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“Come after me,
and I will make you
fishers of men.”

MATTHEW 4:19

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ST. ANDREW'S PARISH

401 S WILLOW ST • ELLENSBURG, WA

FAITH, PRAYER & SOCIAL MINISTRIES

R.C.I.A (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) meets Thursdays at 6:30 PM. For those who are interested in learning about the Catholic faith. Contact Scott Zimmerman at 509-929-3790 or email gitanesteel@yahoo.com

Centering Prayer Mondays at 5:15 PM in the cry room. Contact Karen Gookin at 962-9648

Tuesday Morning Study Group meets weekly on Tuesdays at 9 AM, in the library. Contact Hugh Spall at 925-2937

Wives In Prayer is seeking help to provide child care during Friday meetings. Contact Emily Stickney at 968-9195

Men's Fellowship Group Mondays at 6:30 PM. Contact Mark Hayden at 929-2035.

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Tuesdays 8:30AM in church.

Pro-Life Prayer Join us outside of Planned Parenthood on Kelleher Ford property. Tuesdays 10:30 AM.

Compassion Corps 2nd & 4th Thursday at 6:30 PM (Jan 9 & 23) in the couch/youth room. Contact: Kelly Held at 962-1250

Crafts Unlimited meet Tuesdays 11 AM in the middle-west room. Contact Carole Vondergeest at 962-1551

SAYA (St. Andrew's Young Adults). First meeting of the year is Thursday, January 16, at 6PM, in the social hall. Bring a dish to share. Child care provided. Contact Rachel Hochstein at 360-325-6682

St. Vincent de Paul Ministries 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month at 10:15 AM (Jan 5 & 19). Seeking new members. Contact Maryanne Witkowski 509-859-3455

The Knights of Columbus Will meet Thursday, January 23, at 7 PM. Contact Josh Mattson at 509-856-4579

PREPARES is a Catholic ministry for WA State which mentors young families with children up to the age of 5. We currently serve 3 families. Next meeting is Sat, Feb 22, at 10 AM, in the activity center lobby. Please refer young families to Contact Sally Gililand 206-854-2936

Catholic Radio: 100.3 FM/KXAA

Catholic Campus Ministry (CCM): 706 N Sprague Contact Marcus Ayers at 925-3043. Mass on Campus on Sunday at 7 pm in SURC 137 during school year.

MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS

Saturday Vigil-Vigilia en Ingles: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 9 am and 5 pm

Misa del domingo: 11:15 am (Spanish)

Daily Mass: 8 am Monday-Friday

Misas en español: 7pm Martes

Confessions: Saturdays at 3:30 pm, also by appt.

Confesiones: Sábados a las 3:30 pm o por cita.

OFFICE HOURS / HORAS DE OFICINA

Monday-Friday 8 am - noon & 1-4:00 pm

Lunes -Viernes 8am-12pm y de 1-4:00 pm

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Deacon James Johnson: 509-929-3588

Office Administrator: Barbara Johnson

Youth Minister/Confirmation: Sarah Moore

Elementary Religious Education: Alexandra Ruvalcaba

Preschool: Mari Gabriel

**3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 26, 2020**

Welcome to our visitors!

<i>With gratitude and appreciation</i>	
Jan 18 & 19	
Regular Sunday	3,442.00
Building Fund	1,100.00
RE Program	345.00
Christmas to church	50.00
Initial Offering	30.00
Catholic Communications	105.00
Total	5,072.00

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF JAN 27

Tue—†Shirlie Hocter
Wed—†Joseph Prsek
Thr —†Doriene Jacobs
Sat—†T.J. Johnson
Sun—†Hilda Salter, 1 yr. Anniv.

Thank you for your generosity to the **CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN**. Your support help spreads the Gospel message locally and nationally. Envelopes are on the bulletin table. Visit www.usccb.org/cc

Feb 1 & 2 will be the **FIRST WEEKEND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COLLECTION**. Thank you for your continued generosity.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED to keep the parish office open when Barbara is gone. If you can assist for several hours or more, please contact the parish office at 962-9819.

