

Love

4TH WEEK OF ADVENT



Holy Family
Catholic Church

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT - DECEMBER 22, 2019



Dear Parish Family,

We thank you for your continual support of our Faith Formation Programs. If you would like to make a difference this year please consider fulfilling one or multiple items in our Wish List.

We give thanks to God for your generosity and faithfulness. Thank you for being good stewards of God's treasure.

Greetings and Christmas Blessings,

V. Rev. Cesar Vega-M.

Pastor

Faith Formation Christmas Wish List

\$5,000 - Sponsor Church Mission

\$200 x _____ Student

\$1,800 - Host Come to the Table

\$100 - Volunteer Leadership Training

\$600 - Laptop (Youth Ministry)

\$100 x _____ Volunteers

\$300 - Summer Camp Scholarship

\$50 - Adult Program Scholarship

\$300 x _____ Students

\$50 x _____ Participant

\$3,000 - Audio Visual Equipment

\$45 - Gift Catechism

(Youth Room)

\$45 x _____ Catechisms

\$250 - White Board for Gathering Hall

\$40 - VBS Scholarship

\$200 - Sponsor Rel. Ed. Classroom

\$40 x _____ Students

\$200 x _____ Students

\$20 - 1st Communion Banner Making

\$200 - RCIA Sponsorship

\$20 x _____ Students

\$200 x _____ Participant

\$15 - Gift Bible

\$15 x _____ Bibles

~~\$600 - Laptop for the Gathering Hall~~ Fulfilled Thank You

\$200 - Confirmation Retreat Scholarship



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WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon.-Wed 7:00 AM & 12:15 PM

Thurs. 8:15 AM & 12:15 PM

Fri. 7:00 AM & 12:15 PM

Sat. 8:15 AM

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION MASSES

VIGIL 5:30 PM

HOLY DAY 7:00 AM, 12:15 PM & 7:00 PM

RECONCILIATION Saturday 3:30-4:30 PM

Other times by Appointment

SATURDAY

5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)

SUNDAY

7:00 AM

9:00 AM

11:00 AM (Bilingual)

6:30 PM (Youth)

MASS SCHEDULE

Latin Mass 1:30 PM
(2nd Sunday of the Month)

Vietnamese Mass 1:00 PM
(1st & 3rd Sundays of the Month)

LET THE LORD ENTER; HE IS KING OF GLORY.

FIRST READING

Isaiah 7:10-14

Ahaz proclaims the sign that the Lord will give: a virgin shall give birth to a son, Emmanuel.

SECOND READING

Romans 1:1-7

Paul greets the community at Rome and declares himself a servant of Christ Jesus.

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 1:18-24

An angel appears to Joseph, directing him to take Mary as his wife and telling him that the child she will bear will be called Emmanuel.

FAMILY CONNECTION

<https://www.loyolapress.com/>

Joseph and Mary are our models for family life and for service of God. Even when the circumstances seemed unclear, Joseph trusted God. Healthy family life is built upon trust, trust in God, and trust of one another.

Spend some time talking as a family about the importance of trust in your family life, including the ways in which the children trust the adults in the family and the ways in which the adults trust the children. Then read today's Gospel. Talk about Joseph's trust of God and reflect together on how your family trusts in God.

Pray together that your family life will be built on trust, as was the family life of Joseph and Mary. Pray and sing together an Advent song, such as "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel."



YOUNG LADIES' INSTITUTE

Young Ladies' Institute, Yakima Institute #66, meets on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. with the Rosary, with the meeting to follow, at the Knights of Columbus Hall. For information, call 388-4128 or 949-2105.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

is one of the oldest and largest organizations of Catholic women in the Americas. Meets the first Saturday of each month, 10am-12pm, Knights of Columbus Hall. For information call Lori Sybouts at 966-6860.



LIVING A STEWARDSHIP

It is all about your heart...

Everything we have is a gift from God that we are to use to help others.

DATE	INCOME	EXPENSES	NET
12/1/19	15,115.00	6,619.00	8,496.00
12/8/19	1,667.00	1,589.52	10,077.48
Vietnamese Mass	45.00	0	45.00
Latin Mass	474.00	187.00	
12/15/19	14,876.00	30,375.57	-15,499.57
Total	32,177.00	38771.09	3,118.91
ACCOUNT		Net	
GENERAL CHECKING		28,499.32	
PARISH SAVINGS		10,040.35	
TOTAL		38539.67	
OTHER COLLECTIONS			
CAMP HOPE		665.00	

Sharing the Light Gift Shop

Saturdays: 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm

6:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Sundays: 7:45 am - 12:15 pm

GRAB A BEAD



Join the KC's in praying the ROSARY in honor of the unborn on Saturday, December 28, before the 5:00pm Mass.

