# \*\*\*\*\* ST. BLANCHE \*\*\*\*\* Mailing address: P.O. Box 412, Nordman, ID 83848

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Your donations are appreciated.

#### SCHEDULE OF MASSES AT ST. BLANCHE

Sunday at 11:30 am Wednesday at 12:00 noon there will be Adoration and Benediction Wednesday Mass is at 1:00 pm

The next **St. Blanche Station Council** meeting is on Wednesday, Dec. 13 at 2:30 pm.

Our "Advent for Busy Catholics" reflections continues each Thursday, 4:00 pm here at St. Blanche. Please come and join the conversation and prayer.

There is a **bookshelf library** in the assembly area. Anyone can take and read any book there, just bring it back when you are finished.

# Please stop by after Mass for coffee and sweets

DEADLINE FOR THE BULLETIN IS THURSDAY AT 5 PM CALL THE RECTORY AT 448-2127 OR EMAIL TO stcatherineparish445@gmail.com

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### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday thru Saturday
Tuesday Adoration
Suesday Mass
8:00 a.m.
11:30 a.m.
12:30 p.m.



### **SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

Sunday 8:30 a.m.



### St. Blanche Station at Priest Lake 27832 Highway 57

P.O. Box 412 Nordman, ID 83848

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Wednesday Adoration 12:00 noon Wednesday Mass 1:00 p.m. Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m.

# Father Reginald Nwauzor, Pastor Rectory/Office: (208) 448-2127

**Baptisms:** Call the Office

**Marriages:** Four months prior notification is required

**Funerals:** Notice should be made to the Parish Priest before arrangements are made with the Funeral Director.

Anointing of the sick, Communion for the sick and hospital visits:

Office to notify the priest of the need so a visit can be arranged.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Sunday 1/2 hour before Mass and anytime by appointment.

<u>New to the Parish?</u> Welcome to St. Catherine's or St. Blanche!! We are happy to have you as a member of our faith community. *Please fill out a registration form which can be found in the vestibule of the church and return it to the office or place it in the weekly collection.* Once again—WELCOME!

### SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 10, 2023

Reading I Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11 Reading II 2 Peter 3:8-14 Gospel Mark 1:1-8

Mon: St. Damasus I

Acts 20:17-18a, 28-32, 36 John 15:9-17

Tues: OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab Luke 1:39-47

Wed: St. Lucy

Isaiah 40:25-31 Matthew 11:28-30

Thurs: St. John of the Cross

Isaiah 41:13-20 Matthew 11:11-15

Fri: Advent Weekday

Isaiah 48:17-19 Matthew 11:16-19

Sat: Advent Weekday

Sirach 48:1-4, 9-11 Matthew 17:9a, 10-13

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Sunday, 12/10 Timothy McNair INT

Tuesday, 12/12 George Moore RIP

Wednesday, 12/13

Thursday, 12/14

Friday, 12/15

Saturday, 12/16 Tom Facsko RIP

Sunday, 12/17

MASS INTENTION ENVELOPES CAN BE FOUND IN THE BACK OF THE CHURCH

# PENANCE SERVICES FOR THE ADVENT SEASON IN PREPARATION FOR CHRISTMAS

St. Joseph's Sandpoint December 14 at 6:00 pm St. Catherine's Priest River December 18 at 5:00 pm St. Anne's Bonners Ferry December 19 at 5:00 pm

### CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR SERVICES

Sunday, December 24 St. Blanche at 5:00 pm Sunday, December 24 St. Catherine at 8:00 pm Monday, December 25 St. Catherine at 8:30 am Monday, December 25 St. Blanche at 11:30 am Monday, January 1 St. Catherine at 8:30

#### \*\*\*\*\* ST. CATHERINE \*\*\*\*

### PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR THE SICK, FOR THOSE HOMEBOUND, FOR THOSE OTHERWISE IN NEED IN OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

ST. CATHERINE: Mary Schetter, Billie Serbell (sister of Berta Bagley), Mary Smith, Doug Wagner, Steven Buhl, Martha Baldenegro (mother of Roxanne Gawel), Nanci Henning, Gary Domke (friend of Diane Madoski), Rachelle Buhl (mother of Jacob Buhl), Sister Leslie, Gary Bell, Fransiska Clement, Elaine Schmitz.

ST. BLANCHE: Justin Carver, Jackson Valdez (great grandson of Dick Hamm), Gracia Anderson, Bob Cummings (son-in-law of Dick Hamm)

Please submit names to the rectory of those who need to be added to this list. Names are periodically timed out. If they need to be put back on the list, please email or contact the rectory.

12/3 \$1,745.00 YTD \$30,220.75

Thank you for your donations.

Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of George Moore who passed away last week. The funeral Mass will be at St. Catherine's at 10:00 am on Tuesday, December 12, celebrated by Father Reginald, assisted by Deacon Hamm. It will be followed at 11:30 am with a generic memorial service conducted by Deacon Hamm. A reception/potluck will immediately follow at the Priest River Event Center.

The special collection box is out for altar flowers for Christmas. We will gratefully appreciate helping us to make the altar suitable for the Christ Child.

All donations to the Toys for Tots program should be in by the 14th. If necessary, please call the rectory and let us know if you need to drop anything off.

Men in Black Calendars are available at the back of the church. All proceeds go toward support of seminarians and vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Suggested donation is \$15.

WOMEN'S GUILD: Check next week for the next meeting of the Guild.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** The Knights will meet after Mass this morning. Come down and join them.

### YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US DOWNSTAIRS AFTER MASS FOR COFFEE, TREATS, AND FELLOWSHIP!