



Sacred Heart Catholic Church

219 E. Rockwood Blvd.
Spokane, WA 99202

*25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 23, 2018*

The pastor and parishioners of Sacred Heart Catholic Church warmly welcome you to our parish family!
We hope that you find us to be a family of faith and love, exemplifying in word and deed the generosity of the Father, the self-giving service of Jesus Christ, and the enduring presence of the Holy Spirit.

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Mass Schedules:

WEEKENDS:

Reconciliation: *Saturday 4:00 pm*

Saturday Vigil: *5:00 pm*

Sunday: *10:00 am*

WEEKDAYS:

Tue, Wed, Thurs, & Fri: *7:30 am*

HOLY DAYS:

7:30 am & 5:30 pm

Religious Education:

Children's Liturgy of the Word:

Sunday 10:00 am Mass

Religious Education, Kindergarten to Grade 6:

Sunday, 8:45-10:00 am

For events, schedules, and contact persons for all other parish activities and ministries, visit our website:

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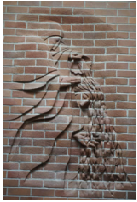
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Sacred Heart Parish will again be offering its annual program of instruction for those interested in knowing more about our Catholic faith and traditions and who might be also interested in joining our Catholic Church family through reception of the Sacraments of Initiation at Easter. This program may be of interest to the unbaptized, or to the baptized non-Catholic Christians. We would like to start in October.

Please contact Deacon Brian Ernst at 324-6411 (his work number) or at brian@beemer-mumma.com.

Contemplative Prayer

Once a week our group meets to pray and respond to God's invitation to listen deeply together and grow in our spiritual journey. This practice involves the use of Scripture, meditative listening, contemplation and shared prayer. We meet every Monday at 11:00 am to 12:15 upstairs in the Parish Center building. ALL ARE WELCOME. Questions? Call Jan Eberley at 509-850-6164.

Choir & Schola!

The **Sunday Choir** welcomes new members, singers and instrumentalists, adults and youth. We sing three times per month, and practice once a month.

The Men's Schola returns the first weekend in October, and practices on Thursday, October 4, 7-9 pm. Interested in either or both? Please contact Marian at 747 5790 or marianfletcherbeaumier@hotmail.com.



Our Parish Sacrificial Offerings Last Week

Envelope & Plate Offering: \$ 6,646.00

Outreach Offering: \$ 248.00

In order to meet our 2017-18 budget, an average weekly collection of \$5,850.00 is needed. Thank you so much!



Annual Catholic Appeal

Next weekend, throughout the Diocese, is ACA Commitment Weekend. Our goal is approximately \$57,731 and we encourage each parish household participate in order for our parish to reach its goal. Once our parish surpasses our goal, 100% of the overage is returned to us! By now you should have received the ACA materials from Bishop Daly and we ask that you respond with a generous spirit. If you have not contributed in the past, please consider doing so this year and if you have contributed in the past please consider the possibility of increasing your contribution this year.



Coffee & Donuts are back!

Just follow the crowd after 10:00 am Mass to the Parish Social Hall!



Mass Intentions This Week

- Sat., Sept 22 People of the Parish
- Sun., Sept 23 +Rosemary Berry by Roseanne Sande
- WEEKDAY MASSES—7:30 A.M.**
- Tues., Sept 25 +Christine Johnson by Anita Lamp
- Weds., Sept 26 Betty Bender (for health) by Mary Conley
- Thurs., Sept 27 +Joan Flock by the Pearson Family
- Fri., Sept 28 +Christine Duff by Irene Dufort

Mass Readings Next Weekend:

Numbers 11:25-29; James 5:1-6; Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Liturgical Minsters Schedule can be found on our website: shparishspokane.org/liturgical-ministry-schedules

Our Parish Prayer Chain: Is there illness or are there special needs in your family? Our community prayer chain looks forward to praying for you! Send your request to Judy Felgenhauer, jfelgen@comcast.net.

NEW TO SACRED HEART PARISH? WELCOME! We look forward to getting to know you!

Please return this form to the parish office or e-mail the information to: nancy@shparishspokane.org

Name: _____

Address: _____ Zip: _____

Home Tel: _____ Cell: _____ Email: _____



Sacred Heart Stewardship & Ministries Weekend



Next weekend at both the Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses, leaders of our various parish ministries will be available before and after the Masses to share with you information on their ministries in the parish and opportunities for you to become involved. Each parish committee and ministry will have a table along the back wall for you to visit as you wish.