We are most grateful to our loyal donors and new donors to the **ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL (ACA)**. We have received pledges from 140 households in the amount of \$47,075.50, towards a parish pledge goal of \$44,006. As always, 100% participation of our 1,100+ households is our main goal. Any pledges over the goal are rebated back to the parish. Please visit www.yakimadiocese.org if you'd like to donate online. Please prayerfully consider your pledge this year. Your ACA donation statement for 2019 will be mailed shortly from the Diocese of Yakima.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND ELDERLY OF OUR PARISH especially Christina Keys, Sharon Rosell, Don Bacon, Dorothy Drotzmann, Msgr. Perron Auve, Fr. Mike Ibach, Fr. Reilly, Fr. Murtaugh, and our priests and nuns who suffer from poor health, we pray to the Lord. (Please call the parish office with updates; reviewed weekly.)

JAN BIRTHDAYS 27-Matt Fromherz, Teresa Lazcano, Casey Ross 28-Sue Connolly, Tamara Holmes 29-Valerio Vargas 30-Daleyza Farias 31-Karina Arreola, Megan Bruce, Gary Favero, Patricia Garcia Feb 1-Elizabeth Arreola, George Engel 2-Paula Ehoff, Billie Marquiss, George Ross, Noella Wyatt

HAPPY JAN/FEB ANNIVERSARY 28-William & Elaine Bobovski (53) Feb 2-David & Katrina Muratore 6-Ed & Shirley Sendelbach (55)

If you have an update to the Birthday or Anniversary lists, please contact the parish office.

End of Year Donation statements have been mailed. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Barb Johnson at 962-9819.

As you pack up your Christmas decorations, please remember to **RETURN YOUR ADVENT WREATH FRAME AND EMBELLISHMENTS** to re-use again next year. Thank you.

The next **CEMETERY COMMITTEE** meeting is Monday, February 10, at 6:30 PM.

We have been trying to update our data base this past year and realize you may have registered a few years ago using a half page-size form. If you haven't filled out the new letter-size **REGISTRATION FORM**, please consider doing so. We only have a small percentage of new forms turned in. New registration forms are available on the bulletin table. Thank you for your assistance.

Did you know the **Ellensburg Community Clothing Center** is located at the Community Annex at United Methodist Church? Open to customers Tues/Sat, 9AM—noon, and college nights 4-7 PM every 3rd Thr. Many choices in all sizes, infant to 5X.

Back by popular demand in the Diocese of Yakima.
THE SHROUD OF TURIN TALK AND REPLICA

February 5-9, 2020

Wed, Feb 5, 7 PM, CWU Student Union & Recreational Center—Room 137

Thr, Feb 6, 7 PM, Our Lady of Fatima Church, Moses Lake

Fri, Feb 7, 7 PM, Christ the King, Richland

Sat, Feb 8, noon, St. Joseph, Wenatchee

Sun, Feb 9, 3 PM, Holy Family, Yakima

SEE the full size Shroud replica. **HEAR** the history. **DISCOVER** how science and faith meet. **EXPERIENCE** the Passion of Jesus in a new way.

CENTRAL WASHINGTON CATHOLIC FOUNDATION is offering several scholarships for those planning to attend/or attending a Catholic college or university. Application deadline is April 1, 2020. For specific details, visit <https://cwatholicfoundation.org/>

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PICK OF THE WEEK

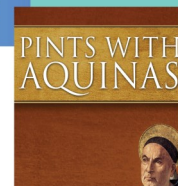
January 28 is the feast day of Saint Thomas Aquinas. In celebration, Matt Fradd sits down with Peter Kreeft as he shares 12 quick stories about Saint Thomas Aquinas.

