



ST. JOSEPH

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The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph
December 30, 2018

“Blessed are they who dwell in your house, O Lord.”

Scripture Readings for Today

1 Samuel 1:20-22, 24-28
Psalm 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10
1 John 3:1-2, 21-24
Luke 2:41-52

Scripture Readings for January 1

Numbers 6:22-27
Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8
Galatians 4:4-7
Luke 2:16-21

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Mike Kwiatkowski—Pastor
Email: Fr.Mike@stjoeparish.org
Deacon Chalo Martinez - 263-9553
gmartinez@dioceseofspokane.org

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday: 8:30 am—4:30 pm

WORSHIP

Saturday - 5:30 pm
Sunday - 8:00 am & 10:30 am
Tuesday, Thursday & Friday - 8:30am
Wednesday—6:00 pm

STAFF 509-926-7133

Parish Secretary

Cindy Baird
Email: info@stjoeparish.org

Finances

Becky Schoultz
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Religious Ed Director

Teresa McCann
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Housekeeping

Barbara Haney

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4—5 pm or by
appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday 12:30—2:30 p.m.
Wednesday 6:00—8:00 a.m.
Wednesday 6:30—10:00 p.m.

ROSARY

Saturday at 10am in the
Eucharist Chapel.



“...listening to them and asking them questions, and all who heard him were astounded at his understanding and his answers.” Luke 2:46b-47

St. Joseph Parish — Otis Orchards



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 29
5:30pm †Bonnie Bailey
Sunday, December 30
8:00am People of the Parish
10:30am Richard Baird
Tuesday, January 1
10:00am †Richard Hinojos
Wednesday, January 2
6:00pm †Lillian Lonam
Thursday, January 3
8:30am Jim Dewey
Friday, January 4
8:30am †Bonnie Bailey
Saturday, January 5
5:30pm †Bonnie Bailey
Sunday, January 6
8:00am People of the Parish
10:30am †Maria del Carmen
Rodriquez



Solemnity of Mary
Holy Day of Obligation
Mass Jan 1, at 10am

Scriptures for January 6th

Isaiah 60:1-6
Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13
Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6
Matthew 2:1-12



The Parish Staff would like to wish all of you a Happy and Prosperous New Year

Sincere THANK YOU to our generous parishioners for your deep sharing to our Christmas projects!



42 students from Otis Orchards Elementary received special Christmas joy from your gifts.

From the House of Charities ornaments three car loads were given to Catholic Charities so far, one of which was delivered to Summitview Apartments for 32 families with a total of 46 children.

For the Advent Calendar Box Project, with items given to those cared for by Catholic Charities' many outreach programs, we delivered over 50 full boxes last Sunday. **It's not too late to bring your box back to St. Joe's. Bring any time before Jan 20th.** Your generosity is AWE INSPIRING!

WEEK AHEAD –December 31-January 6

Tuesday	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED	
	Mass	10am
Wednesday	Mom's Group	9:30am
	Bible Timeline	6:30pm
Thursday	Faith Study Group	9am
Sunday	Knights Executive Meeting	9:15am
	RE PreK-7	9:15am
	Hour of Faith	9:20am
	Youth Meeting	6pm

Come help us celebrate Fr. Mikes 40th Anniversary as a Priest! Refreshments in the hall after all Masses this weekend. Please no gifts.

January is Pro Life Month

Come join the **4th Annual Walk for Life on Saturday, January 12.** Start with Mass at 10am with Bishop Daly at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Lourdes (1115 W Riverside Ave). Participants will then gather near the Red Wagon in Riverfront Park beginning at 11:00am. For more information go to WalkforlifeNW.org.



2018 Catholic Charities Collection

This Collection raises the necessary funds to sustain and operate all of our programs that serve the most vulnerable in our community.

We are extremely thankful for your continued support of our mission to serve.

2019 Contribution envelopes and calendars

are in the gathering area. If you don't see a set with your name and would like envelopes please let the office know.

