



ST. JOSEPH

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25th Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 19, 2021

"The wisdom from above is first of all pure, then peaceable, gentle, compliant, full of mercy and good fruits, without inconstancy or insincerity."

Scripture Readings: Wisdom 2:12, 17-20
Psalm 54:3-4, 5, 6 & 8
James 3:16—4:3
Mark 9:30-37



O dearest St. Joseph,

I consecrate myself to your honor

and give myself to you,

that you may always be my father,

my protector and my guide

in the way of salvation.

Obtain for me a greater purity of heart

and fervent love of the interior life.

After your example,

may I do all my actions

for the greater glory of God,

in union with the sacred Heart of Jesus

and the immaculate Heart of Mary.

O blessed St. Joseph, pray for me,

that I may share in the peace

and joy of your holy death.

Amen

St. Joseph Parish — Otis Orchards



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 18

5:30pm †Bonnie Bailey

Sunday, September 19

8:00am People of the Parish

10:30am †Robert Goggin

Tuesday, September 21

8:30am Communion Service only

Wednesday, September 22

6:00pm Communion Service only

Thursday, September 23

8:30am Communion Service only

Friday, September 24

8:30am Communion Service only

Saturday, September 25

5:30pm People of the Parish

Sunday, September 26

8:00am †Ed Inge

10:30am †Jim Yancey

Fr Jose will be gone this next week so we will have a Communion Service in place of the weekday Masses.

No confessions on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Scriptures for September 26

Numbers 11:25-29

Psalms 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14

James 5:1-6

Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48



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DIOCESE OF SPOKANE

September 25th and 26th has been designated as "Commitment Sunday" throughout the Diocese of Spokane. Stewardship begins with recognizing the gifts of time, talent, & treasure which God has given to us and then planning on how to give back a portion to Him. The insert in this week's bulletin will provide parishioners with an opportunity to evaluate how they intentionally give back to God in the areas of time, talent, and treasure.

If you did not receive information in the mail from the diocese there are more folders on the table by the parish office window.

ADORATION HOURS FOR FAMILIES

When you are in adoration we just ask you to add a prayer for that family to your prayers.

Tuesday, September 21

12:30pm Darrel & Delores

1:30pm Rebecca Jones

Wednesday, September 22

6am Sharon Jones

7am Donald & Grace Kartevold

7pm Bruce & Danielle Kaschmitter

8pm Sam & Tiffany Keiser

9pm Elizabeth Keller

A Stewardship Prayer

Almighty and ever-faithful God, I gratefully acknowledge Your goodness to me and humbly recognize the many ways you have blessed my life. Your mercy and kindness turn my thoughts to gratitude. Please give me the grace I need to respond to your gifts by responsibly caring for them and returning them to You with increase.

Help me to be a trustworthy steward.

It is my fervent hope that whatever sacrifices I am able to offer, You will bring them to fulfillment.

I make this prayer through your Son, Jesus Christ who lives and reigns with You in communion with the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever.

Amen.

WEEK AHEAD—September 20-26

Monday	Scouts	6pm
	Stephen Ministry Class	6:30pm
Tuesday	After Mass Social	9am
	Quilters	10am
	RCIA	6:30pm
Wednesday	Youth Night	6:30pm
Thursday	Faith Study "Forgiveness"	9am
	Pastoral Council	6pm
Sunday	RE PreK-7th	9am

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CAPA/Prepares fund raiser

THANK YOU to everyone who donated to this wonderful ministry of Catholic Charities! **\$1,772.98 was donated!** Along with the cash donations we were also able to provide several bright crib quilts courtesy of Pam Dunfield and our quilting group, some soft washable dolls, and other baby items.

Faith Formation



Religious Education

We are beginning registration of children for Religious Education for PreK-12th grade. Please stop by the table in the foyer after Mass or call the parish office. The cost is \$50 per student.

Classes will be at the parish.

Prek-7th: Suns, 9:00-10:15am starting Sept. 19

Youth 8th-12th: Weds, 6:30pm starting Sept. 22

We are **looking for Catechists** to teach grades K, 1st, 2nd, and 4th. Assistants are also needed in various levels. If you are interested in teaching a class for the 2021-22 school year, please contact Gina at 926-7133 or religioused@stjoeparish.org.



