



# Sacred Heart Catholic Church

219 E. Rockwood Blvd.  
Spokane, WA 99202

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
February 12, 2017

# Welcome!

The pastor and parishioners of Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
warmly welcome you to our parish family!

We hope that you find us to be a family of faith and love, exemplifying  
in word and deed the generosity of the Father, the self-giving service of  
Jesus Christ, and the enduring presence of the Holy Spirit.

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**Mass Schedules:**

**WEEKENDS:**

Reconciliation: Saturday 4:00 pm

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 10:00 am

**WEEKDAYS:**

Tue, Wed, Thurs, & Fri: 7:30 am

**Holy Days:**

7:30 am & 5:30 pm

**Religious Education:**

Children's Liturgy of the Word:

Sunday 10:00 am Mass

Religious Education, Pre-school (4 years) to Grade 6:

Sunday, 8:45-10:00 am

For events, schedules, and contact persons for all other parish activities and ministries, visit our website:

[shparishspokane.org](http://shparishspokane.org)

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## Pastoral Council Update

The Sacred Heart Pastoral Council continues to work on its major restructuring of our system of parish committees and ministries with the hope of having the new plan ready to go by the end of May, 2017. Here is where we are now at following our most recent meeting last week:



- ❑ The new Pastoral Council Constitution, which will establish the new structure, was ratified at the meeting of the Council on **February 7th**.
- ❑ A second **Parish Leadership Summit** will be held on Saturday, **February 25, 9:00 am—1:00 pm**, to assist all committees to revise their working documents to reflect the new structure and to choose who will represent those committees on the new Pastoral Council.
- ❑ Our inaugural meeting with both new and old Pastoral Council members on **May 2, 2017** with the hope of orienting ourselves for our upcoming work to begin in earnest in September after all have returned from summer vacations.

## Interested in being a Lector or Eucharistic Minister?

If you would like to serve your parish community in our weekend liturgies by proclaiming God's Word or serving Holy Communion to the gathered faithful, please contact one of the following to arrange for training:

**Lectors:** Ron Eberley, reberley@comcast.net

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Camille Kovarik, ckovarik4@icloud.com



## Our Parish Sacrificial Offerings Last Weekend

Envelope & Plate Offering: \$ 4,328.00

"Blue Envelope" Outreach: \$ 120.00

*In order to meet our 2016-17 budget, an average weekly collection of \$5,850.00 is needed. Thank you so much!*



Join your fellow Sacred Heart parishioners in celebrating the Feast of Saint Valentine with a lovely brunch in our parish social hall this Sunday, **February 12th**, following the 10:00 am Mass. Just \$5 /



## Catholic Charities Christmas Collection

A huge **THANK YOU** to all our Sacred Heart parishioners for your most generous response to this year's Christmas Collection. Together, we contributed **\$58,301** to this year's campaign! (*In 2015, we donated \$41,165...a \$17,136 increase!*).

## Mass Intentions This Month

**SAT, Feb 11, 5:00 pm:** +Marie Lamp by Anita Lamp  
**SUN, Feb 12, 10:00 am:** People of the Parish

### WEEKDAY MASSES—7:30 A.M.

<b>TUES, Feb 14</b>	Living and deceased members - consecrated religious of the Spokane Diocese by Irene Dufort
<b>WEDS, Feb 15</b>	+Ray Lamp by Anita Lamp
<b>THURS, Feb 16</b>	+Raymond Dee Lamp by Anita Lamp
<b>FRI, Feb 17</b>	+Don Walther by Colette Jacobs

### Mass Readings for Next Weekend:

Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18; 1 Corinthians 3:16-23; Matthew 5:38-48

**Liturgical Ministers Schedule** can be found on our website: [shparishspokane.org/liturgical-ministry-schedules](http://shparishspokane.org/liturgical-ministry-schedules)  
*Is there illness or are there special needs in your family?  
 Our community prayer chain looks forward to praying for you! Send your request to Judy Felgenhauer,  
 jjfelgen@comcast.net.*

**NEW TO SACRED HEART PARISH? WELCOME!** We look forward to getting to know you!

Please return this form to the parish office or e-mail the information to: [shparish@qwestoffice.net](mailto:shparish@qwestoffice.net).

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## Anointing of the Sick at Sunday Mass

Sacred Heart Parish will be celebrating the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick at both of our weekend Masses, **Feb. 25-26**.



Any parishioner who might be afflicted by serious illness or chronic health condition, those weakened by age, those suffering from an emotional illness or addiction or those preparing for surgery are most welcome to come forward for the Anointing following the homily.

