

31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I shall give to the poor, and if I have extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over."

- Lk 19:8

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St. Andrew's Church

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Who We Are

We are a Christian community that worships the One and Eternal God. We believe that Jesus Christ is the only Begotten Son of God, our Lord, Savior and Master, who united with the Father and the Holy Spirit is The One Almighty God.

We, as disciples of the Lord, are pilgrims on earth, called by the grace of God to build his Kingdom within us and the world guided by the Holy Spirit (Kingdom of justice, peace, love, truth, and life.)

In faith we keep the promise of the resurrection as we proclaim the resurrection of the Lord and through him eternal life.

We celebrate our faith as one family, the Universal Church (Catholic Church) in obedience to the Apostolic authority kept incessantly by the successor of the Apostles whose head is The Pope.

SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Saturday/Vigil Mass, 5 PM English

Sunday Mass (LORD'S DAY)

9 AM & 5 PM English • 11:30 AM Spanish

Daily Mass

Monday, Liturgy of the Word, 8 AM English

Tuesday – Friday Mass, 8 AM English

Thursday Mass, 6 PM English

Friday Mass, 6 PM Spanish

Holy Rosary Recitation, 30 minutes before Mass

First Friday, 8 AM English, 6 PM Spanish

First Saturday, 8 AM English

Confessions (Sacrament of the Reconciliation)

Saturday: 3:30 - 4:30 PM

Also, after daily mass or by appointment.

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 30, 2022

- Sunday:** Wis 11:22—12:2/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10
- Monday:** Phil 2:1-4/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/Lk 14:12-14
- Tuesday:** Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
- Wednesday:** Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, and 7b, 17-18, 20-21/Rom 5:17-21/Mt 11:25-30
- Thursday:** Phil 3:3-8a/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 15:1-10
- Friday:** Phil 3:17—4:1/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Lk 16:1-8
- Saturday:** Phil 4:10-19/Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a and 9/Lk 16:9-15
- Next Sunday:** 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 [15b]/2 Thes 2:16—3:5/Lk 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38

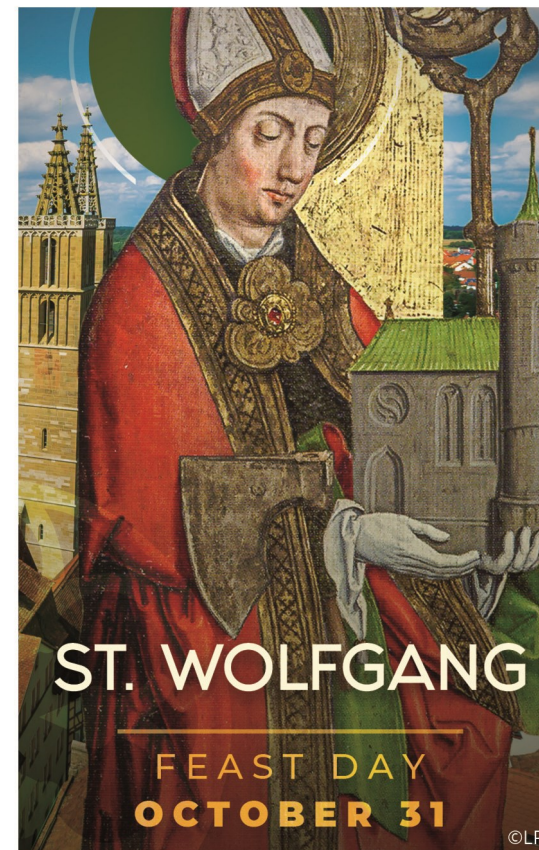
OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 30, 2022

- Sunday:** 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time; Priesthood Sunday
- Monday:** All Hallows' Eve
- Tuesday:** All Saints
- Wednesday:** All Souls' Day
- Thursday:** St. Martin de Porres, Religious
- Friday:** St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop
- Next Sunday:** 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time; National Vocation Awareness Week; Daylight Saving Time Ends

LIVE THE LITURGY

Inspiration for the week

God does not set things in motion or create something and then step back to attend to other matters. When God creates, God remains connected. God's continued and constant presence is necessary for everything we see to exist. Without God, life as we know it would cease. God's imperishable spirit is in all things! Being the author of love, God cannot despise or hate Himself. Therefore, God cannot despise or hate anything or anyone. How can God be repulsed by the image of Himself reflected in a human soul? Jesus goes to the homes of sinners. His very presence there is enough to change even the most conflicted and self-serving of hearts. The soul who realizes its utter dependency upon God is a soul who knows salvation. The beginnings of salvation's blessings are discovered when we understand who God is, who we are, and how we are to act relative to our brothers and sisters. We find what our selfishness lost.