RCIA—Becoming Catholic

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA is for you or someone you know who is not Catholic and would like the opportunity to explore questions about the Catholic Church or possibly to become Catholic. Classes are on **Tuesdays at 6:30pm** in the parish hall.

Please contact Gina religioused@stjoeparish.org or 509-926-7133 for more information.



St. Joseph's Baptism Schedule—2021

Class: October 3. Classes are held on Sundays, after the 10:30am Mass.

Baptism: done at any weekend Mass or privately upon request.

Please call the parish office to register or if you have any questions, 926-7133

Growing in Faith for Adults

Forgiven, the Transforming Power of Confession

The series continues for the next 2 Thursday mornings starting at 9am in the parish hall. This DVD-based presentation produced by the St Augustine Institute explores the roots of the Sacrament in Jewish history and how Christ introduced it into what became the main tenet of Christian life.

It will run **again Thursday evenings Oct. 7, 14, 21 and 28 at 6:30pm.**

It can also be viewed on FORMED.

Nightwalk

The **House of Charity** provides lunch meal service to the general patrons. We makes sandwiches at St Joe's on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month, the next being **Tuesday, September 28 at 9am**. Please keep our homeless friends in your prayers. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Deacon Chalo at 263-9553.

House of Charities requested items

They are in great need of the following new or gently used items

Men's summer clothing and shoes (all sizes)

Socks and undergarments

Pajama bottoms (all sizes)

Simple board games and art supplies

Reading glasses

Travel-sized personal hygiene items

All donations can be dropped off at Catholic Charities contactless donation bins located at 12 E 5th Ave, Mon—Thurs, 8am-5pm or can be put in the barrel in the area just inside the front doors of our church.



Produce Exchange Table is Back!!!

The produce exchange table is set up in the gathering area. If you have extra produce you would like to share just set it on the table. Others, please take home what you can use.

Community Garden & Home Gardens

If you wish to help our local food banks, you can donate your produce to River of Life on Wed 10:30-noon and Thurs 11am-2 pm or to the Seventh Day Adventist Church on Harvard Rd. on Mon 1-3 pm. The River of Life is located on Euclid, between Arden and Lynden Roads.



Our quilting group, Piece of the Valley Quilters, are meeting again on **Tuesday's at 10am** in the East Classroom. New members are always welcome!

St. Joseph Parish Scripture Study on ZOOM:

Tuesdays, 6:30pm. The Sunday Scripture readings are offered for reflection, discussion, & prayer. Everyone is welcome, and you don't need to commit to EVERY Tuesday! Just email or call Kathy and she will get in touch with you with the details – kathy.dondero@gmail.com, 990-3466.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

WEEKLY COLLECTION for September 12, 2021

Envelopes	Plate	Online	TOTAL
\$ 4,762.00	\$ 327.00	\$ 2,179.18	\$ 7,268.18
Total for September to date			\$ 15,754.36
Building Maintenance Fund for September:			\$165.00
Valley Partners for September			\$ 190.00
Amount needed each month			\$42,000.00

Greeters at all the Masses. This ministry entails welcoming people as they come into Mass. You would only be scheduled once or twice at month at the most. If you are interested in this wonderful ministry, including youth, contact Cindy in the parish office at 926-7133 or at info@stjoeparish.org. If you were a Greeter before and would like to do so again, please let the office know.

Catholic Engaged Encounter will be resuming their pre-marriage retreats at Immaculate Heart Retreat Center **Oct 15-17**, with additional weekend retreats available in 2022. Engaged Encounter, which is supported by both Bishop Daly and the Vatican, offers a unique opportunity for engaged couples to deepen their relationship and commitment to a sacramental marriage by working with two mentor couples and a priest in a retreat experience away from the demands of work, home and other distractions. Interested couples may register or find additional information at www.eespokane.org.

College Connection for Catholic Youth

Enter high school graduate's name, address and college selection & location into the collegeconnection-forcatholics.org website. Go to "Student Connect" and click on "Request a Packet". You can then print from the website the campus ministry packet. The database will automatically forward the information to campus ministers. Catholic young people need a "Catholic Connection" in college. We have a chance to make a difference.

