

October 4th, 2020

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



OUR PARISHES

St. Mary of the Rosary

502 E. Main Avenue, Chewelah, WA 99109

Mass: 4 PM Saturdays & 10 AM Sundays

Confession: Wednesdays 5:30-6:30 pm & Saturdays 2:30-3:30 pm or by appt.

Holy Ghost

3083 Hemlock St., Valley, WA 99109

Mass: 8 AM Sundays

Sacred Heart

110 S. Main Street, Springdale, WA

Mass: 6 PM on the 1st, 3rd, 5th Saturdays

St. Joseph (Jump off Joe)

3150 Church Road, Valley, WA

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Please contact the office for the Sacrament of Baptism, Anointing of the Sick and Marriage.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Secretary Position Open

With Kellie's recent resignation of her position, please let us know if you or someone you know would be interested in being the secretary of the Catholic Parishes of South Stevens County. Contact the office or Fr. Mike. Thank you!

Father's Corner for Oct. 4 – By Fr. Mike

When was the last time you thought about the spiritual realm? Angel means messenger and each angel has a particular mission from God. There are nine known choirs of angels. Seraphim, Cherubim and Thrones make up the inner circle surrounding the throne of God. They praise God and are the strongest most powerful angels. Cherubim also guard things as well. Dominions, Virtues and Powers govern the forces of nature. When a miracle happens such as a cure or a miraculous survival, one of these angels are involved. Principalities serve to guard nations, dioceses, cities and the like. Archangels are sent on missions of greater importance. Angels is the choir where our guardian angels come from. There are at least one angels for every person plus all the other angels.

Annual Catholic Appeal 2020

Last weekend was ACA Commitment Weekend for the Diocese of Spokane. The goals set up by the Diocese for each of our parishes are: St. Mary's (Chewelah) \$35,137, Sacred Heart (Springdale) \$2,936, Holy Ghost (Valley) \$5,994. If each parish household participates, we can surely reach our goal. Once each parish surpasses their goal, 100% of the overage is returned back to the parish. By now you should have received the ACA materials in the mail (although there was a Post Office delay) from Bishop Daly and we ask that you respond with a generous spirit. Mail in your ACA envelopes or drop them off in the collection basket for us to return to the Diocese of Spokane. You can also go online to dioceseofspokane.org/give.

Religious Education at Home

Sign up for our weekly Religious Ed newsletter by email or text on Flocknote (linked on our website). Visit <https://chewelahcatholic.org/k-6-religious-ed> to see a copy of this week's Flocknote

Parish Office Hours

The parish office is now open between 9 am and Noon Tuesday through Friday. But feel free to contact us at any time by email or phone! Make sure to sign up for Flocknote to receive our weekly newsletters by email or text. Find more info or sign up at our website at chewelahcatholic.org

St. Joseph Closed for Season

St. Joseph's at Jump off Joe is closed for the season and 8 am masses will be every Sunday at Holy Ghost.

Weekly Wednesday Confessions

In addition to Saturday afternoons, Fr. Mike will also hear confessions every Wednesday evening from 5:30-6:30 pm at St. Mary of the Rosary in Chewelah.

UPCOMING MASS SCHEDULE

TUE	Oct 6	6 pm	Holy Ghost, Valley <i>Intention: Ed & Veda Lassila†</i>
WED	Oct 7	9 am	St. Mary's, Chewelah
THU	Oct 8	12 pm	St. Mary's, Chewelah
FRI	Oct 9	9 am	St. Mary's, Chewelah
SAT	Oct 10	4 pm	St. Mary's, Chewelah
SUN	Oct 11	8 am	Holy Ghost, Valley
		10 am	St. Mary's, Chewelah

TODAY'S READINGS FOR OCTOBER 4th

Reading 1 - IS 5:1-7

Let me now sing of my friend, my friend's song concerning his vineyard. My friend had a vineyard on a fertile hillside; he spaded it, cleared it of stones, and planted the choicest vines; within it he built a watchtower, and hewed out a wine press. Then he looked for the crop of grapes, but what it yielded was wild grapes. Now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and people of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard: What more was there to do for my vineyard that I had not done? Why, when I looked for the crop of grapes, did it bring forth wild grapes? Now, I will let you know what I mean to do with my vineyard: take away its hedge, give it to grazing, break through its wall, let it be trampled! Yes, I will make it a ruin: it shall not be pruned or hoed, but overgrown with thorns and briers; I will command the clouds not to send rain upon it. The vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the people of Judah are his cherished plant; he looked for judgment, but see, bloodshed! for justice, but hark, the outcry!

Resp. Psalm - PS 80:9, 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20

R. The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel.

A vine from Egypt you transplanted; you drove away the nations and planted it. It put forth its foliage to the Sea, its shoots as far as the River.

R. The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel.

Why have you broken down its walls, so that every passer-by plucks its fruit, The boar from the forest lays it waste, and the beasts of the field feed upon it?

R. The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel.

Once again, O LORD of hosts, look down from heaven, and see; take care of this vine, and protect what your right hand has planted the son of man whom you yourself made strong.

R. The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel.

Then we will no more withdraw from you; give us new life, and we will call upon your name. O LORD, God of hosts, restore us; if your face shine upon us, then we shall be saved.

R. The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel.

Reading 2 - PHIL 4:6-9

Brothers and sisters: Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing what you have learned and received and heard and seen in me. Then the God of peace will be with you.

Alleluia - JN 15:16

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

I have chosen you from the world, says the Lord, to go and bear fruit that will remain.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel - MT 21:33-43

Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people: "Hear another parable. There was a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a hedge around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a tower. Then he leased it to tenants and went on a journey. When vintage time drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants to obtain his produce. But the tenants seized the servants and one they beat, another they killed, and a third they stoned. Again he sent other servants, more numerous than the first ones, but they treated them in the same way. Finally, he sent his son to them, thinking, 'They will respect my son.' But when the tenants saw the son, they said to one another, 'This is the heir. Come, let us kill him and acquire his inheritance.' They seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. What will the owner of the vineyard do to those tenants when he comes?" They answered him, "He will put those wretched men to a wretched death and lease his vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the proper times." Jesus said to them, "Did you never read in the Scriptures: *The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; by the Lord has this been done, and it is wonderful in our eyes?* Therefore, I say to you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that will produce its fruit."