SAINT OF THE WEEK

Saint Wolfgang of Ratisbon (now Regensburg) was born around 934 in Swabia, Germany. The son of a wealthy family, he was tutored in the home before he studied at the Monastery of Reichenau and Wurtzburg. In 956 he elected to go to Trier with his friend, Henry, who was appointed archbishop there. Wolfgang served as a teacher in the cathedral school at Trier.

After his friend's death, he became a Benedictine monk joining a monastery in Augsburg. There he led the school which flourished under his hand and was ordained in 968. In 972 he was sent to be a missionary to the pagan Magyar tribes (Hungarian clans). The Christmas of 972 he was appointed Bishop of Regensburg, near Munich, by Emperor Otto II, the post he would hold until his death.

The new Bishop continued to wear his Benedictine habit and held to the austerities of monastic life. He preached and worked at reform and took such care of the poor he was called "the Great Almoner." The saint also tutored the future Holy Roman Emperor, St. Henry II.

Saint Wolfgang died in 994 while traveling Austria, in the town of Puppington near Linz. He was canonized in 1052.

MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS

Saturday Vigil—Vigilia en Ingles: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 9 am & 5 pm

Misa del domingo: 11:30 am (Spanish)

Daily Mass: 8 am Tuesday — Friday

8 am Monday, Liturgy of the Word

Confessions: Saturdays at 3:30 pm, also by appt.

Confesiones: Sábados a las 3:30 pm o por cita.

OFFICE / OFICINA

Monday—Friday 8 am - 12pm and 1 - 4 pm

Lunes—Viernes 8am - 12pm y de 1 - 4 pm

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MUSIC DIRECTOR: Barbara Pickett

PRESCHOOL: Mari Gabriel

PARISH 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](mailto:scottzimmerman@st-andrewsparish.org) at 509-929-3790 or email gitanesteel@yahoo.com

Centering Prayer Mondays at 5:15 PM in the cry room. **Contact** [Karen Gookin](mailto:karengookin@st-andrewsparish.org) at 509-306-0431

Tuesday Morning Study Group meets weekly on Tuesdays at 9 AM, in the library. **Contact** [Hugh Spall](mailto:hughspall@st-andrewsparish.org) at 925-2937

Men's Fellowship Group Mondays at 6:30 PM. **Contact** [Scott Zimmerman](mailto:scottzimmerman@st-andrewsparish.org) at 929-3790

Young Families of St. Andrew's meets 2nd Saturday of the month, at 3 PM. **Contact** [Michaela Megargle](mailto:michaelajamegargle@gmail.com) at michaelajamegargle@gmail.com

Crafts Unlimited meet Tuesdays 11 AM in the middle-west room. **Contact** [Carole Vondergeest](mailto:carolevondergeest@st-andrewsparish.org) at 962-1551

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.

The **Knights of Columbus** 3rd Thursday of the month at 7 PM. **Contact** [Josh Mattson](mailto:joshmattson@st-andrewsparish.org) at 509-856-4579

Compassion Corps 2nd & 4th Thursdays at 6:30 PM (in the couch/youth room. **Contact:** [Kelly Held](mailto:kellyheld@st-andrewsparish.org) at 962-1250

SAYA (St. Andrew's Young Adults). **Contact** [Rachel Hochstein](mailto:rachelhochstein@st-andrewsparish.org) at 360-325-6682

St. Vincent de Paul Ministries 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month at 10:15 AM. Seeking new members.

