

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

219 E. Rockwood Blvd.
Spokane, WA 99202

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

November 25, 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:

shparishspokane.org

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SACRED HEART PARISH

Christ the King Sunday

November 25, 2018



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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.



Adult Spiritual Formation Opportunities at Sacred Heart

- ◆ **Men's Bible Study:** 6:30 am, Tuesdays, in the Social Hall
- ◆ **Contemplative Prayer:** 11:00 am-12:15 pm, Mondays, Parish Center, upstairs meeting room.
- ◆ **Scripture Share and Prayer:** Thursdays, 9:30-11:30 am, Parish Center, upstairs meeting room. (New session will begin January 10, 2019)



Religious Education!

Sister Gabrielle welcomes our parish children to join her every Sunday morning from 9:00 am to Mass time and will be guiding the Children's Liturgy of the Word program during the 10:00 am Sunday Mass. Sacramental Prep meets on Tuesday nights at 6:30 in the Parish Hall. Contact Maria Haxton at mhaxton@diocesofspokane.org for more details.

Our Parish Sacrificial Offerings Last Week

Envelope & Plate Offering: \$ 5,698.50
Outreach Offering: \$ 309.00

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



CRS "Ethical Trade" Christmas Sale *TODAY!*

Following both parish Masses this weekend, Scott Cooper, on behalf of *Catholic Relief Services*, will be offering a large assortment of delightful and delicious items for sale in our parish social hall.

This is Christmas shopping with a conscience, and the proceeds support worker-owned co-ops in the developing world that pay a living wage.

Southwest Catholic Youth

SWCY is a collaborative youth ministry serving the youth at Sacred Heart, St. Augustine, and the Cathedral. Among other activities, it hosts weekly Wednesday Youth Nights during the school year.

For more information, contact Fr. Kyle Ratuiste: kratuiste@diocesofspokane.org.



Mass Intentions This Week

Sat., Nov 24 +Alvin Meshell by Mary Lee Toney

Sun., Nov 25 People of the Parish

WEEKDAY MASSES—7:30 A.M.

Tues., Nov 27 +Patricia Witter by Irene Dufort

Weds., Nov 28 +Vincent Le by Michael Phan

Thurs., Nov 29 +Alois & Maria Baumann
by Maxine Kremensky

Fri., Nov 30 +Barbara & Clark Holsinger by
Pete & Nancy Kleweno

Mass Readings Next Weekend:

Jeremiah 33:14-16; 1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2;
Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

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

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: _____



Thanksgiving Food Drive Thank You!



Once again, the generosity of so many of our Sacred Heart parishioners has proven to be a great gift to the needy of our neighborhood! As in past years, we have purchased not just cases of food, but *pallets* of non-perishable groceries for the East Central Community Center for distribution to the needy of southeast Spokane. This food will feed families in need for much of the year!

Thank you!

Blue Envelope Special

Besides our parish's gifts of food to the East-Central Community Center, we have also made special donations to four neighborhood agencies and one parish to support their efforts to care for the needy in our area. These funds were generated by your regular contributions to the **Blue Envelopes** in the pews and are in addition to our regular monthly contributions.

- *Women's Hearth* \$1,000
- *Meals on Wheels* \$1,000
- *Family Promise* \$1,000
- *CAPA* \$1,000
- *Sacred Heart Parish, Brewster, Winter Fund* \$2,000
- *Catholic Charities Emergency Assistance Fund* \$3,000

The Story of the Nativity through Music

The Saint John Paul II Society Presents

"Open Wide the Doors for Christ" A Christmas Concert, Friday, December 7, 2018 at 7:00 PM, The Bing Theater, Tickets: \$15

Featuring Cathedral of Our Lady of Lourdes Choir and the Diocesan Youth Choir

Tickets may be purchased online at:

The Diocese of Spokane Website under Events or at: The Kaufer Company, 907 W. Boone Ave.



Cold & Flu Season

As cold and flu season begin to take hold this autumn and winter, we kindly ask you to be very considerate of your fellow parishioners, many of whom are elderly and susceptible to viral infection.

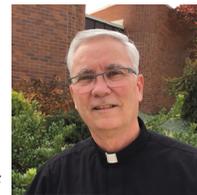
If you are experiencing symptoms of a cold or flu and choose to come to church, cover your coughs and sneezes, wash hands frequently, keep appropriate distance from others, and avoid hand-shakes and hugs.

It may also be more sanitary to receive Holy Communion on the hand than on the tongue and perhaps better to avoid for a time receiving from the common chalice.

And remember, there is no shame in choosing to stay home when you are ill. Just let us know and we will arrange to have Holy Communion brought to you!



A Word from Father...



Dear Friends,

Generosity is the grease that makes the gears of the Church turn. When people of faith are generous with their time, talent and treasure, well, *good things happen!* We have plenty of evidence of that simple truth as we wrap up this year's Thanksgiving Food Drive, having filled the large pantry of the East Central Community Center once again.

We also must take note of the special donations we were able to make to our neighboring agencies from the Blue Envelope Fund that so many of you support every month. Because of your generous hearts, people in our own neighborhood who would otherwise be hungry during the coming winter months, will be able to eat, not to mention keep from having their lights or water turned off during these cold days and nights. The surplus from this same fund will also provide food and shelter to seasonal workers who will be living on a shoestring until orchard work begins again next spring in our sister parish, Sacred Heart, in Brewster. (See the column just to the left for details!).

Just around the corner, our Advent Tree of Sharing will soon go up in the vestibule and once again, every ornament will be taken home by you and returned with a precious gift for kids who otherwise might not find anything under their own Christmas tree on December 25th. Likewise for the handicapped adults who will also benefit from the Tree of Sharing.

Beyond financial gifts, I know that many of you will also be volunteering your time at the Christmas Bureau to make the feast day bright for many more folks here in Spokane...and I can only assume that these are just the known and public acts of generosity that spill forth from our hearts...many of you regularly share in secret not just from your surplus, but from your substance to many other agencies or even just individuals who are in one kind of need or other.

As I said, *generosity makes very good things happen!* And those good things come back to us as blessings, both individually and as a parish. If our parish is thriving, it is because our parishioners are generous and gracious in giving.

I thank you for your special generosity during this Thanksgiving, Advent, and Christmas season and even more for your generosity year round in the many ways you share and serve our parish, our community, and one another. I am very thankful for each of you and for all of you who make the virtue of generosity the hallmark of Sacred Heart Parish!

Fr. Kevin