



Sacred Heart Catholic Church

219 E. Rockwood Blvd.
Spokane, WA 99202

Third Sunday of Advent
December 17, 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 - 4:45 pm*

Sunday, 9:30 am - 9:45 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

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JOY



Thank you, thank you,
thank you, everyone! The
gifts have been delivered
to Mother Teresa Haven
and to the Blair House, Milford House, and L'Arche
communities.

All of you, our Santa Elves, can rest knowing that
we have spread JOY and Delight to over 110 chil-
dren and special needs adults this holiday season.
Your hearts are, as always, so generous.

Merry Christmas!

RECTORY OPEN HOUSE

**Saturday, December 16th,
After the 5:00 pm Mass**

**Sunday, December 17th,
After the 10:00 am Mass**

**Join us for Coffee &
something sweet,
after 10 am Mass!**



Advent Reconciliation Services

**An opportunity for Catholics to celebrate
the Sacrament of Reconciliation before
Christmas. 5 Priests will be available for the
individual Confession/Absolution portion of
the Service.**

December 19th, 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM.

Mass Intentions This Week

Saturday, Dec. 16th	For our Spokane Seminarians
Sunday, Dec. 17th	People of the Parish
Tuesday, Dec. 19th	For the Forgotten
Wednesday, Dec. 20th	People struggling with Addiction
Thursday, Dec. 21th	For our Families & Friends
Friday, Dec. 22th	Holy Souls in Purgatory by Gene Gossee

Our Parish Prayer Chain: Is there illness or are there special
needs in your family? Our community prayer chain looks for-
ward to praying for you! Send a request to *Judy Felgenhauer*,
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!*

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!

RORATE CAELI MASS



Saturday, December 23, 2023 7:05 AM
Cathedral of Our Lady of Lourdes

The Rorate Caeli Mass is a traditional Advent devotion where Holy Mass in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary is offered just before dawn. This Mass is lit only by candlelight and entirely chanted, all to bring honor to Almighty God and our Blessed Mother. As Holy Mass proceeds and sunrise approaches, the church becomes progressively brighter illumined by the Sun as our faith is illumined by Christ.

Blue Envelope Fund

Thank you for your generosity in donating to our Outreach Fund throughout the year! Your donations to the Blue Envelope Fund have helped us support *our 99202 neighbors in need* with their power bills, rent, and city utilities, as well as other neighborhood charities like Meals on Wheels, Family Promise, and Women's Hearth. Besides using an actual Blue Envelope, you can also use our on-line giving page on our website, just note in the comment line, "Blue Envelope".

REMEMBER!

Please listen to the morning news regarding District 81 school cancellations or late start.

There will be NO weekday morning Mass if the buses are running 2Hrs late or School is closed.

The Pastor's Corner



Dear Friends,

We welcome Bishop Daly as our presider this Saturday evening. It is wonderful to have him join us. After Mass he will bless the new rectory. There will be tours of the rectory after the blessing and then we will gather in the parish hall for food, hospitality, and time to visit with Bishop Daly. We will also have tours of the rectory on Sunday after Mass with food and hospitality in the parish hall afterwards.

Please remember that on Tuesday, December 19th, at 5:30 pm, we will have our Advent Reconciliation Service. There will be 5 priests available to hear confessions that night. What a wonderful way to prepare for Christmas!

This is the shortest Advent season we can possibly have. It is only three weeks long because the 4th Sunday of Advent falls on December 24. There is an obligation to attend Mass for Sunday (you can do this by attending the Saturday Vigil Mass at 5 pm or the Sunday Mass at 10 am) and there is an obligation to attend Christmas Mass on Sunday evening or on Monday.

We will have two Christmas Eve Masses on Sunday, December 24: the 4 pm - the children's Mass, and the 6 pm - the Christmas Eve Mass. We will have one Christmas Mass on Monday, December 25 at 10 am. 10 am - the Christmas Day Mass.

Please drive carefully and take good care of yourselves and one another.

Advent blessings,

Fr. Vic Fr. Vic

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Saturday thru Monday - Closed

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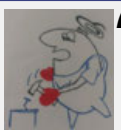
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with Bishop Daly
Fr. Barnett & seminarians
of Bishop White Seminary

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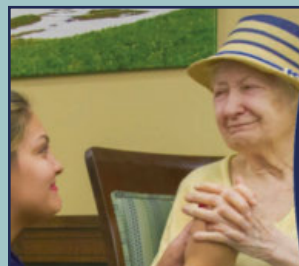
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