The Catholic Foundation of Eastern Washington

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To learn more contact Sr. Mary Tracy, SNJM (509) 358-7334 or email: metracy@dioceseofspokane.org

Catholic Daughters of America, Court Madonna of the Valley is having a morning retreat in St. John Vianney's Church Hall, October 23, 9am-12 noon. Fr Kevin Oiland is our speaker. All parish ladies and friends are welcome. The retreat is FREE! Please RSVP for our planning. Call or email 541.550.6728 or doberbarn@aol.com, Diana Picone. Coffee, water, and snacks will be available. All CDC protocols and spacing.

Immaculate Heart Retreat Center

Once again the retreat center is available for use as a place of retreat, quiet and prayer for the People of God. In addition to traditional retreats and days of recollection, IHRC offers a full slate of programs and opportunities for spiritual growth and enrichment. Several of them are new and creative. Sunday and daily Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, confession time, spiritual direction, small and large gatherings, study groups, prayer walks, Stations of the Cross – just to name a few. Call (509)448-1224 or email kparker@ihrc.net to make reservations or for more information.

Upcoming events:

Silent Day of Prayer, Wed, Oct 13 9am-3pm on the Archangel Raphael—Healer, Guide, Math maker, & Friend

Weekend Retreat for Men & Women, Oct 15-17 on St. Joseph—Hidden Hero: the Man Christ called Abba.

Volunteer Opportunities

Immaculate Heart Retreat Center

We invite you to share your time and talent volunteering for one of the following groups:

St. Gabriel Volunteers: Office assistance

St. Anne Volunteers: Kitchen, events, and Christmas decorating assistance

St. Joachim Volunteers: Yard, gardens, and building upkeep assistance

Martha and Joseph Volunteers: Preparing rooms for the next group of retreatants

For more details contact: Sr. Bernadette Pederson, Volunteer Coordinator 509-608-1709 or volunteer@ihrc.net

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PARISH INFORMATION

WORSHIP (all in the Church)

Saturday - 5:30pm
 Sunday - 8:00am & 10:30am
 Tuesday, Thursday & Friday - 8:30am
 Wednesday—6:00pm

RECONCILIATION (In the Family Room)

Tuesday 12:30-1:30pm
 Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm
 Saturday 4:00-5:00 pm
 or by appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION TIMES

Tuesday 12:30—2:30pm (in the Church)
 Wednesday 6:00—8:00am (in the Chapel)
 and 5:00 - 6:00pm with Benediction
 6:30—10:00pm (in the Church)

OFFICE HOURS (thru August 20th)

Monday-Thursday: 8:30am—4:30pm
 Friday 8:30am-12:30pm

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Prayer Chain:

Diana Andriolo, stjoepayers@gmail.com 993-8036

Respect Life

Philip Wehr 385-7516

Seniors on the Go:

Ella Peterson 921-9561
 Dianne Murray 315-4688

St. Gabriel's Group (Mom's Group):

Angie Cader 891-4007

Worldwide Marriage Encounter:

Ken & Cheryl Nagle 922-9813

Baptisms: Infants thru Adults

Call Parish Office for Parish policies

Marriage: Preparations begin at least four months in advance of the wedding. Attendance at Marriage Preparation Weekends & other Diocesan regulations apply. Call Parish Office for Marriage policy.

Sick: Anointing of the Sick or Shut in Ministry—Call the Parish Office

Religious Education Ministry

Preschool - 7th grade: Sunday 9:00—10:15 a.m.

Youth Ministry Meta & Gene Boik 309-3324

Youth 8th—12th Grades: Sunday 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults RCIA. Contact Teresa for more information religioused@stjoeparish.org or 926-7133.

Stephen Ministry Sally Stuber 208-457-2234

Parish Hall Rental Cindy Baird 926-7133

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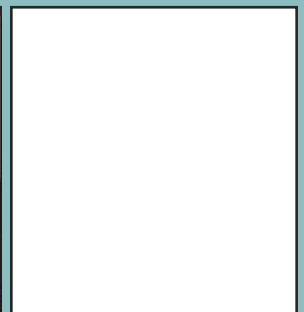
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