

St. Mary of the Rosary, Chewelah
 Mass: Saturday 4:00 PM and Sunday 10:00 AM
 Reconciliation: Sat. 2:30—3:30 PM and by appt.

Holy Ghost, Valley
St. Joseph, Jump Off Joe
 Mass: Sunday 8:00 AM
 Reconciliation: Tuesday 6:00—7:00 PM

Sacred Heart, Springdale
 Mass: Saturday 6:00 PM
 Reconciliation: 1st Fridays, 5:00—5:30 PM

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 10	Gloria Davidson +
Tuesday, January 13	H.G. Altar Society members
Wednesday, January 14	Sister Alberta Nett
Thursday, January 15	Vocations to the priesthood
Friday, January 16	Paul and Michelle Kaup

Weekday Mass Schedule

Tuesday	5:30 PM at Holy Ghost in Valley, followed by Adoration & Benediction from 6—7 PM.
Wednesday	1:00 PM at Prov. St. Joseph Hospital Chapel
Thursday	12:15 PM at St. Mary of the Rosary
Friday	9:00 AM at St. Mary of the Rosary followed by Adoration & Benediction from 9:30-10:30

Thoughts on Stewardship

Today we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord. The U.S. bishops pastoral on stewardship reminds us that Baptism gives all of His disciples a share in His priestly work and calls them “to offer up the world and all that is in it — especially themselves — to the Lord of all.”

Sunday, February 1—No Ski Mass

Sunday, February 1, is Super Bowl Sunday. There will be no youth group that day, and the 4:30 PM ski-season Mass at St. Mary of the Rosary will be cancelled that day.

K. C. Breakfast

The Knights of Columbus will host their monthly breakfast on January 25. The meal will consist of scrambled eggs, ham, and pancakes. Your donations to this breakfast support scholarships for high school seniors. Everyone is asked to attend and

Mardi Gras Dinner & Dessert Auction

On Saturday, January 31, St. Mary of the Rosary will be hosting their third annual Mardi Gras Dinner & Dessert Auction, following the 4 PM Mass. An appetizer social and wine raffle will begin at 5 PM, salads will be served at 5:45 followed by the main course, and the dessert auction will begin at 7 PM. Dinner tickets are \$20 and are available for purchase now. Contact the parish office for more information or to purchase a ticket.

Retreats at Immaculate Heart Retreat Center

Have you never made a retreat? Make it a point to “come to the water” some time in 2015. Upcoming retreats include:

- Ash Wednesday Day of Prayer, February 18
- Alzheimers and Dementia Caregivers’ Day of Reflection, March 4 (free care-giving provided by Providence for those whom they care for)
- **Marian Day of Prayer (led by Fr. Jeff), March 25**

Jazzy Senior Ball

Jenkins Senior High School Jazz Band is putting on a FREE concert for all Senior Citizens in our community, including senior citizens living in retirement homes, assisted living centers, and long term care centers. The event will take place at the **Chewelah Civic Center on Saturday, January 24, from 6—8 PM.** Cookies and beverages will be served by high school students. If transportation is an issue, please call Jennifer at 935-1248.

Save the Date

Fr. Jeff is hosting a marriage workshop/retreat at St. Mary of the Rosary on Saturday, February 21: “Holy Matrimony and the Catholic Church.” The workshop will be catechetical in nature: what the Catholic Church teaches about the vocation and sacrament of Matrimony. It will be catered to married and engaged couples, but it is open to anyone who wants to learn more about Holy Matrimony. More information is coming soon.

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Fr. Jimmy Peak

Many of our parishioners will remember Fr. Jimmy Peak, a priest for the Diocese of Spokane currently serving as an Army chaplain for the Archdiocese of the Military Services. As a seminarian, he spent time in our parishes working parish ministry with Fr. Jose Luis Millan, and he was ordained Deacon by Bishop Skylstad at St. Mary of the Rosary in 2007. Currently, Fr. Peak is stationed at a military base in Fairbanks, Alaska, and he is living at a nearby parish. Many folks have asked how they can contact Fr. Peak. His mailing address is **1316 Peger Rd, Fairbanks, AK 99709.** Please keep Fr. Peak in your prayers as he continues his important ministry as Army chaplain.

Rediscover Your Marriage

Retrouvaille simply means “rediscovery”. This program offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. It is not a spiritual retreat, not a sensitivity group, not a seminar, not a social gathering. It is for any couple who would like to rediscover their marriage and improve communication. To register for the February 13-15 weekend in Spokane, call (509) 520-4118 or (800) 470-2230 or visit the website at www.Retrouvaille.org.

Family Faith Formation:

The Four Marks of the Catholic Church

Our *Family Faith Formation* home lesson topic this week is “The Four Marks of the Catholic Church” covered in Questions 173-181 of *The Apostolate’s Family Catechism*. Your packet is available on the parish website. Contact Tanya Parrott at 936-2594 or stgkparrott@gmail.com with any questions. Everyone is welcome to join us, and it is never too late to register!

By Heart Catechism

- Selected questions from the *By Heart Catechism*:
- 173. **Why is the Catholic Church one?** It is one because it is unified in belief. They are truths, which come directly from God.
 - 177. **Why is the Catholic Church holy?** Because it was founded by Jesus Christ.
 - 178. **Why is the Church catholic or universal?** Christ es-

Reflections on the Mass — Part 19

Last Sunday, we reflected on the Sign of Peace and the Lamb of God, both of which take place immediately preceding Holy Communion focused on the ritual of receiving Holy Communion at Mass. This Sunday, we will learn about what the priest is doing at the altar during the Lamb of God, and we will begin our reflections on the post-Communion concluding rites.

While the congregation sings or says the Lamb of God, the priest performs the fraction rite: he breaks the main Host over the chalice and then breaks a smaller piece of the Host and places it in the chalice to be mingled with the Precious Blood. This rite further reflects the one-ness of the Lord in the Eucharist; under either Species of the Eucharist (the Sacred Body or the Precious Blood), we receive the fullness of Jesus Christ, Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity.

The origins of the fraction rite are very ancient. In the beginning, the small piece of the Host placed in the chalice was a piece of the Host confectioned by the bishop in his Cathedral church. The bishop would fracture a Host at his altar into multiple pieces, and each piece would then be taken to his priests, thereby symbolizing the one-ness of the priesthood in that diocese. For it is through the priesthood ministry of the bishop that his priests enjoy their own priesthood. While this no longer happens, the symbolism of the rite still remains.

During the fraction rite, the priest prays this prayer: “May this mingling of the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ bring eternal life to us who receive it.” He then prays this prayer just before he himself receives the Eucharist: “Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God, Who, by the will of the Father and the work of the Holy Spirit, through Your Death gave life to the world, free me by this, Your most holy Body and Blood, from all my sins and from every evil; keep me always faithful to Your commandments, and never let me be parted from You.” Or he may pray this shorter prayer instead: “May the receiving of Your Body and Blood, Lord Jesus Christ, not bring me to judgment and condemnation, but through Your loving mer-

Sacrament of Baptism: Parents contact Rev. Jeffrey Lewis for information.
 Sacrament of Holy Matrimony: Couples contact Rev. Jeffrey Lewis at least four months prior to marriage.

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Parish Office Hours: Mondays & Fridays: 9:30—11:30 AM, 1:30—4:30 PM; Tuesday & Thursday, 10 AM-4 PM