

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

Monday, Dec. 7, 6:00 PM All ill parishioners
 Tuesday, Dec. 8, 9 AM Allison Small +
 Tuesday, Dec. 8, 5:30 PM Pope Francis' intentions
 Wed., Dec. 9 Victims of terrorism
 Thursday, Dec. 10 Peace in our world
 Friday, Dec. 11 Vera Hageman +
 Sat., Dec. 12, 4 PM Shane Wang +

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday 6:00 PM at Sacred Heart (Holy Day)
Tuesday 9:00 AM at St. Mary (Holy Day)
 5:30 PM at Holy Ghost in Valley, followed by
 Adoration from 6:00—7:00 PM.
Wednesday 1:00 PM Prov. St. Joseph Hospital Chapel
Thursday 12:15 PM St. Mary of the Rosary
Friday Mass at 9:00 AM at St. Mary of the Rosary,
 followed by Adoration from 9:30—10:30.

Holy Ghost Brunch Potluck

Sunday, December 13, is the second Sunday in December, and the monthly Holy Ghost brunch potluck takes place that day immediately after Mass. Please bring a breakfast item to share and enjoy some parish fellowship.

Knights of Columbus Meeting

The next Knights of Columbus meeting is on Wednesday, December 9, at 7:00 PM at St. Mary's School. All Knights please attend and let's get stuff done!

St. Mary of the Rosary Pastoral Council
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Advent Sock Project

The annual Sock Project has begun at St. Mary of the Rosary. New or gently used warm men's socks are once again being collected for gifting to the House of Charity where they will be distributed to the homeless men of Spokane. The collection box is in the church vestibule. Thank you for your generosity.

Holy Day of Obligation

Tuesday, December 8, is the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, a Holy Day of Obligation and the patronal feast day of the United States of America. The Mass schedule for the Solemnity is:

- Monday, Dec. 7, 6:00 PM at Sacred Heart
- Tuesday, Dec. 8, 9:00 AM at St. Mary of Rosary
- Tuesday, Dec. 8, 5:30 PM at Holy Ghost (followed by Holy Hour)

Tri-Parish Retreat

About 40 people from our tri-parishes attended our retreat in January 2014. In addition to learning more about the topics which were presented, it was also a time of building community. Parishioners became better acquainted with each other by spending this time together, sharing meals and socializing, often with folks whom they had never met before.

The sisters at the Immaculate Heart Retreat Center have asked us if they can invite other people, from outside our tri-parish region, to attend the excellent retreat they are preparing for us. We want them to hold off until we first know how many parishioners are planning to attend. **Therefore, if you are PLANNING to attend, would you please call the office and let Brenda know to add your name to the list.** Depending on the estimated sign-ups, we will decide if we should limit attendance to our parishioners or open it up to others.

The tri-parish retreat will be Friday-Sunday, January 15-17, at the Immaculate Heart Retreat Center. The theme of the retreat is: "How Do I Become a Saint? The Basics." We do not have costs yet, but last year we recall that it was \$185 for singles and \$285 for couples.

Advent Confession Schedule

For normal day/time/locations, please see the bulletin header. **Note:** Fr. Kevin Oiland will sub for Fr. Jeff to hear confessions on December 12. Fr. Jason Hiner will sub for Fr. Jeff to hear confessions and celebrate all Masses December 19 & 20.

Additional days/times/locations:

- ◊ Monday, December 14, 5:30—6:30 PM; St. Mary of the Rosary. (Fr. Victor Blazovich will sub for Fr. Jeff to hear confessions on December 14.)
- ◊ Wednesday, Dec. 16, 6:30—7:30 PM; St. Mary's.
- ◊ Friday, Dec. 18; 5:00—6:00 PM, Sacred Heart.

St. Mary of the Rosary Christmas Party

This year's Christmas party at St. Mary of the Rosary will take place in the hall immediately after the 10:00 Mass on December 13. Food will be served at 11:30 AM. It will be a potluck, with biscuits and gravy provided. You are invited to bring a side dish or treat to help round out the party spread. Everyone is invited. An insert is included with this bulletin with more details about the event.

Prepares Ministry

A "Traveling Crib" will be located near the Christmas tree at the party on December 13, ready to accept any gifts for our new Prepares Ministry, should you be inspired to donate at this time. More details later, but a wish list is included on the back of the bulletin insert. The crib will be stationed at St. Mary of the Rosary for approximately one month.

Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

All women of St. Mary of the Rosary are asked to attend the next meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary, which will be Thursday, December 10, 7:00 PM. Please join us!

Family Faith Formation:

Another Christ, In Union with Christ

Our Family Faith Formation home lesson topic this week is "Another Christ, In Union with Christ", covered in Questions 221 & 225 of *The Apostolate's Family Catechism*. Your packet is available on the parish website.

By Heart Catechism

- 221. **What can priests do as representatives of Jesus?** As representatives of Jesus, priests (1) offer the Sacrifice of the Mass to the Father, (2) administer the Sacrament of Penance for the forgiveness of sins, and (3) administer the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.
- 225. **What does the Church ask the sick to do?** The Church asks the sick to help their fellow Christians

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: 10:00—11:30 AM, 1:45—5:00 PM; Tuesday & Thursday, 10 AM-5 PM

again on Wednesday, December 9, 5:30—6:30 PM. All Council members, please attend! We have received considerable feedback so far on the Latin Pronunciation Guide that was included in our bulletin a couple weeks ago, and folks have been requesting something similar regarding how to pronounce common Latin words and phrases that we are chanting at Mass.

- Kyrie Eleison:** "KEY-ree-ay eh-LEH-ee-soan"
- Christe Eleison:** "KREEST-ay eh-LEH-ee-soan"
- Sanctus:** "SAHNK-toos"
- Dominus Deus Sabaoth:** "DOE-mee-noos DEH-oos SAW-baw-oat (note: "th" is pronounced "t")"
- Pleni sunt caeli et terra:** "PLEH-nee soont CHEH-lee et teh-rah"
- Gloria Tua:** "GLOW-ree-ah TOO-ah"
- Hosannah in excelsis:** "hoe-SAHN-nah een ex-SHELL-sees"
- Benedictus:** "beh-neh-DEEK-toos"
- Qui venit in nomine Domini:** "quee VEH-neet een NO-mee-neh DOE-mee-nee"
- Agnus Dei:** "AH-nyoos DEH-ee"
- Qui tollis peccata mundi:** "quee TOLL-ees peh-KAH-tah MOON-dee"
- Miserere nobis:** "MEES-seh-reh-reh NO-bees"
- Dona nobis pacem:** "DOE-nah NO-bees PAH-chem"

November Financial Report

Parish	INCOME	EXPENSES
St. Mary's	\$13,416.36	\$11,430.90
Holy Ghost	2,987.80	2,482.97
Sacred Heart	1,109.00	874.99
Year-to-Date		
St. Mary's	\$65,779.91	\$51,072.93
Holy Ghost	14,145.60	12,476.75
Sacred Heart	5,430.87	3,464.60

Speaker Next Weekend in Chewelah

Dr. Jerry Schwab of Catholic Charities will be at St. Mary of the Rosary to speak about the Christmas Collection at the end of the both the 4:00 PM and 10:00 AM Masses on December 12 and 13.