

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 29, 2018

MONDAY:

- ❖ Our Lady's Prayer Group after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.
- ❖ Catecismo, 6:30 p.m.
- ❖ Grupo de Evangelizacion, 7:30 p.m.



TUESDAY:

- ❖ **PARISH LEADERSHIP MEETING**, 7:00 p.m. at St. Rose of Lima School.
- ❖ Ultreya, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:

- ❖ Faith Formation Classes, 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY:

- ❖ HORA SANTA, 6:00 p.m.

FRIDAY:

- ❖ FIRST FRIDAY. Adoration following the 9:00 a.m. Mass.
- ❖ PRIMER VIERNES. Adoración después de la misa de 9:00 a.m.

SATURDAY:

- ❖ Sacrament of Reconciliation, 4:00-4:30 p.m.
- ❖ Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m. (en español); 7:00 p.m. (English).

MEXICAN FIESTA MEETING

Sunday, May 6
after the 11:00
a.m. Mass.



CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL: Support the Catholic Home Missions Appeal today! Right now, over 40 percent of dioceses in the United States are considered home mission territory because they are unable to fund the essential pastoral work needed in their communities. Your support funds programs, such as religious education, seminary formation, and lay ministry training, to build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Please be generous. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

La próxima semana, ¡Apoye hoy al Llamado para las Misiones Católicas!

Ahora mismo, más del 40 por ciento de las diócesis en los Estados Unidos es considerado territorio misionero nacional porque a esas diócesis no les es posible financiar las labores pastorales esenciales y necesarias en sus comunidades. Su apoyo financia programas tales como la educación religiosa, la formación de seminaristas y la capacitación del ministerio laico a fin de construir unas comunidades vivas de fe, aquí, en los Estados Unidos. Por favor, sean generosos. Pueden encontrar más información en www.usccb.org/home-missions.

A VISO IMPORTANTE: Ya están disponibles las aplicaciones para el encuentro de Cristo Vive. Las fechas son del 10 a 13 de mayo para mujeres; del 17 al 20 de mayo para hombres. Favor de Comunicar con Elva Garcia (509) 237-8496.



FIRST COMMUNION for the English classes is next Sunday, May 6 at the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please pray for our First Communion candidates.

FRIENDS OF THE FOUNDATION LUNCHEON: Dedicated teachers and Catechists throughout Central Washington are sharing the faith – and kids are coming to know Christ! Join the Trustees of the Central Washington Catholic Foundation in honoring the life and support of Kay Arneil and celebrating Catholic education in our parishes and schools. We promise that you will be uplifted and inspired by both the mission and the stories of faith. This is an informational event. You will not be asked to make a donation. Lunch is free, but an RSVP is required.

May 24th – St. Joseph, Wenatchee

12:00pm – 1:15pm

You may register by calling (509) 972-3732 or send an email

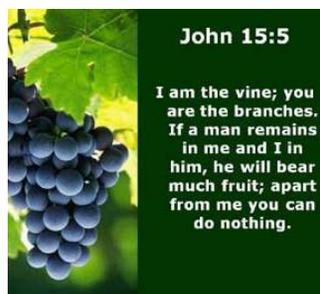
to: kwilmes@cwatholicfoundation.org.



RETIRO: Este 19 de mayo se estará llevando a cabo un retiro de parejas de un solo día para todos aquellos que quieran aprender y edificarse más en su relación. Ven y acompáñanos no te arrepentiras. Comenzara a las 8:00 a.m. y no estará

acompañando el Diacono Carlos Luna y su esposa y otras parejas más; te esperamos no faltes este 19 de may. Más infomación llame 509-797-1836.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD: is a post-abortion recovery program for all those affected by abortion, such as the mother, father, grandparents and siblings, friends and medical practitioners who have conducted the abortions. See rachelsvineyard.org for more information. **If God is calling you** to hope and healing OR to *minister to* those in need of hope and healing here in our local community, please contact Lisa Petersen (509-421-7847 or lispetersen65@gmail.com) for more information. Your call will be kept completely confidential.



VIÑEDO DE RAQUEL es un programa post-aborto de recuperación para todos aquéllos afectados por el aborto, tal como madre, padre, abuelos, hermanos, amigos o practicantes médicos practicantes que han conducido los abortos. Vea rachelsvineyard.org para más información. **Si Dios te está llamando** a esperanza y sanación O a ministrar a aquéllos necesitados de esperanza y sanación aquí en nuestra comunidad local, por favor contacte a Lisa Petersen (509-421-7847 o lispetersen65@gmail.com) para mas información. Su llamada será totalmenteconfidencial.



