



ST. PIUS X CATHOLIC CHURCH

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1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT November 29, 2020

MONDAY:

- (SUNDAY) Mass at 9:00 a.m. for the high risk and elderly
- Rosary 3:00 P.M.
- **PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**, 5:00 p.m. in the Conference Room
- CATECISMO, 6:30 p.m. Recoja paquetes.
- Grupo de Evangelización

TUESDAY:

- Misa para personas mayores y feligreses de alto riesgo, 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:

- Mass at 9:00 a.m. in the church
- FAITH FORMATION. Pick up your packets between **6:00-6:30 p.m.**
- CLASE DE CONFIRMACIÓN de virtual.

THURSDAY:

- HORA SANTA 6:00 p.m.
- Spanish RCIA, 6:00 p.m.

FRIDAY:

- **FIRST FRIDAY**. Adoration following the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please sign up
- **PRIMER VIERNES**. Adoración después la Misa de 9:00 a.m.

SATURDAY:

- **FIRST SATURDAY**. Holy Hour at 9:00 a.m.
- Misas de Vigilia: 5:00 p.m. y 7:00 p.m. en español.



2021 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Have you pledged?

ACA: Again, we are most grateful to our loyal donors and the new donors who have pledged to the Diocesan Annual Catholic Appeal. Your gift is essential to sustaining the many ministries of the Diocese of Yakima. If you would like to donate online, please visit www.yakimadiocese.org. This year,

our parish goal is **\$28,977.00**, and your financial support will assist us in reaching that goal. All funds collected in excess of this goal will be returned to our parish for use in our own ministries and programs. Thanks to your generosity, this year we received **\$10,369.00** in rebates! If you would like to donate online, please visit www.yakimadiocese.org or scan the bar code.



CAMPAÑA ANUAL DE COOPERACIÓN DIOCESANA: De nuevo, estamos muy agradecidos a nuestros leales donadores y a los nuevos que han hecho una promesa a la Campaña Anual de Cooperación Diocesana. Si usted no estuvo presente o preparado para hacer una promesa previamente, le pedimos que la haga hoy. Su donación es esencial para apoyar los muchos ministerios de la Diócesis de Yakima. Este año, nuestra meta parroquial es **\$28,977.00**, y su apoyo financiero nos

ayudará a alcanzar esa meta. Todos los fondos recaudados en exceso de esta meta serán devueltos a nuestra parroquia para su uso en nuestros propios ministerios y programas.



ANUNCIO MUY IMPORTANTE: Debido a las normas del Señor Obispo y del Gobernador, no será posible hacer la Novena de la Virgen de Guadalupe en la Iglesia, ya que nos se puede cantar y no se permite que haya mucha gente reunida. Entonces, yo propongo que cada familia haga la novena en casa, o. al menos recen el Santo Rosario juntos. Podrán llevarse la Novena y después de la fiesta de la Virgen, la podrán devolver a la iglesia. Ojalá todos

ofrezcamos la Novena y el Santo Rosario para que la Virgen de Guadalupe nos proteja y pronto podamos tener la vacuna contra el Covid 19.

2021 CHURCH CALENDARS: Would you like to be one of the sponsors for the 2021 Church calendars? If so, or if you have questions, contact Mary at the church. We have a couple sponsors, but could use one or two more.

Is God calling you to be a Secular Carmelite? Do you love to pray? Do you long for a deeper relationship with Jesus, for true union with God? Come explore the inspired works of the great Carmelite Doctors of the Church, Saints Teresa of Avila, John of the Cross and Therese of Lisieux. Discover how to connect more authentically with the living Christ, experience the joy of Carmelite community, and engage in the lively caring for others which springs from this spirituality. **The Carmelite Study Group** meets **every third Sat.** of the month, from 10 AM to noon, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Wenatchee. For full details, please register with Teresa Drollman, (509) 699-1236 or teresa@drollman.com This group is guided by the California-Arizona Province of St. Joseph, Discalced Carmelites.



CHRISTMAS COLLECTION: For more than 70 years, Catholic Charities has been reaching out in your name to help those most in need. Motivated by Christ's love, Catholic Charities works to bring hope to life by embracing people, strengthening families, and empowering to thrive. Please prayerfully consider a gift to the Christmas Collection for Catholic Charities. To learn more about the Catholic Charities network of services, visit www.catholiccharitiescw.org.

