

April 24, 2016

Fifth Sunday of Easter

The Lord has worked wonder for us!

Week of April 25 schedule

Monday, Thursday, Communion Service, 8 AM

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Mass, 8 AM

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

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

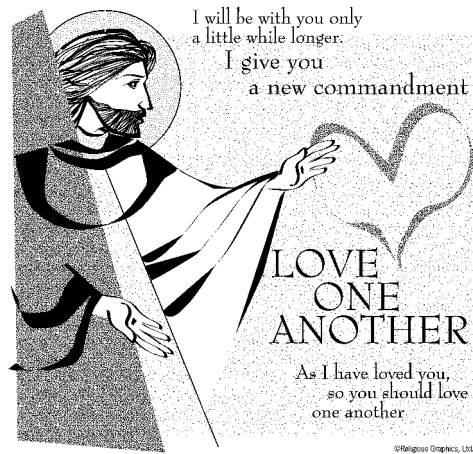
Tuesday, Dennis Mohan 1 yr. Anniv. †

Wednesday, Randy Wans †

Friday, Dale Knudson †

Saturday 5 PM, Tamara Sharpe †

Sunday 5 PM, Margie Mynar †



A Christian steward is a person who loves both God and neighbor. A steward shares his or her gifts from god in justice and love of others.

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"

Table with 2 columns: Date and Amount. Rows include April 3, April 10, Regular Sunday (2 qtr \$62,514), Building Fund (2qtr \$10,376), Total April 16 & 17, Religious Education (2qtr \$40,153).

Childcare is available during the Sunday 9 AM Mass for children ages 1-4. Please contact Jennifer Muratore at 425- 283-3769 for questions.

Adult Education

St. Andrew's Young Adults (SAYA): A new weekly small group for adults in their 20s and 30s (single/married) will continue Thursday, April 28, 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Contact Rachel Hochstein at 360-325-6682 with any questions. Children are welcome.

Bible Study open to all parishioners will continue Friday, April 29, 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 Tuesday, April 26, 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 6:00 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., resume April 27, 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

Elementary sessions continue this Sunday, April 24, 10:15 to 11:30 a.m.

EDGE sessions continue Monday, April 25, 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.,

LifeTeen sessions resume this Sunday, April 24, 6:15 to 8:00 p.m.

CHOSEN Confirmation Preparation sessions conclude Wednesday, April 27, with an End of Year CHOSEN Thank You Dinner for all Confirmation students and their families, 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Please bring a potluck item to share.

The Silver Ring Thing will be presented on Thursday, April 28, at EHS, at 7 PM. This is a powerful event, speaking honestly to teens about love, dating, second chances and making good choices. This event proved groundbreaking for last year's attendees, and we encourage all teens in grades 8 and up to attend.

Please take a moment this weekend to go into the activity center and see the First Communion Banners on display in the main lobby. The children worked very hard to create banners that show what the Sacrament means to them. Please pray for these children as they continue to prepare to receive their Sacraments.

Parents & Catechists

The next Elementary Parent Meeting will be Sunday, May 1, at 10:15 a.m. All parents are required to attend.

The next Elementary Parent Education Night will be Thursday, May 12, at 6:30 p.m. All parents are required to attend and is mandatory for parents of children receiving sacraments this year.

Practice for First Communion Masses will be offered on Thursday, May 19, 6:30 PM (Sat 5 PM Mass); 7:00 PM (Sun 9AM Mass); 7:30 PM ((Sun 11 AM Mass); and 8:00 PM for (Sun 5 PM Mass). Sessions will begin PROMPTLY every half hour. Please be EARLY for your scheduled Mass time. This is mandatory for child and parent.

Open Registration, for St. Andrew's Preschool 2016-17 school year is now available. Classes are offered Tu/Th for 3 & 4 year olds, M/W/F for 4 & 5 year olds. Tuition is \$90 & \$110/mo., respectively. \$40 non-refundable registration fee. There are 2 spots remaining in the Tu/Th class and a waiting list for the M/W/F class.

A Beautiful Life: The Mary Lonowski Story – Parishioner, Dale Lonowski, will share the story of her daughter Mary's encounter with drugs. This encounter eventually took Mary's life and changed the Lonowski family forever. A heartfelt and informative presentation, all parents will find this evening moving and relevant. We encourage all parents to attend. The presentation is at 7:00 p.m., on Thursday, April 28. Adults only are requested to attend. Teens are encouraged to attend The Silver Ring Thing at EHS.

Traditional Crowning of the Mary statue will be Sunday, May 1, at 8:50 AM. Please feel free to bring flowers from your garden to place at the statue.

To better facilitate this list, it will be purged at the beginning of every other month, ie: May, July, Sept., etc.

