

October 25, 2015
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary
Time

The Lord has done great things for us!

Week of October 26 schedule

Monday, Communion Service, 8 AM

Tuesday through Friday, Mass, 8 AM

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

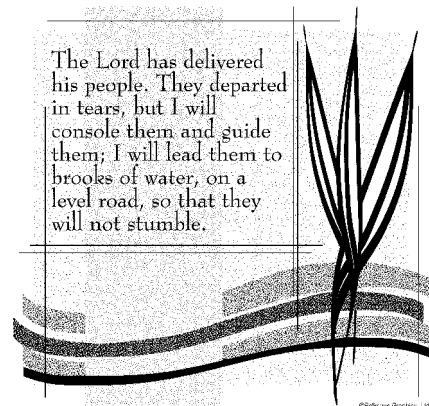
(the Sunday 9 a.m. Mass is offered for the people of the parish)

Tuesday, Sandra Arbuckle 1 yr. Anniv.†

Wednesday, Joe Jacobs, Int.

Thursday, Donald Zuck †

Friday, Intentions



The healing and gifts we share with others are based on the healing and gifts we have first received from God. Our generosity is a response to God's generosity.

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

Are you new to St. Andrew's Parish? We welcome you. Please introduce yourself to the priest after Mass, and fill out a registration form. Ask for a parish directory.

"SERMON ON THE AMOUNT"

October 3 & 4	5367.00
October 10 & 11	4552.00
Regular Sunday (1 qtr \$ 57,020)	4013.50
Building Fund (1qtr \$ 10762)	363.00
Total Oct 17 & 18	4376.50
Religious Education (1qtr \$ 7,738)	445.00

The Pastor and Finance Council have developed a parish budget which calls for an average weekly income, from Sunday and Building Fund donations, of \$5,392.35; and \$491.60 for Religious Education Programs. Thank you for your financial support.

MISSING: The file box for St. Vincent de Paul Ministries is missing from the church library cabinet since October Festival time. If you know where it is, please contact the parish office. Thank you.

Adult Education

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) will continue on Monday, October 26, at 7:00 p.m. This is an inquiry class for those interested in becoming Catholic, or for those Catholic adults seeking the Sacrament of Confirmation. For more information, please contact Sharon Rosell at 962-5469

Bible Study open to all parishioners will continue on Friday, October 30, at 9:00 a.m. If interested, please call Emily Stickney at 968-9195 or Alison Mattson at 962-3564.

Tuesday Morning Bible Study will continue on October 27, 9:00 to 10:30 a.m., in the library. Hugh Spall will lead a program on the *History of the Church*.

Clases de Catecismo Martes a las 6:30 p.m., para adultos. Todos están invitados a participar. También estaremos viendo otros temas de gran interés. Asiste con toda la familia.

Wednesday Evening Bible Study will offer *SYMBOLON: The Catholic Faith Explained* on Wednesday nights, 7:00 to 8:30 p.m., continuing October 28, in the library. Every parishioner has access to the beauty of *SYMBOLON*, and other offerings, with our special parish online subscription. Visit www.formed.org and scroll down to submit our parish's code - 449536, create your username and password. Join us for discussion on Wednesdays.

Elementary and Youth

Religious Education Registration is happening now at each program. Elementary fee is \$30 and Middle/High School fee is \$35, with a Family maximum of \$80. On Line Registration is also available. Please keep in mind that Sacraments are a 2-year process.

Elementary sessions continue this Sunday, October 25, 10:15 to 11:30 a.m. Volunteers are still needed. Please contact Alena at 925-0131 or standrewparishRE@yahoo.com

EDGE sessions continue Monday, October 26, 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. We'll celebrate Halloween/All Souls Day. Feel free to dress up in an appropriate costume. Pumpkin carving, candy, games and more!

EDGE Fall Lock-In is Friday & Saturday, November 20-21. Registration forms are in parish office. We need adults to help chaperone and lead a small group, particularly between 6:30 and 11:59 p.m. Friday night kitchen help and social hall afternoon set up help is also needed. Please contact Thomas.

CHOSEN Confirmation Preparation sessions continue Wednesday, October 28, 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. Meet in the social hall.

LIFENIGHT session will continue this Sunday, October 25, 6:15 to 8:30 p.m.

The **Diocesan Youth Convention** in Yakima for high school youth will be Friday to Sunday, November 6-8. Registration is open and cost is \$20 (includes tshirt, transportation and lodging). Register now, only 20 spots available. Over 200 youth will be in attendance. Drivers and chaperones are needed. Contact Thomas at 962-9819.

Childcare will be available for children ages 9 months (crawling) to 4 years old during the Sunday 9 AM Mass. Please bring children to the youth room. If you are interested in volunteering one or more Sundays, 8:50 to 9:50 a.m., please contact Stacey Bankston-Engel (425-283-8734) or Terri Sorenson (509-312-0207).

The Solemnity of All Saints is Sunday, November 1. Regular Mass schedule will be offered. Please note, Daylight Saving Time ends; "Fall Back 1 hour."