Por más de setenta años, Caridades Católicas ha estado ayudando, en nombre suyo, a los más necesitados. Motivada por el amor de Cristo, Caridades Católicas trabaja para dar esperanza a la vida ayudando a las personas, fortaleciendo a las familias y capacitándolas para prosperar. Le pedimos por favor que piadosamente considere hacer una donación a la Colecta de Navidad para Caridades Católicas. Si desea saber más sobre la red de servicios de Caridades Católicas, visite www.catholiccharitiescw.org.



The GIVING TREE is up! We are still planning to have our Giving Tree up by Thanksgiving as we have done in the past. We participate in the Lions Club program to help members in our community at Christmas. The need will probably be much greater this year. Our parish has always been generous in helping – thank you in advance!

'Tis the season to be giving.... The food bank, as well as Serve Quincy Valley can use your help financially and with donations of food and household items. In addition to the Giving Tree, there will be a basket in the Narthex to collect items for the Food Bank, or you can take your donations to them on Tuesday or Friday mornings. To make a donation to Serve Quincy Valley, look them up, or call Mary for help. You can even put your donation in the collection basket (clearly marked) and we will get it to them.



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING CHILDREN WHO ARE MAKING THEIR FIRST COMMUNION THIS WEEKEND: Alexis Oseguera Toledo, Josue Hernandez and Julian Valenzuela

OFFERTORY COLLECTION, November 22: \$4303.00

MINISTERS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Lectors: Rita Keene; **Eucharistic Ministers:** Bernie Ovenell and Cleora Royston; **Greeters:** Rita and Mary; **Cleaners:** Volunteer

HELP NEEDED: We need more volunteers to help clean the pews after the Masses so the same ones are not doing it every week. Please let Mary know if you can help with the 9:00 a.m. Mass, or Alejandra Garcia know if you can help with the Spanish Masses.



WATCH FOR HIM... Scott Hahn reflects on the First Sunday of Advent: The new Church year begins with a plea for God's visitation. "Oh that you would rend the heavens and come down," the prophet Isaiah cries in today's First Reading.

In today's Psalm, too, we hear the anguished voice of Israel, imploring God to look down from His heavenly throne—to save and shepherd His people. Today's readings are relatively brief. Their language and "message" are deceptively simple. But we should take note of the serious mood and penitential aspect of the Liturgy today—as the people of Israel recognize their sinfulness, their failures to keep God's covenant, their inability to save themselves. And in this Advent season, we should see our own lives in the experience of Israel. As we examine our consciences, can't we, too, find that we often harden our hearts, refuse His rule, wander from His ways, withhold our love from Him? God is faithful, Paul reminds us in today's Epistle. He is our Father. He has hearkened to the cry of His children, coming down from heaven for Israel's sake and for ours to redeem us from our exile from God, to restore us to His love.

In Jesus, we have seen the Father (see [John 14:8-9](#)). The Father has let His face shine upon us. He is the good shepherd (see [John 10:11-15](#)) come to guide us to the heavenly kingdom. No matter how far we have strayed, He will give us new life if we turn to Him, if we call upon His holy name, if we pledge anew never again to withdraw from Him. As Paul says today, He has given us every spiritual gift—especially the Eucharist and penance—to strengthen us as we await Christ's final coming. He will keep us firm to the end—if we let Him. So, in this season of repentance, we should heed the warning—repeated three times by our Lord in today's Gospel—to be watchful, for we know not the hour when the Lord of the house will return.

Because we are not suppose to have books in the pews, we order only a few missals. If you take one home, please bring it back each week. The readings are also in the Word Among Us.

Sacraments during the COVID-19 pandemic:

- † Baptism: Contact the parish office to arrange for baptism. Fr. Mario is doing up to 3 each Sunday after the Spanish Mass.
- † Sacrament of Reconciliation: None at this time, in accordance with the decree from the Bishop during the pandemic - "Priests serving in the Diocese of Yakima over the age of 60 should not celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation with individual parishioners."
- † Anointing of the Sick: Contact the parish office
- † Weddings and Quinceaneras: Make arrangements with Fr. Mario. All events must follow the pandemic guidelines. Capacity: 30