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK-

December 29, 2019

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH

1st Reading: Sirach 3:2-7, 12-14

Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5

2nd Reading: Colossians 3:12-21

Gospel: Matthew 2:13-15, 19-23

CHRIST THE TEACHER CATHOLIC SCHOOL

MARDI GRAS

SAT 22ND FEB

SILENT AUCTION **LIVE AUCTION** **DUELING PIANOS**

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SEMINARIANS!

Bishop Tyson has encouraged us to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. **Eduardo Chavez is studying at Seminario Hispano de Santa Maria de Guadalupe.** Please keep him and those who are considering vocations in your prayers.

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WELCOME TO HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

If you are looking for a church home, or if this is your first time at our parish, we invite you to become a member of Holy Family. Be sure to pick up a registration card at the Welcoming Desk or call the Parish Office at 966-0830 and we will be glad to assist you.

Christmas Eve

Tuesday

December 24th

Christmas Carols

Children's Mass

4:00 PM

Youth Mass

6:30 PM

Christmas Carols

10:00 PM

**Solemn Mass of
The Nativity of Our Lord**

10:30PM

Christmas Day

Wednesday

December 25th

Masses at:

7:00 AM

9:00 AM

11:00AM (Bilingual)

Merry Christmas



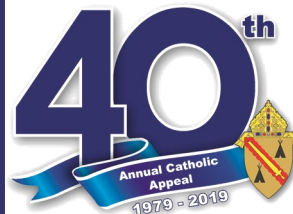
HOLY FAMILY CAMP HOPE MINISTRY

HF has set up a separate bank account where people may donate to 'Holy Family-Camp Hope'. These funds will be administered by HF parishioners and will be used to purchase needed items for the Camp, located behind the U-Haul warehouse on east Nob Hill Road. **Pre-addressed envelopes for donations can be picked up on the information desk in the foyer lobby of HF.**

For further information, please contact the HF office at 509-966-0830 or: Tyler Shepherd 509-424-0669, Linda Iasella 509-966-8644, or Jim Perko 509-388-8481, Steve Sybouts 509-949-6945.



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Family's
webpage.



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

**Thank you for your
pledges. We have
received 202 so far
totaling \$102,471.00.**

If you were not present or prepared to make a pledge previously, we urge you to do so today. Your gift is essential to sustaining the many ministries of the Diocese of Yakima. If you would prefer to donate online, please visit yakimadiocese.org.

**OUR PARISH GOAL FOR 2020 IS
\$128,150.00**

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575-5604



SERVING CENTRAL WASHINGTON
Your offering on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day will spread the love of Christ through the network of Catholic Charities. As the social service arm of the church, Catholic Charities brings hope to life by strengthening families, embracing people, and empowering to thrive. Thank you for prayerfully considering a gift to your neighbors in need this holiday season. To learn more about Catholic Charities' services throughout Central Washington, visit www.catholiccharities.org.

Catholic 101

Do you or someone you know have questions about the Catholic Faith? ...the Sacraments, the Mass, Mary, the Rosary, the Trinity, the Creed, Saints, Angels, or Purgatory?

Come Ask!

Catholic 101 meets the 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month. Come to the Fr. Murtagh Gathering Hall after 9am Mass (between 10:15 and 10:50) and grab a doughnut & coffee.

There will be a designated table for you to sit at and then...ask away! If you can't make it to the Gathering Hall, write your question down and place it in the **"Catholic 101 Question Box"** in the foyer.

Aluminum Cans

Bring them to boxes located in the front parking lot.

PLEASE NO CARDBOARD!

Find Hope and Healing After

Abortion...You Are Not Alone



A Rachel's Vineyard Retreat provides a safe place for healing the emotional and spiritual wounds of abortion.

Do not continue to live in the shame, fear, or numbness - call our toll-free national hotlines:

877 HOPE 4 ME (877-467-3463)
National Hotline for Abortion
Recovery: 866-482-LIFE (5433)



Solemnity of Mary Mother of God

(Holy Day of Obligation)

Vigil Mass

(New Year's Eve)

Tuesday, December 31
5:30 PM English
7:00 PM Bilingual



New Year's Day

Wednesday, January 1
9:00 AM ONLY

Special Note:

Thursday Jan. 2nd, 8:15 AM ONLY
Friday Jan. 3rd, 7:00 AM ONLY

NO Adoration this week

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED!

4th grader or above? Would you like to offer your time to serve During Mass?

IF INTERESTED, CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT 966-0830



RETROUVAILLE

Married Singles Lifestyle - The Married Singles Lifestyle describes couples that may have lost a sense of closeness they once had as marriage partners and are living more like roommates.

