



The Prodigal Son

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: Saturdays at 3:30 pm. Also by appt.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Elementary: Sundays 10:15-11:05 am

EDGE Middle School Youth: Mondays 6:30-8:00 pm

LifeTeen High School Youth: Sundays 6:15-8:30 pm

Confirmation: Wednesdays 7-8:30 pm

OFFICE HOURS / HORAS DE OFICINA

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Youth Minister/Confirmation: Sarah Moore

Elementary Religious Education: Alena Camarata

Preschool: Mari Gabriel

FAITH, PRAYER & SOCIAL MINISTRIES

Centering Prayer: Mondays at 5:15 pm in the meditation crying room. Contact Karen Gookin at 962-9648.

St. Vincent de Paul Ministries: 1st & 3rd Sundays at 10 am in the activity center. Contact Maryann at 859-3455.

Our Mother of Perpetual Help: Tuesdays at 8:30 am

Tuesday Study Group: Tuesdays 9am in the Library. Contact Hugh Spall at 925-2937.

Pro-Life Prayer: Outside of Planned Parenthood on Kelleher Ford property. Tuesdays 10:30 am. Contact Larry & Bea Cates 857-2163.

Crafts Unlimited: Tuesdays 11:00 am in middle-west room. Contact Carole Vondergeest at 962-1551.

R.C.I.A.: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. Thursdays at 7:30pm in the Library. Call Scott Zimmerman 962-9661 or email gitanesteel@yahoo.com

Compassion Corps: 2nd & 4th Thursdays -7:30 PM in the couch/youth room. Contact Kelly Held at 304-4866.

Knights of Columbus: 4th Thursday at 7 pm in middle-west room. Contact Jeremy Hochstein 509-306-6589.

Wives in Prayer: Fridays 9-11 am in the Library. Contact Emily Stickney at 968-9195.

SAYA: For young adults. Contact Rachel Hochstein at 360-325-6682.

Catholic Campus Ministry: At 706 N Sprague. Contact Marcus Ayers at 925 3043. Mass on Campus on Sunday at 7 pm in SURC 137

**Fourth Sunday
Of Lent
March 31, 2019**

**Welcome
to our visitors!**

<i>With gratitude and appreciation</i>	
March 23 & 24	
Regular Sunday	4714.50
RE attendance Env.	11.00
Building Fund	1790.00
RE Program	1057.50
Total	7573.00

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 8

- Mon—Joseph Drotzmann Family
- Tue—†Paula Romeo, 1 yr. Anniv.
- Wed—†Bill Seubert, 1 yr. Anniv.
- Thr—†Ryan Thompson
- Fri—†Mickey Thayer, 1 yr. Anniv.
- Sat 5pm—Ethan Bowen
- Sun 5pm—†Dr. Raymond Hall

Please pray for the elderly and sick of our parish especially, Bruce Skibeness, Sharon Rosell, Martha Noyes, Bluetta Jump Tierney, Roy Bliss and our priests and nuns who suffer from poor health, we pray to the Lord. (Please call the parish office with updates; this list will be reviewed weekly.)

Thank you for your continued for the **St. Vincent 5th Sunday Collection** this weekend.

The **1st Weekend Religious Education Collection** will be April 6 & 7. Thank you for your continued support.

April Birthdays: 1-John Pickett, Victor Recendiz 2-Luca Masuccio 3-Jose Rodriguez, Julie St. Hilaire 4-Fredy Hernandez 5-CC Hochstein, Citlali Maldonado, Matt Cziske 6-Javier Arias 7-Zulema Magallon



St. Andrew's Pre School Registration for the 2019-20 school year is now open to everyone. The Tu-Th class is filling fast; M-W-F AM class is full, with a wait list; and M-W-Th afternoon class has spots available. Forms are at the parish office.

Please join us on Fridays of Lent for **Stations of the Cross** at 6 PM, followed by a KC sponsored **Soup dinner** at 6:35 PM. Donations accepted.

Magnificat/V-Encuentro classes continue on Saturday, April 6, at St. Paul Cathedral-Yakima, at 9 AM.

FAITH FORMATION CORNER

MEN'S GROUP: Mondays at 6:30 PM in the Library. Questions? Call Mark Hayden 509-929-2035.

The **Tuesday Morning Study group** has begun *American Catholics: A History of the Roman Catholic Community in the US*. We welcome new members.

Annual Steubenville Retreat Registration is happening now until Sunday, April 14. Open to students entering high school Fall 2019 to recently graduated students. Head count is needed for hotel reservations. Please contact Sarah if you would like to attend.

Attention Seniors: we are collecting senior photos. Please send hard or soft copy to Sarah. High School Seniors will be celebrated at Mass on Sunday, June 2, at 9 AM. A cake and punch reception will follow. Please mark your calendars.

Please be sure to visit the **Annual Ministry Fair** in the activity center this weekend after all Masses. Many of our ministries are in need of more volunteers. Also, please consider how you might take an active part in one or more ministries. You are also asked to fill out the **Annual Stewardship form**. Your information will be forwarded to the appropriate ministry head for contact. Thank you for all you do at St. Andrew's.

