE OFICINA

- Monday-Friday 8 am - noon & 1-4:00 pm**
- Lunes -Viernes 8am-12pm y de 1-4:00 pm**
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- Deacon James Johnson: 509-929-3588**
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- Youth Minister/Confirmation: Sarah Moore**
- Elementary Religious Education: Alexandra Ruvalcaba**
- Preschool: Mari Gabriel**

ST. ANDREW'S PARISH

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FAITH, PRAYER & SOCIAL MINISTRIES

R.C.I.A (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) meets Thursdays at 6:30 PM. For those who are interested in learning about the Catholic faith. **Contact Scott Zimmerman** at 509-929-3790 or email gitanesteel@yahoo.com

Centering Prayer Mondays at 5:15 PM in the cry room. **Contact Karen Gookin** at 962-9648

Tuesday Morning Study Group meets weekly on Tuesdays at 9 AM, in the library. **Contact Hugh Spall** at 925-2937

Wives In Prayer is seeking help to provide child care during Friday meetings. **Contact Emily Stickney** at 968-9195

Men's Fellowship Group Mondays at 6:30 PM. **Contact Mark Hayden** at 929-2035.

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Tuesdays 8:30AM in church.

Pro-Life Prayer Join us outside of Planned Parenthood on Kelleher Ford property. Tuesdays 10:30 AM.

Compassion Corps 2nd & 4th Thursday at 6:30 PM (Jan 9 & 23) in the couch/youth room. **Contact: Kelly Held** at 962-1250

Crafts Unlimited meet Tuesdays 11 AM in the middle-west room. **Contact Carole Vondergeest** at 962-1551

SAYA (St. Andrew's Young Adults). **Contact Rachel Hochstein** at 360-325-6682

St. Vincent de Paul Ministries 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month at 10:15 AM (Jan 5 & 19). Seeking new members. **Contact Maryanne Witkowski** 509-859-3455

The Knights of Columbus Will meet Thursday, February, 27, at 7 PM. **Contact Josh Mattson** at 509-856-4579

PREPARES is a Catholic ministry for WA State which mentors young families with children up to the age of 5. We do not discriminate based on religion or race. Next meeting is Sat, Feb 22, at 10 AM, in the activity center lobby. Please refer young families to the Parish office.

Catholic Radio: 100.3 FM/KXAA

Catholic Campus Ministry (CCM): 706 N Sprague **Contact Marcus Ayers** at 925-3043. Mass on Campus on Sunday at 7 pm in SURC 137 during school year.

FORMED.org parish code: 449536 Catholic resources free to all parishioners.

**Fifth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
February 9, 2020**

**Welcome to
our visitors!**

<i>With gratitude and appreciation</i> Feb 1 & 2	
Regular Sunday	5,676.50
Building Fund	1,030.00
RE Program	1,658.00
Initial Offering	5.00
Solemnity of Mary	15.00
Religious Ret/Hermit	100.00
Total	7,741.50

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF FEB 10

Mon—†Pat Carney, 1 yr. Anniv.
Tue—Jim Cates
Wed—†Norman Johnson
Thr —†Jacinta Johnson
Fri—†Hubert & Mary Schmitt
Sat—†Marie Agnes Winkle
Sun—Ethan Bowen

Please prayerful consider your participation in the **CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN**. Your support help spreads the Gospel message locally and nationally. Envelopes are on the bulletin table. Visit www.usccb.org/cc

Thank you for your support of the **FIRST WEEKEND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COLLECTION**.

Next weekend, our parish will take up the **137TH ANNUAL NATIONAL BLACK AND INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION**. Our support helps build the Church in African American, Native American and Alaska Native communities from coast to coast. Schools, parish religious education programs and diocesan ministries depend on your generosity. Our Diocese also received \$4,000 in grant funding last year from this collection. Envelopes are on the bulletin table.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED to keep the parish office open when Barbara is gone. If you can assist for several hours or more, please contact the parish office at 962-9819.