We are also inviting family members and caregivers to accompany in loving support those receiving the sacrament to receive the blessing.

*Be reminded as well that this beautiful sacrament of healing is available by appointment with Father Kevin at any time.*



## WHAT SHALL I RETURN TO THE LORD?

This weekend is Annual Catholic Appeal Commitment Weekend in all parishes of the diocese. We ask that you respond as generously as possible to Bishop Daly's request that you contribute.

This year, our Sacred Heart Parish goal is **\$57,731**; please be as generous as possible in making your pledge so that we can meet our goal as quickly as possible! You should have received already your pledge envelope by mail. You can also make your donation by way of the ACA webpage:

[www.dioceseofspokane.org/aca2017](http://www.dioceseofspokane.org/aca2017)

*The Diocese of Spokane will also be moving the succeeding years' ACA to the fall, so the 2018 appeal will take place next October (2017) rather than in February (2018). In the ensuing years, it will be held once each fall.*

## Seven-Day Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe

You are invited to be part of a seven-day Pilgrimage to Mexico, **October 11 – 17, 2017** with Fr. Al Grasher, pastor of St. Patrick Church in Colfax. The highlight of the journey will be celebrating Mass at one of the holiest places in the Western hemisphere, the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe. The Shrine in Mexico City is one of the most visited pilgrimage sites in the world, second only to the Vatican. Other sites to be visited: Tepeyac Hill, Xochimilco, Puebla, and the ancient pyramids of Teotihuacan.

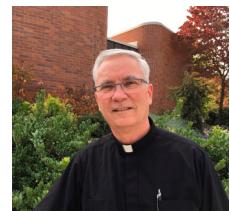


We will celebrate Mass each day including Mass in the Church of the Holy Family which holds the remains of the martyred Blessed Miguel Pro.

Full Package Price: \$1,745 (includes airfare and departure taxes, hotel, most meals, transportation, and entrance into all scheduled events). For a complete brochure either email Fr. Al at [albgrasher@gmail.com](mailto:albgrasher@gmail.com) or write: St. Patrick Church; 1018 S Main St; Colfax, WA 99111.

## A Word from Father...

Dear Friends,



First of all, I hope the pastel colors of this week's Bulletin are not too bright and cheery for these late-winter days...I chose them in hope of those days soon enough to come when the dirty slush, crusty snow, and damp cold of late-winter gives way to the bright and warming ways of spring.

Second of all, I want to write just a few words about the second reading of today's liturgy. I don't often preach on the second reading almost always taken from the Letters of the New Testament ("Epistles" in older terminology). The Gospel stories and teachings of Jesus himself usually capture my homiletic imagination way before the more doctrinal or moral teachings of Saint Paul and his companions.

Over the past few weeks, we've been reading from Paul's first letter to the Corinthians, that small community of Christians gathered in a seaport town that was noted for what most seaport towns are note for: moral debauchery; the town motto could easily have been that of another more modern city known for much the same thing: "What happens in Corinth stays in Corinth." I wonder if folks back then said, "I'm heading to Corinth...but just for the shows!"

Anyway, in today's passage, (1Cor 2:6-10), Paul wants his baby Christians to understand that by putting on Christ in Baptism, they have put on a new way of thinking and acting quite apart from that of their fellow citizens of Corinth and of their wider society. Their Greek culture prized the search for wisdom, but it was a wisdom of the philosophers, logical, systematic, and very human. Paul writes instead of a different kind of "wisdom" that they as members of Christ's body must nurture, not just in their thinking, but in their very living. It is a wisdom that is not founded in human intellect, but in the revelation of God's deepest self in the flesh and blood of Jesus Christ. It is not "a wisdom of this age", but a wisdom that is mysterious, hidden, and which is accessible only through immersion into the mind and heart of this same Jesus. It is the wisdom of compassion, of humility, of self-sacrifice, of forgiveness. It is seeing life with its ups and downs with God's eyes and understanding life with its joys and sorrows with God's heart.

As in Paul's time and that of the Corinthian Christians, this kind of wisdom, not of the world but of the Spirit, is something we greatly need in our time. As seldom before, the flaunting of power, the reliance on intellect by itself, the dismissal of compassion in worldly affairs, the glorification of the self, the insensitivity to the grace present in all life, the reveling in conflicted truth, the headlong drive into ecological disaster, the willy-nilly waging of war, call for us to take on ever more the "mind of Christ" in our own lives. And in our participation in the public square we are to speak to others as would Christ, with the Wisdom, "which none of the rulers of this age know," the Wisdom that is the Way of Jesus Christ.

*Father Kevin*