Happy 60th birthday to Bishop Tyson on Monday, October 16.

Week of October 9 schedule
Monday to Friday, Communion Service, 8 AM

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS
(the Sunday 9 a.m. Mass is offered for the people of the parish)
Saturday, Robert S. Webber 1 yr. Anniv. †
Sunday 5 PM, Tove Panther

By prayer and petition with Thanksgiving make known your needs to God
The prayers of the just are like incense rising to the Lord

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St. Andrew’s Young Adults (SAYA): A group for adults in their 20s and 30s (single/married) is now meeting regularly. Contact Rachel Hochstein at 360-325-6682 for details and any questions or find us on Facebook.

Every parishioner has access to the beauty of SYMBOLON, and many other offerings with our special parish online subscription. Offerings are in English and Spanish. Visit www.formed.org and scroll down to submit our parish’s code – 449536, create your username and password. Enjoy!

**Men’s Bible Study** – Join other men for fellowship and book study every other Monday in the library at 6:30 PM, beginning Monday, October 9. Please call Mark Hayden for more details at 962-9005.

The **Tuesday Bible Study group** will resume on October 10, at 9:00 a.m. Bishop Barron is on a new journey to unlock the truth behind te Catholic Church’s most influential people. **CATHOLICISM: The Pivotal Players** is a multi-part DVD series that illumines a handful of saints, artists, mystics, and scholars who not only shaped the life of the Church, but changed the course of civilization.

**Wednesday Bible Study group** will resume on October 11, at 7 PM. Dr. Brant Pitre with Augustine Institute will lead us through LECTIO: Eucharist DVD series to discover the wonder and miracle of the Eucharist.

**Wives in Prayer** group will meet on Friday, October 13 at 9 AM.

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)** Will meet on Thursday, October 12, at 7 PM, in the library. 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 Scott Zimmerman (962-9661).

**To better facilitate this list, it will be purged at the beginning of every other month, ie: May, July, Sep, etc. Please pray for the sick of our parish**—Lori Boykiw

Smith, Pat Carney, Peter Conti, Don Bacon, Carlos Huitrón, Ray Fletcher, Reid O’Donnell-Herbers, Joe Jacobs, Bernice Orcutt, Ken Lafferty, Ken Riddle, Bob Riggins, Fred Schaan, Roeschele Lunde, Wally Dillon, Tom Emerson, Leo and Linda Brennan, Shawn Lopez, Hubert Schmitt, Jean Larmore, Jodi Huschka, Dorothy Drotzmann, Rich Hoctor, John Shea, Lee Honeycutt, Mary Andreotti, Lee Orcutt, Beth Brunson, Arlene Steinhardt, Karen Mayfield, Deb Clark, Gary Cutts, Patrick Kopczynski, Natalie Joyce, Fr. Darell Mitchell 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 **Rosary, followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet**, is prayed in the church Monday through Friday at 7:30 AM, and Saturday at 4:30 PM. Please join us.

This weekend we will participate in the **Dioecesan Collection for Beit Mery**

**Hermitage/Retirement Fund for Religious Collection**: Sr. Janet has been a professed diocesan hermit for more than 30 years. She has a ministry of prayer. The Diocese provides housing and helps with medical expenses. The Retirement Fund for Religious helps care for elderly religious through the U.S. Envelopes are located on the bulletin table. Thank you for your generosity.

**Fr. David has traveled to Panama, his home area, and will return to St. Andrew’s on October 20. Welcome to Fr. Michael Ibach who is covering weekend Masses.**

**TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY** – a day that leads us to the heart of our Christian faith – leads us to mission! Your generosity on World Mission Sunday supports the work of priests, religious and lay leaders in the Missions who share our faith with those most in need. This year we can even “chat” with our chief missionary, Pope Francis, and learn more about his missions and missionaries. Learn more at www.ChatWithThePope.org Chat – Pray – Give this World Mission Sunday. Envelopes are on the bulletin table.
Elementary and Youth

Registration for Elementary, Middle School and High School Religious Education Classes can be done at the respective classes. Cost is $30 for elementary and $35 for middle/high school students, with a family maximum of $80. Please register at class.

Please remember that registration for First Holy Communion and Confirmation will be held at a separate time. Preparation for sacraments is a two-year process. Registration for First Holy Communion will be this Thursday, October 12, at 6:00 p.m. Registration for Confirmation will be this Wednesday, October 11, at 7:00 p.m. These are mandatory classes for parents and students and will NOT be repeated. Information will be presented in English and Spanish.

