

ST. PETER CATHOLIC PARISH

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“Almighty and merciful God, graciously keep from us all adversity, so that, unhindered in mind and body alike, we may pursue in freedom of heart the things that are yours. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.”

NOVEMBER 10, 2019 THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS AND SACRAMENTS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL: 4:30PM

SUNDAY MASS: 8:00AM, 10:30AM

DAILY MASS: Monday-Friday 7:15 AM, Wednesday School Mass* 9:00AM

RECONCILIATION: Friday 6:00 PM, Saturday 3:00 PM, Sunday 7:00 AM,
or by appointment

ROSARY: Monday-Friday 6:45AM in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Tuesday: 8:00 AM to 6:00 PM, Friday: 6:00 to 7:00 PM

BAPTISM AND HOLY MATRIMONY:

The family should be registered and active in St. Peter Parish for at least three months prior to Baptism or Holy Matrimony. Couples engaged to marry need to contact Fr. Tomson at least four months prior to the wedding date for marriage preparation.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Please contact Fr. Tomson.

PARISH STAFF

Parish Office 534-2227 enter extension number at any time.

Rev. Lucas E. Tomson, Pastor.....ext. 206

Rev. Michael D. Venneri, Senior Priest.....534-2227

Deacon Nick Senger443-6118

Deacon Victor Lopez.....995-2457

Michelle Oresky, Religious Education.....ext. 207

Michelle Oresky, Youth Ministry.....ext. 207

Heather Fuller-Johnson, Music Ministry.....ext. 210

Brock Woodson, Maintenance.....ext.208

Mary Lee, Parish Office.....ext. 234

Sacramental Emergencies (After Hours).....opt. 9

MINISTRY CONTACTS

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Eucharistic Ministers Greg Baerlocher 701-6439

Lectors Greg Baerlocher 701-6439

Altar Servers Deacon Victor Lopez 995-2457

Ushers Roger Townsend 448-0164

PARISH GUILDS

Eucharistic Adoration Deacon Victor Lopez 995-2457

St. Fiacre Guild John & Joyce Hofland 368-0766

Gardens

St. Gianna Guild Maria Haxton

Sanctity of Life

Elizabeth Fritsch 535-1733

Good Samaritans Parish Office 534-2227

St. Louise Guild Andi McGoran 448-9736

Hospitality

St. Martin Guild Jan Grayhek 448-2318

Welcoming New Parishioners

St. Monica's Guild Parish Office 534-2227

Welcoming Newborns

St. Joseph of Arimathea Arlette Popiel 979-2255

GriefShare

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Joseph Antonic ~ Alecia Gaffney

Mike Lunsford ~ Chris Mansfield

Serena McPherson ~ Trudy Millet

Angela O'Connell ~ Trisha Reagan

Donna Stout

FINANCE COUNCIL

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ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Dr. Lori Johnson, Principal...ljohnson@allsaintsspokane.net

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A Message From Our Pastor...



Dear friends,

Last week we began looking at an ancient method of praying with the Sacred Scriptures known as *Lectio Divina*, or "Divine Reading". As Catholics, we believe that God speaks to us through the Scriptures. Our task is first to listen.

Lectio Divina involves four steps. Last week, we looked at the first step of *Lectio Divina*, simply called: *lectio* or "reading". In this stage, we read a passage from Scripture with humility, reverence, and with careful attention to the text. Our reading of the passage leads us into the next stage of *Lectio Divina*—*meditatio*.

As you might guess, *meditatio* is where we get our modern word "meditation". Nevertheless, we are not emptying the mind as contemporary culture speaks of meditation. Rather, in *meditatio*, we ruminate on the text, not in an anxious way, but by continually reflecting on the passage. We read and reread the text and by so doing, seek to listen to the words with the "ears of the heart". The early Christians who engaged in such meditation likened the process to chewing upon a piece of honeycomb and extracting the sweetness from the wax.

As a general rule, in order to engage in *meditatio*, it is best to approach the text by first finding the verbs and then locating the nouns. Visualize the nouns. Such a practice aides in a more careful reading of the text and encourages *meditatio*.

Through a continual reading and rereading of the passage, parts of the text will begin to emerge and even be committed to memory. All of this then becomes fodder for prayer. Prayer is actually the next stage of *Lectio Divina* and we will look at this step next week.

