

25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

September 22, 2019

MONDAY:

- ❖ Our Lady's Prayer Group after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.
- ❖ **CATECISMO, 6:30 p.m.**
- ❖ GRUPO EVANGELICO, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY:

- ❖ Spanish Children's Choir, 6:30 p.m. in the Classrooms
- ❖ **CHOIR PRACTICE**, 7:00 p.m. in the Conference Room. New members welcome!
- ❖ Ultreya, 7:30 p.m.



WEDNESDAY:

- ❖ **BIBLE STUDY**, following the 9:00 a.m. Communion Service and at **6:55 p.m.**
- ❖ **FAITH FORMATION CLASSES, grades K-8**, 7:00 p.m. **NO HIGH SCHOOL CLASSES** this week, due to Homecoming week.
- ❖ **RCIA/CONFIRMATION** will start October 2 at 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY:

- ❖ HORA SANTA, 6:00 p.m.
- ❖ RICA, 6:00 p.m.

FRIDAY:

- ❖ **CLASE DE CONFIRMACIÓN, 6:00 p.m.**
- ❖ Spanish Children's Choir, 6:30 p.m. in the Classrooms
- ❖ **CLASE DE BAUTISMO**, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY:

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

RCIA/CONFIRMATION: Confirmation classes for adults and RCIA for any persons interested in joining the church will begin October 2. Because we are getting a late start, you must be registered by the 2nd. Contact the rectory if you have any questions.

THE CAMBRIDGE PRAYER SERVICE is today at 3:00 p.m. It is our turn to lead it, and all are invited to attend. The residents, many of whom are parishioners, would love to see you.

DEADLINE TO REGISTER FOR FIRST COMMUNION: The Wednesday night First Communion class will not accept any new students after October 2.

COLLECTION FOR BEIT MERY HERMITAGE AND THE RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS.

Support aging religious. Many senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests served for little or no pay. Today, religious communities often do not have enough savings to meet retirement needs. Your gift helps provide medications, nursing care, and more for tens of thousands of elderly religious. It also helps ensure younger members can continue the good works of their elders. IF YOU MISSED THE COLLECTION LAST WEEK, OR COULD NOT FIND AN ENVELOPE, you are welcome to use the yellow envelopes in the narthex, or note on your check it's for this collection.

LA COLECTA 2019 PARA LA EREMITA BEIT MERY Y PARA EL FONDO PARA LA JUBILACIÓN DE RELIGIOSOS.

Muchos miembros mayores en comunidades de religiosas, religiosos y sacerdotes de órdenes católicas sirvieron con poco o ningún pago. Hoy día, esas comunidades a menudo carecen de ahorros suficientes para cubrir las necesidades de su jubilación. Su donativo ayuda a proporcionar fondos vitales para medicamentos, enfermeros y más, para cientos de miles de religiosos ancianos. También ayuda a asegurar que los miembros más jóvenes puedan continuar el buen trabajo que iniciaron sus mayores. Sean generosos.

CHURCH MISSION CONGRESS 2019

Saturday, October 12th, 2019 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

at Holy Family Church Campus in Yakima.

Keynote Speaker – Robert Spitzer, S.J., Ph.D.

Fr. Robert Spitzer, S.J., Ph.D., the President and co-founder of Magis, is a Catholic Priest in the Society of Jesus and former President of Gonzaga University. The Magis Center provides comprehensive and systematic responses to restore, reconstruct, and revitalize belief in God, the transcendent dignity of every person, the significance of virtue, the higher levels of happiness, love, and freedom, and the real presence of Jesus Christ. To register or for more information, visit www.yakimadiocese.org Deadline for Registrations is Oct 1st. Forms are in the narthex.

MAGNIFICAT: Saturday, September 28 at St. Joseph Church in Wenatchee, beginning at 9:00 a.m. **WHAT IS MAGNIFICAT?** Magnificat is a program of faith formation for all the people who want to learn more about their Catholic Faith. Through classes of theology taught by teachers specialized in different topics we are looking to enhance the spiritual growth of each student as well as in the in-depth study of the pastorals and theological aspects of our faith in order to awaken in each on the desire of server to the Lord by being Missionary Disciples: Witnesses of God's Love in the distinct ministries that we serve in, and continue to learn how to teach our catechetical programs with children.