Retrouvaille teaches couples how to survive times like these in their marriages. This program has helped tens of thousands of couples experiencing difficulty at all levels of marital distress from disillusionment to deep misery. Retrouvaille is for any couple who would like to rediscover their marriage and improve communication. For confidential information or to register for the February 14-16, 2020 Spokane weekend, call (509)520-4118 or (800) 470-2230 or visit the web site at www.Retrouvaille.org.



FACILITATED BY REE KEARNS

BIBLE STUDY

Thursday mornings
10:30am-12:00pm
Gathering Hall

For more information e-mail ree.kearns@outlook.com
walk-ins are always welcome!



Using the outdoors and the sacraments for the formation of fathers and their sons age 6 to 18.

1st Monday of the month
7-8pm @ CTCS in Room #3

Contact John Lynch for info at 509-833-9572

johnandlynn@msn.com
facebook.com/TSGTroop1969

VIRTUS. HONOR. FRATERNITAS.

ADVENT AMID THE GIFT WRAP

The following Advent wreath prayer is intended to help busy households make Advent a prayerful time during the rush of Christmas preparations. The language is fairly simple, intended to be used for personal prayer and reflection or by groups of adults or adults with children. Options are noted to allow for participation by a variety of members of a household.

Leader: The fourth and final week of Advent begins today. As we near Christmas, we spend this moment in prayer so that we are better prepared to welcome the Christ Child into our hearts and into our lives.

- *Light all four candles on the Advent wreath.*
- *Read aloud 2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Romans 16:25-27; Luke 1:26-38. (A different person might read each passage.)*

Leader: When we think that we are in charge and in control, that's when we need to remember it is God who has provided everything we have and made us everything we are.

This fourth week of Advent, the reading from 2 Samuel leaves us asking: "Do I have a dwelling place for the Lord in my heart?" This week, let's ask ourselves, "Are our hearts a fitting place for the Christ Child to rest his head?"

Closing prayer: (Leader may read all, or others in the household may each read a segment.)

Father in heaven, help us to remember that all our gifts come from you. When we think we are in charge, remind us that we are your people and that you are our God. And let us have no gods — not wealth, not power, not fame, not material things — before you.

God above, as you found favor in the Virgin Mary, help us live so that you find favor in our lives. Help us to be holy.

Help us, Lord, to follow Mary's example of faith and trust. Along with Mary, help us, too, to say: "Yes, God, I am yours. Do with me as you want. Make me your hands on earth."

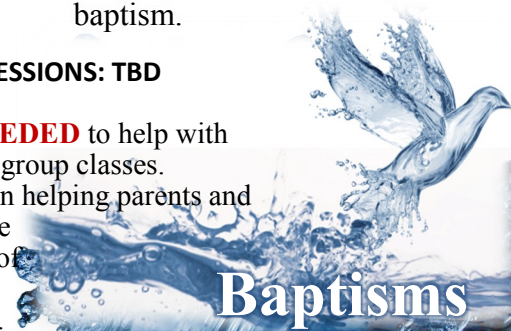
Holy Spirit, inspire us to live every day as if Christmas were just a week away.



Infant Baptisms are celebrated on the 1st, 3rd & 5th weekends during Mass; and on the 2nd & 4th Sunday in the chapel at 10:15am, depending on clergy availability. Parents and Godparents requesting baptism for their child are expected to attend two preparation sessions prior to baptism.

NEXT SESSIONS: TBD

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to help with hospitality and small group classes. If you are interested in helping parents and godparents learn more about the Sacrament of Baptism, please call the Parish Office.



Children's Ministries: PRESCHOOL-GRADE 5

We trust people we know to care about us. We trust them to tell us the truth and to look out for us. In today's Gospel, we'll learn about Joseph's trust in God. The angel of God tells Joseph that Mary will have God's Son and name him Jesus, which means "God saves." The angel says Jesus will save people from their sins. *Joseph trusted God. We too can trust in God. He cares for each of us and is always with us.*

Family Questions

- In what ways are we called to trust God in our lives today?
- Is this an easy or difficult thing for you?
- Where do we see God's presence among us?

Youth Office:

509-965-3471

Religious Education Office:

509-966-0788



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HOLY GROUNDS

after Mass

Fellowship coffee and donuts every weekend. Coffee hours follow the

7:00,

9:00, &

11:00 am



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Ministries & Groups

HELP STOP ABORTION!

Please join Nathan Stone in representing Holy Family's crusade against abortion.

Tuesdays 9-10 am

Wednesday 9:00 to 11:00am.

People committed to ending abortion walk with signs in front of Planned Parenthood on 11th & Tieton Dr. For more information, call 966-3216

ADORATION

**Tuesdays 8:00am to 5:45pm
ending with Benediction.**

Chaplet of Divine Mercy is sung on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 4:00 pm.

CURSILLO



The Cursillo Movement seeks to remind laity of their unique role in the world as Christians and empower a Christian life.

