

### St. Mary of the Rosary, Chewelah

Mass: Saturday 4:00 PM and Sunday 10:00 AM  
Reconciliation: Sat. 2:30—3:30 PM and by appt.

### Holy Ghost, Valley

### St. Joseph, Jump Off Joe

Mass: Sunday 8:00 AM  
Reconciliation: Tuesday 6:00—7:00 PM

### Sacred Heart, Springdale

Mass: Saturday 6:00 PM  
Reconciliation: 1st Fridays, 5:00—5:30 PM

### Mass Intentions

Tuesday, Nov. 17	Poor Souls in Purgatory
Wed., November 18	All homebound parishioners
Thursday, Nov. 19	Special Intention
Friday, Nov. 20	Ian Andres +

### Weekday Mass Schedule

Tuesday	5:30 PM at Holy Ghost in Valley, followed by Adoration from 6:00—7:00 PM.
Wednesday	1:00 PM Prov. St. Joseph Hospital Chapel
Thursday	12:15 PM St. Mary of the Rosary
Friday	Mass at 9:00 AM at St. Mary of the Rosary, followed by Adoration from 9:30—10:30.

### Thanksgiving Schedule

Thanksgiving Day Mass, November 26, will be at 9:00 AM at St. Mary of the Rosary. **The offertory collection will be for the Good Samaritan Fund.** Those attending are invited to bring food for the Food Bank. Holiday foods are appreciated this time of year, but all types of food are needed all year round.

Since last Thanksgiving, our Good Sam Fund, combined with Catholic Charities, helped 19 families for a total of \$2,060.50. Your generous donations helped provide food, gas, utilities, lodging, eye glasses, and prescription medicine to those struggling to stay afloat, as well as an air conditioner for a disabled person during the heat wave. The current balance of the Good Sam Fund is \$1,570.51.

There will be NO MASS OR HOLY HOUR on Friday, November 27. The office will be closed both November 26 & 27.

### Welcome!

We welcome Parker Allen Richart, son of Ted and Lis, into our family of faith. Parker was baptized at

### Thoughts on Stewardship

The readings today speak of the end of the world and the coming of the kingdom. The bishops' pastoral on stewardship says clearly that "that life to come is in continuity with this present life through the human goods, the worthy human purposes, which people foster now." May our good stewardship help us to be numbered among the chosen on the last day!

### Crystalline Luncheon Fundraiser—Nov. 21

This is the last weekend to buy your tickets for the Crystalline Luncheon! The luncheon will be November 21 from 11:00—1:00. The guest count is needed by November 15 so please call Kellie at (509) 993-4150 if you are interested in attending and getting tickets. It costs only \$12 and goes to helping support the Ladies Auxiliary, which supports the church. Bring a friend!

### Fair Trade Sale, November 29, at St. Mary's

Catholic Relief Services' Fair Trade sale brings handmade products from around the world, providing living wages to growers and artisans. Fair Trade supports the dignity of work, reduces reliance on aid, and builds local economies while preserving traditions. Everyone has to shop — especially before the holidays — and Fair Trade is shopping with respect. Unusual gifts, beautiful crafts, and the world brought to your door.

Find these items at St. Mary of the Rosary Parish Hall on November 29 immediately following the 10:00 AM Mass. A representative from Nectar of Life will also have coffee and other items for sale.

### Tri-Parish Retreat

Our tri-parish retreat is coming up soon! Friday-Sunday, January 15-17. The Sisters of Mary Mother of the Church are going to lead this retreat for us. The theme of the retreat: "How Do I Become a Saint? The Basics." Sanctity seems elusive, but it is at the heart of what animates us daily: the walk of Faith in a Person, Jesus Christ. This retreat will be centered on how we can live an adventure of sanctity within the reality of what we do daily, with clear, solid, biblical actions and intentions that bring Christ's resurrected light into our day. Specific topics that will be covered: Baptism; Grace; the Beatitudes; the Sacraments; Prayer (various forms); true Joy vs. Addictions — all in a unity that will keep things simple for our work-a-day world. To

### Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel

On Sunday, November 22, 2015, 1:00 PM, Spokane's downtown Bing Crosby Theater presents an on-screen tour of the timeless and precious masterpieces produced by Michelangelo, Leonardo, Caravaggio and many other artists, some of their works never before seen. The presentation is produced by a team of more than 40 professionals using Ultra HD film cameras allowed for the first time into the Vatican Museums and the Sistine Chapel. Sponsored in part by the Catholic Diocese of Spokane. Tickets are \$10, plus \$2.00 fee, available online from TicketsWest.com. Visit the Bing Crosby Theater website for more information: [www.bingcrosbytheater.com](http://www.bingcrosbytheater.com)

### Mass of Thanksgiving

Join religious communities in the diocese in celebrating the Year of Consecrated Life with a special Mass offered by Bishop Daly at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Lourdes on Saturday, November 21 at 11:00 AM. Reception will follow in the parish hall.

### Family Faith Formation at Sacred Heart

The next Family Faith Formation evening at Sacred Heart parish is on Friday, November 20, beginning at 6:00 PM. All Sacred Heart parishioners (and any of our tri-parish parishioners) are invited to attend. We'll see you there.

### Family Faith Formation: The Indwelling of the Holy Spirit in Man

Our Family Faith Formation home lesson topic this week is "The Catholic Church Belongs to Christ," covered in Questions 145-147 of *The Apostolate's Family Catechism*. Home lesson packets are available on the parish website.

### By Heart Catechism

145. **Why does the Catholic Church belong entirely to Christ?** The Catholic Church belongs entirely to Christ because He is the Head of the Church, its Founder, its Spouse, and its Savior. He continues to do His saving work in and through the Church.

St. Joseph Church at Jump Off Joe on November 7th. Welcome, Parker!

### Forming Right Conscience, Part Three

Last week, we considered what happens when a person's conscience is wrong, and we began to look at the necessity of a rightly formed conscience for the worthy reception of Holy Communion. This week, we continue that theme as it applies specifically to instances of divorce and civil remarriage.

What should a person who has divorced and civilly remarried conclude when he makes this examination of conscience? The *Catechism* states: "Today, there are numerous Catholics in many countries who have recourse to civil divorce and contract new civil unions. In fidelity to the words of Jesus Christ, 'Whoever divorces his wife and marries another, commits adultery against her; and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery.' [Mk 10:11-12] The Church maintains that a new union cannot be recognized as valid, if the first marriage was. If the divorced are remarried civilly, they find themselves in a situation that objectively contravenes God's law. Consequently, they cannot receive Eucharistic Communion as long as this situation persists. For the same reason, they cannot exercise certain ecclesial responsibilities. Reconciliation through the sacrament of Penance can be granted only to those who have repented for having violated the sign of the covenant and of fidelity to Christ, and who are committed to living in complete continence." (CCC1650) A person with a properly formed conscience will conclude that he cannot receive Communion until he has addressed his situation properly.

Based on this, then, a civilly remarried person not living chastely would be unable to receive Communion, and so his conscience would be erroneous if it told him that he could. What are the implications of this? As we discussed already, if "the ignorance is invincible, or the moral subject is not responsible for his erroneous judgment, the evil committed by the person cannot be imputed to him." He thus would not be personally culpable for receiving Communion. However, "it remains no less an evil" for him to do so. (CCC 1793) However, the ignorance responsible for a person's erroneous conscience "can often be imputed to personal responsibility . . . In such cases, the person is

Sacrament of Baptism: Parents contact Rev. Jeffrey Lewis for information.

Sacrament of Holy Matrimony: Couples contact Rev. Jeffrey Lewis at least four months prior to marriage.

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