The **Annual Chrism Mass** will be Tuesday, April 9, at 7 PM, at St. Paul Cathedral. Everyone is invited. Oils are blessed and returned to the parishes to use in Sacraments during the year.

Karlo Broussard will be at St. Joseph's in Wenatchee 6:30 PM, Friday, April 12 to 2:30 PM Saturday, April 13, for a Lenten Retreat. Free will offering. For more information, visit [www.http://www.stjosephwen.org/](http://www.stjosephwen.org/)

The **Diocesan Palm Sunday Bilingual Youth Retreat** in Grandview is Friday to Saturday, April 12-13. Please see Sarah for more information.

After the **Easter Vigil** on Saturday, April 20, we will have a reception to welcome the newest members to our parish family. If you would like to provide a dessert item or deviled eggs, or help with clean up/set up, please call the parish office.

Faith Education Funding Available—APPLY NOW!

The Central Washington Catholic Foundation offers three scholarships for college students.

Deadline is April 1.

Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) grants provide financial assistance for children (K-12) to attend one of the eight Central Washington Catholic Schools. Contact your school for more information.

Deadline for renewals is April 1.

Deadline for new applications is May 1.

You are invited to join the Central Washington Catholic Foundation Board of Trustees in celebrating the blessings afforded by the Friends of the Foundation. Please join us on Wednesday May 14 at 5:45 pm in the social Hall of St. Andrew Parish, for a one-hour Lenten meal as we recap how the generosity of many in 2018 is helping children and their families walk with Christ today. R.S.V.P Required at: mrichert@cwecatholicfoundation.org or 509.972.3732

ADORATION TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT.

From 8:30 am to 3:30 pm in the church. We need adorers from 12:30-3:30 pm

HOLY CROSS CEMETERY. There will be a meeting on Monday April 1 at 6:30 pm to talk about the financial future and the up keeping of Holy Cross cemetery.

PENANCE SERVICE: TUESDAY April 2 at 6:30 pm. Our second penance service will be on April 25 in preparation for Mercy Sunday April 28.

BISHOP'S VISIT. Bishop Tyson will come to our parish on April 11 for a leadership meeting from 5-8:30 pm. He will talk about the scandals in the church and what our diocese is doing to prevent them. The second session is about the curriculum of our Religious Education classes. Although this meeting is intended for our parish leaders (members of our councils, religious education teachers, personnel.) you are welcome to attend, as long as you call the parish office, so we can have a head count for the light supper we will provide.

SPRING CHURCH CLEANING

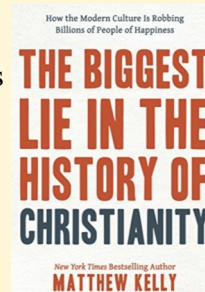
Please plan to help us cleaning the church in preparation for our Easter Celebrations on Saturday April 13 from 9-11 am.

THE 50th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF PROFESSED RELIGIOUS LIFE FOR SISTER SUSAN MADLEY,

SVF will be on Saturday June 8 after the 5pm Mass. Please join us in this parish celebration to acknowledge the golden anniversary of sister Susan service to the church. Call the parish office if you would like to join us for dinner that night.

THE BIGGEST LIE IN IN THE HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY is

an inspiration book by Matthew Kelly. Please join us on April 14 at 10:30 am as we continue to share and discuss our personal reflections of this book. The meeting will be next door after coffee and donuts.



Stewardship Bulletin Reflection: March 31, 2019

We are all familiar with this amazing story, the bratty younger son who has the audacity to ask his dad for his inheritance early, only to squander it sinfully away. It makes us bristle instinctively at his nerve when we read it. But isn't that exactly what we do when we selfishly turn away from God (in big or small ways) in our own lives? We squander away the inheritance of grace He has given us. And what comfort this passage gives to those of us who watch with sorrowful hearts for a return to faith for own "prodigal" loved ones. Our Father is watching and waiting for their return to Him even more eagerly and patiently than we are.

UPCOMING EVENTS APRIL 2019

1. Holy Cross cemetery pilot board meeting. 6:30 pm
- 2 Mass at Pacifica: 9 am. Preschool Registration opens
- 2 **Penance Service at 6:30 pm**
- 4 Sacrament Prep. Parent Class at 6:30 pm.
- 5 Stations of the Cross 6 pm. KC Soup 6:35pm
- 6-7 Religious Ed. Collection. First Saturday Mass.
- 9 Chrism Mass at 7 pm at St. Paul Cathedral
- 11: Leadership meeting with Bishop Tyson 5-8:30pm
- 11 RCIA at 7:30 pm
- 12 Stations of the Cross 6 pm. KC Soup 6:35pm
- 13 English Bap. Class at 9am.
- 13 First Communion Confessions 11 am
- 13 Church Cleaning 9-11 am
- 14 PALM SUNDAY
- 15 Finance Council 6:30 pm. RCIA Class at 7:30 pm
- 18 HOLY THURSDAY Mass 6 pm. Misa 7:15 pm.