

February 17, 2019

VI Sunday Ordinary Time / VI Domingo Ordinario



**Religious Education:** Classes for grades K-5 are Wednesdays from 6:30—7:30 p.m. at the hall in Payette.

**First Communion Classes:** Dates for first communion Prep-classes are 9-11:30 a.m. the following Saturdays: February 23rd, and March 9th. First Reconciliation is Friday, May 3rd at 6:00 p.m. The First Communion Retreat is Saturday, May 4th from 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. First Communion is Saturday, May 11th at 10:00 a.m.

**Educación Religiosa:** Clases para grados K-5 son Miércoles a las 6:30 a 7:30 p.m. en el salón en Payette.

**Clases para Primera Comunión:** Fechas para las próximas clases de Preparación Sacramental de 9-11:00am los próximos Sábados: 23 de Febrero, 9 de Marzo. La Primera Reconciliación es el viernes 3 de mayo a las 6:00 p.m. El retiro de la Primera Comunión es el sábado 4 de mayo de 9:00 a.m. a 12:00 p.m. La Primera Comunión es el sábado 11 de mayo a las 10:00 a.m.

**Jr. High Youth Group and Confirmation Classes:** All classes for grades 6-12 are on Sundays from 6:30—8:00 p.m. in the Gathering Space in the church. Confirmation classes will be for 9th-12th grade students. These meetings will also be held at the church, from 6:30-8:00pm. The Confirmation Retreat will be Sunday, April 7th from 3:00—8:00 p.m. Confirmation will be Thursday, May 30th at 7:00 p.m.



**Young Adult Bible Study:** This is for all high school students who have already received the sacrament of Confirmation. We are studying our faith while growing in fellowship and discerning God's will and mission for our lives. Please join us at Bordertown Coffee in Fruitland from 4:30-6:00pm.

**CHILDREN'S COLLECTION:** Beginning in January the children's collection was scheduled to be 1st weekend for children in need and the remaining weekends for our Religious Ed. Facility. In January the children donated \$111.94 for children in need & \$240.01 for building our Religious Ed Facility.

**LA COLECTA DE NIÑOS:** A partir de enero, se programó que la colecta de niños sea el primer fin de semana para los niños necesitados y los fines de semana restantes para construir nuestro Centro de Educación Religiosa. En enero, los niños donaron \$ 111.94 para niños necesitados, y \$ 240.01 para construir nuestro Centro de Educación Religiosa.

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN PLEDGE PAYMENTS:** If you are making payments on your pledge on a monthly basis, please remember that payments were scheduled to start in January. If you are making payments on your pledge with cash or check on a monthly basis and do not wish to receive an invoice in the mail from the parish office, please make your payment before the 10th of the month. Thank you.

**SU PAGO DE COMPROMISO DE LA CAMPAÑA CAPITAL:** Si usted ha planeado realizar pagos mensuales en su promesa, recuerde que los pagos se iniciaron en enero. Si va a realizar un Pago con dinero en efectivo o cheque mensualmente y no desea recibir una factura por correo de la oficina de la parroquia, por favor haga su pago antes del 10 de cada mes. Gracias.

*MASS INTENTIONS*

<i>Feb 18 Monday</i>	<i>No Mass</i>
<i>Feb 19 Tuesday</i>	<i>Ottilie Woodcock †</i>
<i>Feb 20 Wednesday</i>	<i>Joe Ames †</i>
<i>Feb 21 Thursday</i>	<i>Mary Coleman</i>
<i>Feb 22 Friday</i>	<i>Del White †</i>
<i>Feb 23 Saturday</i>	<i>Carolyn Coleman †</i>

**SCAM:** For the last several years, scammers have been posing as Priests or staff in parishes and have sent emails out to parishioners asking for gift cards. I would like to remind you that in no case would anyone in a Diocese or Parish position ask anyone to go out and buy gift cards and then send them the information. If you receive such an email, please delete it or ignore it. If there is any question should such an email be received by anyone feel free to call the parish office.

**OLD PALMS:** If you have palms from previous years you can bring them to the church to be burnt for this year's ashes for Ash Wednesday.

