

St. Joseph Parish — Otis Orchards



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 11
5:30pm †Ed Inge
Sunday, June 12
8:00am People of the Parish
10:30am †Evelyn Cochran
Tuesday, June 14
8:30am
Wednesday, June 15
8:30am
Thursday, June 16
8:30am
Friday, June 17
8:30am †Joseph & Edna Lowry
Saturday, June 18
5:30pm People of the Parish
Sunday, June 19
8:00am †Jan Blondeau
10:30am

Rejoice in the Lord
and be glad, ... all
you who are upright
in heart!



Psalm 32:11

Scriptures for June 19

Zechariah 12:10-11; 13:1
Psalm 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9
Galatians 3:26-29
Luke 9:18-24

June 12—Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Like Nathan in today's first reading, we sin when we begin to feel entitled and act as if what we have is ours by right, when we forget that everything we have is an unmerited gift from God. But God is gracious and forgiving—even when we use His gifts wrongly or squander them thoughtlessly—if, like Nathan, we confess our guilt and ask His pardon.

*We are the
Hands of Christ*

STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION

Some people say "Give until it hurts."
But God recommends that we give until it feels good.

WEEK AHEAD June 13-19

Monday	Scouts	7pm
Tuesday	After Mass Social Group	9:15am
	Quilters	10am
	Eucharistic Adoration	12:30-2:30pm
Wednesday	Eucharistic Adoration	6-8am
	Mom's Group	9:30am
	VBS Skit Practice	3pm
	Youth End-of-Year Party	6pm
	Pastoral Council	7pm
	Eucharistic Adoration	7-10pm
Thursday	VBS Skit Practice	9am
	Knights Meeting	7pm
Friday	VBS Skit Practice	3:30pm
Sunday	Children's Liturgy of the Word	10:30 Mass

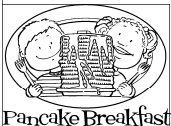
WEEKLY COLLECTION 6/5/2016

Envelopes	Plate	TOTAL
\$ 8,964.00	\$ 1,313.50	\$ 10,277.50
Total for June to date:		\$ 10,277.50
Needed Monthly		\$ 31,200.00

Building Fund Total for June		\$ 190.00
Our Parish Our Future Campaign		\$ 621,334.00

Our quarterly Blood Drive is this **Sunday, June 12,** with new extended hours **8:30 am-12:30 pm.**

You can set up an appointment now at inbcaves.org or by calling Cindy in the parish office. Use sponsor code: *St.JosephsOtisOrchard*



Knights are providing another great **pancake breakfast** at the same time. Proceeds this month will help support our VBS.

Mary Simpson would like to invite you to Seth Lowman's Senior Recital, here this 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.



2015 as the Year of Consecrated Life— Pope Francis

"Every consecrated person is a gift for the People of God on a journey. There is much need of their presence, that strengthens and renews the commitment to spread the gospel, to Christian education, to charity for the most needy, to contemplative prayer; the commitment to a human and spiritual formation of young people, of families; the commitment to justice and peace in the human family. Consecrated persons are signs of God in diverse environments of life, they are leaven for the growth of a more just and fraternal society, prophecy of sharing with the little and the poor. As such understanding and experience, the consecrated life appears to us just as it really is: a gift of God!"

Check the parish web site under Ministries for information regarding vocations.

LITURGY SCHEDULE for June 18-19

Mass	GREETER	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	USHERS	SERVERS
5:30pm	M Delbuono	T Boik	K Boik, S Manfred, P Puhek		O Manfred L Manfred
8:00am	B Garner & M Fautch	M Lunneborg	L Strom, J Strom, J Sine G Carlsen, Deacon Chalo	J Rosa D Carlsen	M Lunneborg M Lunneborg
10:30am	C Pederson & V Pozo	J Biegler	M Lamb, I Lamb, R Lee, K Lee S Elliott, S Stuber, Deacon Chalo	J Ciesielski B Pearson	J Gehlen J Petersen

*****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**

Sign up *now* in the foyer or stop by the parish office. Register students, 4 yr. old – 6th Grade, and 7th – 12th Grade as Youth Helpers. Invite friends and neighbors! We need **Cow Hands** as class leaders, game leaders, teen leaders, craft helpers, and more. You can also donate needed snacks and/or scholarship money.

Barnyard Roundup is only 2 weeks away, so don't hesitate!
Call the parish office for more information, 926-7133.



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

Wonderful teens and their families,

* We are planning an **end-of-the-year party** on **Wed, June 15th**. We will begin with pizza at 6pm, then head over to the chapel for Adoration, and then on to bowling at River City Lanes in Post Falls. We will be back at the church by 10:30 pm. **If you haven't already signed up on the list, please text me at 202-2454 to let me know that you are coming** so we can have enough drivers. Thank you to all those who helped sell Pizza Pipeline gift cards to help fund this party!

* For all those going to Steubenville, please turn in your money now.

* We'd love to have your help with VBS on June 27th. We especially need rec helpers to run the games outdoors.

Prayers for you on your finals.

