St. Patrick Catholic Parish
Located in the Heart of Hillyard

November 26, 2017
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

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Office Hours: On-site office is now closed. For help call 466-3811. Please note: All correspondence/payments should be mailed to: St. Patrick’s, c/o St. Thomas More Parish, 505 W. St. Thomas More Way, Spokane, WA 99208
www.stpatspokanebulletin.org

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass
Sundays 9:30 AM (Church)
Weekdays (M,T,W,F) 7:00 AM (Convent)
Thursdays 7:30 A.M.
Saturdays 8:00 AM (Church)
Holy Days Consult Bulletin

Sacramental Celebrations
Baptisms: Parental preparation is required. Please contact a priest to set up an appointment.
Reconciliation: Saturdays, 8:30—9:00 AM or by appointment.
Marriage: Please contact a Parish Priest at least 4 months in advance of your wedding.
Care of the Sick & Homebound
Communion is taken to the sick and elderly on a regular basis. We ask families to please notify the Parish office when illness or infirmity impedes a person from coming to church for an extended period of time. The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is celebrated on request. Call 466-3811, ext. 200.

St. Patrick’s Prayer Line
Have a certain need that prayer can help? St. Patrick’s Prayer Line is available. Call Jackie Silvey (483-3109).

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Parish Council
George Baertlein, Chair
Members: Mike Dellwo, Mary Grayhek, Louise Andrews, Ex Officio
Finance Council: Mark Kelly, Chair; Members: Ed Sinclair, Dorothea Moore

Who You Gonna Call?

Want to know who to call?
• If you notice something that needs attention on the parish grounds/buildings, or if you need to communicate with the Charter School (SIA) about any matter, contact Louise Andrews at 413-7186.
• If you have questions about faith formation for children, youth and adults, please contact Jan Provisal at 230-1957 or Mike Dellwo.
• If you have a pastoral need, please contact Fr. Pat or Fr. Jose at 466-3811.

The diocese is committed to helping victims/survivors of sexual abuse and to protecting children and vulnerable adults. Volunteers who supervise other volunteers who work with minors and vulnerable adults are required to report any suspected abuse by others they supervise. Contact: Roberta Smith, Victims Assistance Coordinator (509) 353-0442 Office Phone or (509) 998-18340 Cell. You may also go to the Diocesan website: http://www.dioceseofspokane.org/safe-environment.

Growing Together in Faith
RCIA and Sacramental classes have begun. Please come to Holy Names Hall at 8:15 AM prior to 9:30 Mass to begin this wonderful journey in faith. All are welcome. Questions: Call Jan Provisal at 509-230-1957 or email janetrose.p@gmail.com


ANY NEWS FOR THE BULLETIN? PLEASE CONTACT TRACI @ 466-3811, ext. 200 OR EMAIL: stpatspokanebulletin@gmail.com
BULLETIN ITEMS ARE DUE NO LATER THAN MONDAY @ 4:00 PM. Also, if you know of any homebound who would like to have the bulletin mailed to them, please send us their address.
November:
Memorial Candle for November:

125th Anniversary Mass
Saturday, March 17, 2018
4:00 PM
Bishop Thomas Daly to preside
Get involved! We want this celebration to be a joint effort with full participation of our parishioners. The planning committee met recently and decided on a social with hors d’oeuvres following the Mass on March 17. Special invitations will go out to former priests, sisters, and parishioners. Can you help us with names and addresses? Do you have any history about St. Patrick’s to share? Artistic, creative, or full of ideas? Come to our next meeting on Sunday, December 3 after the 9:30 AM Mass. Call Louise Andrews at 415-7186.

Book Club
Our book for November is Praying Our Goodbyes by Joyce Rupp. Books are available from Millie Hynes. Due to Thanksgiving, discussion of the book will be held on Wednesday, November 29 at 2:00 PM at the home of Millie Hynes. Everyone welcome. Call 568-1140 for more information.

Immaculate Heart Retreat Center

Dec. 1-20: Advent Individual Silent Retreats (1-day, 3-day, or more!)
Dec. 6: Advent Day of Prayer, Finding the Kindling for the Fire, Sr. Mary Eucharista, 9 AM to 3 PM
Dec 20: Saint to Santa: How St. Nicholas became Santa Claus, Deacon Tom Heavey

To register for any of these events, call the IHRC at 448-1224 or go to www.ihrc.net

Knights Corner
St. Michael the Archangel 74394
For information contact:
Grand Knight Jerry Bluett, 484-2634
Knight of the Month: Roger Ackerat
Family of the Month: Morton Family

Stewardship:

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"...whatever you did for one of the least of my brothers, you did for me"

Please note: Mail your contributions to St. Thomas More Parish, 505 W. St. Thomas More Way, Spokane, 99208

Coffee and Donuts
Join your fellow parishioners for coffee and donuts following Mass. We are always looking for people to help set up, serve, and clean up. Please consider volunteering and call Elaine to let her know how you will help. Her number is 487-5074.

The Catholic Charities Collection raises essential funds that allow us to answer Christ’s call to help the poor and vulnerable. Together with you, we Respond to Crisis, Stabilize Lives, and Advocate in Hope by serving over 70,000 individuals in Eastern Washington each year.

Make a secure donation online at www.CatholicCharitiesSpokane.org or mail to PO Box 2253, Spokane, WA 99210-2253. Your gift saves lives. Have a blessed Advent season!

Thanksgiving Food Baskets
Thank you to everyone who donated food for our baskets! We were able to help many in our surrounding neighborhood.

Communion Rite Posture
I have decided to ask the faithful to kneel after the “Lamb of God” so as to be in harmony with most of the other dioceses in the United States. I believe this posture of kneeling while the priest shows the Sacred Species to the people is more appropriate. The translation of the Roman Missal, third typical edition, uses the word “behold” the Lamb of God instead of “this is” the Lamb of God. The word “behold” is a more accurate imperative which reflects the transcendent mystery before us—a mystery that should indeed drive us to our knees in love and adoration. Bishop Daly