St. Joseph Parish — Otis Orchards

MASS INTENTIONS Saturday, June 4 5:30pm Megan McCauley Sunday, June 5 8:00am †Alicia Weber 10:30am People of the Parish Tuesday, June 7 8:30am Tristan Gresch

2016 Graduate Wednesday, June 8 8:30am Carmen Roberts Thursday, June 9

8:30am Michaela Sund 2016 Graduate

Friday, June 10 8:30am †Bob Lingow Saturday, June 11 5:30pm †Ed Inge Sunday, June 12 8:00am People of the Parish



10:30am †Evelyn Cochran WEEK AHEAD June 6-12

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Monday	Scouts	7pm
Tuesday	After Mass Social	9:15am
-	Quilters	10am
	Eucharistic Adoration	12:30-2:30pm
Wednesday	Eucharistic Adoration	6-8am
	Mom's Group	9:30am
	Seniors on the Go	11am
	Eucharistic Adoration	7-10pm
Thursday	Stewardship Committee	6pm
	Vocations Committee	7pm
Friday	VBS Skit Practice	3:30pm
Saturday	VBS Skit Practice	3:30pm
Sunday	Blood Drive	8:30am-12:30pm
-	Knights Pancake Breakfast	9am-noon
	Baptism Class	11:45am
	RE Teachers Meeting	11:45am

Our quarterly Blood Drive is coming next **Sunday**, June 12, with new extended hours 8:30 am-12:30 **pm.** You can set up an appointment now at

inbcsaves.org or by calling Cindy in the parish office.



Use sponsor code: StJosephsOtisOrchard Knights are providing another great pancake breakfast at the same time. Proceeds this Pancake Breakfast month will help support our VBS.

Mary Simpson would like to invite you to Seth Lowman's Senior Recital, here next Sunday, June 12th at 2:30pm. Seth is the blind pianist that has played at the last 4 SVP Benefit concerts. Also there will be excerpts from this years concert including Phantom of the Opera and Becky & Julie's duet.

Scriptures for June 12

2 Samuel 12:7-10, 13 Psalm 32:1-2, 5, 7, 11 Galatians 2:16, 19-21 Luke 7:36—8:3

June 5—Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Both the first reading and the Gospel remind us powerfully that every breath we take is a gift from God. How conscious am I of this first and most precious gift? Am I a good stew-

We are the Hands of Christ

STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION

"It is not how much we give, but how much Mother Teresa love we put into giving."

WEEKLY COLLECTION 5/29/2016

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Plate	TOTAL		
\$ 693.62	\$ 6,728.37		
Total for May to date:			
Needed Monthly			

Building Fund Total for May			
Our Parish Our Future Campaign			
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Dear Lord Jesus Christ, We send our prayers up to you, much as the first Christians did almost 2000 years ago. We, too, struggle to find **Xalions** ways in which to live our lives in fellowship with You and each other, as we navigate this

real and often spiritual desert. We ask that You lead us to the life-giving water which only You can provide. Teach us to build a truly faith-based life and to grow together as true brothers and sisters. In Your name we pray. Amen Check the parish web site under Ministries for information regarding vocations.

9th Annual Quo Vadis Days June 20-23, for men entering grades 9-12.

VOCARE, June 20-23, for women entering grades 9-12. (Deadline is June 6th)

You are invited to any or all of the piano recitals that will be held here this weekend at 1, 3 and 5 p.m. in the church. These will be performed by Mary Simpson's piano students, many of which are children of parishioners, each lasting approximately 1 hour with a short reception afterwards.

LITURGY SCHEDULE for June 11-12



IF YOU CAN NOT SERVE, PLEASE FIND A REPLACEMENT. THANK YOU

FAITH FORMATION



St Joseph Vacation Bible School Monday—Thursday, June 27-30 "Barnyard Roundup" PK—6th grade with older students as Youth Helpers

At Barnyard Roundup VBS, your students learn that Jesus gathers us together! Kids want to belong, to be understood, and to be valued. They want a BFF at their side, no matter what! At Barnyard Roundup, children look into the Bible to discover that Jesus is better than a BFF! Jesus, their Savior, knows them by name, rounds them up, and brings them home. He is with us always and forever—no matter what! Registration & volunteer sign-up begin at all the Masses this weekend of June 4/5. Please call the Parish office for more information, 926-7133.

Specific donation request—Thank you so much to the donor of \$500 for VBS music DVD's! You are amazing!



Youth Ministry Supporting the Faith and Spirituality of Teens 8th-12th Grades

YOUTH FUNDRAISER: \$10 Pizza Pipeline gift cards will be sold after all the Masses this weekend, June 4 & 5.

