

St. Anthony Parish

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Worship Schedule Masses: Saturday 4:30 PM
Sunday 9:30AM
11:30AM in Vietnamese
Tuesday — Friday 8:00 AM

Holy Hour: Tuesdays 8:30AM-9:30AM

Confessions: Tuesdays at 8:30-9:30AM and 6-7pm

Baptism: Contact the parish office

Marriage: Please contact the parish office at least six months before desired wedding date.

Parish Pastoral Council: President—Cindy Ecklund
The (parish council) mission is to provide consultation and support to the Pastor concerning pastoral activity and initiatives.

Janet Murphy Abbi Spilker Rene Heidt
Mary Mannino Rick Mannino
Thomas Meloche Cassie Eakle

The Parish Council meets Third Wednesday of the month at 6pm in Wilson Hall, except July & August

Finance Council: President—Luke Anderson
Nina Heidt Lenny Martire

Society of St. Vincent de Paul President – Kathy Loe
Monthly meeting:
Second Saturday, 8am in Wilson Hall 509-216-1093.
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Contact Jan Russell to add a name to the prayer chain

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The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, April 6.

EASTER LILIES —

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Easter Lilies!

Scan QR Code
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Trinity Auction!



Parish Mass Intentions & Events †

Saturday, 4/4 Holy Saturday

8:15PM Easter Vigil Mass in English at St Anthony's

8:15PM Easter Vigil Mass Bilingual at St Joseph's

10PM Easter Vigil Mass In Vietnamese at St Anthony's

Sunday, 4/5 Easter Sunday

9:30AM Mass: Teresa & Geoffrey Chabot

11:30AM Mass in Vietnamese

Monday, 4/6 Easter Monday

Parish Office Closed

NO 12:30-3PM Trinity Band & Strings

TUESDAY, 4/7

8AM Mass: Edward & Lucy Reckelhoff †

8:30AM Adoration & Confession

12:30-3PM Trinity Band & Strings

6PM-7PM Confession

WEDNESDAY, 4/8

8AM MASS: Edward & Lucy Reckelhoff †

THURSDAY, 4/9

8AM Mass: Edwin & Caroline Reckelhoff †

1-4PM Mahjong

FRIDAY, 4/10

8AM Mass: Edwin & Caroline Reckelhoff †

NO 9AM Mass with Trinity School

NO 12:30-3PM Trinity Music

Saturday, 4/11

8AM St Vincent de Paul Society Meeting in Wilson Hall

4:30PM Mass: Leo Stoltz †

5:30PM Parish Baked Potato Bar Dinner in Wilson Hall



APRIL 5, 2026

EASTER SUNDAY

Pastor's Corner — My brothers and sisters in Christ, May the Lord continue to bless our families and our parish community!

Christ is risen! Alleluia! Alleluia!

On this joyful Easter Sunday, the Church proclaims the most important truth of our faith: Jesus Christ has conquered sin and death. The empty tomb that the disciples discovered early on that first Easter morning is not simply a moment in history—it is the living promise that God's love is stronger than death and that hope always has the final word.

In today's Gospel, Mary Magdalene runs to tell the disciples that the stone has been rolled away. Peter and the beloved disciple rush to the tomb, and when they enter, they see and believe. What they discover is not only the absence of Jesus' body but the beginning of something entirely new. The Resurrection transforms fear into courage, sorrow into joy, and darkness into light.

Easter reminds us that God is always at work, even when we cannot see it. In our own lives we sometimes experience moments that feel like Good Friday—moments of suffering, uncertainty, or loss. Yet the Resurrection assures us that those moments are never the end of the story. God can bring new life out of every difficulty and renewed hope out of every challenge.

As a community of faith at St. Anthony's and St. Joseph's, we are called to live as Easter people. This means sharing Christ's love with one another, supporting those in need, strengthening our families, and witnessing to the joy of the Gospel in our daily lives. When we live with kindness, forgiveness, and faith, we become signs of the Resurrection in the world.

During this Easter season, I would also like to warmly invite you to support an important part of our parish family—Trinity Catholic School. Our annual Gala and Auction will take place on April 18th at Gonzaga Preparatory School. This special evening helps support the mission of Catholic education and the formation of our young people in faith, knowledge, and service. Your presence and generosity make a meaningful difference in the lives of our students and families. I hope many of you will be able to attend and celebrate this wonderful community event.

My dear brothers and sisters, Easter is a reminder that the Lord walks with us always. May the joy of the Risen Christ fill your hearts, strengthen your faith, and bring peace to your homes.

Let us rejoice and be glad, for Christ is truly risen!

May God bless our Parish! May the Lord continue to provide us with deeper faith and love in the Eucharist!

God bless you!

Fr. Gus Ruiz

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SATURDAY EVENING SOCIAL HOUR — Please join us after the 1st Saturday every month after the 4:30 pm mass for our Parish Social — May 2, June 6, NOT IN JULY as it's the 4th!!

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA —

The Divine Mercy novena will begin on Good Friday. If you would like to receive text notifications you can sign up on Flocknote <https://josephanthony.flocknote.com/Novena>.

PARISH DINNER —

There will be a parish dinner on Saturday, April 11 after the 4:30pm Mass. Dinner will be a baked potato bar with salad. Everyone is invited—we will see you there!

"He is not here; for He has risen." (Matthew 28:6)

Christ's resurrection opens the way to new life and hope for all who follow Him. Through priesthood and consecrated life, men and women share in this victory over sin and death, bringing the joy of the Risen Lord to others through prayer and service. Could God be calling you to proclaim the hope of Easter in your life and vocation? Talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations, Fr. Ratuiste 509-313-7100 or contact; <https://spokanevocations.org/contact/>.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY — There is a St Vincent de Paul meeting next Saturday, April 11th, at 8:00 a.m. in Wilson Hall. Please consider coming to a meeting to learn more about who we are, and how we grow in fellowship through serving the poor. Perhaps this is a way to continue your spiritual growth beyond Lent. Next week is collection weekend for St Vincent de Paul.

OUR GIFT TO GOD

We thank God for you! Your gifts throughout the year are gratefully acknowledged.

February 28 & March 1

4:30 Mass: \$402
9:30 Mass: \$579
11:30 Mass: \$389
Total: \$1,370

March 7 & 8

4:30 Mass: \$823
9:30 Mass: \$257
11:30 Mass: \$817
Total: \$1,897

March 14 & 15

4:30 Mass: \$560
9:30 Mass: \$447
11:30 Mass: \$371
Total: \$1,378

March 21 & 22

4:30 Mass: \$0
9:30 Mass: \$0
11:30 Mass: \$0
Total: \$0

March 28 & 29

4:30 Mass: \$733
9:30 Mass: \$575
11:30 Mass: \$667
Total: \$1,975

Total Other Donations: \$2,788
Total Online Donations for March: \$2,741
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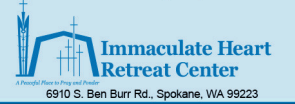
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