Contact: John McKean, 509-317-2134.

DAYS FOR GIRLS



is dedicated to creating a more free, dignified, and educated world through providing access to sustainable feminine hygiene solutions and health education. Join us on

Wednesdays from 9:00 to 11:30 at the Pastoral Center Lunchroom. For more information, call 966-1717 or 966-1841

ELIZABETH MINISTRY



is a wonderful ministry in our parish that congratulates new parents and welcomes our new 'lil' one into our faith

community. Welcome bags are available in the church foyer or the parish office filled with goodies and helpful information. We are looking for new team members to help welcome new families into our community.

Elizabeth Ministry Bereavement offers support for women who have suffered the loss of a baby to **miscarriage**. In this time of grief and questions, please call Christine Levitan at 901-4995 to receive helpful information and resources, and if you wish, the opportunity to talk with someone who has been through this difficult experience.

If you are interested in volunteering with one of the Elizabeth Ministry teams, please contact the Parish Office at 509-966-0830 for more information.

FLOWER REMEMBRANCE



In honor of **Mary Ann (Schuck) Johnson-12/23/92 & Virginia (Schuck) McGovern-12/27/97**. God's enduring Christmas love and graces to you both. We love and miss you dearly. Laura & Celia.



Mike & Rose Meyer: In loving memory of Rose's brother, **Dale Leadon**, on the anniversary of his death, December 24.



Cheryl Roberts & Frank: In loving memory of Cheryl's mom, **Gloria Gellert**, on the anniversary of her death, Christmas Eve Day, December 24, 2010. Christmas Blessings, we love you & miss you.



Maria Miller & family: In loving memory of **Albert Miller**.



Ruth Selzler and Family: In loving memory of **Joel Weber**, born November 20, 1961 and the second anniversary of his death December 27, 2017.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Sister Janet Strong -Tel: 576-0931; email: annunciation@beitmery.org, our Diocesan religious Hermit, would like us to know that she is very happy to pray before the Blessed Sacrament for any intentions referred to her.

HOLY FAMILY MOMS



If you are interested in sharing ideas, talking about your children, connecting with other Catholic Moms, or just hanging out, join our group on the 1st and 3rd. Wednesdays of the month from 9:45 to 11:45 in the Church Classroom. Childcare is available. Questions: Rose Meyer at 966-0788.

KNITTING & CROCHETING FOR JESUS:

Caring, Comfort, and Celebration is what Knitting & Crocheting for Jesus is all about! We knit and crochet at home and also at our Prayer Shawl gatherings. More knitters and those who crochet are needed. If you know someone who needs Care or Comfort, or has an event to Celebrate, please call Arlee Brown at 965-1347, Judy Ann Vetsch at 966-4182, or the parish office. Come knit or crochet for Jesus. We meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the Month at 9:30 am.

NURSERY

For children Ages 4 and under, the Child-care Center is available during the Saturday 5:00 pm Mass and Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am Masses. We invite all other children to attend Mass with their families.

PRAY & PLAY

"Exercise & reflection" Join us on Monday & Wednesdays from 6:00 to 7:00 a.m. Call Tom Kelleher for more information at 494-3738. All adults (22 and older) are welcome!

PRAISERCISE

Mon and Wed 1:15 pm

Cardio, Resistance Training, mat work and stretching and a short Bible Study. Bring a water bottle and a mat (I will have some extra mats), comfortable clothing, and sneakers that provide good support.

Where?

Premier Fitness 5110 Tieton Dr. #340 (Glenwood Square 3rd Floor)

Questions? Call Jill Carroll 965-0296

PRAYER HOTLINE

For any prayer requests, call Barb McKinney at 945-0477 or email:

rbmckinney84@gmail.com

If you'd like to become a member of the prayer hotline, please call Barb.

SEWING MINISTRY

Can you sew? The Sewing Ministry makes linens for Mass and vestments for our priests. Perhaps giving one year of your life to this ministry could be your gift to the church. We meet every Tuesday from 9:30 a.m. to noon in the Bride's Room off the church foyer.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

For information, contact Teresa Guaglianone at **tguaglianone@gmail.com** or 559-269-4364.

MEN'S MINISTRY

MONDAY NIGHT

**The Journey | 7:00pm
IN ROOM 3 OF CTCS CAMPUS**

THURSDAY NIGHT

That Man is You! | 7:00pm

FRIDAY MORNING

That Man is You! | 6:00am

Jeff Schlieman:

509-833-2515

FUNERAL PLANNING

If you have questions about how to plan a vigil and funeral liturgy, contact Deacon Jim after 4pm at 945-5432

The Yakima Diocese has a sexual abuse hotline for those who wish to report an incident regarding a bishop, priest, deacon, diocesan employee, or volunteer. Please call (888) 276-4490.