**ST. ANDREW’S PARISH**

**401 S WILLOW ST • ELLensburg, WA**

**DUE TO COVID-19, ACTIVITIES ARE CURRENTLY SUSPENDED**

**PARISH 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**

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

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

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

The Knights of Columbus Thursdays at 7 PM. **Contact Josh Mattson at 509-856-4579**

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

SAYA (St. Andrew’s Young Adults). **Contact Rachel Hochstein at 360-325-6682**

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

PREPARES is a Catholic pro-life ministry which supports and accompanies young families. Donations can be left in the activity center lobby at the PREPARES donation crib. **Your prayers are most appreciated.**

**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.

**FORMED.org** parish code: 449536 Catholic resources free to all parishioners of all ages, in English & Spanish.
Kittitas County is now in Phase 2 and we may now have public Mass celebrations with 50 or less people present. Please visit our website for the latest information available.

Mass with Bishop Tyson on KIMA, Sundays at noon (English) & 9 AM on Hispanivision.

https://www.ewtn.com/
https://www.ewtn.com/tv
http://www.catholicfaithnetwork.org/
https://saltandlighttv.org/

Fr. David is recording Sunday Masses and posting on our parish website https://st-andrewsparish.org/

Please feel free to call the parish office if you have questions or needs. 962-9819

https://www.wordonfire.org/daily-mass/

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Please feel free to call the parish office if you have any questions or need further assistance please call: Barbara Johnson 509-962-9819. To request Anointing of the Sick Sacrament call: Fr. David Jimenez 509-901-3885

Barbara Johnson has been calling parish households over the last couple of weeks to review parish registration information. Thank you for taking the time to speak with her. Lots of messages were left and Barbara is anticipating your call back. Feel free to call the parish office if you’d like to update your information, but didn’t hear from Barbara or have a message left. There were also disconnected phone numbers.

In regards to Sunday collections and Second collections, please feel free to:
1. mail in your donation.
2. donate online using the VANCO link on our web page https://www.eservicepayments.com/cgi-bin/Vanco_ver3.vps?apver3=wWsk24ZWJSTZKSgdiRMKlgoBDvSSG3VIWOQC PJNNSx8upkiY7jFoxDF0szUE7Kas0nFx2N8o8lDKUGu GuF396vbZzOyj61r5a_QFvIDokHauXHubq5Zap5jV mPerc4ZeYhCCKZhbESjGNoMz5B6dx_yH3FNNXLz6rtPC2i2h9A=&ver=3
3. or an electronic payment through your bank.

Thank you for your continued support.

RICE BOWLS can be returned when Masses resume.

ST. VINCENT 5TH SUNDAY COLLECTION will be this weekend of May 30 & 31. Thank you for your continued support, especially during these difficult times.

Please pray for the sick and elderly of our Parish especially all those with coronavirus, Fr. Jose de Jesus Ramirez, Fr. Alex Trejo, Deacon Genaro Ramos & his wife, Maria, Nadine Johnson, Linda Brennan, Christina Keys, Sharon Rosell, Dorothy Drotzmann, Fr. Tom Burnell, Msgr. Perron Auye, Fr. Reilly, Fr. Murtaugh, Fr. John O’Shea and our priests and nuns who suffer from poor health, we pray to the Lord. Please call the parish office with updates.

JUNE BIRTHDAYS 1-Junior Arias, Emilia Beltran, Marilee Coscarart, Abel Elsey, Mariana Garcia, Adrienne Herion, Theo Kirkham, Heidi Klindworth, Belinda Nambo, Luz Villa 2-Carolyn Bramstedt, Alejandro Guerrero, Kaitlyn Muratore, Anne Pflug, Lilliana Wood 3-Frances Town, Barron Bruce, Elaine Bruce, Dorothy Drotzmann, Roy Martinez, Michael Muratore, Catherine Sunday 4-Eliyah Ayers, Barbara Diefenbach, James Pryal, Brian Stickney, Maria Amaya 5-Raphael Gomez, Shawn Hayden, Oscar Herrera, Ricardo Lopez, Jerry Witon 6-Kym Alejandres, Josse Arreola, Mirian Perez 7-Clare Elsey, William King, Ann Leichleiter, Sr. Susan Madley

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES 3-Joe & Mary Hubbard 5-Gustavo & Maria Lopez, Thomas & Shelley Berry 6-Alejandro & Maria Caballero

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

Thank you to Pro et Patria Ministry for placing flags at Holy Cross Cemetery this past weekend.
Open Registration for 2020-21 St. Andrew’s Preschool is in process. The Tu/Th class is full and there are 2 openings for M/W/F AM class and 9 openings for M/W/Th PM class. Please contact the parish office. The preschool is now officially closed through May. We look forward to seeing you in September.