Religious Education classes for Elementary age children will continue this Sunday, October 8, 10:15-11:05 a.m. Please be prompt, as classes begin immediately. Children will be able to have a donut in class, not in the lobby area.

2nd Year Sacrament Preparation class for Parents and Students will be Thursday, October 12, at 6 PM. This is mandatory and will not be repeated.

Sessions for EDGE Middle School youth will continue this Monday, October 9, at 6:30 p.m. Please invite your friends.

Sessions for LifeTeen High School youth will continue this Sunday, October 8, at 6:15 p.m. Attendance at these sessions are mandatory for First Year Confirmation Preparation youth. Please invite your friends.

Sessions for CHOSEN First Year Confirmation Preparation youth will continue on Wednesday, October 11, at 7:00 p.m. Parents are required to attend on Thursday, October 11, with their youth. Attendance at these sessions are mandatory.

HIGH SCHOOL CORN MAZE – Thursday, October 12. We’ll meet at St. Andrew’s and carpool to Union Gap, leaving at 5:30 PM, sharp. Cost is $10. Dress warm. Please eat dinner before you come. Drivers/chaperones are needed. Please call Sarah.

Diocesan Youth Convention – DYC – for high school youth will be Friday to Sunday, November 3-5. Registration forms are available in the office and deadline is this Sunday, October 8, cost is $40. After October 8, cost is $50. This includes meals Saturday to Sunday morning, lodging and a t-shirt. Drivers and chaperones are needed. Please contact Sarah.

NEW PROGRAMS

Life After Confirmation (LAC) – Next meeting will be Sunday, December 3.

People to Saints – Middle school youth can dive deeper into their Catholic faith by learning about saints. Fun & interactive. Please join us next Sunday, October 15, at 3:30 p.m.

Spaghetti Dinner & Bingo Fundraiser, Sponsored by Knights of Columbus, on Saturday, October 14, at 6:30 PM, in the social hall. Cost is $12 per person for a spaghetti dinner. Dinner and 5 bingo cards is $20 per person. Children 6-12 years is $5 and includes dinner and 5 bingo cards. Children 5 years and younger are free. Additional bingo cards are $2 each. Blackout cards are $5 each. We will have beer and wine available for purchase and offer a 50/50 raffle. Tickets available after Masses, or please contact Alena Camarata or the parish office to purchase tickets in advance.

For the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima in Portugal, Pope Francis has offered the faithful an opportunity to receive a plenary indulgence. Please visit www.fatima.pt for detailed information. A statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be placed at the front of the church on Friday, October 13, for all who wish to visit and pray in honor of the Virgin Mary.

Upcoming Meetings

May Festival Committee meeting will be Monday, October 9, at 6 PM.

Compassion Corps will begin meeting on Thursday, October 12, at 7 PM in the library. Our goal is to provide a safe and confidential place to share with one another. If you are grieving the loss of a spouse, child, grandchild or dear friend, we invite you to join us for sharing, or just listening to others. This is a time to meet people that are sharing similar feelings and/or stages of grief. Sometimes meeting people that are, or have experienced the same type of loss, helps you to not feel alone. For more information, contact Kelly at 509-304-4866 or mccc22@gmail.com or Marianne at 509-859-3455 or mccc22@gmail.com.

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., but not Holy Week. Bring a lunch. For more information, please call Carole Vondergeest at 962-1551.

Please join us for a Welcome Fr. David and Volunteer Appreciation Dinner on Saturday, October 28. Appetizers at 6 PM, with dinner to follow at 6:30 PM. R.S.V.P. now to the parish office the number in your party and entree selection via standrewparish@yahoo.com or 962-9819, or the form that was distributed last week. We have over 50 ministries at St. Andrew’s that have young and old volunteers. Everyone is invited.

We now have low-gluten altar breads available. If you need this for communion, please inform the priest before Mass and be sure to receive communion from him. You may need to remind the priest again at the time of reception. This is most important if we have a visiting priest. If you need more information, please speak with Fr. David or the parish office.
St. Andrew’s is seeking a part-time maintenance & janitorial person. This would be about 2-15 hours per week as needed for duties including, but not limited to, general light repair work, snow shoveling/blowing, weeding, bathroom upkeep, table/chair set up/down, etc. Please contact the parish office at 962-9819 if interested. This might be the perfect job for a retired person.

Thank you St. Andrew’s parishioners, for your incredible outpouring of support for the Valley View Elementary Weekend Meals Program. The cupboards are full, and we will begin distributing this week.

Annual Fall Rummage Sale will be Friday and Saturday, October 20 & 21. We will be accepting quality items for sale beginning on Monday, October 16, in the social hall. Thank you for your support.