Contact [Marilee Coscarart](mailto:marileecoscarart@st-andrewsparish.org) 509-929-2870

PREPARES is a Catholic pro-life ministry which supports and accompanies young families. Your prayers are most appreciated. **Contact** [Emily Ayers](mailto:emilyayers@st-andrewsparish.org) at 360-451-1289

Catholic Radio: 100.3 FM/KXAA

Catholic Campus Ministry (CCM): 706 N Sprague **Contact** [Marcus Ayers](mailto:marcus.ayers@yakimadiocese.org) at 925-3043

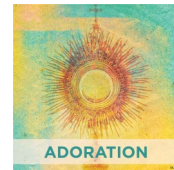
marcus.ayers@yakimadiocese.org Mass offered on Sundays at 7PM, SURC 137

(open to the public during school year)

The full MAGNIFICAT calendar can be viewed at: ENGLISH— <https://yakimadiocese.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/Magnificat-Calendar-2022-2023-English-8.2.22.pdf>

SPANISH— <https://yakimadiocese.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/Magnificat-Calendar-2022-2023-Spanish-8.2.22.pdf>

Welcome to our visitors!!
 Welcome back!!
 We are happy to see you!!



Please join us
Thursdays
8:30AM to 3PM for
Adoration in the
Church.
Mass 8 AM and 6 PM

"The Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go to meet him in adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to making amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease." (CCC #1380- Saint John Paul II)

<i>Sunday Collection with gratitude and appreciation</i>	
October 22 & 23, 2022	
Regular Sunday	4,735.00
Building Fund	1,205.00
Religious Education	705.00

The **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** is studying *"Fathers of the Church"* video series on Friday mornings at 9 AM. For more information, please call or text Debbie Bliss at 509-859-4687

The **CRAFT GROUP** meets weekly on Tuesdays, 11AM to 3PM. Please join us. We are in need of nice clean jeans for our projects.



FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 31

- Tue— George & Mara Lathrop
- Wed— Shirleen Sterkel
- Thr— † Queen Elizabeth II
- Fri— † Gary Brantley

Please pray for the sick and elderly of our Parish
 Linda Brennan, Colin McCord, Christina Keys, Dorothy Drotzmann, Darlene Gapp, Rebecca Rojas, Dan & Chris Papineau, Betty Moore, Jaci Erickson, Meg Seubert, Fr. John Shaw, Fr. Jaime Chacón, Msgr. Peron Auve, Fr. Ricardo Villarreal, Fr. Reilly, Fr. Seamus Kerr, Fr. Darrel Mitchell & family, Lee & Lavonne Tyson (parents of Bishop Tyson) and our priests and nuns who suffer from poor health, we pray to the Lord. Please call the parish office with updates.



St. Andrew's Religious Education Program still needs your help. More children/youth have registered than last year and **we still need more catechists** so we can offer accommodate everyone. If you are interested in sharing your faith with our youngest member of our church family, please see Laura in the RE office.

Children and Youth who have celebrated their First Holy Communion are able to be a disciple of their faith by volunteering as an **ALTAR SERVER** at Mass. The next **training** will be this Sunday, October 30, at 12:45 PM. A pizza lunch will also be provided. New servers and current servers should plan on attending.

Please join us for a **weekly Thursday Daily Mass at 6PM in English.** We hope everyone will be able to add this weekly Mass to their prayer life.



We would like to offer a **THANKSGIVING DINNER** at St. Andrew's. It can be done with your help. A person or several are needed to cook the turkey and ham, potatoes, dressing and gravy. Attendees will be asked to bring other embellishment foods. Please contact the parish office and let us know how you might be able to help. If you would like to attend, please contact the parish office to make your free reservation.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION classes have begun.

Elementary

Sunday, 10:10 – 11:20 AM

Middle School

Monday, 6:30 – 8 PM

High School

Wednesday, 7 – 8:30 PM



Cost: \$40 Elem & Middle School, \$50 High School, with a family maximum of \$90. Open for all children and youth, regardless if sacraments are needed. Parents are highly encouraged to offer their assistance in all classrooms and to participate in the **MAGNIFICAT** sessions that are offered by the Diocese (see bottom of directory page for details).

R.C.I.A SESSIONS are held Thursday evenings at 6:30 PM. Anyone who is interested in knowing more about the Catholic Faith is invited to attend, as well as any adult who is needing Sacraments of Initiation. Contact Scott Zimmerman (509-929-3790).

The **TUESDAY MORNING STUDY GROUP** meets at 9 AM. Everyone is welcome.