LITURGY SCHEDULE for January 5th & 6th

Mass	Greeter	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers	Servers
5:30pm	D Kimber	D Bailey	T Klutz, S Lucas, Deacon Chalo		R Bailey D Lansford
8:00am	C Pederson & C Graham	S Elliott	G Carlsen, J Sine, P Irwin M Lunneborg, L Riggins	D Yaeger	A Nicholls R Nicholls
10:30am	V Pozo & G McCauley	Pat Hinman	B Haney, C Holley, R Lee, K Lee J Pearson, M Lamb, Deacon Chalo	L Shollenberger B Pearson	J Gehlen E Quiroga

IF YOU CAN NOT SERVE, PLEASE FIND A REPLACEMENT. THANK YOU



FAITH FORMATION



SUNDAY SCHOOL

Public School, Catholic School, Homeschool
"Building a Community of Faith for Our Children"

PK – 7th Grade
9:15 – 10:15am
at Otis Elementary
NO CLASSES this Sun Dec
30. Classes resume Sun, Jan. 6th.



CALLING ALL
YOUTH

Youth Ministry
Supporting the Faith and
Spirituality of Teens 8th-12th
Grades, Sundays at 6pm.

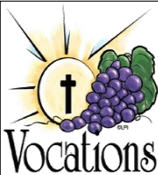
Youth meetings will resume next Sun, Jan 6th.
Merry Christmas Season!
God bless, Meta, Gene, and the Youth Ministry
Team, 509-309-3324

St. Joseph's Baptism Schedule—2019

Classes: Feb 3 Baptism: Feb 10
April 7 April 21 (Easter)



Classes are held on Sundays, after the 10:30am Mass.
Please call the parish office to register or if you have
any questions, 926-7133

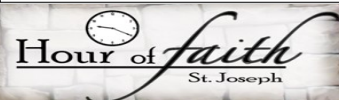


Vocations

Prayer for Vocations

O God, our Father, grant us your assistance as we seek to live out our vocation in life. We pray especially for those who have answered your call as priests, brothers, sisters, deacons and lay ministers. Keep them faithful in following your Son and dedicated in serving their brothers and sisters. Amen

Please check the parish web site under Ministries for information regarding vocations.



Closer to the Eucharist through Prayer, Praise and Preparation.

Hour of Faith is a great way to supplement Sunday Mass. Reflecting on the weekly Gospel can help you hear God's word more personally. Joining our prayers together is powerful. Please come for all or part, as time permits. **Sundays at 9:20am following the RE Calendar.** Hour of Faith will resume next Sunday January 6th

"Like the shepherds of Bethlehem, may I too, with eyes full of amazement and wonder, gaze upon the child Jesus, the son of God. And in his presence may my heart burst forth in prayer. May this Advent time be a planting of merciful love in the hearts of individuals, families and nations." Pope Francis

Annual Spokane Valley Benefit Concert February 22

"We Work!" will be our theme and we need you! Rehearsals will **begin Tuesday, January 8** at St Joseph's Church. Please come at **7:15pm** so we can sign you in. Do you know of a good singer or instrumentalist? Have them join us! Band members, as usual, you'll join us in February. We have a lot of fun, but WE WORK! as well.
Sally Stuber, 208-457-2234, gra3gra@gmail.com.

UPDATE on Prime Time Mentoring

Prime Time Mentoring is going to hold a special training for those interested in mentoring a student at Otis Orchards Elementary one hour a week. The mentoring will start after Christmas Break. See flyer and sign-up sheet in foyer for more information on the Program. Contact Holly Haneke at 509-413-1436, holly@cisspokane.org to find out time and place for this special training.



STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION

"I sought my soul, but my soul I could not see.
I sought my God, but my God eluded me.
I sought my brother and found all three."

Remind me that Jesus is in my brother's face.

EXPOSITION OF THE EUCHARIST

This wonderful devotion is available every week.
All are welcome!

Exercises for Adoration

Ask Him to show you the next step. Ps 25:4-5,
Ps 32:8, Ps 16:11

Nightwalk

The House of Charity provides breakfast and lunch meal service to the general patrons. **We make sandwiches on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays** of the month, the next being **Tuesday, January 8th at 9am**. Please keep our homeless friends in your prayers. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Deacon Chalo at 263-9553.