CELEBRATION OF FAITH

OCTOBER FESTIVAL: St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Ellensburg will have their annual October Festival on Thursday, October 3rd, and invite you to attend!

- 10:00am - 3:00pm - Craft Shop - Pie & Coffee Shop - Country Store – Bake Shop
- 11:00am - 2:00pm - Luncheon consisting of unlimited homemade soup and bread and a piece of pie for \$5.00

... Sponsored by Central Washington Catholic Foundation- Saturday, October 12 at the Yakima Convention Center. Keynote Speaker — Fr. Robert Spitzer, S.J.; Special Honoree — Msgr. Perron Auve The cost is \$110 per person | \$1100 per table of ten. Register by calling (509) 972-3732 or at www.cwatholicfoundation.org. (See flyer)

A TENTA INVITACIÓN: Se invita a toda la comunidad de Quincy a un encuentro de mujeres el día 7 al 10 de noviembre en la iglesia Santos Apostoles. El costo será \$70 por persona adulta de 18 años en adelante. El Encuentro de hombres será del 14 al 17 de noviembre. Habrá aplicaciones disponibles. Para más información 509-237-8496.



2019 CORNERSTONE CATHOLIC CONFERENCE **Want to be a better Catholic?**

Don't miss the 2019 **Cornerstone Catholic Conference**: "United for Life and Justice," taking place at the Tacoma Convention Center, **October 18-19**. Prices increase October 1st, so [register now](#):

www.WACatholics.org/Cornerstone or 206-301-0556 – scholarships available. The 2019

Cornerstone Conference will feature three great keynote speakers: Bishop Frank Caggiano, Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT, and Sr. Norma Pimentel, MJ. Register today! The Diocese of Yakima plans to charter a bus to take participants to the conference Friday afternoon. The bus will leave Holy Family Parish in Yakima at 1 p.m. Space is limited. To reserve a spot or for more information, contact Msgr. Robert Siler at (509) 965-7117 or by e-mail at robert.siler@yakimadiocese.net.

¡LA CONFERENCIA CATÓLICA 2019 ¿Le gustaría ser mejor católico? No se pierda la

Conferencia Católica Cornerstone 2019: "Unidos por la Vida y la Justicia", que se realizará en el Centro de Convenciones de Tacoma los días **18 y 19 de octubre**. Los precios aumentan el 1° de octubre, así que inscríbese ahora en: www.WACatholics.org/Cornerstone o llamando al 206-301-0556 – becas disponibles. La Diócesis de Yakima planea alquilar un autobús para llevar a los participantes a la conferencia el viernes por la tarde. El autobús saldrá de la Parroquia Holy Family en Yakima a la 1 p.m. El espacio es limitado. Para reservar un lugar o para obtener más información, comuníquese con Monseñor Robert Siler llamando al (509) 965-7117 o por correo electrónico a: robert.siler@yakimadiocese.net.



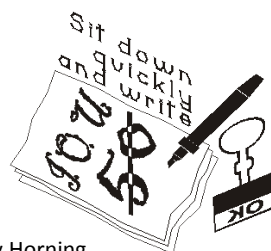
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S RETREAT: "God with Us" a Biblical walk through the Mass, Saturday, October 20 at St. Rose of Lima School from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. For more information pick up a registration form in the narthex or contact Lynn Stecker at 509-787-7031; lynnsteck@hotmail.com.

St. Rose of Lima School Auction Fiesta Elegante - Sat. Nov. 2, 2019: Join us for our 36th annual Auction benefiting St. Rose of Lima School. Doors open at 5 pm. Please call the Parish Office at 754-3640 to reserve a table or purchase individual tickets. *Donations are greatly appreciated* This week we are asking for Mexican candies (Mazapan, pelones, obleas de cajeta, Japanese peanuts & paletas de chile). These can be found at any Mexican market and can be dropped off at the Parish Office during business hours.