The **COLD & FLU SEASON** is upon us. Thank you for doing your part to stop the spread of germs. Please wear a mask at Mass or stay home if you feel sick with a sore throat, running/stuffy nose, cough, muscle/body aches, headache, fatigue, and/or fever/chills. Please be conscious of having clean hands. Thank you in advance for caring for your neighbor.

“But Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, ‘Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor, and if I extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over.’” LUKE 19:8

We are all called to gratefully give back to the Lord in proportion to the gifts we have been given. This means everyone isn’t called to give the same amount, but everyone is called to give equal sacrifice. Open your heart and talk to God about how you use your money. *How is God calling you to be more generous with your financial resources and possessions?*

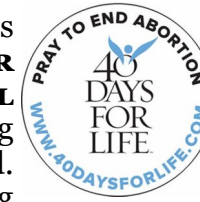
Mark your calendars for upcoming **MAGNIFICAT** days in November. Watch next bulletin for details and zoom links.

Wed, Nov 9,—Canonical Issues related to the OCIC

Thr, Nov 17—Bioethics

Sat, Nov 19—Anchoring Science in our Faith: “True Happiness”

Ellensburg is doing it's first ever **40 DAYS FOR LIFE PRAYER VIGIL** outside the Ellensburg Planned Parenthood. We are publicly praying for 40 days for the end of abortion, Sep 28-Nov 6. To sign up to pray for an hour visit: <https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/ellensburg> For questions and more information, call or text Joy Powell (661-481-4408).



Thank you for your generosity in the **DIOCESAN COLLECTION FOR BEIT MERY HERMITAGE/RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS**. Envelopes are on the bulletin table.



Daylight Saving Time ends next weekend on Sunday, November 6. “Fall Back” one hour.

PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH COLLECTION

October 15 & 16 we celebrated **World Mission Sunday**. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world’s most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope’s missions in your prayers and be generous in next week’s collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Envelopes are on the bulletin table. We apologize for delay in announcing this collection. Please the letter from Bishop Tyson on page 7 of this bulletin.



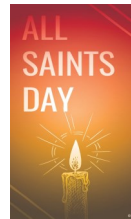


St. Vincent Ministries of St. Andrew's Annual Giving Tree Program will have registration on **Sunday, November 6, at 10:15 AM.** We will only be able to take the first 25 families.



We will take the names of additional families if you or a group would like to **Adopt-a-Family**, providing gifts for the children and a food voucher for the family. If you are interested, please leave your name with the Parish office.

This program is meant for families who are low income or are in need for other reasons and cannot provide a Christmas dinner or gifts for their family. If you know of a senior or a family in need, please make them aware of this program. Interpreters will be available. Gift sign-ups are for infants/children, 0-17 years of age. All other families should plan on signing up for the Community Christmas Basket Program (sign up available through F.I.S.H. Food Bank). Families can only sign up for one program.



ALL SAINTS DAY will be celebrated with Masses on Tuesday, November 1, at 8 AM & 6 PM (Bilingual). A Vigil Mass will be offered on Monday, October 31, at 6 PM. **This is a holy day of obligation.** All children and youth are invited to an **All Saints Party** at 7 PM on Tuesday, following Mass.

COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED, ALL SOULS' DAY, is Wednesday, November 2. Masses will be celebrated at 8 AM and 6 PM (Bilingual). We will have an **All Saints presentation** in the social hall following Mass to begin the Confirmation session.



November is a month of remembering our deceased family and friends. A **Remembrance Book** is located on the **Remembrance Table** set up in the back of the church. Please feel free to write in names of deceased family and friends. **All Soul's Envelopes** are also there for your use. As the envelopes are collected, they will be placed on the altar. Names will be remembered during the month of November at all Masses.

FIRST FRIDAY & SATURDAY MASSES

November 4, 8 AM & 6 PM (Spanish)
November 5, 8 AM



The campaign for 2023 Annual Catholic Appeal is being launched. On November 5th & 6th, all of us will have the opportunity to respond to the **DIOCESAN ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL**. You should have received a letter and personalized pledge card from Bishop Tyson within the last week. Please prayerfully consider your gift to support these important ministries. The programs, services, and ministries supported by the Diocesan Annual Catholic Appeal are intended to meet the needs of Catholics here in the Diocese of Yakima. The Church serves each of us, and our financial support is needed to continue God's work here in Central Washington. Thank you in advance.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR. The Knights of Columbus are planning a **Fund Raising Breakfast** on Sunday, November 13. More information next week.