Relying upon the prayers of Mary, Mother of the Church, St. Peter, and indeed All the Saints, I am faithfully yours in Christ Jesus,

Rev. Lucas E. Jamson

Thanksgiving Food Drive



Please remember to bring your food and diaper/formula donations to the table in the Narthex. Most needed items include: Coffee, Jelly, Peanut Butter, Cereal, Oatmeal, Juice, Kid's Snacks, Crackers, Condiments, Spices, Salt & Pepper, Sugar, Chili, Soups, Pasta and Sauces. St. Margaret Shelter needs non food items which include: shampoo, soap, body wash and deodorant. In addition to our food drive we will be collecting diapers (most needed: newborn and sizes 5 & 6), formula, wipes and hand sanitizer to benefit Catholic Charities' CAPA (Childbirth and Parenting Assistance) and Prepares programs. We will also be collecting toilet paper for Summit View. Thank you for your support of these programs. If you are able to help deliver food to these organizations after the 10:30 Mass on Sunday, November 24th please contact the parish office.



2019

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

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A great big "thank you" to all those who have contributed to this year's Annual Catholic Appeal. St. Peter Parish has pledged \$64,885.58 toward our parish goal of **\$89,023**. Please remember that the ACA supports essential ministries and the administrative needs of our Diocese. Once our parish surpasses our goal, the overage is returned to our parish. If you have not yet contributed please prayerfully consider Bishop Daly's request that 100% of Catholic households do so. Every contribution is crucial and needed!

This year's theme:

*"Called by Christ, to be formed in our faith,
seek our vocation and answer our call to holiness."*

Second Annual Volunteer Appreciation Dinner

The St. Peter Parish Pastoral Council cordially invites all parish volunteers to join us for a Volunteer Appreciation Dinner on Thursday, November 21st at 6:00p.m. in the Parish Hall. Our hope is to honor all parishioners that give of their valuable time to the parish. If you would like to attend, please RSVP with the parish office so we can ensure that we have enough food for everyone. Spouses are welcome.



Directory Photos

For all those that did not place orders with Life Touch your complimentary 8 x 10 photo is available for pick-up in the parish office. Please stop by between 9:00 and 11:00a.m. Monday through Friday. Questions please contact the parish office. Thank you so much!

Sacramental Preparation

Sacramental Preparation classes resume again next, Sunday, November 17th at 9:15 a.m. and Monday, November 18th at 6:15 p.m. in the Cenacle.

For questions please email Michelle Oresky at: moresky@dioceseofspokane.org. Thank you.



All Saints Catholic School

We hope that you will join us for our weekly school Masses held at St. Peter on Wednesday mornings at 9:00 a.m. and at Our Lady of Fatima on Thursdays at 8:50 a.m.

Sip and Paint Party

"Brush up & wine down" while supporting our parish school. All Saints Sip and Paint Party, Thursday, November 14th, 6:30 p.m., Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall. Local artist, Stan Miller leads you step by step on how to create a unique canvas painting. No experience needed. Must be 21 years or older. Cost: \$50 per person. To register go to <https://allsaintsspokane.ejoinme.org/MyEvents/2019SipPaintParty>



MASS INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER

9	Saturday	4:30 pm	Sabina Nelima †
10	Sunday	8:00 am	Glen and Patricia Wright †
		10:30 am	Pro Populo
11	Monday	7:15 am	For all Veterans
12	Tuesday	7:15 am	Ron Joyce †
13	Wednesday	7:15 am	Virginia Dullanty †
14	Thursday	7:15 am	
15	Friday	7:15 am	Special Intention
16	Saturday	4:30 pm	Linda Egan
17	Sunday	8:00 am	Souls in Purgatory †
		10:30 am	Pro Populo

Remember to Pray For:

