

August 2nd, 2020
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



OUR PARISHES

St. Mary of the Rosary

502 E. Main Avenue, Chewelah, WA 99109
Mass: 4 PM Saturdays & 10 AM Sundays

Holy Ghost

3083 Hemlock St., Valley, WA 99109
Mass: 8 AM on the 1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays

Sacred Heart

110 S. Main Street, Springdale, WA
Mass: 6 PM on the 1st, 3rd, 5th Saturdays

St. Joseph (Jump off Joe)

3150 Church Road, Valley, WA
Mass: 8 AM on the 2nd, 4th Sundays

*Confessions by Appointment Only (any parish)
Please contact Fr. Ishida by email or phone*

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*Please contact the office for the Sacrament of
Baptism, Anointing of the Sick and Marriage.*

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



Farewell Sr. Mary!

This week our parish community had to say farewell to our wonderful Sister Mary Toeckes who is moving to Choteau, Montana to care for her 93-year-old sister. Sr. Mary said she will miss everyone and appreciates

everyone's kindness over so many years. If you would like to send her a card or spiritual bouquet, please send to the church office at PO Box 26, Chewelah, WA 99109. We will make sure everything is forwarded on to her new address. If you would like to contact her directly, you can email mtoeckes1@gmail.com. Thank you, Sr. Mary, for your many years of dedication to our parish and our community. We will miss you dearly!

In June 2018, Sr. Mary celebrated her 60th Jubilee as a Dominican Sister. Here is a little on her background (printed in our parish bulletin June 17th, 2018). Sister Mary Toeckes made her religious profession as a Poor School Sister of St. Dominic at Kettle Falls, WA in 1958. The congregation members at Kettle Falls became the Dominican Sisters of Spokane in 1986 and merged with the Sinsinawa Dominicans in 1995. Sr. Mary's primary ministries have been nursing and chaplaincy. She studied nursing at Seattle University and completed chaplaincy training at Sacred Heart Hospital in Spokane. She's worked as a nurse at Holy Family Hospital, Pondera County Hospital in Conrad, Montana, Mt. Carmel in Colville and St. Joseph's in Chewelah. She retired in 2008 as director of pastoral care at St. Joseph's Hospital and long-term care. Her home parish is Guardian Angel, Power, in the Helena Diocese. Sr. Mary celebrated her 60th Jubilee in Sinsinawa, WI on June 3rd, 2018.



August 8th/9th Masses

The August 8th and 9th masses for the Parishes of South Stevens County will be celebrated by Fr. Ed Marier as Fr. Mike covers masses in North Stevens County for Fr. Kenny that weekend.

Rectory Garden

Fr. Mike is planning out a small garden at the rectory and is looking to borrow a rototiller or another tool to break up the ground to prepare for his garden. Contact Father if you have the right tools or would like to help in any way. Thank you!

Please donate to the Food Bank

Fr. Mike encourages all parishioners to bring any food bank donations to masses, if possible, to help those in need. Father has offered to personally deliver the donations to the food bank weekly. Thank you for your generosity during these times!

Stay Connected with Us!

The office has not resumed regular hours as of yet, but feel free to contact us at any time by email or phone! Make sure to sign up for Flocknote to receive our weekly newsletters. Find more info or sign up at our website at chewelahcatholic.org

UPCOMING MASS SCHEDULE

TUE	Aug 4	6 pm	Holy Ghost, Valley
WED	Aug 5	9 am	St. Mary's, Chewelah
THU	Aug 6	12 pm	St. Mary's, Chewelah
FRI	Aug 7	9 am	St. Mary's, Chewelah <i>Intention for Fr. Booth</i>
SAT	Aug 8	4 pm	St. Mary's, Chewelah
SUN	Aug 9	8 am	St. Joseph (Jump off Joe)
		10 am	St. Mary's, Chewelah

TODAY'S READINGS FOR AUGUST 2ND

Reading 1 IS 55:1-3

Thus says the LORD: All you who are thirsty, come to the water! You who have no money, come, receive grain and eat; Come, without paying and without cost, drink wine and milk! Why spend your money for what is not bread; your wages for what fails to satisfy? Heed me, and you shall eat well, you shall delight in rich fare. Come to me heedfully, listen, that you may have life. I will renew with you the everlasting covenant, the benefits assured to David.

Responsorial Psalm PS 145:8-9, 15-16, 17-18

R. (cf. 16) **The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.**

The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger

and of great kindness. The LORD is good to all and compassionate toward all his works.

R. **The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.**

The eyes of all look hopefully to you, and you give them their food in due season; you open your hand and satisfy the desire of every living thing.

R. **The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.**

The LORD is just in all his ways and holy in all his works. The LORD is near to all who call upon him, to all who call upon him in truth.

R. **The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.**

Reading 2 ROM 8:35, 37-39

Brothers and sisters: What will separate us from the love of Christ? Will anguish, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or the sword? No, in all these things we conquer overwhelmingly through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor present things, nor future things, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Alleluia MT 4:4B

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

One does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

Gospel MT 14:13-21

When Jesus heard of the death of John the Baptist, he withdrew in a boat to a deserted place by himself. The crowds heard of this and followed him on foot from their towns. When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, and he cured their sick. When it was evening, the disciples approached him and said, "This is a deserted place and it is already late; dismiss the crowds so that they can go to the villages and buy food for themselves." Jesus said to them, "There is no need for them to go away; give them some food yourselves." But they said to him, "Five loaves and two fish are all we have here." Then he said, "Bring them here to me," and he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing, broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, who in turn gave them to the crowds. They all ate and were satisfied, and they picked up the fragments left over—twelve wicker baskets full. Those who ate were about five thousand men, not counting women and children.