LITURGY COMMITTEE: Throughout the year, you probably notice the colors or decorations changing in the church.... and if you have been here long enough, you know *exactly* what the church is going to look like season after season! Liturgical colors, streamers, flowers, Advent wreath, etc. don't just happen. There are a few people in our **parish who have done this work for many years - the exact same people will be here at the exact same time every year doing the exact same things** they have been responsible for year after year – so that our Liturgies and our parish can reflect the season and give Glory to God. We are very grateful to them and our parish always looks beautiful!!! But it's time to re-establish the Liturgy Committee and get some new members to help them. If you feel called to serve in this aspect of our parish, perhaps you have different ideas to bring to our Liturgies, please contact Mary Keller or Theresa Flinn. Members of both communities would be great!



Central Washington Catholic Youth Camp! August 19 through the 24th at

YMCA Camp Dudley, west of Yakima near White Pass! **This is a quality week-long summer camp** for your kids or grandkids, including daily Mass and Rosary, Stations of the Cross, Reconciliation, priests and sisters, seminarians, and daily faith talks PLUS all the goofy songs and games, swimming, canoeing, rock climbing, zipline, campfire every night! **For more info** and to

make reservations, see our website, cwcyc.org "Like" our FB page, CWCYCclick. Why "click"? C-L-I-C-K stands for Christ Lives in Catholic Kids!

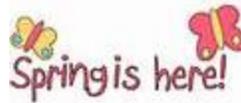
ANUNCIANDO: Campamento Para Juventud de Washington Central! Agosto 19 hasta el 24 en el YMCA Camp Dudley, al Oeste de Yakima cerca de White Pass! **Este es un campamento de calidad que dura toda una semana** para sus hijos o nietos, incluyendo Misa diaria y Rosario, Viacruis, Reconciliación, padres, monjas, seminaristas, y pláticas de fé diarias ADEMÁS de todas las canciones y juegos divertidos, natación, paseos en canoa, trepar peñas, ziplines (cuerda silbante), fogatas cada noche! **Para más información** y hacer reservaciones, veo nuestro sitio web, cwcyc.org dele "Like" nuestra página de FB, CWCYCclick. ¿Porqué "click"? C-L-I-C-K siglas en Inglés de: Cristo Vive en Chamacos Católicos!

MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK

Saturday - Lectors: Bev McDonald and Irma Sepulveda; Eucharistic Ministers: Warren and Kathy Horning.

Sunday - Lectors: Theresa Flinn and Nancy Tax; Eucharistic Ministers: Cleora Royston, Joan Schuler, Dena Ybarra, Rita Keene, Sonia Padron

OFFERTORY COLLECTION, April 22: \$3365.00



SCOTT HAHN'S REFLECTION.... In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us that He is the true vine that God intended Israel to be—the source of divine life and wisdom for the nations (Sirach 24:17–24). In baptism, each of us was joined to Him by the Holy Spirit. As a branch grows from a tree, our souls are to draw life from Him, nourished by His word and the Eucharist.

Paul in today's First Reading seeks to be grafted onto the visible expression of Christ the true vine—His Church. Once the chief persecutor of the Church, he encounters initial resistance and suspicion. But he is known by his fruits, by his powerful witness to the Lord working in his life (Matthew 7:16–20).



We too are commanded today to bear good fruits as His disciples, so that our lives give glory to God. Like Paul's life, our lives must bear witness to His goodness. Jesus cautions us, however, that if we're bearing fruit, we can expect that God will "prune" us—as a gardener trims and cuts back a plant so that it will grow stronger and bear even more fruit. He is teaching us today how to look at our sufferings and trials with the eyes of faith. We need to see our struggles as pruning, by which we are being disciplined and trained so that we can grow in holiness and bear fruits of righteousness (Hebrews 12:4–11).

We need to always remain rooted in Him, as today's Epistle tells us. We remain in Him by keeping His commandment of love, by pondering His words, letting them dwell richly in us (Colossians 3:16), and by always seeking to do what pleases Him. In everything we must be guided by humility, remembering that apart from Him we can do nothing.

As we sing in today's Psalm, we must fulfill our vows, turning to the Lord in worship, proclaiming his praises, until all families come to know His justice in their lives.