P R A Y E R C H A I N

Have you ever experienced the power of prayer? We at St. Joseph have a wonderful prayer chain to help those who need a little (or a lot) of extra support in times of need. **You can ask for prayer support by either emailing or calling Diana Andriolo at 926-5490, stjoeprayers@gmail.com.**

If you would like to receive **Flocknote** messages from the parish please call the parish office so that your email address can be added.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES WITHIN THE PARISH

GET INVOLVED at weekend Masses!

We are in need of **Eucharistic ministers for the 8 and 10:30 Masses, Greeters at all the Masses** but especially the 5:30 Saturday and 8am Sunday, **Altar servers of all ages** currently in the 4th grade or above, (this means adults) **especially for the 10:30am Mass**. Call Cindy in the parish office.

We are in need of **Eucharistic ministers for the 8 and 10:30 Sunday Masses**. **Please consider helping with this wonderful ministry!**

Training provided.

Call the parish office if you are interested 926-7133.

Greeters at all the Masses especially the 5:30 Saturday and 8am Sunday. If you are interested in this wonderful ministry, including youth, contact Cindy in the parish office at 926-7133 or online at info@stjoeparish.org

Become an Altar Server

"If anyone serves me, my Father will honor him." Jn 12:26
We need altar servers **of all ages** currently in the 4th grade or above, this means adults of all ages as well. **We especially need servers for the 10:30am Sunday Mass**. Call Cindy in the parish office.

Ministers needed for the homebound!

Training Provided. We are in need of more ministers to bring the Eucharist to the homebound on a regular basis or to be on call. If you have questions please call Sharon Elliot at 924-0336 or the Parish office at 926-7133.

If you or a family member is unable to attend Mass due to surgery, illness, or age, please contact the parish office. We are happy to arrange for a parishioner to bring the Eucharist at a convenient time or, if need be, to have Father Mike come to celebrate the Anointing of the Sick

FAVORITE BUSINESS?

Do you have a favorite hair dresser or barber? What about a dentist or doctor? Veterinarian? Your parish family wants to know about these great businesses too. Please let your favorite business owners know that advertising on the church bulletin is affordable, reliable and helps to provide the bulletin at no charge to the church! Whether it be your favorite local business or your own business, our church bulletin is a great place to advertise!

For more information, call Catholic Printery: 1-800-867-0660 With your help, we can keep our bulletin free of charge.

Feast of the Holy Family—Blessing for the Home

May your household be a peaceful place, with gentleness in the air all round.
May it be a place filled with life, a home where life is nurtured and held precious.
May your front door open out upon the whole world and the walls embrace the concerns of human beings everywhere, not just your own.
May it be a place of forgiveness, of each other to be sure, many times, but of family & friends too.
May your home provide warmth in winter, coolness in summer, for people of all kinds, even those not welcome elsewhere.
May it be a place where the past is cherished, and the future is welcomed with the confidence of the children of God.
May it be the house of God.

Bishop Ken Untener

IN THE COMMUNITY

Holy Day of Obligation Mass Times

If unable to attend one of our Mass times text **HOLYDAY** (all caps) to 84576 to sign up for Holy Day of Obligation reminders and a listing of Holy Day Mass times throughout the Diocese of Spokane. The Diocese will send helpful reminders and a link to the Mass Schedule before every Holy Day of Obligation. You can also find the list at dioceseofspokane.org/holyday.

Mass of Remembrance

Every month, Catholic Funeral & Cemetery Services offers a Memorial Mass to remember those individuals interred in the three Catholic Cemeteries (Holy Cross, Queen of Peace, St. Joseph), especially those who have died the preceding month. These Masses, all held at **Holy Cross Cemetery Mausoleum Chapel (4200 N. Wall)**, are celebrated the **first Sat. of the month at 9:00 am**.

Natural Family Planning

A series of NFP classes is starting Sat., January 19, 2019, 9:30am at St. Peter Catholic Church, 3520 E. 18th Avenue, Spokane, WA. To learn more, visit live-the-love.org, or call 509-590-8576. To register for this class, or a self-paced on-line class, go to register.ccli.org.