The Youth budget earns \$5 for each card sold for help in attending youth retreats, conferences and activities. These gift cards make wonderful gifts for graduates, Father's Day, weddings, anniversaries, etc. So help our youth ministry and give much appreciated gifts at the same time!

Spiritual teens and their families, Wow! We made it through the whole year & had a great time! We have DVD's available that are filled with pictures of you, so pick up your copy in front of the office. We have an end-of-theyear party planned for Wed, June 15th! We will meet at the church at 6pm for pizza in the hall, 7pm will be a time for adoration in the Chapel, and afterwards we will head to River City Lanes in Post Falls for bowling from 8 – 10pm. To pay for all this fun, we will be selling Pizza Pipeline gift cards this weekend at all the Masses. We would really appreciate your help to sell as many as possible!

For those of you going to Steubenville, please make sure to pay your balance as soon as possible. Prayers for you all as you take your finals and end the year with God by your side. God bless, Meta, Gene, and the Ministry Team (509)928-6182, <u>metaboik@hotmail.com</u>

St. Joseph's Baptism Schedule

Classes: June 5 & 12 **Baptism:** June 19 August 14 & 21 August 28 Please call the parish office to register or if you have any

questions, 926-7133

St. Gabriel's Group (Mom's Group)

Meetings are Wed, 9:30-11:30am. Check out the parish website for a calendar and to see what the group represents. Any questions call or text Jessica Morgan, 638-8225. Childcare is provided.



JUNE/JULY PARISH HAPPENINGS

SENIORS ON THE GO

Wednesday, June 8th, Seniors on the Go will be traveling to "Cat Tails", north of Spokane. All those wishing to go please be at the church at 11:00 a.m. We will be car pooling. Bring your own sack lunch and we will enjoy a picnic just outside the gate. Price for seniors is just \$8.00.

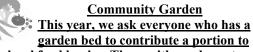


Stewardship Committee is looking for new members to join this wonderful ministry team. Come meet current members at their next meeting here in the parish hall, Thursday, June 9, at 6:00pm. This group is involved in many activities at the parish as well as organizing the Volunteer Thank you Reception, the Parish Picnic and the Fall Mission.

Its Graduation Time!

If you have a family member graduating this year (High School or College) and would like them to be recognized in the bulletin of June 19, please let the office know before June 13. Call 926-7133 or email *info@stjoeparish.org*. Thank you.

2015 St Josephs' Parish campout is scheduled for July 14-17. This is held at Farragut State Park in Idaho at the Whitetail campground with access to lots of hiking and biking trails, swimming and boating. Bathrooms, showers and water spigots are also part of this campground. What a great vacation idea at only \$92.38 for three days. Only 7 sites left! First come—first serve. Get your registration in soon! Forms are available in the pocket of the poster in the fover. Ouestions, call the parish office 926-7133.



our local food banks. Those with gardens at home, please consider bringing a portion for the food bank also. Just bring your produce to Church and we will deliver. Contact Mark Schuller

(509-869-7661, markman@me.com) or any member of the Charity and Justice Committee for more information.

MORE RECIPES ARE NEEDED!!!

The St Gabriel's Moms group is compiling a recipe and tradition cookbook and we need YOUR help. We're looking for scrumptious recipes, family traditions, and accompanying photos surrounding Christmas, Lent, Easter, and Feast Days. We plan to sell the finished cookbook as a fundraiser for the Year of Mercy & the "Bite to Go" program at Otis Orchards Elementary. Please send submissions to Sevrina Ryan at Sevrina.Ryan@gmail.com as soon as possible! If the recipe comes from a source other than you, please cite as appropriate.

"A big THANK YOU to all the Mom's of the St Gabriel's Moms group who provided meals and support for me when I was recuperating from my neck surgery! It's easy to see why you have such great children—they have great teachers!" Terri Bruxer

ON GOING PARISH HAPPENINGS

NEEDED: VISIONARIES, PLANNERS AND DOERS!!! St. Joseph Charity & Justice Committee needs you! The goals of this parish committee are to learn about, edu-

The goals of this parish committee are to learn about, educate others, & plan outreach and events for the whole parish related to the Social Teaching of the Church. This committee has organized Offering of Letters, Understanding Islam sessions, Christmas Tree of Sharing, Fair Trade Festivals, Diaper Drives, our Community Garden, Partnering with Otis Elementary and more. We usually meet monthly, have fun, pray and do lots!!

Interested? Call or email Jim Baumker for more information: (858)775-6180, <u>jabaum@comcast.net</u>

<u>Night Walk</u> is one of the various ministries under the auspices of Catholic Charities. A group of volunteers serves sandwiches, cookies, coffee and water, and distribute clothing to our homeless brothers and sisters in Spokane twice a month. St. Joseph Parish's Charity and Justice Committee invites you join this ministry by helping to make sandwiches in the parish hall, or bake cookies at home and bring them in on the designated Monday morning. For additional information regarding this ministry please contact Deacon Chalo at 509-263-9553, or by email at <u>deacon@stjoeparish.org</u>.

