

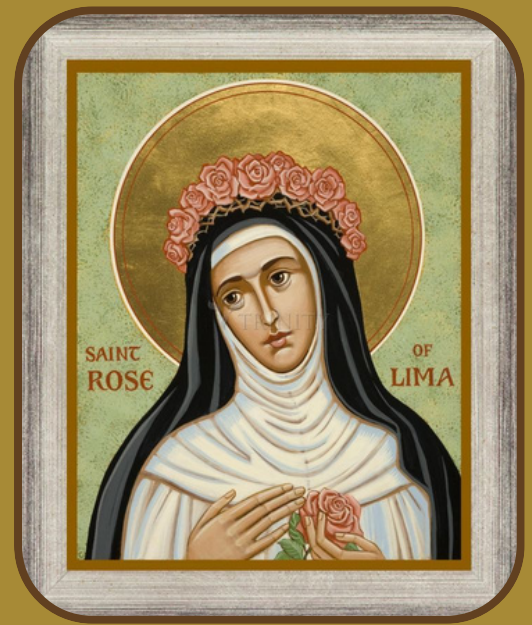
Saint Rose of Lima Catholic Church

Cheney, Washington

**21st Sunday of Ordinary
Time**

August 23th, 2026

*"You are Peter and upon this rock I will build
my Church
and the gates of the netherworld shall not
prevail against it."*



Weekly Schedule

- No Mass Tuesday
8/26
- Wed-Fri 9 AM Mass
- Saturday 3 PM
Confession
- Saturday Vigil 4:00
PM
- Sunday 8:30AM
Rosary
- Sunday 9 AM Mass



Sunday Readings

- Isaiah 22:19-23
- Psalm 138: 1-2, 2-3,
6, 8
- Romans 11:33-36
- Matthew 16:13-20

*"Lord, your love is
eternal; do not
forsake the work of
your hands." Psalm
138*



Happening this week:

- Grupo Latino de St
Rosa de Lima Mon 5
PM (Parish Hall)
- Men's Bible Study:
Wed 6pm (Parish
Hall)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday-Friday 9:30 AM – 1:30 PM

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To inspire in each other a longing for holiness, conversion, and an openness to Jesus' call: "Follow Me;" by giving ourselves entirely to Christ through Mary, our Mother, in prayer, the Divine Liturgy, the Eucharist, and His Mercy in the Sacraments.



MASS INTENTION

For our parish community, that it continue to grow and become more united in Christ.

ST ROSE OF LIMA - AUGUST 23RD

Historians remember St. Rose of Lima for her piety and chastity. Born in 1586 in Lima, Peru to Spanish colonists, and named Isabel Flores de Olivia, she was exceptionally beautiful. Her beauty was so great that she was nicknamed "Rose," a name that remains with her to this day. According to legend, a servant had a vision where her face turned into a rose. At her confirmation in 1597, she officially took the name of Rose.

From an early age, Rose wanted to become a nun. She often prayed and fasted in secret. She performed secret penances, some of which were painful and severe. She performed daily adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and took daily communion. As a young woman, her beauty began to attract suitors. To deter these men, St. Rose marred her face, rubbing it with pepper to make it blister. She cropped her hair short. Her parents opposed her plan to take a vow of chastity. This resulted in a clash of wills, because her parents wanted her to marry. Her father eventually relented and gave her a room to herself. St. Rose kept herself cloistered in her room, spending long periods in prayer. It was said she slept only two hours per night so as to have more time for prayer. She quit eating meat altogether, an extreme dietary restriction for that time.

When she turned 20, she was permitted to join the Third Order of St. Dominic. She continued a life of extreme prayer, fasting and penance. On one occasion she burned her hands as a self-imposed act of penance.

She was known to wear a heavy silver crown, with spikes that could pierce her flesh. The spikes reminded her of the Crown of Thorns. At one point, one of the spikes become so lodged in her skull that the crown was removed with great difficulty.

St. Rose died in on August 25, 1617, at the age of 31. According to legend, she accurately predicted the date of her death. Her funeral was a major event attended by all the city's authorities.

Pope Clement IX beatified her in 1667 and Pope Clement X recognized her as a saint, canonizing her in 1671. Her feast day is August 23 around the world, although some countries, like Peru, celebrate her on August 30.

St. Rose is the patroness of embroiderers, gardeners, florists, those who suffer ridicule for their piety, and people who suffer family problems.

"FOLLOW ME"

ST ROSE OF LIMA FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

We would like to thank the Knights of Columbus for their generous gift of time and treasure. The Knights of Columbus donated a financial gift that helped provide the meal for today's feast day celebration. A few of the Knights also gifted our parish with their time, helping with the cooking and preparing of the food. Thank you Knights of Columbus, especially the Grand Knight Craig for his willingness to help coordinate the meal!

Thank you to Delia and the youth group for coordinating the activities with the kids!

Thank you to all of you who have donated your time, talent, and treasure as well by bringing in desserts and sides for the meal, helping with set up, and anything / everything else!

St Rose of Lima is rejoicing in Heaven and interceding for our sweet parish!

St. Rose, patroness of embroiderers, gardeners, florists, those who suffer ridicule for their piety, and people who suffer family problems, pray for us!

AROUND THE DIOCESE

NORTH IDAHO WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Please join us for the North Idaho Women's Conference, "Let Yourself be Loved", on September 19th, sponsored by the Confraternity of Christian Mothers of St. Joan of Arc Parish. Come and learn how to rest in God's love as a woman, wife, and mother. It will be held at The Best Western Plus, in Coeur d'Alene, ID.

Registration ends August 29th. All women are invited, 18+, admission is \$80 and includes a wonderful lunch. Sign up at <https://www.stjoanarc.com/womens-conference/>

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 4 PM | 8/29

Lector: Mary

Extraordinary Ministers: Jane and Sally

Sunday 10 AM | 8/30

Lector: Tammy

Extraordinary Ministers: Sandy and Buck

Altar Server(s): Rylan and Nathaniel

A NOTE FROM STEFANY

All Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers, and Homebound Ministers,

We are needing someone to take on the task of creating the schedule for these ministry groups, seeing as I no longer have the capacity to do so in my limited hours and availability. If we do not have a volunteer to plan the schedules, we will have to resort to scheduling on a more random and week by week basis.

NEWMAN NEWS

ST. JOHN PAUL II NEWMAN CENTER

The last day of the Spring Quarter is June 12. There will be no 5:30 PM Sunday Masses until the commencement of the Fall Quarter.

TITHING REPORT

End of Week 2 - August

August Goal: \$16,275.20

Week 2 Goal: \$8,137.60

August Received: \$6,841.00

Still Needed: \$9,434

End of Week 3 - August

August Goal: \$16,275.20

Week 2 Goal: \$12,206.40

August Received: \$11,003.09

Still Needed: \$5,272.11

August Goal:

16,275.20

Week 3 Goal

12,206.40

Received
for August:
\$11,003.09

Week 2 Goal

8,137.60

Week 1 Goal

4,068.80

WEEKLY TITHING

8/11 - 8/17

Plate: 927.09
Envelopes: 2,200
Online Giving: 1,035

Total: 4,162.00

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