

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.
www.Facebook.com/sasvdpspokane

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Contact Jan Russell to add a name to the prayer chain

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Betty Lease, Kerry Williston, Janice Stripes, Patrick Byrnes, Christopher, Beth, Van Doughty, Sr. Madonna, Cindy, Edna Mae (Morbeck) Schultheis, Angela Morbeck, Tina Lesser, Ashley & Family, Shaw & Family



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY — In the Gospel today, Jesus says "... whoever believes in me will do the works that I do, and will do greater ones than these, because I am going to the Father." Through your almsgiving you are performing a good work; far greater than you may think. Your donations bring Christ's love and compassion to the poor.

Parish Mass Intentions & Events †

Saturday, 5/2 St. Athanasius

4:30PM Mass: Juanita Juarez †

Spring Bake Sale

First Saturday of the Month Social Hour

7PM Mass in Vietnamese

Sunday, 5/3 Fifth Sunday of Easter

9:30AM Mass: Juanita Juarez †

Spring Bake Sale

NO 11:30AM Mass in Vietnamese

Monday, 5/4

12:30-3PM Trinity Band & Strings

TUESDAY, 5/5

8AM Mass: Juanita Juarez †

8:30AM Adoration & Confession

12:30-3PM Trinity Band & Strings

6PM-7PM Confession

WEDNESDAY, 5/6

8AM MASS: JUANITA JUAREZ †

THURSDAY, 5/7 NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

8AM Mass: Janice Stripes

1-4PM Mahjong

FRIDAY, 5/8

8AM Mass: Maureen Wardian †

9AM Mass with Trinity School

12:30-3PM Trinity Music

Saturday, 5/9

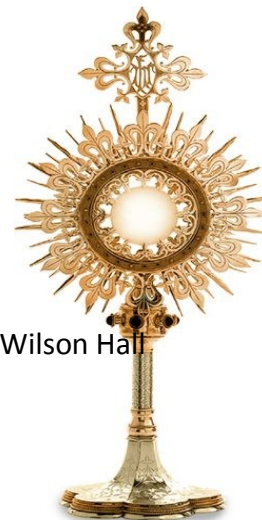
8AM St Vincent de Paul Society Meeting in Wilson Hall

10AM Funeral for Michael Storms

3:45PM Lectio Divina in Wilson Hall

4:30PM Mass: Norval Figy †

Baptism for Mabel Sims at 4:30pm Mass



MAY 3, 2026

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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

On this Fifth Sunday of Easter, our hearts continue to rejoice in the great gift of the Resurrection. The Easter season reminds us that we are a people of hope, a people renewed by the love of Christ, and a people called to live the new life that Jesus has won for us. The joy of Easter is not meant to last only for one day; it is a joy that transforms our hearts and shapes the way we live each day.

In the readings of this Sunday, we are reminded that God is always doing something new in our lives. The early Church grew because believers lived with courage, love, and trust in the Lord. Even in moments of uncertainty and challenge, they remained faithful, knowing that the risen Christ was walking with them. Their example invites us to renew our own faith and to trust that God continues to guide our parish communities today.

At St. Joseph's and St. Anthony's, we are blessed to witness the living presence of Christ in one another. We see Him in the kindness shared among parishioners, in the dedication of those who serve in ministry, and in the faithful who gather each week to celebrate the Eucharist. Each act of love, no matter how small, becomes a sign of the Resurrection alive in our midst.

The Easter season is also a time to reflect on how we are called to bring hope to others. Perhaps someone around us is carrying a heavy burden, feeling discouraged, or searching for meaning. As followers of the risen Lord, we are called to be messengers of hope, offering encouragement, compassion, and understanding. When we open our hearts to others, we allow Christ's love to shine through us.

Let us also remember that our journey of faith is not walked alone. We are strengthened by prayer, nourished by the Eucharist, and guided by the Holy Spirit. May this Easter season inspire us to grow deeper in our relationship with God and to support one another as a parish family.

As we continue celebrating the joy of Easter, may we entrust ourselves to the loving care of St. Joseph and St. Anthony. May their example of faith inspire us to trust in God's plan and to serve with generous hearts.

May the risen Lord fill your hearts with peace, your homes with joy, and your lives with hope. Let us continue walking together as a community of faith, sharing the Good News of Christ's Resurrection with everyone we meet.

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

BAKE SALE—

The Women of St Anthony's would like to invite you to their Spring Bake Sale, May 2nd and 3rd. All funds raised will be going towards the costs of cleaning the parish carpets. Please also consider donating a baked good to sell. Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board.

Ladies: —You are cordially invited to join us at St. Francis of Assisi-Spokane, 4414 N Jefferson, on Sat. May 9th from 11a-2p for a Ladies Tea. A Parish fundraiser hosted by Parish Outreach and the Ladies Tea Planning Committee.

-Brunch type menu

-Silent Auction/ onsite mini raffle

- Wear your fancy hats or make one! Vintage is best! Gloves too, if you have them! Prizes for the fanciest hat and most unique hat.

—Cost: \$10 per person, Groups with more than 4 people may purchase tickets at a discounted \$5. Children 5 and under are free!

We look forward to seeing you there in all your "finery"!

Gonzaga Prep, Marycliff, & Holy Names Alumni:

All alumni from Gonzaga Preparatory School, Marycliff High School, and Holy Names Academy—especially those from the classes of 2016, 2001, 1996, 1991, 1986, 1981, 1976, 1971, 1966 and earlier—are warmly invited to Gonzaga Prep All-Class Reunion Weekend August 7th-8th 2026 at Gonzaga Preparatory School, Spokane. Reconnect with classmates and celebrate the legacy of Catholic education. All are welcome! Questions? Contact Sebastian Kelley at skelley@gprep.com or call the school office at (509) 483-8511.

OUR GIFT TO GOD

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

April 4 & 5

4:30 Mass: \$505

9:30 Mass: \$1,416

11:30 Mass: \$1,924

Total: \$3,845

April 18 & 19

4:30 Mass: \$569

9:30 Mass: \$815

11:30 Mass: \$381

Total: \$1,765

April 11 & 12

4:30 Mass: \$537

9:30 Mass: \$844

11:30 Mass: \$516

Total: \$1,897

April 25 & 26

4:30 Mass: \$498

9:30 Mass: \$344

11:30 Mass: \$899

Total: \$1,741

Total Other Donations: \$2,285

Total Online Donations for April: \$2,821

Total Donations for April: \$14,354



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★ **MEMORIAL DAY** ★

REMEMBER & HONOR

Mass with Bishop Daly
Monday, May 25
10 am • Holy Cross Cemetery
7200 N. Wall Street, Spokane

**Please bring your own chairs.*

(509) 467-5496 • holycrossofspokane.org

Are You Prepared?
End of Life Workshop
Planning for Your Spiritual & Corporal Needs
Saturday, May 16 • 1:30pm – 3:15pm
Mass at 4:00 pm (optional)
Our Lady of Lourdes Cathedral
1115 W. Riverside Ave., Spokane, WA 99201

NO CHARGE

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Light refreshments provided.

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July 31, 5:00 pm



IHRC Benefit Concert & BBQ Dinner
The Kelly Hughes Band Christian Concert
(Ages 21+ only)

Tickets: \$75
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