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COLLECTION FOR WORLD MISSION SUNDAY 2022

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

World Mission Sunday – the annual, worldwide Eucharistic celebration for the Missions of the Church – will be celebrated in our Diocese on **October 15-16** this year. This important day in the life of the Church universal fortifies our understanding of our shared call to mission, bestowed upon us at Baptism.

Pope Francis' message for World Mission Sunday reflects on the theme: **"You shall be My witnesses"** (Acts 1:8). He emphasizes the call to every Christian to bear witness to Christ, to participate in a mission of universal evangelization, and to seek strength and guidance from the Holy Spirit.

Beginning in 1822, the universal fund of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith provided some \$7 million in help to the new and growing Churches in the United States. Your prayers and generous support today sustain priests, religious and lay pastoral leaders in more than 1,100 mission dioceses in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe as they proclaim the Gospel, build the Church, and serve the poor.

When you contribute to the World Mission Sunday collection, you make it possible for the Holy Father to provide for the formation of our seminarians and religious men and women. You assist in building the schools and orphanages that care for children in places few visit. Missionaries can build churches in areas with scarce resources. Priests and religious Brothers and Sisters can buy food and the bare essentials that make it possible to proclaim the Gospel and celebrate the Sacraments.

I encourage your generosity on World Mission Sunday, especially in this bicentennial anniversary year. Your prayers remain your greatest gift, and your financial support is life-giving to our brothers and sisters in the world's most vulnerable communities.

Gratefully in the Lord,

Most Reverend Joseph J. Tyson
Bishop of Yakima

[signature electronically applied]



Scan the code to donate online.
Thank you!

For more about World Mission Sunday, please visit missio.org/resources for additional materials.

**READ THE
GOSPEL AND
COMPLETE A
PUZZLE!**

SHARING THE GOSPEL

Zacchaeus had gotten very rich by taking money from his neighbors, so nobody liked him. He was very lonely and sad. When Jesus talked to him, Zacchaeus felt special. When Jesus ate dinner with Zacchaeus, Jesus showed that he was a real friend. When Zacchaeus felt God's love, he was truly happy for the first time. Jesus gave him what he really wanted - friendship - so he gave extra money back to his neighbors.

PRAYER

Dear God, help me to see that real happiness comes from loving Jesus, not money.

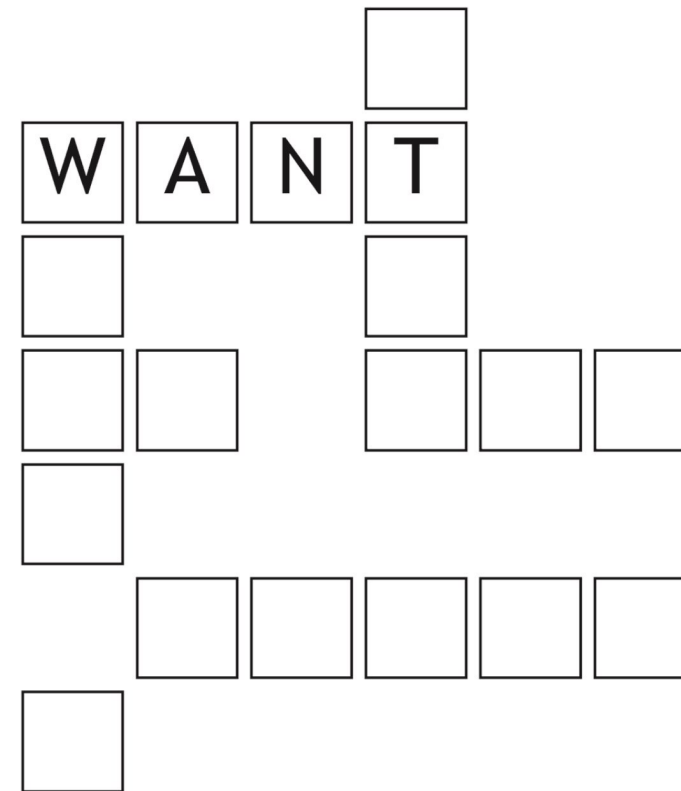
**MISSION
FOR THE WEEK**

Read today's Gospel with your family. Write down three things you can do each day to spend more time with Jesus as your friend.