Monday, November 2, the **Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed, (All Souls Day)** will be celebrated with Mass at 8:00 a.m. Fr. Tomás will bless the graves at Holy Cross Cemetery at 12:15 p.m. During the month of November we remember especially those who are deceased. A **Remembrance Table** will be beside the Altar for you to share pictures of your loved ones. Please write your name and phone number on the back. There will also be a **Remembrance Book** for you to record names in. **All Souls Envelopes** will be available in pews and on bulletin table. After writing in name(s), please put in donation basket, or give to parish office. Envelopes will be placed on the Altar and remembered during all Masses.

Parents & Catechists

If you did not attend the October 8 parent meeting for Elementary Religious Education and your child is in 1st or 2nd year prep classes and you want them to receive sacraments, you need to contact Alena and schedule a make up meeting. Sacrament Registration is required and vital information is given at these meetings. Call 509-306-0131 or email standrewparishRE@yahoo.com

The next Elementary Parent Meetings are Sunday, November 8, at 10:15 a.m., and Thursday, November 12, at 6:30 p.m. All parents are required to attend.

Confirmation Core Team will meet Thursday, November 5, at 7:00 p.m.

LifeTeen Core Team will meet Tuesday, October 27, at 7:00 p.m.

Upcoming Meetings

Join us in Centering Prayer, a form of silent or contemplative prayer that has been part of Catholic history for centuries, on Mondays at 5:15 p.m., in the meditation/cry room. You'll be home by 6:00 p.m. For more information, please call Karen at 962-9648.

Crafts Unlimited meet in the activity center on Tuesdays, 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Bring a sack lunch and join us in the fun which benefits St. Andrew's by helping to make various items for sale during October Festival and our Christmas Gifts & Goodies Sale in December. For more information, please feel free to call Carole Vondergeest at 962-1551.

Compassion Corps, a new ministry reaching out to those who have lost loved ones recently, will meet on Thursday, October 29, at noon in the library. Bring a lunch, if you wish.



To better facilitate this list, it will be purged at the beginning of every other month, ie: Nov. Jan., March etc.

Please pray for the sick of our parish— Betty Nolls, Gerald Gunn, Rob Snyder, Lori Boykiw Smith, Dan Witkowski, Wally Dillon, Pat Carney, Peter Conti, Matt Morton, Theresa Lirette, Tyler Robinson, Ruth Hayter, Maria Stampfli, Don Bacon, Joe Ng, Maria Lopez-Kirkham, Meg Seubert, Adrian Dondji, Maria Barajas, Fr. Dan Greene, Margarita Huitron, Fr. John O'Shea, Msgr. Perron Auve, Randy Brunson, Dale Knudson, Ray Fletcher, Jamie Winterer Carney, Reid O'Donnell-Herbers, Joe Jacobs and our priests and nuns who suffer from poor health, and those who are sick but wish to remain anonymous, we pray to the Lord. (Please call the office with updates.)

MAGNIFICAT classes begin again: Saturday, October 31, Pastoral Center, Yakima, 9 AM to 1 PM. See poster or Diocesan website for class selections and future monthly dates. This is a faith formation program for all the people who want to learn more about their Catholic Faith. Classes are especially helpful for catechists, parish leaders and extraordinary ministers, those aspiring to the permanent diaconate, teachers in Catholic Schools and parents.

First Friday Benediction will be November 6, at 8:30 a.m., following Morning Mass.

The next **Baptism Preparation class** will be on Monday, October 26, at 7:00 p.m. (English), and Wednesday, October 28, at 7:00 p.m. (Spanish). Parents and god parents are required to attend. Please bring a copy of the State Birth Certificate. Sorry, we are unable to provide childcare.



Rent-a-Teen Signup is open. This fund raiser will take place on Saturday, November 14, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. We have one-hour time slots, please plan accordingly. Spaces are limited. Please contact Thomas Megargle at 962-9819. Proceeds benefit summer youth retreats.

St. Vincent de Paul Ministries of St. Andrew's Annual Giving Tree Program will have registration on Sunday, November 8, at 10:15 a.m. We will only be able to take the first 25 families. We will take the names of additional families if you or a group would like to **Adopt-a-Family**, providing gifts for the children and food for the family. If you are interested, please leave your name with the parish office.

This program is meant for families who are low income or are in need for other reasons, and cannot provide a Christmas dinner or gifts for their family. If you know of a senior or a family in need, please make them aware of this program. Interpreters will be available. Gift sign-ups are for infants/children, 0-17 years of age. All other families should plan on signing up for the Community Christmas Basket Program. Those forms will be available at DSHS and HopeSource.

Holy Land Icon Raffle: Fr. Tomás brought these back from his trip last Spring. 1st Prize is Virgin Mary of Bethlehem and 2nd Prize is Virgin Mary of Jerusalem. Tickets are on sale now in the parish office, \$5 each. Proceeds will benefit St. Andrew's. Drawing will be held at Parish Christmas Breakfast. Please contact Alejandra to help sell tickets.

