

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 (at Holy Ghost)
Reconciliation: Tuesday 6:00—7:00 PM at HG

Sacred Heart, Springdale

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

Mass Intentions

Oct. 31, 6 PM (SH)	Reed St. John
Nov. 1, 8 AM (SMR)	All deceased parishioners +
Nov. 1, 5:30 PM (HG)	Donald McLaughlin +
Nov. 2, 8 AM (JOJ)	John Britschgi +
Nov. 2, 10 AM (SMR)	Michael Maresca +
Nov. 2, 1:00 PM (SMR)	Poor Souls in Purgatory +
November 3	Donald Parsons +
November 4	Cassandra Green & John Lacic
November 5, 4:00 PM	Rev. John Sand +

Weekday Mass Schedule

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

All Saints Day and All Souls Day

November 1 is All Saints Day and it is a Holy Day of Obligation, which means Mass attendance is mandatory for maintaining a state of grace. November 2 is All Souls Day. It is a feast day in the church but NOT a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass times for both are:

All Saints:

- Monday, October 31, 6:00 PM in Springdale
- Tuesday, November 1, 8:00 AM in Chewelah
- Tuesday, November 1, 5:30 PM in Valley

All Souls:

- Nov. 2, 8:00 AM at Jump Off Joe (cemetery blessing to follow)
- Nov. 2, 10:00 AM at St. Mary of the Rosary (cemetery blessing to follow)
- November 2, 1:00 PM at St. Mary of the Rosary

First Friday Devotion

November 4 is the First Friday in November. First Friday Devotion continues that day with Mass at 9:00 AM followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour.

Confessions at Sacred Heart

Friday, November 4, is the First Friday in November. Confessions will be heard at Sacred Heart in Springdale from 5:00—5:30 PM.

First-Saturday Marian Devotion

Our first-Saturday Marian devotion continues November 5 with Mass at 9:00 AM at St. Mary of the Rosary, followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour.

Holy Ghost Altar Society Meeting

Next Sunday, November 6, the Altar Society of Holy Ghost will meet after the 8:00 AM Mass. Also, the monthly collection for the Valley Food Pantry will be taken up. Thank you for your generosity.

K. C. Breakfast November 6

The next Knights of Columbus breakfast will be November 6 after the 10:00 AM Mass. Everyone is invited to come enjoy a good breakfast, visit with their fellow parishioners, and support the Knights with their efforts to raise funds for youth activities.

Thanksgiving Mass

Mass on Thanksgiving Day, November 24, will be offered at St. Mary of the Rosary at 9:00 AM. You are invited to bring food for the Chewelah Food Bank. They are in need of holiday foods, all foods, paper products, cleaning supplies, and hygiene items. We will also take up a collection for the Good Samaritan Fund.

Crystalline Luncheon

St. Mary's second annual Crystalline Luncheon is just around the corner on Saturday, November 19! If you need a ticket, call Kellie Trudeau at (509) 993-4150 to connect you with one of our table hostesses. Tickets are \$12 each for this wonderful lunch and one-of-a-kind women's social event. We won't be selling tickets at the door, so please contact Kellie now (or Brenda at the office). And we would still like a few more table hostesses. It's fun (and as easy as you want it to be) to decorate a table anyway you choose and invite your friends to have lunch with you!

All Souls' Day at Holy Cross Cemetery

The annual All Souls' Day Mass with the lighting and blessing of candles will be in the mausoleum chapel at 6:00 PM, Nov 2. Call (509) 467-5496.

Personal, Spiritual, and Material Gifts

At all the Masses this weekend, we are joining with parishes throughout the diocese as we observe "Stewardship Sunday". This involves taking stock of all God has given to us and then prayerfully considering how we are called to respond. Good stewardship is a way of life. May Stewardship Sunday help all of us to be more deeply grateful to God and to respond with gratitude.

Food for the Poor

Monsignor Thomas Dempsey will be visiting our parishes the weekend of November 12 & 13 and speaking on behalf of a charity called "Food for the Poor". Representatives from this organization have visited our parishes in the past.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

Large Group Gathering

Our next Large-Group Gathering for *Family Faith Formation* is this Wednesday, November 2, 6:30—8:00 PM, at St. Mary of the Rosary parish hall. Fr. Jeff will be our presenter for the adult faith formation; children K-6 will be with their catechists in the St. Mary's School building. Our theme this month: "The Four Last Things," covering Questions 291-301 in *The Apostolate's Family Catechism*.

By-Heart Catechism

What are the Four Last Things? Death, Judgment, Hell, and Heaven.

292. What is the particular judgment? At the very instant that the soul leaves the body (which is death), the soul is judged by Christ. This is the particular judgment.

293. What is Hell? Hell is eternal separation from God.

294. What is Purgatory? Purgatory is a place of spiritual cleansing. Anyone who dies in the grace of God but is not free from all temporal punishment incurred due to sin cannot go to Heaven at once but needs purification. Those who still have to do penance for their sins thus first go to Purgatory.

298. What is the Last Judgment? It is the universal judgment of the human race at the resurrection of the dead at the end of the world.

Stewardship: Volunteerism

Pope St. John Paul II outlined a framework for a more systematic seminary formation of candidates for the Catholic priesthood. His framework was centered on what he calls the four pillars of priestly formation: Spiritual, Intellectual, Human, and Pastoral. In my own pastoral approach to religious education and faith formation since becoming your pastor, I have taken this model and applied it to all aspects of parish life, having come to the conclusion that what we really have here are four pillars of *Christian* formation, not just *priestly* formation.

Pastoral formation for the active and intentional disciple of Jesus Christ, therefore, is our focus for this week's Stewardship column. Each Catholic Christian (not just the priest or any of the other parish leaders) is called to put our Catholic Christian faith into practice. For the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy, Pope Francis has placed considerable emphasis on our need to embrace anew our universal call to virtue and holiness of life, with particular regard to the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy.

The Seven Corporal Works of Mercy are readily done in actual activities and ministries that our parishes already do. There is certainly no shortage of need for the ministries that we provide, nor is there a shortage on the part of the parish to want to engage in these ministries. The only shortage is the number of volunteers to turn these ministry *ideas* into *activities*.

Volunteers are who we need, and Catholic volunteerism is abundantly praiseworthy indeed. Dr. Rob McCann, director of Spokane Catholic Charities, has said on a number of occasions that he would rather have a volunteer than a donation any day. It is much easier to write a check, put it in the mail, and then call it a day than it is to invest our own personal selves into another person's life, especially when that other person is someone in need of a ministry that we, the parish, are trying to provide. Treasure is relatively easy to give; try Time or Talent sometime and find out how difficult (not to mention deeply personal) it really is!

Yes, volunteers are who we need. A renewed embrace of the spirit of volunteerism is what is precisely called for at this time. Please find time this week, therefore, as individuals and as families, to pray and discern how you might volunteer to help turn parish ministry *ideas* into actual parish ministry *activities*.

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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