4 Stages of Marriage—1 Romance, 2 Disillusionment, 3 Misery, and 4 Awakening. Many marriages experience the first 3 stages. Marriages that end in divorce never make it to the 4th Stage of Awakening. Don't give up without learning about the 4th Stage. If your marriage suffers from disillusionment or misery please contact Retrouvaille. For confidential information or to register for the Feb 15-17, 2019 Spokane weekend call 509-520-4118 or visit the web

AROUND THE DIOCESE

dioceseofspokane.org/ Catholic Diocese of Spokane is now on Facebook! Go to www.facebook.com/pages/Catholic-Diocese-of-Spokane/116335971744555 and “like” them to follow the happenings around the Diocese.

Marthas and Josephs needed!

A program that is crucial to the financial stability of **Immaculate Heart's retreat ministry**, is in desperate need of volunteers. The program is the Marthas and Josephs which is a group of dedicated women and men from any parish who would be willing to give their time and talent, and volunteer to come to Immaculate Heart Retreat Center to clean bedrooms after a retreat. This usually happens on Mondays from 9am-12pm. At noon, the volunteers are invited to enjoy a specially prepared lunch in the retreat center's dining room. Annually Martha and Joseph volunteers receive a gift certificate for a Day of Prayer. For more information please call Kristen Parker at 509-448-1224.

Immaculate Heart Retreat Center

6910 S Ben Burr Rd, Spokane, (509) 448-1224

For more information or to register in advance:

www.ihrc.net

Weekly Serenity of the Heart AA Meeting, Every Friday at 12 noon. The group is always open for more members. Call Barb at (509) 688-5640, if you would like to come, or simply come to the meeting. All are welcome!

Private Directed Retreats are always available, tailored to your spiritual, and emotional needs. Contact the Retreat Center for more information or to register in advance. Cost per day is dependent on the length of the retreat with meals.



Give and Receive Volunteer Retirement Club:

The next information session for this new club for retirees and seniors will be **Wednesday, Jan 9, 2019 from 1:30-3:00pm** at 12 E. 5th Ave. We truly hope many parishioners will want to engage in this meaningful service opportunity with us.

Faith Journeys: Space is still available for the faith-based tour of the Holy Land, Oct 28 - Nov 6, **2019**. If you are interested, please call 509.358. 4257 or 358.4270. For more info: catholiccharitiesspokane.org/faithjourneys.

PARISH INFORMATION

Baptisms: Infants & Adults

Call Parish Office for Parish policies

Marriage: Preparations begin at least four months in advance of the wedding. Attendance at Marriage Preparation Weekends & other Diocesan regulations apply. Call Parish Office for Marriage policy.

Sick: Anointing of the Sick or Shut in Ministry—Call the Parish Office

Religious Education Ministry

Preschool - 7th grade: Sunday 9:15—10:15 a.m.

Youth Ministry

Youth 8th—12th Grades: Sunday 6—8 p.m.

Meta & Gene Boik

309-3324

Parish Hall Rental

Cindy Baird

926-7133

Wedding Coordinator

Barbara Haney

926-7133

Eucharistic Minister Instructor

Marilyn Lunneborg

226-3167

Lector Instructor

Joe Biegler

255-9963

Altar Server Instructor

Emanuele Portolese

474-0598

Stephen Ministry

Sally Stuber

208-457-2234

Pastoral Council:

Suzie Frei, Pat Hinman, Margie Frett, Mark Lamb, Mike Lunneborg, Jeff McCauley, Danielle Wehr, Jennifer Witt

Finance Council:

Brian Gehlen

879-0578

Faith Formation Council:

Teresa McCann

926-7133

Charity and Justice Committee:

Jim Baumker, jabaum@comcast.net

255-9498

Welcome Committee:

Darrel & Delores Jones

998-0438

Seniors on the Go:

Mary Nolan

328-2292

Dianne Murray

315-4688

Knights of Columbus:

Kevin Nicholls

994-8885

Worldwide Marriage Encounter:

Ken & Cheryl Nagle

922-9813

Stewardship Committee:

Cheri Hoagburg

863-3748

St. Gabriel's Group (Mom's Group):

Jaymie Miner

999-6631

Prayer Chain:

Diana Andriolo, stjoepayers@gmail.com

926-5490