

October 1, 2017 Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Prayers for the Ill

To better facilitate this list it will be completely deleted on **October 1st** unless you contact the office at 447-2685 and ask for your loved one to remain.

Gladys Bishop	Tim Koenig
Mary Boisen	Kathy Lee
Carl Burrell	Margaret &
Laurel Christie	Kevin McGlocklin
Johnnee Curtis	Sharon Moeller
Butch Davaz	Yesenia Sandoval
Clifford Doty	Nancy Sanger
Matt Finnegan	Roman Vasquez
Russ Fletcher	Dylan Warner family
Barb & Dave Floyd	Rosie Yopez
Jim Hines	Tony Yopez
Rose Kirby	



Happy Birthdays

This Month's Birthdays

Luke Aiken.....10/03
Benjamin Roach.....10/05
Emily Sedbrook.....10/12
Alexis Phillips.....10/14
Mali Cuda.....10/19
Rose Kirby.....10/22
Mary Beth Murphy.....10/28

PRAYER CHAIN CONTACT

Gail Davaz @ 509-292-2601
Nellie Graham @ 509-951-1020

A STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITY

There is a definite need for volunteers for Greeters, winter or summer or both, as well as for people who would like to be Extraordinary Ministers of the Cup. If more people could volunteer, you would only have to serve once or twice a month. Please contact Jill Zupich at the parish office 447-2685 for more information.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES FOR ST. ANTHONY'S

Our classes for Religious Education are ready to begin. Please take the time now to sign your children up. All school age children are welcome to join. Also we have a Youth Group for 7th through 12th grade. There is a table upstairs for you to peruse the information and sign your children up.



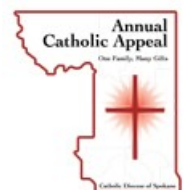
RESPECT LIFE UPCOMING EVENTS



40 Days for Life—September 27 to November 5
October 3—Respect Life Mass at the Cathedral at 12pm.
October 14—The Children's Living Rosary 10am at the Cathedral with Bishop Daly
October 20 & 21—Cornerstone Conference in Tacoma, WA
January 20, 2018 NW Walk for Life

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

In all parishes and missions of the diocese this is Annual Catholic Appeal Commitment Weekend. I ask that you respond as generously as possible to Bishop Daly's request that you contribute. Participation of every household in Pend Oreille County Parishes promotes the witness and spread of the Gospel to the farthest corners of the diocese.





CATHOLIC PARISHES OF PEND OREILLE COUNTY

DEAR PADRE

October 1, 2017

Why do we offer Mass for a specific intention? Aren't Masses offered for the intentions of all present?

The Eucharist makes present, in this moment, the memorial sacrifice of Christ; the source of the Church's life and the focus of the Church's prayer (see the Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy [Sacrosanctum Concilium], 10). Mass always includes the intentions of a local community as well as the needs of all people throughout the world. In the eucharistic prayer, we pray for the community and those "scattered throughout the world." What does a renewed liturgical practice mean for specific Mass intentions? Canon law speaks of applying the Mass for anyone living and dead (see Canon 901). The practice also has roots in history, especially during medieval times, when participation at Mass was at a low. Asking the priest to remember an intention kept people active and connected their needs to those of the wider Church. Vatican II stressed active participation in its liturgical renewal, so asking specific intentions needs a renewed understanding. Special intentions provide a value—we become aware of others' needs and troubles. If we are aware of how these troubles affect a member of our parish, we can not only pray for that person but reach out and help. However, the Eucharist does not give grace only to those named in special intentions. The grace God gives through the Eucharist is meant for the whole Church. God's grace builds us up in holiness. Since people find special intentions important, the response from pastors is important in helping people understand how God's grace affects everyone.

—Fr. John Schmidt, CSsR

Join us in building a culture of life & dignity!

The Cornerstone Regional Catholic Conference invites you to a day of formation and inspiration on topics across the spectrum of Catholic teaching.

A Prophetic Voice for Human Life & Dignity
Faithful Citizenship in the Year of Mercy
"Prepares" Pregnancy and Parenting Assistance
Care for the Immigrant: an Issue of Life
Laudato Si: On Care of Our Common Home
Amoris Laetitia: the Joy of Love
Respect for Life at the End of Life.



Saturday, October 22nd, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Mirabeau Park Hotel, Spokane Valley 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Presenters to educate and inspire on our Church's message of human life and dignity. Faithful Citizenship in the Year of Mercy; Prepares pregnancy and parenting; Marriage & Family; Immigration; Care of Creation; End of Life Concerns.

\$35, lunch included. Closing Mass with Bishop Daly. Register at www.catholiccharitiesspokane.org.

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Closing Mass with Bishop Daly