**CCW:** The Council of Catholic Women meet Monday, February 18th at 6:30 p.m.

**CORPUS CHRIST WOMEN OF GRACE:** Meet Tuesday, February 19th at 10:30 a.m.

**MEMORIAL MASS:** Fr. Roger Fernando will celebrate Mass for the repose of the soul of Anamma Mudakodiyil, the mother of Fr. Jose Thomas, on February 23rd at 10:00 a.m. at Blessed Sacrament Church in Ontario.

**HOLY HOUR HEALING SERVICE:** the First Thursday of each month from 9:00—10:00 a.m.

**HOLY HOUR:** the First Sunday of each month we will have Holy Hour from 7:00-8:30 a.m. and 11:00-11:45 a.m. to pray for our Building Project. Also the First Saturday after Mass, from 6:00—7:00 p.m.

**2018 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS:** your statements for 2018 taxes are available on the table in the hallway.

**IDAHO CATHOLIC REGISTER:** If you paid for a subscription to the ICR and aren't receiving it, please contact the parish office, 208-452-5778.

**VOTIVE CANDLES:** If you light a votive candle, please leave it lit. Parents, don't allow children to play with candles.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** When KC's sponsor Coffee Hour on the 1st Sunday of the month, all proceeds will go to our Seminarian Darrell Falconburg.

**PALMAS BENDITAS:** Si tiene Palmas Benditas de años anteriores usted puede traer las a la iglesia a ser quemada para este año de la ceniza para el Miércoles de Ceniza.

**MISA:** P. Roger va a celebrar una Misa por el eterno descanso de la mama del Padre Jose Thomas, Anamma Mudakodiyil, 23 de Febrero a las 10:00 a.m. en Ontario

**SERVICIO DE SANACIÓN DURANTE LA HORA SANTA:** el primer jueves de cada mes de 9-10 a.m.

**HORA SANTA:** el primer domingo de cada mes tendremos la Hora Santa de 7: 00-8: 30 a.m. y 11: 00-11: 45 a.m. para orar por nuestro Proyecto de Construcción. También despues de la Misa el primer sabado a las 6:00 –7:00 p.m.

**HORA SANTA:** Cada jueves a las 9:00 a.m. a 6:00pm. Bendición con el Santísimo Sacramento a las 6:00 p.m.

**MISA EN ESPAÑOL:** Misa cada jueves a las 6:30 p.m.

**GRUPO MARANATHA:** Lunes a las 7pm en la iglesia.

**BAUTISMOS:** Por favor inscribirse en la Notaria Parroquial, para tomar las clases. Clases Presacramentales, lo mismo para las fechas que ustedes quieren para Bautizar a su hijo(a). Todo esto debe ser a tiempo, tanto para las clases como para la celebración del Bautismo. Confirmar una semana antes, para preparar los certificados.

Horario de Bautismo: Bautismos Comunitarios 2do Sábado de mes a las 10:00 a.m. o en cada Misa de domingo a las 12:00 p.m. en Español.

**PASTORAL DE LA SALUD:** P. Camilo visitar á los enfermos a su casa. Por favor, póngase en contacto con la oficina si usted necesita el sacramento de Unción de los Enfermos, para algún familiar, amigo, y conocido.

**RETIRO NUEVA VIDA:** La Parroquia de Santa Inés de Weiser, Idaho le invita a tener una experiencia con Jesús que jamás olvidarás. Este retiro se llevara a cabo los días 1ro, 2 y 3 de marzo del 2019. Registros iniciaran el viernes 1ro de marzo a las 6 pm. En el salón parroquial de la Iglesia de Santa Inés ubicada en el 214 E. Liberty St. Weiser, Idaho. Para más información llamar a la oficina parroquial (208) 549-0088, María Cornejo (208) 209-3618 o Lety Saldivar (208) 550-7435. NO NIÑOS POR FAVOR



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# The Story of Our Lady of Lourdes

On December 8, 1854, Pope Pius IX proclaimed the dogma of the Immaculate Conception in the apostolic constitution *Ineffabilis Deus*. A little more than three years later, on February 11, 1858, a young lady appeared to Bernadette Soubirous. This began a series of visions. During the apparition on March 25, the lady identified herself with the words: "I am the Immaculate Conception."