CATHOLIC RADIO IS IN OUR AREA! Tune in to 100.3 FM/KXAA in Cle Elum/Ellensburg.; 88.7 FM/KDMB in Moses Lake/Quincy; and 102.9 FM/KEFA in Wenatchee. Please consider supporting Catholic Radio in Central Washington.

Many thanks to all those who helped in any way with October Festival: set up, clean up, serving, committee members, donations of pies, breads, crafts, produce, and etc.. It was a great day of camaraderie and fellowship. Congratulations to our Raffle winners: Paula Ehoff (quilt), Louise Acheson (doll) and Maureen Bowen (afghan). See you again next year!

The MAGNIFICAT October classes will be Saturday, October 28, at St. Joseph School Wenatchee, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Church Mission Congress 2017 is Saturday, October 14, 8AM to 4PM, at Holy Family Church campus in Yakima. This is a day of prayer & reflection, keynote speakers, food, vendors, raffles and workshops in catechesis, youth curriculum, adult curriculum and adult formation. Please register with Alena Camarata or Sarah Moore. Catechists are encouraged to attend. This is part of the Magnificat program.

For questions please contact the diocesan office at 509-965-7117 or magnificat@yakimadiocese.net

In anticipation of All Saints’ Day and the Feast of St. Martin of Tours, The Saint Martin’s University Chorale will present an evening of readings, poetry, and choral music on Friday, October 6, at 7 PM, at St. Paul Cathedral in Yakima; and on Sunday, October 8, at 2:30 PM, at Immaculate Conception Church in Roslyn. Admission is free.

The next Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat for post-abortion healing, will be held October 27-29, at Immaculate Heart Retreat Center in Spokane. Registration closes Friday, October 6. Call confidentially 509-994-4355 or email healing@rvspokane.org. For more information please visit www.rvspokane.org/retreats.asp

The Knights of Columbus can provide financial assistance to those who are considering attending the Cornerstone Conference. If you would like to apply for assistance, please contact Jeremy Hochstein at 509-899-7525.

Cornerstone Catholic Conference, October 20-21, in Tacoma. Keynote speakers are Bishop Robert Barron, auxiliary bishop of Los Angeles and host of the Catholicism series; Helen Alvaré, columnist for America magazine and former staff for USCCB Pro-Life office and Ralph McCloud, Director of the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD). This Conference hopes to inspire and educate Catholics and others to continue working together to protect human life—the unborn, individuals who live in poverty or on the margins of society, and people at the end of life.

Prepares is part of this. A wide range of services and support are available to those families with children birth to 5 years of age. Visit www.preparesforlife.org or 509-946-4645 for more information, or flyer on bulletin table. St. Andrew’s is looking to see how this program can be implemented here via volunteers and referrals.

The next Baptism Preparation Class for parents and god parents will be offered Monday, October 30, at 7 PM, in English and Wednesday, October 25, at 7 PM in Spanish. Both parents and god parents must attend. Sorry, we are unable to offer childcare during this class. Pre-registration is now required by calling the parish office.

F.I.S.H. Food Bank is in need of canned foods for Fall, especially meats, vegetables, fruit, soup, sauce, etc. Thank you!

RCIA/RICA parish leadership and volunteers are invited to Mystagogia: Walking the Journey of Faith with our Newest Church Members with Bishop Joseph Tyson on Saturday, October 28, 10 AM to 1 PM, in the Diocesan Pastoral Center Dining Room in Yakima. Refreshments included. This workshop will have 2 parts: First we will review the history of Mystagogia stemming from the insights of St. Augustine and the ancient catechumenate. We will also look at the national norms on the RCIA from the USCCB. Second, we will have a panel of those who have successfully found ways to share with the newly initiated this final phase of the RCIA/RICA process.

To link your Fred Meyer Rewards Card to St. Andrew’s, please visit www.fredmeyer.com and sign in to your online account. Click on community rewards and link to St. Andrew’s #91058. You still earn your Rewards Points, Fuel Points and Rebates, while helping out St. Andrew’s.

Open Door Health Clinic Soup and Silent Auction will be Saturday, October 14, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., at Hal Holmes Center. Menu includes soup, salad and rolls. Live music and silent auction. Proceeds benefit Ellensburg’s free medical clinic.

BAWA Pint Night at Iron Horse Brewery will be Tuesday, October 24, 6 to 9 PM (kids can stay until 8 PM). Join us for a silent auction, dessert sale, beer tasting, Cameroon cuisine and Trivia. Proceeds benefit BAWA Health Initiative. Contact Blaise or Francine Dondj for more information at 925-1788.