

# 20<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 19, 2018

## MONDAY:

- ❖ Our Lady's Prayer Group after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.
- ❖ **ALTAR SERVER TRAINING**, 6:00 p.m. All are welcome
- ❖ Grupo de Evangelizacion, 7:30 p.m.

## TUESDAY:

- ❖ Ultreya, 7:30 p.m.

## THURSDAY:

- ❖ Hora Santa, 6:00 p.m.

## FRIDAY:

- ❖ **Clase de Bautismo, 7:30 p.m.**

## SATURDAY:

- ❖ Sacrament of Reconciliation, 4:00-4:30 p.m.
- ❖ Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m. ( en español); 7:00 p.m. (English).

**PLEASE NOTE....** Our heating and air conditioning units are being replaced this week. Beginning Monday, the system will be down until Friday evening – if all goes well. Sorry for the inconvenience. Pray for cool weather!

**ATENCION, POR FAVOR...** Tanto el AIRE ACONDICIONADO como EL CALENTADOR de la iglesia van a ser reemplazados esta semana. Y a partir del Lunes, el sistema estara fuera de servicion hasta el Viernes por la noche, si todo marcha bien. Pedimos disculpas por el inconveniente. Recen para que el tiempo sea un poco mas frio!



## COLLECTION FOR THE SOLIDARITY FUND FOR THE CHURCH IN AFRICA.

Thank you for your generous support of the Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa. Your contributions will provide pastoral care and support to the people of Africa as they face the many challenges that come from poverty and unemployment, disease, and migration. Your donations will fund workshops, retreats, catechesis, and other projects that support the faith of our African brothers and sisters. If you missed the collection, it is not too late to give. Visit [www.usccb.org/nationalcollections](http://www.usccb.org/nationalcollections), and click on the "How to Give" link on the left.

**LA COLECTA PARA EL FONDO DE SOLIDARIDAD PARA LA IGLESIA EN ÁFRICA.** Muchas gracias por su generoso apoyo al Fondo de Solidaridad para la Iglesia en África. Sus contribuciones proporcionarán cuidados pastorales y apoyo a la gente de África mientras que enfrentan los muchos desafíos que provienen de la pobreza y el desempleo, de enfermedades y de la migración. Sus donativos financiarán talleres, retiros, catequesis y otros proyectos que fortalecen la fe de nuestras hermanas y hermanos africanos. Si usted no alcanzó a donar, ¡aun lo puede hacer! Visite [www.usccb.org/nationalcollections](http://www.usccb.org/nationalcollections), y haga clic en el enlace "How to Give" al lado izquierdo.



**JOIN US NEXT WEEK FOR A NEW EDITION OF SERVANTS HEARTS!**

Join host Wayne Wright as he speaks with Retired Chelan County Superior Court Judge Chip Small of St Joseph's Parish in Wenatchee. Tune in to 88.7 FM/KDMB in the Moses Lake/Quincy area, 102.9 FM/KEFA in the Wenatchee Valley, 97.3 FM/K247CH KDMB in the Chelan/Entiat area and 100.3 FM/KXAA in the Upper Kittitas Valley to hear the interview at the following times: On Tue. Aug. 21st @ 12pm, Wed. Aug. 22nd @ 8am, Thur. Aug. 23rd @ 9am, & Fri. Aug. 24th @5pm. Thank you for supporting Catholic Radio in Central Washington!



**ATTENTION ALL WHO CELEBRATE SIGNIFICANT WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES IN 2018:**

To recognize jubilarian married couples of significant anniversaries celebrated in 2018 (25th married in 1993, 50th married in 1968, 60th married in 1958 or 40 or 70 years) Bishop Tyson invites you and your families to a special Celebration of Marriage to honor you & uphold the dignity of Matrimony on Sunday, September 9, 2018 at 11:00AM Mass at St. Paul Cathedral in Yakima, to be followed by a reception (heavy hors d' oeuvres & beverages at and near the Cathedral Assembly Place). Please inform the Cathedral by September 5th if you plan to participate so that adequate refreshments and mementos of the occasion may be provided (15 S. 12th Avenue, Yakima, WA 98902 or [parish@stpaulyakima.org](mailto:parish@stpaulyakima.org)) noting your name, year celebrating and telephone number. Thank you!

**RETROUVAILLE:.....** Thinking about Separation or Divorce? Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce? Retrouvaille is designed to help troubled marriages regain their health. It helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. It is for any couple who would like to rediscover their marriage and improve communication. Visit [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org) for testimonials. For confidential information or to register for the September 7-9 Spokane weekend call (800) 470-2230; or visit the website.



**2018 CHAMPION OF CATHOLIC EDUCATION - SPECIAL HONOREE: MSGR JOHN ECKER:**

Sixty years ago, Msgr. Ecker came to the Yakima Diocese from Boston and stayed to serve the people of the Yakima Valley. For thirty-three of those years, Msgr. Ecker has served as school pastor for St. Paul Cathedral School. In 2017, he assisted with the school move and renaming to Christ the Teacher to ensure that the legacy of Catholic education in Yakima would continue long into the future. Msgr. Ecker will be honored during the Celebration of Faith Saturday, October 13, 2018 at the Yakima Convention Center. \$110/person; \$1100/table. Register by calling 509-972-3732 or by email at [jchapman@cwccatholicfoundation.org](mailto:jchapman@cwccatholicfoundation.org)

**NEEDED!**

*Summer is coming to an end.... and school is just around the corner, which means it's time to prepare for another year of Faith Formation classes!*

We are looking for teachers for our Wednesday night classes. If you are willing to share an hour of your time with our awesome children, please contact Debbie Graaff (787-2810), or call the rectory. To volunteer in our Spanish program, contact Ana Argueta (797-3143).

