

St. Mary of the Rosary Catholic Church

502 E. Main Avenue, Chewelah, WA – Mass schedule: 4 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. Sundays
Confessions: 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. every Saturday

Holy Ghost

3083 Hemlock St., Valley, WA - Mass schedule: 8 a.m. Sundays
Confessions: 1-1:45 p.m. every third Saturday of each month.

Sacred Heart

110 S. 2nd Street, Springdale, WA - Mass schedule: 6 p.m. Saturdays
Confessions: 1-1:45 p.m. every second Saturday of each month

St. Joseph Mission 3137 Church Rd, Jump Off Joe, WA

Weekday Mass Schedule

Tuesday 5:30 pm at Holy Ghost
Wednesday 1:00 pm at St. Joseph Hospital
Thursday 12:15 pm at St. Mary's
Friday 9:00 am at St. Mary's

Mass Intentions

Thursday, Jan. 18 Rita Schleker +

Confessions at Holy Ghost Parish

Fr. Booth will hear confessions at Holy Ghost next Saturday, January 20, from 1:00 pm-1:45 pm. There will no longer be confessions on Sunday mornings before mass at Holy Ghost.

Welcome!

Please welcome Tracy Ferrell as our new parish bookkeeper. Tracy will be working in the office part-time and started this last week.

Thoughts on Stewardship

January 14 -- Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's first reading, we hear Samuel respond eagerly, "Here I am!" each time the Lord calls him. May we, too, be listening for the call of God in our lives and be ready to say like the psalmist, "Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will."

Parish Announcements

Parish Stewardship Report: Jan. 6-7, 2018

Chewelah (St. Mary's): \$2,515.00
Valley (Holy Ghost): \$560.00
Springdale (Sacred Heart): \$312.00

Baptism of children: Please call to schedule instruction and a date for the baptism.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the office if you or someone you know is sick.

Marriage: Schedule an appointment with the pastor at least 6 months prior to setting a wedding date.

Tax Documents

If you wish to receive a tax receipt for your non-cash donations made to the parish rectory in 2017 (including furniture and other goods), please see Kellie in the office. The annual statements for cash donations in 2017 will be mailed out by the end of the month. Thank you for your support!

Annual Catholic Appeal Update

As of Jan. 11th, **St. Mary of the Rosary** has pledged \$23,769 in the Annual Catholic Appeal for the Diocese of Spokane (or 94.5% of the goal of \$25,136) with 41.5% family participation. **Holy Ghost Parish** has pledged \$5,749 (or 92% of the goal of \$6,250) with 50% participation. **Sacred Heart** has pledged \$2,300 (or 86% of the goal of \$2,677) with 45% participation.

Volunteers Needed for Office Hours

Secretary Kellie Trudeau will be going on maternity leave later this month and we hope to keep the office covered 9-12 Monday thru Friday to answer the phone and greet visitors. If you are willing to volunteer, please call the office at 935-8028.

Upcoming Parish Activities

Coffee and Donut Hour - Jan 14th

Coffee and Donuts will be served after 10 am mass in Chewelah in the St. Mary's Hall this Sunday. Look for coffee and donuts each week after 10 am mass when no other events are planned. If you would like to help serve, contact the office.

Family Faith Formation – Jan. 17th

Family Faith Formation will resume this month on Wednesday, Jan. 17th at 6:30 pm at St. Mary's Hall. FFF is open to all youth K-6 grade and also includes adult formation along with youth lessons. It takes place on the third Wednesday of each month. There is also care available for kids under 5. For more information, contact the office.

Rosary for Health & Wellbeing – Jan. 21st

Each third Sunday of the month, Shirley Baker will lead a Rosary for Health and Wellbeing in the St. Mary's church immediately following 10 am Sunday Mass. The next Rosary will be January 21st.

Knights of Columbus Breakfast – Jan. 28th

Each fourth Sunday of the month, the Knights of Columbus host a pancake breakfast at St. Mary's hall after 10 a.m. mass to help support various KC activities including the youth scholarship program.

Get your Tickets for the Mardi Gras Dinner!

The annual Mardi Gras Dinner & Dessert Auction at St. Mary's parish hall is set for Feb. 3. The entrée will be your choice of prime rib or salmon. Baked potatoes, salad, and appetizers included. Coffee will be available. You are welcome to bring your own wine and spirits. Tickets cost \$20 each.

The event begins with a social at 5:00 pm with meal served at 5:45 pm. Tickets are available after masses and at the parish office. If you have made a dessert for the auction in the past or would like to make one this year, you can contact Brenda Stroyan at 936-0178.

Please note: Fr. Booth has canceled the 6 p.m. Mass at Springdale on Saturday, Feb. 3.

Regional Events

Walk for Life Northwest – Jan. 20th

The Walk for Life is at Riverfront Park on Jan. 20 at 11:00 am. Bishop Daly will celebrate Mass at the Cathedral at 9:30 am prior to the walk.

"Hearts On Fire" Men's Conference – Jan. 27th

"Created for Greatness," Hearts on Fire Catholic Men's Conference is sure to reignite the fire in your soul. On Saturday, Jan. 27 at the Mirabeau Park Hotel in Spokane Valley, Catholic Men will gather to listen to the most respected National Catholic Speakers talk about God's plan for greatness. Get tickets at www.dioceseofspokane.org/mens. Registration begins at 8:00 am and the day concludes with Mass at 4:00 pm.

Retrouvaille – Spokane Weekend Feb. 2-4th

The post-weekend phase of Retrouvaille is as crucial to the healing of a troubled marriage as the initial weekend experience. During the post-weekend sessions, the weekend technique is further developed and combined with additional tools to explore other areas of the marriage relationship. Retrouvaille is for any couple who would like to rediscover their marriage and improve communication. Visit www.Retrouvaille.org for emotional testimonials. For confidential information or to register for the February 2-4, 2018 Spokane weekend call 509-520-4118 or 800-470-2230 or visit the website at www.Retrouvaille.org.

Wholehearted Women's Gathering – Feb. 10th

Women gather with your girlfriends and register for WHOLEHEARTED18, which is a day-long event packed with lively speakers, informative workshops, good food and giveaways, music and Mass. The event will be held at St. Thomas More Parish in Spokane with Welcome at 8:30 am with Mass at 4:30 pm. More information can be found at WholeheartedCatholic.org. To get a group rate, you can use "alexis" as the group leader's name.

Parish Office Hours: Monday thru Friday 9 AM - Noon | Call us at: 509-935-8028

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