KIDS CORNER

Fit this Gospel message into the empty squares:

I want to stay with you today.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>6 Solemnity of the Dedication of St. Paul Cathedral, Yakima</p> <p>Masses: 9 AM & 5 PM</p> <p>Misa en Español 11:30 AM</p> <p>RE 1st Sunday Collection</p> <p>Elementary RE 10:05 AM</p> <p>Giving Tree Sign ups 10 AM</p> <p>Jubilate 11:20 AM</p>	<p>7 Middle School 6:30 PM</p> <p>Men's Group 6:30 PM</p>	<p>1 ALL SAINTS (Holy Day of Obligation)</p> <p>Mass 8 AM & 6 PM (Bilingual)</p> <p>Tue AM Study Group 9 AM</p> <p>Craft Group 11 AM</p> <p>Saint Party 7 PM</p>	<p>2 ALL SOULS</p> <p>Mass 8 AM & 6 PM (Bilingual)</p> <p>Confirmation 7 PM</p>	<p>3 Adoration 8:30AM-3PM</p> <p>Mass 6 PM</p> <p>R.C.I.A. 6:30 PM</p>	<p>4 <i>St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop</i></p> <p>First Friday Mass 8 AM</p> <p>Benediction 8:30 AM</p> <p>Women's Bible Study 9 AM</p> <p>Primer viernes Misa in Español 6 PM</p> <p>Clases de preparación para el Bautismo 7 PM</p>	<p>5 First Saturday Mass 8 AM</p> <p>Reconciliation 3:30 PM</p> <p>Vigil Mass 5 PM</p> <p>Diocese of Yakima</p> <p>Deacon Retreat wknd</p> <p>DAYLIGHT SAVING</p> <p>TIME ENDS</p>
<p>13 Masses: 9 AM & 5 PM</p> <p>Misa en Español 11:30 AM</p> <p>K of C Breakfast Fund</p> <p>Raiser 10 AM</p> <p>2nd Sunday Social 6 PM</p>	<p>14 Young at Heart 9 AM</p> <p>Middle School 6:30 PM</p> <p>Men's Group 6:30 PM</p>	<p>8 Tue AM Study Group 9 AM</p> <p>Craft Group 11 AM</p>	<p>9 <i>Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica</i></p> <p>MAGNIFICAT 6PM</p> <p>Confirmation 7 PM</p>	<p>10 <i>St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church</i></p> <p>Adoration 8:30AM-3PM</p> <p>Mass 6 PM</p> <p>R.C.I.A. 6:30 PM</p>	<p>11 <i>St. Martin of Tours, Bishop</i></p> <p>VETERANS DAY</p> <p>PARISH OFFICES CLOSED</p> <p>Misa in Español 6 PM</p> <p>Clases de preparación para el Bautismo 7 PM</p>	<p>12 Reconciliation 3:30 PM</p> <p>Vigil Mass 5 PM</p> <p>St. Andrew's Young Families 3PM</p>
<p>20 OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE</p> <p>Masses: 9 AM & 5 PM</p> <p>Misa en Español 11:30 AM</p> <p>Elementary RE 10:05 AM</p> <p>St. Vincent de Paul 10:15 AM</p> <p>Jubilate 11:20 AM</p>	<p>21 <i>The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i></p> <p>Middle School 6:30 PM</p> <p>Men's Group 6:30 PM</p>	<p>15 Tue AM Study Group 9 AM</p> <p>Craft Group 11 AM</p> <p>MAGNIFICAT 7 PM (Spanish)</p>	<p>16 Confirmation 7 PM</p> <p>Parent Confirmation Meeting 6 PM</p>	<p>17 <i>St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious</i></p> <p>Adoration 8:30AM-3PM</p> <p>Mass 6 PM</p> <p>R.C.I.A. 6:30 PM</p> <p>Knights of Columbus 7 PM</p> <p>MAGNIFICAT 7 PM</p>	<p>18 Women's Bible Study 9 AM</p> <p>Misa in Español 6 PM</p> <p>Clases de preparación para el Bautismo 7 PM</p>	<p>19 Reconciliation 3:30 PM</p> <p>Vigil Mass 5 PM</p> <p>MAGNIFICAT 9 AM</p>
<p>27 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT</p> <p>Masses: 9 AM & 5 PM</p> <p>Misa en Español 11:30 AM</p>	<p>28 St. Andrew Triduum</p> <p>Triduum Rosary 6 PM</p> <p>Middle School 6:30 PM</p> <p>Men's Group 6:30 PM</p>	<p>29 St. Andrew Triduum</p> <p>Triduum Rosary 6 PM</p> <p>Tue AM Study Group 9 AM</p> <p>Craft Group 11 AM</p> <p>MAGNIFICAT 7 PM (Spanish)</p>	<p>30 FEAST OF ST. ANDREW, APOSTLE</p> <p>Mass 8 AM & 6 PM</p> <p>Confirmation 7 PM</p>	<p>23 St. Cecelia, Virgin & Martyr</p> <p>Tue AM Study Group 9 AM</p> <p>Craft Group 11 AM</p>	<p>24 <i>St. Andrew Dũng-Companions, Martyrs</i></p> <p>THANKSGIVING DAY</p> <p>Mass 9 AM</p> <p>Dinner 1 PM</p>	<p>25 Misa in Español 6 PM</p>
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November 2022

