



Sacred Heart Catholic Church

219 E. Rockwood Blvd.
Spokane, WA 99202

Fifth Sunday of Lent
March 22, 2026

The pastor and parishioners of Sacred Heart Catholic Church warmly welcome you to our parish family! We hope that you find us to be a family of faith and love, exemplifying in word and deed the generosity of the Father, the self-giving service of Jesus Christ, and the enduring presence of the Holy Spirit.

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Mass Times:

WEEKENDS:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm (in person)
Sunday: 10:00 am (in person & live-streamed)

WEEKDAYS:

Tuesdays through Fridays, 8:30 am

ADORATION:

First Friday of the Month, 9 am - 10 am

Reconciliation:

Saturday, 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm
First Friday of the Month, 9 :00 am - 9:30 am

Religious Education:

Sister Paschalina Marie, SMMC
Religious Education, 3rd Grade thru 6th Grade

For livestream events, schedules, and contact persons, visit our Website: shparishspokane.org or Facebook: facebook.com/shparishspokane

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Holy Week and Easter

Our parish schedule for Holy Week and Easter will be as follows:

- **Palm/Passion Sunday:** March 28th & 29th
Blessing of the Palms & Entry into Church:
Saturday at 5 pm & Sunday at 10 am
- **Reconciliation Service:** March 30th at 5:30 pm
- **Holy Thursday:** April 2nd, Mass of the Lord's Supper at 5:30 pm
- **Good Friday:** April 3rd, Commemoration of the Lord's Passion at 12 noon
- **Holy Saturday:** April 4th, Easter Vigil at 8:00 pm
- **Easter Sunday:** April 5th, Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord at 10 am.

Thankful, Grateful, Blessed



Embracing God's Love
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God created man and woman in his image, reminding us that every person is sacred and reflects God's love. Each of us has a purpose, woven into God's plan. Our support of CRS Rice Bowl provides hope and opportunity to families around the world. Let's reflect on how our prayers, fasting, and almsgiving can help our sisters and brothers fulfill their potential. Visit crsricebowl.org/week-5 to read this week's Story of Hope.



The Annunciation of the Lord

March 25, 2026

The Annunciation of the Lord celebrates that sacred moment when the Angel Gabriel appeared to the Blessed Virgin Mary, announcing that she would conceive our Savior, Jesus Christ, by the Holy Spirit. This event is filled with deep humility and faith as Mary accepted God's will with a heartfelt response, often summed up in the words "**fiat mihi secundum verbum tuum**" (let it be done to me according to your word.) Through her "yes" she became an instrument of God's salvation plan. Inspiring every Catholic to trust in God's providence.

From the Catholic Voice

Mass Intentions This Week

Saturday, Mar 21st	+Doug Ward By Greg & Lori Arpin
Sunday, Mar 22nd	<i>Pro Populo</i> (for the People)
Tuesday, Mar 24th	+Mark Edward Marquess By Darryl Stephens
Wednesday, Mar 25th	Those in Hospice
Thursday, Mar 26th	For those who accompany, care for and help the sick
Friday, Mar 27th	Holy Souls in Purgatory By Gene Gosse

Our Parish Prayer Chain: Is there illness or are there special needs in your family? Our community prayer chain looks forward to praying for you! Send a request to [Judy Felgenhauer, jfelgen@comcast.net](mailto:JudyFelgenhauer,jfelgen@comcast.net).

If you or someone you know are in the hospital and would like a visit from Fr. Vic, please call the office to let us know; we would be happy to arrange it! Also please contact the office if you would like a mass said for someone.

Our Parish Sacrificial Offerings for the
Month of February, 2026

Envelope & Plate Offering: \$48,813.00

Outreach Offering: \$ 735.00

*In order to meet our budget, an average monthly
collection of \$31,250 is needed.*

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Immaculate Heart Retreat Center

**Silent Day of Payer
On the Annunciation
Preparing for the Unknown:
Mary's Interior Prayer & Peace**

**Sister Mary Eucharista, SMMC
Wednesday, March 25, 2026, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM**

We all make plans to live good lives, and sometimes other people and conditions change those plans. In this day of prayer, we will gaze into how Mary responded to the changes God asked of her, (Luke 1-2) learning from the model disciple how, with God's help, to create a Marian response to our own life changes and difficulties

Included will be Holy Mass, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, two conferences, lunch, the recitation of the Rosary and Adoration before the exposed Blessed Sacrament.



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***There are blessings in every day, find them,
create them, treasure them.***

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The Pastor's Corner

Dear Parishioners,

As we find ourselves in the fifth week of Lent, it is a good time to reflect on our growth and transformation. Lent is a journey that calls us to deepen our relationship with God, to renew our spirits, and to embrace the grace of repentance. This week, I encourage each of you to continue with your Lenten observances, whether they involve prayer, fasting, almsgiving, or acts of kindness. These practices are not just rituals; they are pathways that lead us closer to the heart of Christ.

I invite you to take a moment to reflect on the commitments you made at the beginning of this season. Have they drawn you nearer to God? Have they helped you to see the face of Christ in those around you? If you find yourself struggling, know that it is never too late to renew your efforts. The Lord meets us in our weaknesses and transforms our hearts with His love.

I am excited to remind you of our upcoming Chrism Mass, which will take place this coming Tuesday at 5:30 PM at the Cathedral. This sacred liturgy is an opportunity for us to come together as a diocesan family. During this Mass, the holy oils that will be used throughout the year in the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Anointing of the Sick will be blessed. It's a powerful reminder of our shared mission and the gift of the Holy Spirit in our lives. I encourage everyone to join in this celebration, as it enriches our Lenten journey and strengthens our communal bonds.

Additionally, I want to highlight our Reconciliation Service happening on Monday, March 30, at 5:30 pm. This is a wonderful time to receive God's mercy and grace through the Sacrament of Reconciliation. As we draw closer to Holy Week, let us take advantage of this chance to cleanse our hearts and prepare ourselves to fully embrace the Paschal Mystery. God's love is boundless, and through confession, we can experience the joy of a renewed spirit.

Happy Spring, Everyone!

With every blessing,

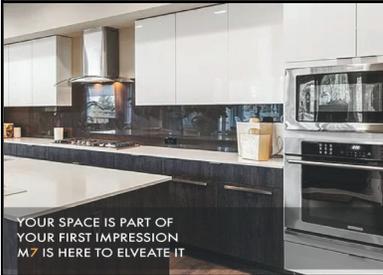
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