As always, we look forward to welcoming new people in our parish ministries! If, by chance, you are not able to be present next week, but would still like more information or would like to sign up, just call Nancy in the parish office during the week.

Religious Education!

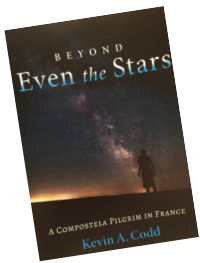
Our children's Sunday morning catechetical program will get underway **TODAY!** under the direction of **Sister Gabrielle Marie, SMMC.**



Sister Gabrielle will be leading the hour-long religious education class for our elementary level children on Sunday mornings from 9:00 am to Mass time; she will also be guiding the Children's Liturgy of the Word program during the 10:00 am Sunday Mass. **These programs begin Sept 23, 2018 and continue through May 26, 2019.**

Maria Haxton will be leading our program to prepare our children for the sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Communion this coming year. **Please give us a call and let us know if your child will be participating in sacramental preparation: 747-5810.**

Book Study: *Beyond Even the Stars*



For many years, Andi McGoran has been offering an autumn book study at St. Peter's Parish. She has chosen as her subject for this fall Father Kevin's new book, *Beyond Even the Stars*. **She warmly welcomes all Sacred Heart parishioners to be part of the book study this year!**

The study group (usually over 50 participants!) will meet on Tuesday evenings, 7:00-9:00 pm beginning October 2 and running through November 13.

For those who do not already have the book, preorders and prepayment will be made very easy!

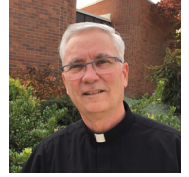
Those who have participated in Andi's book studies in past years know that they are always well-planned, thoughtful, insightful, and fun!

SaFeTy MeSSaGe FoR PaREnTS:

We would like to ask you to please accompany your younger children to the restrooms during Mass. It is the *safe* thing to do!



A Word from Father...



Dear Friends,

My Uncle Maurie and Aunt Flo were pretty special people. Maurie was my mother's youngest brother, and obviously, Flo was his wife; together they had eight children, all more or less the same ages as our Codd brood. Once every summer, we'd get together at our place on Lower Twin Lake. They'd drive up from Richland, Yakima, or Ellensburg (wherever "home" was for them...Uncle Maurie worked for a Yakima bank and was moved from branch to branch across the years). With our eleven and their eight, not to mention Mom and Dad, Aunt and Uncle, we pretty much overwhelmed our cabin for a week. The logistics of finding sleeping quarters for so many, not to mention feeding this gang three times a day must have been something! I don't know how it was all done, but however our elders managed it, for us kids, it was absolutely the funnest week of the year! The amount of play we could fit into one day was pretty amazing, most of it took place down on the dock with watery horseplay, but we also took plenty of time to seek out adventures by tromping through the nearby woods looking for snails or collecting beer bottles along the dusty road to redeem at the small grocery store for penny candy. My cousin, Maureen, was my own age, and she and my sister, Patty, and my little brothers, Nick and Lou, would play at being wild horses, galloping, neighing, bucking and letting fly our tails made of iris fronds (collected from the unkempt garden near the old outhouse).

The old people had fun, too. Uncle Maurie challenged my dad to swim across the lake. We cheered them on, hiding our worry that our dad might not have been in good enough shape to make it, but both did...my pop barely.

Dinner time was barbecue time, and that was men's work in those days...the only time the men of the family cooked as far as I can remember. The old circular barbecue on spindly aluminum legs was loaded with briquettes, lit up with plenty of fluid to make the whole thing flare for a few moments with crazy flames, then the hamburger patties Mom and Aunt Flo had handmade were thrown on while the buns, mustard, ketchup, and pickles laid out for our kiddie creativity in putting the whole thing together.

Uncle Maurie, always our favorite uncle, passed away last year and I was honored to preside at his services in Ellensburg. I visited Aunt Flo earlier this summer and enjoyed breakfast with her the Sunday following the Williams wedding. She was in great shape at 95 and asked about each of my siblings and we remembered fondly those weeks together out at the lake. She, too, went to God just the other day. My cousin, Maureen, told me that she finished my book just a few days earlier and that it helped her be ready for death. I will head to Ellensburg next weekend for her funeral Mass and burial. It will be also a great reunion of the Dufaults and the Cods and we will surely tell stories of our happy days together out at the lake!

Fr. Kevin