Subasta de Santa Rosa de Lima Fiesta Elegante - 2 de noviembre de 2019: Únase a nosotros para nuestra 36ª subasta anual en beneficio de la Escuela de Sta. Rose de Lima. Las puertas se abren a las 5 pm. Los boletos saldrán a la venta la primera semana de octubre. *Donaciones son muy agradecidas* esta semana se está pidiendo donaciones de dulces mexicanos. (Mazapán, Pelones, obleas de cajeta, cacahuates japoneses y paletas de chile). Estos dulces pueden ser comprados en cualquier tienda mexicana, y pueden ser traídos a la Oficina Parroquial.

CONVENCIÓN MARIANA: El Sí de María, Alegría para el mundo, 4 y 5 de octubre a las iglesia San Jose, Wenatchee. Actividades empezaran el 4 de octubre de 6 a 10:00 p.m. Día 5 de octubre iniciamos con la registración de 7:30 a 8:00 a.m. Adoración al Santísimo, Concierto música Cristiana, habrá venta de comida, y más.



MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK

Saturday: Lectors: Bev McDonald and Irma Sepulveda; Eucharistic Ministers: Warren and Kathy Horning

Sunday - Lectors: Amy Kraustcheid, Baldemar and Gloria Garces, Sonia Padron, Nancy Tax

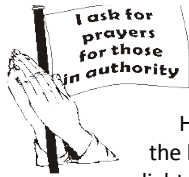
OFFERTORY COLLECTION, September 15: \$3202.00[SPXO1]

THE DISHONEST STEWARD: Jesus based his parables on real-life, and possibly historical situations. He often added a small twist in the story: something that did not make sense from a human point of view. In today's Gospel he praises a man who is openly a crook. A manager or steward is about to be fired from his job. Realizing that he has little prospect of being hired again, he conspires to rob from his employer. He uses his authority to reduce debts owed to the master, thinking that the debtors will show him gratitude later. Jesus and the employer praise this unscrupulous action? Why? Because it portrays the virtue of prudence, planning ahead. Christ implies that Christians often fail to practice foresight in thinking of their future life. We do not take heaven into account, when we plan our daily lives. Do you?

SCOTT HAHN'S REFLECTION:

The steward in today's Gospel confronts the reality that he can't go on living the way he has been. He is under judgment. He must give account for what he has done.

The exploiters of the poor in today's First Reading are also about to be pulled down, to be thrust from their stations (see [Isaiah 22:19](#)). Servants of mammon or money, they're so in love with wealth that they reduce the poor to objects; they despise the new moons and sabbaths—the observances and holy days of God (see [Leviticus 23:24](#); [Exodus 20:8](#)).



Their only hope is to follow the steward's path. He is no model of repentance. But he makes a prudent calculation—to use his last hours in charge of his master's property to show mercy to others, to relieve their debts.

He is a child of this world, driven by a purely selfish motive—to make friends and be welcomed into the homes of his master's debtors. Yet his prudence is commended as an example to us, the children of light (see [1 Thessalonians 5:5](#); [Ephesians 5:8](#)). We too must realize, as the steward does, that what we have is not honestly ours, but in truth belongs to another, our Master.

All the mammon in the world could not have paid the debt we owe our Master. So He paid it for us. He gave His life as a ransom for all, as we hear in today's Epistle.

God wants everyone to be saved, even kings and princes, even the lovers of money (see [Luke 16:14](#)). But we cannot serve two masters. By His grace, we should choose to be, as we sing in today's Psalm, "servants of the Lord."

We serve Him by using what He has entrusted us with to give alms, to lift the lowly from the dust and dunghills of this world. By this we will gain what is ours and be welcomed into eternal dwellings, the many mansions of the Father's house (see [John 14:2](#)).

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: On Monday, October 21, the 177 Project will be visiting Our Lady of Fatima Parish in Moses Lake. The 177 Project is a nationwide tour designed to help bring more people into Eucharistic Adoration. The night begins with an acoustic concert before moving into a Holy Hour. Confession will be available. The evening begins at 7 p.m. and no tickets are necessary. The event is free to attend. A free-will offering will be taken. Lee Roessler will be the artist traveling for this event. For more information, please visit the177project.com website or find us on Facebook at Adoration Artists! Our Lady of Fatima Parish offers Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration.