MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO de MISA
Daily Mass/Misas Diarias: 8 am Monday-Friday
Tuesday: 7 pm (Spanish)
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 9 am and 5 pm
Misa del domingo: 11:15 am (Spanish)
Confessions: Saturday 3:30 pm. Also by appointment or after Mass.
Religious Education classes: Sundays 10:15am-11:05 a.m.
EDGE Middle School youth: Mondays at 6:30 p.m.
Life-Teen High School/youth: Sundays at 6:15 p.m.
CHosen 1st Year Confirmation: every other Wednesday at 7 pm

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**Fourth Sunday of Easter. April 22 2018**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**
April 22 Jubilate at 11:05 am. Rummage sale items accepted noon.
April 22 Rel. Ed. 10:15 am and Life Teen 6:15 pm
April 23 Edge 6:30pm- 8 pm
April 25 Confirmation 7-8:30 pm
April 28: Rent a Teen
April 28 Baptismal Class English 9am-12 pm
April 29 Life Teen 6:15 pm. St. Vincent the Paul 2nd collection.
April 30 Edge 6:30pm- 8 pm
May 1. Mass at Pacifica at 9 am
May 3rd: Mercy Night at 6:30 pm
May 4: Wedding at 5 pm. PNO 6-10 pm
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May 5: May Fest 11:30 am– 3:30 pm.
May 5: Quinceañera at 12 pm
May 6: Religious Education 2nd collection
May 6: Rel. Ed. 10:15 am and LAC 3:30 pm
May 9: Confirmation 7-8:30 pm
May 10: Second year First Communion at 6 pm

**FORMED:** Sign up for daily reflections in English or Spanish at www.formed.org and type our code 449536 to create your username and password.

Parishioner, Avery Garrett, will be presenting her Junior Voice Recital at the CWU Music Building on Sunday, April 29, at 2 p.m., in the Recital Hall. Come share beautiful music and delicious treats!"

**St. Andrew’s Annual Spring Rummage Sale** will be Friday and Saturday, April 27 & 28; 9 AM to 3 PM and 9 to noon, respectively. We will be accepting donations of gently used items beginning the afternoon of Sunday, April 22. Annie Graham (968-9381) is also looking for volunteers to help set up during the week and on sale days.

**MEN’S STUDY GROUP:** we will continue the 14 week series on Mondays, on the Holy Spirit, narrated by father Dave Pivanka, on YouTube. Join us Monday nights 6:30 in the library to watch the videos and join in discussion.

**UPCOMING CURSILLO** at St Joseph’s parish in Kennewick for men on April 26-29 and Women May 3-6, 2018. For more information call Carl Zeamer 509-943 9991 or email carlzeamer@gmail.com

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**St. Andrew’s Preschool is seeking a Teacher’s Assistant** for the 2018-19 school year. Hours are M-F 8:30-11:15 am. The position begins August 29. Contact the parish office for a complete job description and application.

**ALZHEIMER’S ASSOCIATION & ALTC OFFERS STAYING CONNECTED CLASS**
Are you or someone you know caring for a loved one with early stage memory loss? There is help available. Ellensburg, WA, May 2,9,16 & 23rd. Staying Connected is a health promotion and social support program designed for people with early stage memory loss and a companion, partner, or “social buddy”. Topics include: Learning to cope with daily challenges of memory; steps to maintain your quality of life; and making realistic to ensure you will be prepared for future needs. Meetings are held Wednesday mornings 10AM-11:30 AM. Pre-registration is required. For information call Aging & Disability Resources Center at (509) 925-8765.

**Young at Heart,** 55 and older, meets for breakfast at the Palace Cafe on the second Monday of the month at 9 AM. Please join us on Monday, May 14. For more information, please contact Judy Poplawski, 962-5889. Thanks

**Friends of the Foundation Luncheon**
Dedicated teachers and Catechists throughout Central Washington are sharing the faith – and kids are coming to know Christ! Join the Trustees of the Central Washington Catholic Foundation in honoring the life and support of Kay Arneil and celebrating Catholic education in our parishes and schools. We promise that you will be uplifted and inspired by both the mission and the stories of faith. This is an informational event. You will not be asked to make a donation. Lunch is free, but an RSVP is required. May 24th – St. Joseph, Wenatchee 12:00pm – 1:15pm. You may register by calling (509) 972-3732 or send an email to: kwilmes@cwcatholicfoundation.org.

**THE HUNGER FOR LOVE IS MUCH MORE DIFFICULT TO REMOVE THAN THE HUNGER FOR BREAD**

*Mother Teresa*
As he states in today’s reflection, but that He was really the only way to salvation. Peter did not merely proclaim Jesus as a way of salvation, but also be doubt, the unwillingness to trust God’s love because our lives may be filled with hurts and the pain of living. Sometimes it may just take us time to gain a complete understanding of God’s love for us. The idea that we are all God’s children is reinforced many times in Holy Scripture. In Second Corinthians, Paul tells us that God says, “I will be a Father to you, and you shall be my sons and daughters.” In his letter to the Romans Paul cites the Holy Spirit, saying “The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God.”

Christ is the light of the world, and we are called to provide light as well, to reflect His light. That is what it means by grasping what salvation is, and accepting that we are the children of God. Nevertheless, as we hear the Gospel of John and the reference to the Good Shepherd, that is what brings everything into focus for us. On this Fourth Sunday of Easter, Good Shepherd Sunday, we need to be aware that we remain in the Easter Season. The Easter Season is a continual celebration of the once central mystery of our Church, that Jesus gave His life for us by dying on the Cross. He saved us from our sins. We have reflected previously on why the image of a shepherd and sheep is an important one during Jesus’ time. To be a shepherd in Jesus’ time required living a life of total self-giving. The area where Jesus lived and worked had ground that was mostly rough and rocky. Raising sheep was, nonetheless, possible. However, it required moving constantly to find pastures for grazing. Every flock of sheep needed a shepherd who would lead the flock from place to place so the sheep could eat and survive. (“The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall lack.”)

Thus, being a shepherd could be very difficult. The shepherd was on duty every hour of every day. In the midst of that sheep could get lost, they could be attacked by predators, and they could be stolen by others. We as people are not that different from the sheep. Sheep without a shepherd were virtually defenseless. Look at our society. We have children who are orphans even though they have parents; we have people who long to be loved and protected. We are among those people. But we have a Good Shepherd, Who loves us and Who is with us always, because we are His children.

**FAITH FORMATION.** Everyone is invited to attend a 5-week series titled *Overcoming Obstacles to Holiness* by Fr. John Riccardo on Thursdays at 6:30pm at the library beginning on April 26 to May 24.

**STEWARSHIP REFLECTION April 22, 2018**

In the First Letter of St. John, from which our Second Reading comes, John declares, “Beloved, we are God’s children now.” St. John also provides us with our Gospel Reading. In that passage the Lord speaks of being the Good Shepherd. It reinforces the idea of us being the children of God as Jesus says, “…and there will be one flock, one shepherd.” Jesus is certainly our Good Shepherd. Today, the Fourth Sunday of Easter, is also called Good Shepherd Sunday. The Good Shepherd lays down His life for His sheep, which is what Jesus did for us, His children.

Throughout the Acts of the Apostles we are treated to St. Peter preaching. Today’s First Reading is another example of that. Five separate times in Acts Peter preaches. His emphasis is always on Christ’s Resurrection. In one way or another in every sermon Peter states, “God raised him from the dead.” In association with Peter’s stress of Jesus’ resurrection is the call for repentance. Peter tends to remind us that if we truly repent, our sins are forgiven. He tells us that not only are we forgiven, but we are saved. But Peter did not merely proclaim Jesus as a way of salvation, but that He was really the only way to salvation. As he states in today’s reading, “There is no salvation through anyone else, nor is there any other name under heaven given to the human race by which we are to be saved.” Peter explains many times that Jesus provides us all hope, that “our hope is in the Lord.” He is the Good Shepherd on Whom we must rely. Just as St. Peter wants us to understand and appreciate what Jesus did for us, St. John (in his First Letter, our Second Reading) wants us to know how much God loves us. John asks us to “see what love the Father has bestowed on us.” John tells us we need to not only be aware of it, but also to ponder and meditate on it intently. Do we really do that? It is important.

Ramon Zepeda and Norma Villa’s Wedding - April 1