EXPOSITION OF THE EUCHARIST (ADORATION)

We are in need of people to schedule an hour of time each week for Adoration. For more information please contact Sharon Elliott at email *goneclicken@yahoo.com* or 924-0336. This wonderful devotion is available every week at St Joseph. Drop by Tuesday 12:30 pm-2:30 pm,

Wednesday 6am - 8am, and 7pm - 10pm.

All are welcome! The Eucharist is displayed on the day chapel altar for all.

Safe Environment Program (Protecting Our Children)

"When any person, in his or her official supervisory capacity with a nonprofit or for-profit organization, has reasonable cause to believe that a minor has suffered abuse or neglect caused by a person over whom he or she regularly exercises supervisory authority, he or she shall report such incident, or cause a report to be made, to the proper law enforcement agency, provided that the person alleged to have caused the abuse or neglect is employed by, contracted by, or volunteers with the organization and coaches, trains, educates, or counsels a minor(s) or regularly has unsupervised access to a minor(s) as part of the employment, contract, or voluntary service." In other words, volunteers who supervise other volunteers who work with minors are required to report any suspected abuse by others whom they supervise.

Sited from RCW (1) (b).

Reporting Suspected Abuse:

To report any suspected abuse, please contact:

Victims Assistance Coordinator

(509) 353-0442 Office Phone, (509) 998-8340 Cell Phone

Child Protective Services

Spokane Co. (509)363-3333, (800)557-9671, (800)562-5624 Department of Social and Health Services, (866) 363-4276

Law Enforcement

Spokane County: (509) 456-2233

IN THE COMMUNITY

The Bridge- June 3 – 30, 2016. Come view this traveling art exhibition featuring the premier contemporary visual art of 47 Christian, Muslim and Jewish artists from 15 countries. In this time of turbulence around the world The Bridge looks at ways we can develop a world that respects and honors cultural and religious diversity. The Bridge comes to Spokane's St. John's Cathedral (127 E. 12th Ave., stjohnscathedral.org/visit) following exhibitions in Paris, Cairo, London, and France. FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. Exhibition hours: Tues, Thurs, Fri and Sun: 12 pm-5 pm. & Wed & Sat: 12 pm-8 pm. (tel: 509-838-4277)

Can you give the gift of time? **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

Without the hard work and good hearts of our volunteers, there would be no **Spokane Valley Partners**. To volunteer, all you need is a positive attitude, a warm smile, a willingness to assist those in need and a quick phone call to **Cora** at **509.927.1153**, ext. 19.

The following days and times are most-needed, but we're flexible and can accommodate anyone who is able to help. **Clothing Bank:** Mon, 12:30 - 3 pm;

Front Desk: Tues, Noon - 4 pm or Friday, 8am - Noon 10814 East Broadway Avenue, Spokane Valley, WA 99206, <u>devdir@svpart.org</u>

St John Vianney School

St John Vianney has begun registration for the 2016-2017 school year. They are open to all families desiring a quality education—Christian and other faith based families. They serve students in Preschool (age 3 & 4) to 8th grade. Tuition assistance is available to all families. Interested families may call the school at 926-7987 for a tour and interview with a teacher or principal. Additional information can be found on our website at www.st.johnvianney.com.

DONATIONS NEEDED!

Have you wondered what to do with all those sample/hotel sized shampoos, lotions, soaps, etc.?
We are collecting these items for the *Transitional Programs for Women*. These programs help many needy women and children in the Spokane area. <u>Please drop these</u> items off in the basket found in the foyer!

BEAUTIFUL QUILTS AVAILABLE

The Chancery Quilting Ladies have beautiful cotton quilts available in sizes crib—queen.. Prices are reasonable ranging from \$20-\$40. Now is an excellent time to get a gift for some-



one for a birthday, a baby shower or even for a graduate. All profits go to Catholic Charities.

Call (509) 487-4423 or (509) 328-5688 for more information. Located in the St. Anne Children & Family Center basement, 25 W 5th Ave, Spokane—open on Fridays.

http://stjoeparish.org/ Bookmark St Joseph's to be up to date on everything at the parish!

http://dioceseofspokane.org/ Catholic Diocese of Spokane is now on Facebook! Go to www.facebook.com/pages/ Catholic-Diocese-of-Spokane/116335971744555 and "like" them to follow the happenings around the Diocese.

