

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

219 E. Rockwood Blvd. Spokane, WA 99202

Second Sunday of Advent

December 7, 2025

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:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm (in person)
Sunday: 10:00 am (in person & live-streamed)

WEEKDAYS:

Tuesdays through Fridays, 8:30 am

ADORATION:

First Friday of the Month, 9 am - 10 am

Reconciliation:

Saturday, 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm

First Friday of the Month, 9:00 am - 9:30 am

Religious Education:

Sister Paschalina Marie, SMMC: Religious Education, 3rd Grade thru 6th Grade:

For livestream events, schedules, and contact persons, visit our website: **shparishspokane.org** & Facebook

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PEACE

"God of peace, as we light the second Advent candle of peace, may your peace fill our hearts and our world. Help us to be peacemakers in our relationships and communities. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen."



We're hoping that most of the gifts have been placed under the tree at the church OR dropped off at the parish office (Tuesday - Friday 9-4 pm). **Our**

deadline to have all the gifts to us is Sunday, December 14th. If you take a tag and, for some reason, won't be able to follow through, please contact the office (509 747-5810) so we can make other arrangements to provide that individual a gift. But we're hoping that won't be the case. We thank each of you for your generosity and willingness to provide Joy to a child/ adult this Christmas.

Mass Intentions This Week

Saturday, Dec 6th Sunday, Dec 7th +Becky Becker, RIP People of the Parish

Monday, Dec 8th

The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday, Dec 9th Wednesday, Dec 10th +Molly Shine

+Daniel Repac

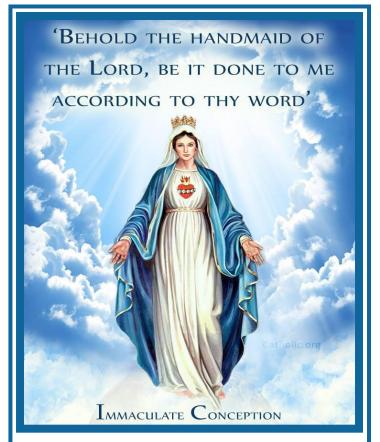
By Danielle & Bobby Williams

Thursday, Dec 11th Friday, Dec 12th

+Lauralee Potts, RIP No 8:30am Mass Today

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 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! Also please contact the office if you would like a mass said for someone.



Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Mass will be Monday, December 8th
at 8:30am & 5:00pm

~ Prayer to Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception ~

O Most Holy Virgin, immaculate in body and spirit, look kindly on me as I implore your powerful intercession. O most Holy Mother, receive my prayers as I present them to God. O Mary, Mother of Jesus and our Mother, you intercede for us with your Son. O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee.

Youth Mass - 2nd Sunday of the Month December 14, 2025



Students in the church assist with the liturgy and Fr Vic gives a youth homily.

We're looking for school aged kids of all ages to help with Mass (Greeter, lector, Cantor, Altar Server)

Call/text Jeff Klein for details 509.919.6940

Calling All Cookie Bakers



Our parish will once again be providing homemade Christmas cookies to the residents of Buder Haven, Catholic Charities Housing. They have no ovens in their apartments so homemade cookies are a real treat and much appreciated! If you are able to bake 2-3 dozen cookies, please deliver

them on a disposable plate to the Parish Center on Sunday, Dec 14th after the 10am Mass until 11:30 am, or Monday, Dec. 15th between 9am to 11am. A table will be set up in the entry way to received the cookies. Thank you for spreading Christmas Cheer!

Questions? Please contact Julie Ernst at julie.ernst207@gmail.com

Religious Education Catechesis for Parish Children who have received the Sacraments of Christian Initiation.

All parish children in 3rd through 6th grade who have received Confirmation and would like to learn more about Jesus in the Holy Eucharist now have the opportunity during monthly classes given here in the Church for approximately 20 to 30 minutes.

The next class will be held on Sunday, December 14, 2025 at 11:20am.

Please join us and if you have any siblings they are more than welcome to attend.

Youth Group (5th - 12th Grade)

Advent Service Opportunities



Cookie Baking for Buder Haven

Sunday, December 14th, 11am-noon Parish Hall Kitchen after the 10am Mass

Teen and Kid Closet

Saturday, December 13th, 8 -11am Help run the store for youth in foster care or in poverty.



The Pastor's Corner

Dear Friends,

Warm and prayerful Advent greetings to you and all your loved ones.

At the beginning of this month, I present the intentions of Pope Leo XIV. He asks for prayers each month for a particular intention. His intention for December is:

"Let us pray that Christians living in areas of war or conflict, especially in the Middle East, might be seeds of peace, reconciliation, and hope,"

Each year on December 8th we celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is a holy day of obligation and we will celebrate the mass on Monday at 8:30 am and 5:30 pm.

Please take good care of yourselves during these cold days. Remember if you are not feeling well and/or are coming down with a cold or have any flu symptoms, please refrain from drinking the precious blood of Christ from the chalice at communion time. It is also very appropriate to refrain from shaking hands during the sign of peace. A simple head bow to the folks next to you is acceptable and a blessing.

Also, you will soon be receiving the Christmas schedule and will note that there is not going to be an Advent Reconciliation Service this year but there are added extra times for private confessions.

I wish you good health and much peace.

Fr. Vic

Rest in Peace ...

Please remember in your prayers Mary Jane Kellner who recently passed away. Also, please keep her family in your prayers. A Funeral Mass will be held here at Sacred Heart on December 12, 2025 at 11am.

May she rest in peace.





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