BIRTHDAYS

NOVEMBER

1 Melanie Pulido Lopez Caden Smith Lucia Valladares Cisneros Luis Gonzalez	7 Pasqualina Camarata Adamina Naranjo Ruben Munguia Corrine Mehal	14 Ubaldo Arias Jerry Connolly J. M. Daly Aureliano Figueroa James Kirkham Odelina Munguia Lopez Zachary Berry	22 Lauren Betz Jordan Lafferty Cecilia Leos Chavarria Christine Papineau Phoenix Smith Danny Zepeda-Barrera
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3 James Kirkham Olga Mendez Sherlyn Torres Irma Perez	9 Lizeth Gaytan Jesus Sanchez Cyndi Loveland John Vazquez John Vazquez Villa	16 Estefany Galvan Ceja Stephen Haberman Edmundo Melchor Melanie Arias Caballero	24 Sarah Kartes
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Barry had a life sentence in prison for doing unthinkable crimes. He would often remark to the chaplain that he was an atheist and could not bring himself to believe in any “god.” When the chaplain asked why, Barry quickly retorted that the book of Genesis speaks of God creating everything and feeling very good about it. God’s creation of people and things is beautiful. Barry continued, “If there is a God who creates something and likes what He makes and that God is good, then how could He have created someone as evil as me?” The chaplain fell silent as tears welled up in his eyes. “God loves you too, Barry. The stuff that you did is another matter. God puts His image and likeness in each one of us, in our souls. How can God not love himself?” God cannot despise or hate anything or anyone. He made you. Life hurt you. He is always about unconditional love and mercy. Barry found a glimmer of hope that day and was touched by love.

Zacchaeus met love incarnate in Jesus. He knew there was something special about him, and he had to see Jesus for himself. Realizing and knowing



God’s unconditional, penetrating love is a game-changer. Sinners don’t repulse Jesus, he wants to eat with them! We can often find ourselves conflicted about how God sees us. We want to believe that He loves us, but other tapes playing in our heads convince us that this cannot be true. We carry our sins around like heavy sacks weighing on our shoulders. We are crippled.

God’s divine blessing lives in each of our souls. It is our essential goodness, a free gift given to us by God. The beginnings of salvation’s blessings are

discovered when we begin to understand who God is, who we are, and how we are to act relative to our brothers and sisters. We become more focused and courageous, eager to gather up all of the fragments of our lives and become whole. Zacchaeus, after meeting Jesus, finally knew who he was. He saw his sins and his potential for goodness as a blest child of God. When we allow God to meet us and touch us in such a profound way, we find what our selfishness has lost. We are on the road to salvation.

Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, “Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I shall give to the poor, and if I have extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over.” - Lk 19:8

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