Bernadette was a sickly child of poor parents. Their practice of the Catholic faith was scarcely more than lukewarm. Bernadette could pray the Our Father, the Hail Mary and the Creed. She also knew the prayer of the Miraculous Medal: "O Mary conceived without sin."

During interrogations Bernadette gave an account of what she saw. It was "something white in the shape of a girl." She used the word *aquero*, a dialect term meaning "this thing." It was "a pretty young girl with a rosary over her arm." Her white robe was encircled by a blue girdle. She wore a white veil. There was a yellow rose on each foot. A rosary was in her hand. Bernadette was also impressed by the fact that the lady did not use the informal form of address (*tu*), but the polite form (*vous*). The humble virgin appeared to a humble girl and treated her with dignity.

Through that humble girl, Mary revitalized and continues to revitalize the faith of millions of people. People began to flock to Lourdes from other parts of France and from all over the world. In 1862 Church authorities confirmed the authenticity of the apparitions and authorized the cult of Our Lady of Lourdes for the diocese. The Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes became worldwide in 1907.

## Reflection

Lourdes has become a place of pilgrimage and healing, but even more of faith. Church authorities have recognized over 60 miraculous cures, although there have probably been many more. To people of faith this is not surprising. It is a continuation of Jesus' healing miracles—now performed at the intercession of his mother. Some would say that the greater miracles are hidden. Many who visit Lourdes return home with renewed faith and a readiness to serve God in their needy brothers and sisters.

There still may be people who doubt the apparitions of Lourdes. Perhaps the best that can be said to them are the words that introduce the film *The Song of Bernadette*: "For those who believe in God, no explanation is necessary. For those who do not believe, no explanation is possible." Resource, Franciscan Media.



# Advocación Mariana, Nuestra Sra. de Lourdes.

Bernardita de Soubirous fue la elegida por Dios para ser testigo y mensajera de tan extraordinaria iniciativa del Creador. La Madre de Jesús, nuestra Madre también, supo como siempre enamorar a las multitudes y convocar a los pueblos de las naciones alrededor de la majestuosa imagen que de Ella se difundió. Lourdes ha sido fuente de sanación física para mucha gente, y quizás ha sido este el milagro más visible que Dios ha realizado para confirmar y sostener la fe en la obra.

Pero sin dudas que la sanación espiritual, la conversión de las almas, ha sido el fruto más extraordinario que las generaciones han manifestado como evidencia de la potencia de los actos de Dios en esta tierra. Bernardita fue también instrumento de confirmación del Dogma de la Inmaculada Concepción, para alegría de los que amamos la pureza de María, reconocida de este modo en las propias palabras de la Reina del Cielo: "Yo soy la Inmaculada Concepción". Hoy, después de 150 años, las palabras de María resuenan en nuestros oídos con la misma fuerza, como un cristal puro que resuena y sacude con su timbre los tímpanos del mundo. Gloria a Dios por Su Amor manifestado en regalo tan extraordinario. Nuestra Señora de Lourdes renueve nuestros corazones y nuestras mentes, para que emerja sonriente y esplendorosa nuestra propia conversión.

Las dos veces que he visitado Lourdes, mi alma se ha sentido feliz. Con una felicidad que sobrepasa todos los límites de lo espiritual y trascendente. He visitado todo lo ha habido y por haber en la gruta de las apariciones. Incluso un antiguo alumno, que pasa allá sus vacaciones haciendo el bien a la gente como camillero, me ha contado que ha visto con sus propios ojos los milagros maravillosos que hace cada día la Madre de Dios. Fue el 11 de febrero cuando la Virgen se le apareció a Bernardita, una joven de 14 años en la gruta de Massabielle. Vio una nube dorada y a la Virgen vestida de blanco con un rosario en la mano. Esta aparición se repitió 18 veces. El 25 de febrero fue cuando la chica escarbó en el suelo y salió un manantial de agua. Le dijo la Virgen que levantarán un templo y que rezara el rosario por los pecadores.

