



# Sacred Heart Catholic Church

219 E. Rockwood Blvd.  
Spokane, WA 99202

*Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary  
Time*

*July 16, 2023*

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 TIMES:**

**WEEKENDS:**

Reconciliation: Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday, 9:30 am

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm (in person)

Sunday: 10:00 am (in person & livestreamed)

**WEEKDAYS:**

Tuesdays through Fridays, 8:30 am

**HOLY DAYS:**

5:30 pm

**ADORATION:**

First Friday of the Month, 9 am

**Religious Education:**

Children's Liturgy of the Word:

To Be Announced

Religious Education, Kindergarten to Grade 6:

To Be Announced

For livestream events, schedules, and contact persons,  
visit our website:

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

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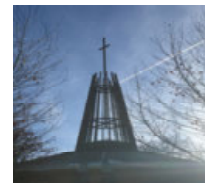
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And he spoke to them at length in parables, saying:  
“A sower went out to sow...Some seed fell among thorns,  
and the thorns grew up and choked it. But some seed fell  
on rich soil, and produced fruit, a hundred or sixty or  
thirtyfold. Whoever has ears ought to hear.”

— Mt 13:3, 7-9

## Join us for Cookies and Lemonade after Sunday Mass!

It must be summer—the cookies and lemonade are back! Please join us for a sweet treat on the patio in front of Church following the 10 am Mass each Sunday, from now through the end of August (weather permitting, of course!).



## New to Our Parish?



We would LOVE to keep in touch!  
To register, please contact our office by  
phone: **509-747-5810**,  
e-mail: **office@shparishspokane.org**,  
or through our website:  
**www.shparishspokane.org**.  
**WELCOME!**

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## RETRouvaille: A LIFELINE FOR MARRIAGE

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## Mass Intentions This Week

<b>Saturday, July 15th</b> <b>Sunday, July 16th</b>	+Chuck Tonani by Julie & Chad Cherry <b>People of the Parish</b>
<b>Tuesday, July 18th</b>	+Ruth Shepperd Toney by Mary Lee Toney
<b>Wednesday, July 19th</b>	Special Intention
<b>Thursday, July 20th</b>	Holy Souls in Purgatory by Gene Gosse
<b>Friday, July 21st</b>	+Kathryn Parry by Aggie Patterson

**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](mailto:jfelgen@comcast.net).

**If you or someone you know are in the hospital and would like a visit from Fr. Vic, please call the office to let us know; we would be happy to arrange it!**

## Opportunity for More Extraordinary Ministers

Now that we have brought back the common chalice to our Mass, we are in need of more volunteers to help with this ministry, particularly at the 10 am Sunday Mass. If you're willing to help and have been previously trained but are not yet on the schedule (found on the bulletin board in the vestibule), please call Aggie at the office, (509) 747-5810. If you have not previously been trained as an EM, Fr. Vic will be holding a training session in September—be sure to join us then!



## Reconciliation

Father Vic is available for the *Sacrament of Reconciliation* every Saturday from 4:00—4:35 pm, Sunday morning from 9:30-9:45 am, or by appointment throughout the week.



"Jesus waits for you in the Sacrament of Love."  
- St. John Paul II

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## The Pastor's Corner



Dear Parishioners and Visitors,

Word from our Office of Evangelization is that registrations for Expo'23 is off to a great start!

This event will take place on **Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>**. Registration is free but everyone needs to register for the event. You can find more details and order tickets at [expo23.org](http://expo23.org). Registrants will receive an e-ticket (receipt), that will need to be presented at the Podium for admission to the event.

Thanks ever so much for your financial contributions to the Seminary Formation Appeal. Sacred Heart parishioners have responded generously, and we are now at \$165,000. Contributions can be made online at [dioceseofspokane.org](http://dioceseofspokane.org) or mailed in. Envelopes can be found in the back of the Church. Deepest thanks.

We are gearing up for an RCIA class to begin in the fall! RCIA is the acronym for **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults**. This is a process/program where participants, also known as catechumens, gather to study the Gospel, nurture their relationship with God, and learn Church teachings and practices. They profess their faith in Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church and are baptized, confirmed, and receive the Eucharist. These three sacraments are known as the sacraments of initiation. This class is open to Catholics who want to deepen their understanding of the faith and for those who are already baptized yet desire to be confirmed and receive the Eucharist.

I hope you are enjoying these sunny, summer days! Safe travels to all of you who are planning vacations and to all our out-of-town visitors to Sacred Heart this weekend. Thank you, visitors, for joining us this weekend!

Fr. Vic





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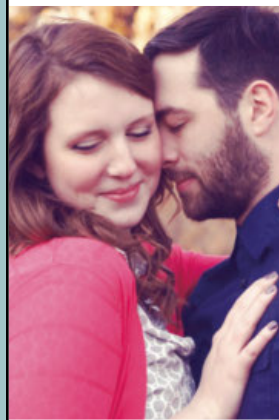
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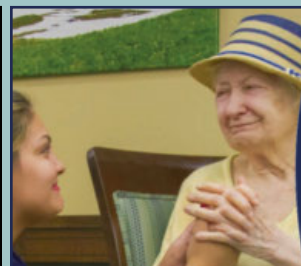
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