**RACHEL'S VINEYARD:** If God is calling you to hope and healing OR to minister to those in need of hope and healing here in our local community, please contact Lisa Petersen (509-421-7847 or [lisapetersen65@gmail.com](mailto:lisapetersen65@gmail.com)) for more information. Your call will be kept completely confidential.



**AVISO:** Estamos invitando a todos los que quieran servir a Dios como ACOMODADORES y pertenecer al Grupo de HOSPITALIDAD para dar la BIENVENIDA a los hermanos. Por favor, pueden llamar P. Mario o a Elva Garcia.

**SAVE THE DATE! Yakima Diocese Church Mission Congress 2018: Saturday, October 13th.** *Diocese of Yakima Presents: Church Mission Congress 2018, "Missionary Disciples - Witnesses of God's Love"* The Church Mission Congress provides inspiring speakers as well as networking of volunteers who can support each other in the mission of passing on the faith and building up the Church. The theme of the 2017 Congress is "Missionary Disciples - Witnesses of God's Love." The Church Mission Congress is fast approaching. Please encourage all who are interested in bringing the Gospels to life to attend this event. Register online at yakimadiocese.org or call the Pastoral center at 509-965-7117 to register over the phone.

**RESERVA EL DIA! CONGRESO SOBRE LA MISION DE LA IGLESIA 2018: Sábado, 13 de octubre. La Diócesis de Yakima Presenta: el Congreso sobre la Misión de la Iglesia 2018, "Discípulos Misioneros - Testigos del Amor de Dios"** El Congreso de la Misión de la Iglesia ofrece a oradores inspiradores, así como la creación de redes de voluntarios que pueden apoyarse mutuamente en la misión de transmitir la fe y la construcción de la Iglesia. El tema del Congreso de 2018 es "Discípulos Misioneros – Testigos del Amor de Dios". El Congreso de Misión de la Iglesia se acerca rápidamente. Por favor anime a todos los que están interesados en traer los Evangelios a la vida para asistir a este evento. Registro en línea, o llame al Centro Pastoral al 509-965-7117 para registrarse por teléfono.

### MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK

**Saturday:** Lectors: Patrick and Laura Escure; Eucharistic Ministers: Bernie Ovenell and Ann Wolfe

**Sunday** - Lectors: LeeAnnette Fortier and Peggy Gray; Eucharistic Ministers: Eva Young, Pat and Kathy Tobin, Desirae Garcia, Jackie Garcia

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION, August 12:** \$3795.00

**DO YOU WANT TO HOST A COFFEE AFTER THE 9:00 A.M. MASS NEXT WEEK? Or any other week? Sign up in the narthex... we are missing our coffee and fellowship time!**

**REFLECTION FROM SCOTT HAHN:** The Wisdom of God has prepared a feast, we hear in today's First Reading. We must become like children (see [Matthew 18:3-4](#)) to hear and accept this invitation. For in every Eucharist, it is the folly of the Cross that is represented and renewed. To the world, it is foolishness to believe that the crucified Jesus rose from the dead. And for many, as for the crowds in today's Gospel, it is foolishness—maybe even madness—to believe that Jesus can give us His Flesh to eat.

Yet Jesus repeats himself with gathering intensity in the Gospel today. Notice the repetition of the words "eat" and "drink," and "my Flesh" and "my Blood." To heighten the unbelievable realism of what Jesus asks us to believe, John in these verses uses not the ordinary Greek word for eating but a cruder term, once reserved to describe the "munching" of feeding animals. The foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom (see [1 Corinthians 1:18-25](#)). In His foolish love, He chooses to save those who believe that His Flesh is true food, His Blood, true drink.

Fear of the Lord, the desire to live by His will, is the beginning of true wisdom, Paul says in today's Epistle (see [Proverbs 9:10](#)). And as we sing in today's Psalm, those who fear Him shall not want for any good thing. Again, today in the liturgy, we are called to renew our faith in the Eucharist, to forsake the foolishness of believing only what we can see with our eyes. We approach, then, not only an altar prepared with bread and wine, but the feast of Wisdom, the banquet of heaven—in which God our Savior renews His everlasting covenant and promises to destroy death forever (see [Isaiah 25:6-9](#)). Let us make the most of our days, as Paul says, always, in the Eucharist, giving thanks to God for everything in the name of Jesus, the bread come down from heaven.

**VIÑEDO DE RAQUEL** Lo esta llamando Dios a esperanza y sanación O a ministrar a aquéllos en necesidad de esperanza y sanación aquí en nuestra comunidad local, por favor llame a Lisa Petersen (509-421-7847 ó lisapetersen65@gmail.com) para más información. Su llamada será extríctamente confidencial