Comenzó a acudir mucha gente. Las autoridades eclesiásticas, comenzando por el párroco, no le daban crédito a la joven. Era impensable que a su edad y dada su falta de cultura, supiera algo acerca del misterio del dogma de la Inmaculada Concepción, declarado así por el Papa Pío IX en 1854. El mismo Papa le dio el nombre de Basílica al templo levantado en honor de las apariciones. Estas, por fin, fueron declaradas auténticas y no pura fantasía de una adolescente ignorante.

## ¿Cuál es la síntesis del mensaje de Lourdes?

En primer lugar, se trata de un acto de gratitud por la definición del dogma, que se había declarado oficialmente cuatro años antes. En segundo lugar, exaltar la pobreza y la humildad, virtudes eminentemente cristianas. En tercer lugar, la importancia de la Cruz como camino para ser feliz aquí y en el más allá. Y en cuarto lugar, la clave para llevar una vida cristiana auténtica, es la oración, sintetizada en el rezo del santo rosario. Pero lo importante, además de las curaciones físicas, es que todo el mundo sale curado en lo espiritual, siempre y cuando se vaya de buena fe. Visita Gruta del Santuario de Lourdes por medio de la [Webcam](#) en donde podrás también depositar tu intención de oración, a los pies de Nuestra Señora.

Fuente de information Aciprensa.





### **Quinceañera class—March 2nd 9am-3pm**

#### **Preparation**

The Candidate must register for and attend all Quinceañera classes. Parents must attend the Quinceañera class with their child.

#### **Eligibility**

The Candidate must be baptized and have received the sacrament of first communion. Copies of these certificates must be turned in at the time of registration/scheduling. You must sign up to attending the youth group and Confirmation class. Be willing to do service hours or community hours around the Parish.



### **Clases para las Quinceañeras—2 de Marzo de 9am-3pm**

#### **Preparación**

La candidata debe inscribirse y asistir a todas las clases de Quinceañera. Los padres deben asistir a la clase de Quinceañera con su hijo.

#### **Elegibilidad**

La candidata debe ser bautizada y haber recibido el sacramento de la Primera Comunión. Las copias de estos certificados deben entregarse en el momento del registro / programa. Debe registrarse para asistir al grupo de jóvenes y la clase de Confirmación. Estar dispuesto a hacer horas de servicio u horas comunitarias alrededor de la parroquia.

**CAPSTONE MISSIONS MARCH TRIP!** Capstone Missions will be traveling to Tijuana on March 16-23 for one of our mission trips this year. We have a lot of projects and need many helping hands. If you have ever considered giving a week of your time in service to the Lord, this would be an excellent time to participate in an amazing experience. Skills needed: a large heart and helpful attitude. Cost is \$450 and you must have a valid passport. If interested, contact Greg Franz at [greglf Franz@gmail.com](mailto:greglf Franz@gmail.com). Scholarships are available!

**If you know someone...who has had an abortion**, express your sympathy for her loss. Assure her of God's unconditional love, and encourage her to seek healing and forgiveness. [www.HopeAfterAbortion.org](http://www.HopeAfterAbortion.org)

**Si usted conoce a alguien...que han tenido un aborto**, expresa su simpatía por su pérdida. Le aseguramos que el amor incondicional de Dios, y animarle a buscar la curación y perdón. [www.HopeAfterAbortion.org](http://www.HopeAfterAbortion.org)

### **14 day Pilgrimage to the Holy Land**

By the Grace of God and with Bishop Peter's blessings, a pilgrimage to the **Holy Land** is scheduled for **April 28<sup>th</sup> – May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019**. Imagine walking in the footsteps of our Lord, of our Holy Mother Mary and the early Church. This **all-inclusive 14 Day** ecumenical Pilgrimage begins in Petra, and concluded in the Holy Land! Fr. Brad Neely will be traveling with us. We will celebrate **daily Mass, renew marriage vows**, and **visit many holy sites**. The **Word of God will come Alive** as we dive deep into scripture. Your faith will be forever, transformed. For information, call Veronica Childers at 208-957-3332, [ronnie83642@hotmail.com](mailto:ronnie83642@hotmail.com) or [www.catholicpilgrimsusa.com](http://www.catholicpilgrimsusa.com) Space is limited so call today to reserve your seat in what is sure to be an amazing journey.

### **Pope Francis Prayer Intention for February 2019**

#### **Human Trafficking**

For a generous welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and of violence.