Alicia Alng, Helen Anderson, John Anderson, Arvilla Anyan, Greg Baerlocher, John Bidwell, Arleene Blazon, Barbara Bonham, Debbie Brickner, Chris Brown, Marie Brown, Les Bruess, Pat & Bill Campbell, Karen Cavnes, Pat Christie, Sharon Christodoulou, Christy Christodoulou, Michael Ciletti, Shirley Clark, John Clifford, Kris Cornwall, Charlie Dahmen, Leo Driscoll, Scott Engelhard, Mary Engelhardt, Ray & Linda Egan, Lara Newburn Fritsch, Joan Frost, Neil Fuchs, Kylie Grace, Mary Harro, Steve Helm, Kathy Inverso, Shirley Jakubowski, John and Donna, Jack & Alana Kaplan, Kathy Kelly, Sally Kerr, Russell Kinzer, Steve Kotz, Randy LaPlante, Janice Lawyer, Sr. Rita Lemire, HSC, Janet Linhart, Riley Loe, Rob Lohrmeyer, Diane Long, Max Lopez, Mitch Lopez, Cheryl Dunne McIntosh, Ernie McGoran, Mike, Rodman B. Miller, Tina Millersmith, Samantha Morgan, Gregory Morrow, Angela O'Connell, Dennis O'Reilly, Mary O'Reilly, Nancy O'Reilly, Joseph Paige, Christy Pierce, Lou Ann Quinn, Chuck Roberts, Sharon Schauble, Jude Schenzil, Carol Schwartz, Teresa Senger, Joleen Sexton, Mary Shea, Dan Sheldon, Tom Simonich, Alecia Simpson, John & Janey Sloane, Enza Smith, Frances Smith, Lindsay Smith, John Stringer, Dianne Sumter, Joe Sutliff, Mary Beth Thompson, Barbara Toetly, Rose Torkar, Bren Triplett, Tom Warrick, Bill Weeks, Pat Wiegele, Don Wolfe

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

COLLECTION FOR NOVEMBER 3, 2019

Envelopes.....	\$ 9,858
Parish Outreach.....	\$ 70
Plate.....	\$ 545
Total.....	\$ 10,473

Building Debt Payment

Total Amount Due:	\$186,336.80
Minimum Monthly Payment:	\$4,500
Donated for Month of November:	\$275

WEEKLY PARISH CALENDAR

Saturday, November 9th

Mass at Rockwood Manor, 10:00 AM	Ridge Building
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, 1:30 PM	Atrium
Confession, 3:00-4:00 PM	Confessional
Vigil Mass, 4:30 PM	Church

Sunday, November 10th

Confession, 7:00-7:30 AM	Confessional
Mass, 8:00 AM	Church
Mass, 10:30 AM	Church
GriefShare-Surviving the Holidays, 1:30-3:30 PM	Parish Hall

Monday, November 11th

Veteran's Day ~ Parish Office Closed

Mass, 7:15 AM	Chapel
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Tuesday, November 12th

Mass, 7:15 AM	Chapel
Eucharistic Adoration, 8:00 AM to 6:00 PM	Chapel
Catholic Scripture Study, 9:00 AM	Upper Room/Cenacle
Choir Rehearsal, 6:30 PM	Church
Fall Book Study, 7:00 PM	Parish Hall

Wednesday, November 13th

Mass, 7:15 AM	Chapel
School Mass, 9:00 AM	Church
Nazareth, 6:00 PM	Parish Hall
Youth Group, 6:30 PM	Youth Room

Thursday, November 14th

Mass, 7:15 AM	Church
RCIA, 6:30 PM	Upper Room

Friday, November 15th

Mass, 7:15 AM	Church
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, 10:00 AM	Atrium
Confessions and Adoration 6:00 PM	Confessional/Chapel

Saturday, November 16th

Mass at Rockwood Manor, 10:00 AM	Ridge Building
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, 1:30 PM	Atrium
Confession, 3:00-4:00 PM	Confessional
Vigil Mass, 4:30 PM	Church
Holy Land Craft Sale, 5:30 PM	Parish Hall

Sunday, November 17th

Confession, 7:00-7:30 AM	Confessional
Mass, 8:00 AM	Church
Sacramental Prep, 9:15 AM	Cenacle
Mass, 10:30 AM	Church
Holy Land Craft Sale, Following Masses	Parish Hall
Scouts, 4:00 PM	Parish Hall

GriefShare Surviving the Holidays

For those who have experienced the death of a loved one the holidays can trigger tough emotions. GriefShare's "Surviving the Holidays" offers a solution of hope and practical guidelines of how to make it through the holiday season. Please join us this Sunday, November 10th from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the parish hall. Questions please contact: Arlette Popiel at (509) 979-2255 or Gloria Riedlinger at (509) 443-8030.



Support Christians in the Holy Land

Beautiful unique handicrafts from Bethlehem will be available for purchase following Masses next weekend, (November 16th & 17th). The ancient artistry of olivewood and Mother-of-Pearl started in Bethlehem hundreds of years ago. The proceeds from this sale provide a major source of income for Christian Catholic families in the Holy Land. The Christian population has dropped from 22% to less than 2% in the past two decades. This is a wonderful way to help support their staying there.