

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

219 E. Rockwood Blvd. Spokane, WA 99202

> The Epiphany of the Lord January 5, 2020

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: 8:30 am

HOLY DAYS:

8:30 am & 5:30 pm

Religious Education:

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Sunday 10:00 am Mass

Religious Education, Kindergarten 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

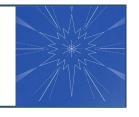
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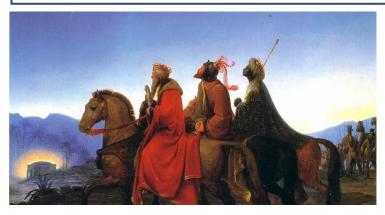
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This Week at Sacred Heart:

- ♦ Contemplative Prayer Group, Monday, Jan 6th, 11:00 am
- ♦ Men's Bible Study, Tuesday, Jan. 7th, 6:30 am
- ♦ Pastoral Council, Tuesday, Jan. 7th, 7 pm
- Coffee with Fr. Kevin, Wednesday, Jan. 8th, after 8:30 am Mass
- Women's Scripture Share & Prayer, Thursday, Jan. 9th, 9:30
 am



Religious Education News

- Sister Gabrielle's Sunday morning class begins again today, Sunday, January 5th, at 9 am until Mass starts, in the Parish Hall!
- Sacred Heart Youth Group is back! We hope to see you again, starting this Thursday, January 9th, at 7pm, in the Parish Hall. Questions? Please contact Justin & Abby Hurtubise, by email: youthgroup@shparishspokane.org.

Adult Spiritual Formation

Our Sacred Heart Parish Adult Spiritual Formation Groups meet each week. Please feel free to join us!



- ◆ Contemplative Prayer: 11:00 am-12:15 pm, Mondays, Parish Center, upstairs meeting room.
- Men's Bible Study: 6:30 am, Tuesdays, in the Social Hall.
 We are continuing with the Little Rock Scripture video series, "Parables of the Kingdom."
- Scripture Share and Prayer: 9:30-11:30 am, Thursdays, Parish Center, upstairs meeting room. New session begins this Thursday, January 9, 2020.



New to the Parish?

We look forward to getting to know you! Please contact our office by phone: 747-

5810, e-mail: office@shparishspokane.org, or through our website: shparishspokane.org, to register. Welcome!

"Brunch-In" the New Year!!

Sunday, January 12th, 2020

Take a rest from holiday cooking and join us for a delicious, post-holiday brunch after Mass *next Sunday*, in the parish hall! A mouth-watering array of brunch favorites will be served, including a selection of pastries, meats, fruit, and beverages. Sign-up in the vestibule or call the parish office to make your reservation. Cost is \$5.00 per person, children 8-and-under are free. "Brunch-in" the New Year with your Sacred Heart community, family and friends!!

Spaghetti Feed - St. John Vianney Parish

Save the Date, and come join us at **St. John Vianney Parish**, **Sunday, January 26th, 11:30-5:30pm** for a Spaghetti Dinner. Tickets: Adults and Children over 10: \$10; Children 6-10: \$6.

To be held in the Parish Hall, 503 N. Walnut Rd, Spokane Valley.



Sat., Jan 4 People of the Parish

Sun., Jan 5 +Mary Ann Ryan by Cathy Nemmert & Dan

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WEEKDAY MASSES

Tues., Jan 7 Dorothy Neal and Family by Irene Dufort

Weds., Jan 8 +John Noel by Peggy McCoy

hurs., Jan 9 +Paul Baumann by Maxine KremenskyFri., Jan 10 +Gerald Stewart by Mary Conley

Our Parish Prayer Chain: 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, jfelgen@comcast.net*.

Mass Ministry Schedule: Please visit our website to view the upcoming Greeter, Lector, Server and Eucharistic Minister schedules: *shparishspokane.org*.



Cataldo Catholic School Upcoming Events-Save the Dates:



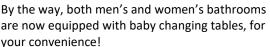
Catholic Schools Week will be held the week of January 26th through February 1st, 2020.

Aladdin, Jr is in rehearsals right now, and is currently set to be performed the weekend of March 18 –19, 2020, 6 pm at Spokane Community College.

Camp Cataldo, the Annual Auction, will be on Saturday, April 18, 2020.

Safety First!

Parents and grandparents: Please accompany your children to the bathrooms during Mass! It is the SAFE thing to do!







A Word from Father...

Dear Friends,

As the saying goes, Christmas ain't over until its over! Well, I suppose that is not really a "saying", but it makes the important point that for Christians, Christmas is not just a single day (plus an "Eve"), it is an entire season of the Church year. Yes, it begins as Advent ends, with the Vigil of Christmas after sunset on December 24th, but it continues through the further feasts of Saint Stephen (December 26), the Holy Innocents (December 28), Mary, Mother of God (January 1), the feasts of the Holy Family and Epiphany, (dates for both vary). The weekdays following Epiphany are included and some argue so is the Solemnity of the Lord's Baptism. In other words, don't vou dare take that Christmas tree down until tomorrow!

The much more important point, of course, is that celebrating the great mystery of the God of all Creation taking on our human flesh and joining us here as one of us is too great to be limited to just one day. Today's Christmas-season feast of the Epiphany marks the more particular truth that now among us, he makes himself a companion not just of his Jewish sisters and brothers, but of Gentiles as well, "Gentiles: being a gentle word for foreigners, outsiders, heretics, unbelievers, sinners, migrants, etcetera. This God-Among-Us, God-With-Us, God-In-Us, is truly among, with, in all of us!

As the wise magi from a faraway land recognized in Jesus the presence of the divine, so we too on this feast delight in a God we can touch, we can hear, we can speak to, we can embrace and be embraced by. We too bring him gifts that come from deep within our hearts: faith, hope, and uncompromising love.

Christmas ain't over until its over, the apocryphal saying goes, and so even today and especially today, on this feast of the Epiphany, we continue to celebrate the lovely truth expressed in the opening chapter of John's Gospel:

"And the Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us, and we saw his glory..."

Fr. Keen

Father Kevin on Retreat

Father Kevin will be taking some days for his annual retreat from January 15 through January 21. He will be doing so at the Clergy Retreat Center of the Diocese of Orange in California.

Please keep him in your prayers during these special days.

Immaculate Heart Retreat Center

Silent Day of Prayer- January 15, 2020

"Messiah, Model, and Master: Reflections to Re-center Our Lives on Jesus Christ"

With Fr. Kyle Ratuiste. \$40 per person, or \$50 with the use of a private room that day.

Weekend Manuscript Illumination Retreat-Jan. 17th-19th

"Word and Image: Illuminating the Our Father" with Hannah Charlton. Please register in advance at (509)448-**1224** or visit **www.ihrc.net.** \$212/person, \$334/ couple (includes lodging and 5 meals), \$126/ commuters. Additional cost of supplies:\$28.