Please pray for the sick of our parish: Betty Nolls, Gerald Gunn, Rob Snyder, Lori Boykiw Smith, Pat Carney, Peter Conti, Don Bacon, Carlos Huitron, Ray Fletcher, Jamie Winterer Carney, Reid O'Donnell-Herbers, Joe Jacobs, Bernice Orcutt, Ken Lafferty, Fr. Richard House, Fr William Vogel, Randy Brunson, Bob Riggins, Esta Willard, Fred Schaan, Bob Witkowski, Raechele Lunde, Wally Dillon, Mac Brotherton, Tom Emerson, Leo and Linda Brennan, Noella Wyatt 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.)

The next Baptism Preparation Class will be held on Monday, April 25, at 7:00 p.m. (Wednesday, April 27, 7:00 p.m., in Spanish). Parents and god parents must attend. Please bring a copy of the State Birth Certificate of the child(ren) to be baptized. Sorry, we are unable to care for young children during class.

The Catholic Home Missions Appeal will take place this weekend, April 23/24. One way this appeal works to support home mission dioceses in the USA, like the Diocese of Yakima, is by supporting seminarian formation in poor dioceses. The blessing of seminarians places a financial burden on these dioceses, because educating each seminarian costs \$35-\$40K per year. Your support is needed for these young men so that they might go back and serve their parishes. Please strengthen the Church at home by making a generous gift. Envelopes are on the bulletin table.

Divine Mercy Music Concert, Saturday, April 23, at 7 PM, at Immaculate Conception Parish in Roslyn. Free admission, but donations accepted to benefit the purchase of a new organ for the parish.

Upcoming Meetings

October Festival Committee will meet on Thursday, April 28, at 7 PM, in the social hall. This is an initial planning meeting for the 2016 Festival. If you are interested in being involved, please come or call Cathy Dunn, 925-5407.

St. Vincent de Paul Ministries will meet Saturday, May 1, at 10:15 a.m.

Compassion Corps will resume meeting at non on Thursdays beginning May 5, in the St. Jerome Library. All are welcome to participate with those grieving the loss of a loved one.

Join us in Centering Prayer on Mondays at 5:15 p.m., in the meditation/cry room. 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. For more information, please call Carole Vondergeest at 962-1551. We are offering Little Pillow Case Dresses to benefit BAWA Health Initiative, \$5, keep or donate to Camaroon.

The next Parents Night Out will be Friday, May 6, 6 - 10 PM. Children up to 5th grade welcome; older youth can attend as helpers. Please bring a well stocked diaper bag for babies. Cost is by donation and proceeds support summer youth activities.

Join us for St. Andrew's Annual 5 de mayo Festival, Saturday, May 7, 10 AM to 4 PM. A day filled with fun, delicious foods, drinks and performances (1:30 to 3:00 PM) for everyone in the family to enjoy. We'll have an obstacle course and bounce house, raffle drawing (must be present), adult soccer tournament, and lots of food options. Tickets are \$1 for 1 ticket, \$10 for 12 tickets, \$20 for 26 tickets. Unlimited ride bracelets are \$6. We need help (muscle) with set up (8-10 AM) and clean up (3:30 PM). Please call Alejandra in the parish office to sign up.

The Annual Mother's Day Brunch will be Sunday, May 8, 10:00 AM to noon in the activity center. Suggested donation is \$10/person or \$50/family. Reservations are required and this events fills quickly. We have seating to accommodate 100 people. Please reserve your seat by calling Alena at 509-306-0131, or email standrewparishRE@yahoo.com

This is the only major fund raiser for the Elementary Religious Education Program. Proceeds support resources, like the purchase of children's Bibles for the Kindergarten class to introduce scripture at an early age. We are looking for generous people who would be willing to sponsor a table. You will be recognized as a Table Sponsor at the event. Cost to sponsor is \$75. Please contact Alena.

Magnificat 2015-16 will wrap up on May 7, in Kennewick; May 14, in Quincy and May 21, in Yakima, 9 AM to 1 PM. Sessions will resume in October.

4th Annual Cameroon Dinner: Saturday, April 30, at 6 PM, at Aviator Lane, off Kittitas Hwy. Minimum donation \$40 per adult and \$5 per child (age 5 and older), or \$50 at the door. Tickets can be purchased by calling 962-8472 or 925-1788. Please see the poster on the parish office window for details. Proceeds benefit the health clinic and other health related projects in Bawa, Cameroon and surrounding villages. Sponsored by Advantage Dirt Contractors and Kelleher Motor Company.

Mass with Anointing of the Sick Sacrament will be offered Friday, May 13, at 9 AM. Those who are ill or gravely ill or elderly may receive the sacrament. Please consider offering a ride to someone who might not otherwise be able to attend.