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Cathedral Choirs Concert -this Sunday, June 5, 2:00 pm

The Cathedral of Our Lady of Lourdes All are invited to attend as the Diocesan Youth Choir joins the Cathedral Choir. Music will include beloved sacred works by J. S. Bach, Edward Bairstow, John Rutter, and more. Admission is free. However, free will donations will be gratefully accepted to support the ongoing ministry of the adults and children of the Cathedral Choirs.

Quo Vadis Days Camp, June 20-23 at Pinelow Camp near Deer Park (visit <u>www.qvdays.org</u> for more info). Free to young men wanting to begin learning how to discern God's call in their lives.

<u>VOCARE, June 20-23</u> at Immaculate Heart Retreat Center. This is a vocational experience for girls entering 9-12 grade. **\$50 registration due by June 6**

(www.dioceseofspokane.org/vocare).

Questions contact Sr. Mary Joanna at 481-8862 or <u>srmary-joanna@sistersofmarymc.org</u>.

St Paschal Parish will be celebrating its **centennial** July 16-17. All are welcome. For information call Cindy Koker 509-869-2799

Golf Tournament

Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Church, **Monday, Sept. 19**Shotgun start 1:15 pm, Downriver Golf Course
\$100 Per Player - 18 Holes of Golf. Register at
www.sistersofmarymc.org or calling 509-448-9890

Save the Date: Calling all Catholic Men – the 19th Inland Northwest Catholic Men's Retreat will be held on the weekend of October 21-23 at Camp n-Sid-Sen on Lake Coeur d'Alene. This retreat will feature Dr. Tom Curran as our Retreat Master (You can hear Dr. Tom on Sacred Heart radio – 970 AM – from 8-9 am each weekend morning). Please reserve these dates on your calendar now. More details to follow, including the registration form and the retreat flyer. If you have any questions, please call Mike Anderson at 208-664-1498.

Year of Divine Mercy Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe, December 7-14, 2016

Anyone interested in joining this pilgrimage should sign up as soon as possible because the space is limited to 25 and it is first come-first serve and for financial reasons, the pilgrimage would have to be canceled if most of the reserved spaces are not essentially filled by September 1st.

Talk to Deacon Chalo for details and reservation forms.

Want to learn more about your faith or have questions? Here are a few web sites that might help:

www.catholicway.org www,

www.catholicfirst.com www.catholictreasury.info www.askacatholic.com www.beginningcatholic.com www.catholicqanda.com

Immaculate Heart Retreat Center

6910 S Ben Burr Rd, Spokane

For more information or to register in advance: (509) 448-1224 or visit www.ihrc.net

<u>Barbeques with Bishop Skylstad</u>. Summer Barbeque with beer & wine and talk over dessert & Coffee. Starts with Mass at 5pm, ends at 8pm. Cost is \$25, register in advance.

June 7: "The Power of Mercy in a Troubled World"

July 12: "The Crises of Leadership in our World: How are we genuine 'Salt & Light'"

Aug. 23: "The Church—A Prophetic Leader of Relationships in a Global World"

<u>Silent Days of Prayer:</u> 9am—3pm, cost is \$38 with an additional \$10 for a room

June 15, Jubilee Year of Mercy. "A Pilgrimage of Mercy" Fr. Daniel Barnett

Upcoming Retreats:

June 27-July 1: Weeklong for Men & Women Contemplation in Action. Fr Jeffrey Core. A Week of spiritual refreshment alongside time set aside to work on the Retreat Center. Meals & lodging included free, able-bodied persons needed!

<u>Taizé Sunday Evening Prayer Service</u> held at Immaculate Heart Retreat Center on the **last Sun of each month** from **7-8 pm**. For questions or information call Andi at 448-9736.

All are invited! Healing of Families

Holy Hour before the Blessed Sacrament **Tuesdays 7:00 pm**, St Thomas More (in the chapel),
505 W St Thomas More Way, Spokane.

Prayers for you and your family, Eucharistic songs, Rosary,
Scripture readings, Chaplet of Divine Mercy.

Monastery of St Gertrude Spirit Center

465 Keuterville Rd. Cottonwood. ID 83522

Be a Monk for a Month at the Monastery of St. Gertrude in Cottonwood, Idaho. Spend a month living monastic life with the Benedictine sisters. Pray, live, work & celebrate ~ let the monastic silence speak to your heart this season. For more information or an application visit www.stgertrudes.org/ monastic-immersion-experience/ and/or contact Sr. Teresa Jackson at membership@stgertrudes.org.

A few good **Apps for your iPhone**:

Saint of the Day: portable audio inspiration from great Catholic saints! *AmericanCatholic.org/SODapp*American Catholic: news, minute meditations, blog, & Catholic Q&A. *AmericanCatholic.org/ACOapp*

Traveling this summer?

Find a place for Mass by going to *Masstimes.org*

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Papal homily on March 17, 2013