We are most grateful to our loyal donors and new donors to the **ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL (ACA)**. We have received pledges from 140 households in the amount of \$47,075.50, towards a parish pledge goal of \$44,006. As always, 100% participation of our 1,100+ households is our main goal. Any pledges over the goal are rebated back to the parish. Please visit www.yakimadiocese.org if you'd like to donate online. Please prayerfully consider your pledge this year. Your ACA donation statement for 2019 will be mailed shortly from the Diocese of Yakima.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND ELDERLY OF OUR PARISH especially Christina Keys, Sharon Rosell, Don Bacon, Dorothy Drotzmann, Msgr. Perron Auve, Fr. Reilly, Fr. Murtaugh, Fr. John O'Shea and our priests and nuns who suffer from poor health, we pray to the Lord. *Please call the parish office with updates.*

MOSES LAKE OUR LADY OF FATIMA 12TH ANNUAL EVANGELIZATION RETREAT, Feb 21, 22, 23. Brochures on bulletin table.

FEB BIRTHDAYS 10-Eileen Bow, Jasmine Rodriguez, Kevin Sanchez, Ramon Zepeda 11-Stacy Gonzalez, Isabelle Kirkham 12-Debbie Bliss, Jossalynn Hartung, Gustavo Lopez, Kensington Wedin 13-Melissa Sanchez, Aspen Smith 14-Gavin Rice 15-Gwen Budnik, Wilfrano Huitron, Deacon Jim Johnson 16-Adilene Coria, Elsie Cziske, Jim Held, Jillene Krause, William Marquiss, Carlos Villa

If you have an update to the Birthday or Anniversary lists, please contact the parish office.

Back by popular demand in the Diocese of Yakima.
THE SHROUD OF TURIN TALK AND REPLICA

February 5-9, 2020

Sun, Feb 9, 3 PM, Holy Family, Yakima

SEE the full size Shroud replica. **HEAR** the history. **DISCOVER** how science and faith meet. **EXPERIENCE** the Passion of Jesus in a new way.

The next **CEMETERY COMMITTEE** meeting is Monday, February 10, at 6:30 PM.



NATIONAL MARRIAGE WEEK is February 7-14. Every family is called to be a place of prayer, service, and love—a “little Church of the home.” Families naturally do this in their day-to-day lives: “*The spirituality of family love is made up of thousands of small but real gestures*” (Pope Francis, *Amoris Laetitia*, no. 315). They do this by strengthening the bonds of love among their members and by asking the Lord’s presence into their homes. Visit www.foryourmarriage.org for more tips, prayers and blogs that promote healthy Catholic marriages. **#MarriageWeek**

...lifeline for troubled marriages: The next **RETRouvaille WEEKEND** is February 14-16 in Spokane. For confidential information call 1-800-470-2230 or visit www.Retrouvaille.org

Mark your calendar: A **BOOK DISCUSSION OF THE FALL PARISH READ**, “*A Devotional Journey into the Mass*” by Christopher Carstens will be held Sunday, March 8, at 10:15 AM in the parish library. Please come for coffee, fellowship and good conversation.

ASH WEDNESDAY is Wed, Feb 26. Masses will be celebrated at 8 AM, 6 PM & 7:15 PM (Spanish), along with a Liturgy of the Word Service at 12:10 PM. This marks the beginning of Lent. **STATIONS OF THE CROSS** will be offered on Fridays of Lent at 5:30 PM.

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PICK OF THE WEEK

Shot on location in France, this film is highly recommended by the Vatican as a “sensitive portrayal of a very moving story that deserves a wide audience,” and was chosen to be shown daily at the shrine in Lourdes to retell the epic story.

Bernadette

St. Bernadette and the Apparitions of Our Lady of Lourdes



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UPCOMING PARENT MEETINGS

FIRST YEAR SACRAMENT PREPARATION is this Sunday, February 9, at 10:15 AM

SECOND YEAR SACRAMENT PREPARATION is Sunday, February 23 at 10:15 AM

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

No classes Sunday & Monday, February 16 & 17

Elementary— Sundays, 10:15—11:05 AM

High School Youth Group— Sundays, 6:15—7:30 PM

Middle School—Mondays, 6:30—8 PM



WISDOM OF WORKS AND MERCY, a small group study, beginning Wednesday, Feb 19 through April 22, 7-8:30 PM. Join us for a group study that delves into the Most Holy Trinity as the key to bringing the faith from our heads to our hearts and out into our lives. Then put your faith into action with group works of mercy. Contact Gretchen at 933-2364 for more information.