God bless, Meta, Gene, and the Ministry Team

POLICY CHANGE for Sacramental Preparation for Students at St. Joseph Parish

Fr Mike and Teresa McCann (Religious Education Director), in consultation with the Faith Formation Council and the Pastoral Council, have made this policy change:

Going forward, students will prepare for and celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation before the celebration of Confirmation and First Eucharist. The policy aligns us with diocesan policy as well as universal Church law. The Sacrament of First Reconciliation will be celebrated in the fall of 2nd grade and the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist will be celebrated in the spring of 2nd grade. We recognize parents as primary in their child's faith formation and they may best determine at what age their child would prepare for Reconciliation and Confirmation/First Eucharist. *(Revised May 22, 2016)*

St. Joseph's Baptism Schedule

Classes: June 12 **Baptism:** June 19
 August 14 & 21 August 28

Please call the parish office to register or if you have any questions, 926-7133



JUNE/JULY PARISH HAPPENINGS

It's 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.



WERE GOING TO A



BALL GAME!

Baseball Group Night - Spokane Indians!

Friday, July 8, 6:30 pm

Yoke's \$1 Family Feast Night.

Spokane Indians vs. Boise Hawks

Ticket request forms are on the table in the gathering area.

Please turn in your forms by Thursday, June 30th.

Make checks payable to Spokane Indians Baseball!



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 3 sites left!** First come—first serve.

Get your registration in soon! Forms are

available in the pocket of the poster in the foyer.

Questions, call the parish office 926-7133.



Community Garden

This year, we ask everyone who has a garden bed to contribute a portion to

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.



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.



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

AROUND THE DIOCESE

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

.Novena and Canonization Mass in honor of Blessed Teresa of Calcutta

Join the Missionaries of Charity in celebrating the life and sanctity of Blessed Teresa of Calcutta!

Novena: 6 – 7 pm, Fri, Aug 26 to Sat, Sept 3.

Evening schedule: Exposition, Rosary, Reflection, Novena prayer, Benediction

Canonization Mass: 1 pm Sunday, Sept 4,

Celebrant: Most Reverend Thomas Daly

Luncheon to follow in the adjacent park. **St. Patrick Catholic Church**, 5021 N Nelson St, 509-487-1325

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.

Pilgrimage to France

A few spaces remain available for those wishing to accompany Bishop Thomas Daly on a special Pilgrimage to France in the Year of Mercy. This pilgrimage will take place from

October 2 – 13, 2016 and will include visits to historic churches and Marian shrines in France, including the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes. For more information, log on to the diocesan website www.dioceseofspokane.org and click on "Pilgrimage to Lourdes" under the quick links tab. Phone inquiries can be made to Mr. Richard Sontag of Tekton Ministries at (866) 905-3787.

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.

Taizé Sunday Evening Prayer Service 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.

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

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

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"

Silent Days of Prayer: 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!

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.



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

dioceseofspokane.org/ Catholic Diocese of Spokane is now on Facebook! Go to [www.facebook.com/pages/Catholic-Diocese](http://www.facebook.com/pages/Catholic-Diocese-of-Spokane/116335971744555)

[-of-Spokane/116335971744555](http://www.facebook.com/pages/Catholic-Diocese-of-Spokane/116335971744555) and "like" them to follow the happenings around the Diocese.

Traveling this summer?

Find a place for Mass by going to Masstimes.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

Want to learn more about your faith or have questions?

Here are a few web sites that might help:

www.catholicway.org

www.askacatholic.com

www.catholicfirst.com

www.beginningcatholic.com

www.catholictreasury.info

www.catholicqanda.com

ON GOING PARISH HAPPENINGS

Partnering with Otis Orchards

The school year is winding down and the **Otis Orchards Elementary School and the Charity and Justice Committee want to thank all the volunteers** who have helped with the Bite-2-Go Program and the Reading Assistance Program. Both programs have a tremendous impact in helping our children achieve their full capabilities. Please take a moment to look at the Poster of Appreciation prepared by the school that is displayed in the Church foyer. We look forward to continuing these programs when school starts next Fall.

NEEDED: VISIONARIES, PLANNERS AND DOERS!!! **St. Joseph Charity & Justice Committee needs you!**

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, jabaum@comcast.net

Night Walk 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 deacon@stjoeparish.org.

Stewardship Committee is looking for new members to join this wonderful ministry team. 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.

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.

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. **Please drop these items off in the basket found in the foyer!**



IN THE COMMUNITY

Senior Lady Could use a Little Temporary HELP!

A lady in her eighties needs some temporary help with laundry and light housework while she is recovering from an illness. She lives in the Liberty Lake area and is a St. Joe parishioner. If you can lend her a hand, please call Paula at Catholic Charities Volunteer Chore Services at 459-6171.

The Bridge— thru **June 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,
devdir@svpart.org

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.

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

Prepares (part of Catholic Charities) is in need of new and gently used boy's clothing, small toys, socks & new underwear for 18 months to 5 years old. You can drop your donations off at the parish office. **Prepares thanks you.**

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 someone 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.