#### **Intención del Papa Francisco para el mes de Febrero 2019**

#### **Tráfico de Humanos**

Por una generosa bienvenida a las víctimas de la trata de personas, de la prostitución forzada y de la violencia.





### Epic Love Marriage Retreat 2019

Attention married couples: Get away to beautiful Sun Valley for the 5th annual Epic Love Marriage retreat. Take a weekend away with your spouse to renew and strengthen your relationship with God and each other. The Epic Love Marriage retreat is for couples in their 20s, 30s and 40s . May 17-18: Friday 7-9pm and Saturday 9am-7:30pm at Our Lady of the Snows in beautiful Sun Valley. For more information, go to [epicloveretreat.com](http://epicloveretreat.com).

**Community Serve Day for the Western Treasure Valley:** Saturday, April 27th join others to serve in our community. Volunteers can register at [www.serveday.info](http://www.serveday.info) or call 541-889-6411. Service project suggestions can be submitted until March 30th.

**Catholic Parenting Class:** Is your family interested in participating in a Catholic Parenting Class Pilot? WHAT: We are looking for 10 to 12 families to participate in this pilot program who will commit to attending all the sessions and doing the prescribed homework each week. Feedback from family is central to the success of the pilot. The pilot will focus on three main areas: " Catholic Identity " Practical Parenting Skills " Impact of Media/ Technology WHEN: Monday evenings, February 11 through March 18, 2019 from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. A light dinner will be available from 5-6:00 p.m. We are asking for a free-will offering to defray the cost of the meal. This will allow families to arrive at the training not having to worry about providing a dinner for their family on class nights. WHERE: Nazareth Retreat Center, Boise COST: None! Free-will offering will be accepted for the meal. Class material provided.



HOW: To apply, an electronic survey is required before any family is accepted to participate. This training will be taught in English. The hope is to offer a future pilot in Spanish. Once the survey is completed, the Director will contact individual families with note of their acceptance into the pilot. For link to survey or if you have questions, contact Jay Wonacott, Director, Marriage and Family Life Office Email: [jwonacott@rcdb.org](mailto:jwonacott@rcdb.org) Call: 208-350-7535 SPECIAL THANKS TO: Our Sunday Visitor Nazareth Retreat Center Catholic Health Ministry

**Counseling:** Did you know that Catholic Charities of Idaho offers affordable individual mental health counseling as well as couples counseling services? Check out the CCI website at [www.ccidaho.org](http://www.ccidaho.org) to learn more or call (208) 350-7497 to make an appointment.

**Catholic cd's from Lighthouse Media:** We have Lighthouse Media Catholic cd's for sale. Check out the stand in the hallway. There are some talks by some great speakers.

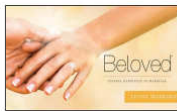
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**Lleve Formed.org**, una plataforma en linea, le ofrece acceso al mayor contenido católico en audio, películas, libros electrónicos y programas de estudio. Código de Acceso es **8FVCCT**

#### RECOMENDACIONES DEL MES



¿Es Importante el Matrimonio?

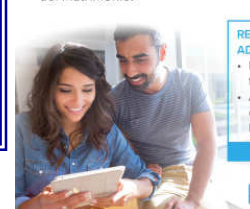
Serie Amado (Con el Dr. Tim Gray y el Dr. Edward Sri)

Dios puso en el corazón humano un deseo para un único compromiso de toda la vida y un amor total de auto donación encontrado en el Sacramento del Matrimonio.

#### RECOMENDACIONES ADICIONALES

- Matrimonio fácil para tiempos difíciles (ebook)
- Amor, sacrificio y confianza (audio de Padre Michael Schmitz)

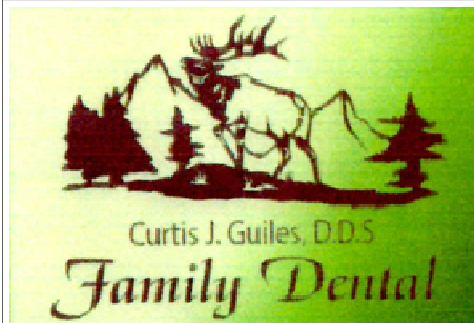
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