ELEMENTARY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM IS NEEDING A CATECHIST AND ASSISTANT FOR GRADE 3. All curriculum and support is provided. If you can help out, please contact Alexandra or Fr. David.

The **FRIDAY MORNING WOMEN'S GROUP** is seeking adults to help with **CHILD CARE** while they meet, 9-11 AM. *Are you available on Friday mornings?* Please contact Rachel Hochstein at 360-325-6682

MAGNIFICAT classes will resume 9-11AM, Saturdays, February 15 Holy Spirit—Kennewick, February 22 St. Joseph School—Wenatchee, or February 29 St. Paul Cathedral building. Topic: *Dante's World Today: Hell, Purgatory & Heaven*, presented by Frs. Peter Steele & Daniel Steele. Followed by Anchoring Faith & Science 11:30AM-1PM. Topic: *Scientific Evidence of a Soul*.

Diocese of Yakima presents an Evening Session with Dr. Deidre Wilson—Teaching Teens and Young Adults Natural Family Planning in a Secular World on Monday, February 17, 6-8 PM, at Holy Family Parish in Yakima. English speaking event. Spanish resources will be distributed at a later time. Everyone encouraged to attend. All youth under age 18 must be accompanied by an adult or have a signed permission slip. For more information or forms contact the Diocese of Yakima at 509-965-7117.

Rachel's Vineyard is a post-abortion recovery program for all those affected by abortion. Women and men of all faiths are invited to begin the healing process at our next retreat, March 20-22, 2020, near Ellensburg. This is a safe, confidential place to connect with our team of caring professionals and others to pro-

cess your experience. Space is limited. Cost is \$129. Need-based scholarships are available through our diocesan Cornerstone Ministry. For an interesting read, www.americamagazine.org/politics-society/2018/01/24/catholics-are-just-likely-get-abortion-other-us-women-why

Stewardship Reflection

IS 58: 7-10; PS 112:4-9; 1 COR 2:1-5; MT 5:13-16

Today's readings are part pep talk and part marching orders for us Christian stewards. They offer wonderfully clear guidance on what matters most to God in the way we prioritize our lives and the way He intends for us to use the gifts He has given us.



The first reading, from the prophet Isaiah, gives us very straightforward instructions: "Thus says the Lord: Share your bread with the hungry, shelter the oppressed and the homeless; clothe the naked when you see them, and do not turn your back on your own." The Lord gives no wiggle room here — care for our brothers and sisters in need is a "must do" for the Christian steward.

But note how generous our God is to us when we do these things. "Then your light shall break forth like the dawn and your wound shall quickly be healed." The more we give ourselves away the more we will find ourselves, and "light shall rise" for us in the form of more of God's grace in our lives and more joy and peace in our hearts.

Our Gospel passage, from Matthew sends us out on our stewardship way with a bang as Jesus declares to us, His disciples, that we are the "salt of the earth" and the "light of the world." But, He adds, salt no longer gives flavor if allowed to go stale — light cannot bring its blessed brightness if left hidden. Therefore, we must act! We must live our lives so that others will see the things that we do — the ways that we serve others, care for the vulnerable, prioritize our family relationships and above all, our love for God — and then give Him glory.

This is the stewardship way of life. Let's give it our all!

GUIDELINES FOR FLU SEASON: If you suspect you have the flu or are suffering from a serious cold, please stay at home and do not risk spreading infection to others. Do set aside some quiet time for prayer, or watch Mass on TV. If you are feeling sick, please receive Holy Communion in the hand, rather than on the tongue, and refrain from receiving Communion from the Cup. If you've been told that you are particularly susceptible to infection or to complications due to the flu in particular, please refrain from practices that might make you sick, including the above mentioned items, shaking hands, etc. Washing hands frequently has proven to be most helpful.