Fr. David is accepting appointments for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. If you are unable to schedule the Sacrament of Reconciliation, please visit Bishop Tyson’s column of Making a Perfect Contrition at https://yakimadiocese.org/2020/03/25/act-of-perfect-contrition-acto-de-contricion-perfecto/

Congratulations to Seminarian Michael Kelly who was ordained as a Transitional Deacon on May 15, and Deacon Edgar Quiroga who was ordained to the Priesthood on May 22. If you missed it, you can view on https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rcSNdZHLqdQ OR https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BgbRFCpFHbo respectively.

Notes of encouragement can be sent to:

Mr. Michael Kelly, c/o St. Joseph Parish, 212 N. 4th St., Yakima, WA 98901, and/or Fr. Edgar Quiroga, c/o Christ the King Parish, 1111 Stevens Dr., Richland, WA 99354

When planting your garden, please remember our Annual October Festival Garden Store. If you have more time for crafts now, you can get ahead on items for the Craft Store.

Bishop Joseph Tyson will be celebrating his 2005 Bishop Ordination Anniversary on June 6. He was installed as Bishop of Yakima on May 31, 2011. We wish many blessings to him.

Cor Christi Camp (youth summer camp) has been postponed from June until August 16-21. We have a need for more volunteers and we have room for 40 more campers. Visit http://www.corchristi.net/camp/ for more information and registration. Questions? Contact Director Michael Drollman at (509) 699-1235.

Magnificat is offering $5 trial subscriptions for those who would like a personal missal to follow along during Mass at home. Email John@magnificat.com for more information. Digital and/or Hard copy options available.

St. Andrew’s still packs meals for the Valley View Weekend Meals Program and will continue through Friday, June 12. We have 27 youngsters on our list and about 15 of them pick up their meal bags every Friday. Please help! We need food items such as applesauce cups, oatmeal packets, Chef Boyardee cans, or cash to shop. Thank you for your generous continued support.

Stewardship Reflection

Throughout our readings today, we see the amazing truth that the Holy Spirit gives us gifts and guidance in a very personal way. We are meant to use these gifts to build up the Body of Christ in a way that is unique to each one of us.

Our first reading, from the Acts of the Apostles, recalls the dramatic moment when the Holy Spirit was poured out upon the apostles. “Suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim.”

Notice how personal and individual is this outpouring of the Spirit. This personalized way of “gifting” the apostles allowed them each to reach different people, sharing with them the “mighty acts of God.” Embracing the stewardship way of life means that we allow the Holy Spirit to guide us in the best use of the unique gifts He has given to each of us, to accomplish the particular mission entrusted to us.

Jesus gives us this mission in our Gospel passage from John. “As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” But we must not let this responsibility overwhelm us. Jesus Himself, tells us so — “Peace be with you.”

As this Easter season comes to a close, let us be at peace. And let us resolve to lean on the Holy Spirit more and more as our guide through the stewardship way of life.

— Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants

The Diocese of Yakima is teaming up with Catholic Charities Serving Central Washington to help those in our diocese who are most affected by the Coronavirus Pandemic by creating the Light of Hope Fund. 100% of the donations to the fund will go to individuals and families impacted by this pandemic. Donations to the fund will be matched with up to $25,000 with funds from the Diocese of Yakima’s portion of the Catholic Campaign for Human Development collection. Please encourage those looking for a way to help their neighbors to contribute to the Light of Hope Fund. Donations may be made online at https://catholiccharitiescw.org/ or by mailing donations to Light of Hope Fund, Catholic Charities, 5301-E Tieton Drive, Suite C, Yakima, WA 98908. For those who cannot donate at this time, be assured that your prayers will be very much appreciated.