Pints With Aquinas

12 Stories about Aquinas

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POWERED BY THE AQUINAS SOCIETY



There will be a **CONFIRMATION RETREAT** Friday-Saturday, January 31-February 1. Please keep our students in your prayers as they grow closer to Christ.

UPCOMING PARENT MEETINGS

CONFIRMATION PREPARATION is Wednesday, February 5, at 7 PM

FIRST YEAR SACRAMENT PREPARATION is Sunday, February 9, at 10:15 AM

SECOND YEAR SACRAMENT PREPARATION is Sunday, February 23 at 10:15 AM

MAGNIFICAT classes will resume 9-11AM, Saturdays, February 15 Holy Spirit—Kennewick, February 22 St. Joseph School—Wenatchee, or February 29 St. Paul Cathedral building. Topic: *Dante's World Today: Hell, Purgatory & Heaven*, presented by Frs. Peter Steele & Daniel Steele. Followed by Anchoring Faith & Science 11:30AM-1PM. Topic: *Scientific Evidence of a Soul*.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Classes will not meet this Sunday and Monday, Jan 26 & 27, for school semester break

Elementary— Sundays, 10:15—11:05 AM

High School Youth Group— Sundays, 6:15—7:30 PM

Middle School—Mondays, 6:30—8 PM

Confirmation Preparation—Wednesdays, 7—8:30 PM.

Diocese of Yakima presents an Evening Session with Dr. Deidre Wilson—Teaching Teens and Young Adults Natural Family Planning in a Secular World on Monday, February 17, 6-8 PM, at Holy Family Parish in Yakima. English speaking event. Spanish resources will be distributed at a later time. Everyone encouraged to attend. All youth under age 18 must be accompanied by an adult or have a signed permission slip. For more information or forms contact the Diocese of Yakima at 509-965-7117.

3RD ANNUAL CENTRAL WASHINGTON CATHOLIC YOUTH CAMP—June 21 – 26, 2020 at Lazy F Camp in Ellensburg. Students entering 5th grade - 2020 high school grads welcome. **Register now** at www.CorChristi.net/camp "Like" us on Facebook. We will fill up fast. This year's theme: *Ocean of Mercy*. **Questions?** Contact Director Michael Drollman at (509) 699-1235.

Rachel's Vineyard is a post-abortion recovery program for all those affected by abortion. Women and men of all faiths are invited to begin the healing process at our next retreat, March 20-22, 2020, near Ellensburg. This is a safe, confidential place to connect with our team of caring professionals and others to process your experience. Space is limited. Cost is \$129. Need-based scholarships are available through our diocesan Cornerstone Ministry.

Stewardship Reflection

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

IS 8:23-9:3; PS 27:1,4, 13-14;1
COR 1:10-13,17; MT 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

Today's readings remind us that stewardship is not just a thing we do. Rather, stewardship is at the core of who we are as disciples of Christ.

Our first reading, from Isaiah, contains this prophecy of Christ and what His saving message would mean to all who embrace it. "The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; upon those who dwelt in the land of gloom a light has shone." We are among those blessed people on whom the light of Christ has shone. By virtue of our baptism, we, who were once in the darkness of original sin, have been reborn into the great light that is God's grace in us.

What a privilege! Yet, with this privilege comes the responsibility to live for God and bring His good news to all we meet at work, at school, in our community, and right in our own home — in other words to live as His good stewards.

And, there is a certain urgency that comes with the call to a stewardship way of life as we see in our Gospel passage from Matthew. Jesus says, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." In other words, turn away from selfishness, turn towards God and live as His disciple now — don't wait!

In this same passage, the very first disciples give us examples of a good steward's prompt "yes" when the Lord called to them. Our Lord invites them to "Come after me and I will make you fishers of men." They did not hesitate but "immediately left their boat and followed him." They put our Lord and His will first.

This is the essence of a stewardship way of life — to be always ready for the ways our Lord is calling us to bring His light to others. It's more than something we do. It's who we are.

