

# ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA PARISH

## SUNDAY BULLETIN

19<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

### *Our Mission:*

*Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ and our tradition of Ignatian Spirituality,  
St. Aloysius Gonzaga Catholic Parish strives to welcome and empower all who  
journey in faith towards knowing, loving, and serving God and one another.*



### Matthew 14:14-33

When the disciples saw him walking on the sea they were terrified.

"It is a ghost," they said, and they cried out in fear.

At once Jesus spoke to them, "Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid."

Peter said to him in reply,

"Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water."

He said, "Come."

Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus.

But when he saw how strong the wind was he became frightened;

and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!"

Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter,  
and said to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?"

After they got into the boat, the wind died down.

Those who were in the boat did him homage, saying,

"Truly, you are the Son of God."

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**Weekend Mass Schedule**

Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., and 7:00 p.m.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Thursdays at 4:30 - 6:30 p.m. in the  
Church

**8:00 A.M. Weekday  
Mass Intentions**

8/10: Anna Pike †  
Nora & John Lujan  
8/11: Fr. Anthony Via, S.J. †  
Altar Society  
Emilia Castro †  
8/12: Bill, Mike, and Tom Kerley †  
8/13: Gary Spencer  
8/14: John Tuccio



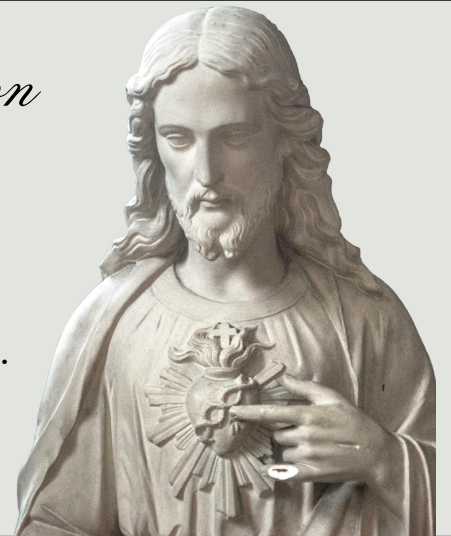
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*Eucharistic Adoration*

The Blessed Sacrament  
is exposed at  
St. Aloysius Church on:  
Tuesdays at 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.  
Fridays at 7:00 - 7:45 a.m.

(subject to change)



**Parish Council    Finance Council**

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**Please send questions and comments to:**  
[staloyus@dioceseofspokane.org](mailto:staloyus@dioceseofspokane.org)

**Parish Contributions**

**Week of 7/23 - 7/29/2026**

Received: \$16,466

Needed: \$20,400

**Fiscal YTD**

Received: \$75,459

Needed: \$81,600

Under: **\$6,141**



# ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA PARISH

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Dear Parishioners,

Many in our Spokane community have been affected by devastating wildfires. Some have been forced to evacuate, others have experienced damage to their homes or property, and many continue to face uncertainty as the fires and their aftermath unfold.

On behalf of all of us at St. Als', please know that you and your family are in our prayers. We recognize that this is a difficult and stressful time. You are not alone.

As your parish family, we are here to support you in whatever ways we can. Whether you need assistance finding resources, temporary support, help connecting with community services, or simply someone to listen and pray with you, please do not hesitate to reach out. We will do everything we can to accompany you.

If you have been affected by the fires, or if you know of another parishioner who has, please get in touch with the parish office. Even if your needs seem small, we want you to let us know. As your parish, we want to walk beside you.

In moments like these, we are reminded that the Church is more than a building—it is a community united in knowing, loving, and serving. Together, we will support one another and trust in God's presence through this extremely fragile time.

May the Lord watch over you, keep you safe, and grant you strength and peace. Be assured of our continued prayers for all those impacted, for the firefighters and first responders risking their lives, and for all who are working to protect and restore our community.

May God bless you and your loved ones.

In Christ,

Fr. Tom Lamanna, S.J.  
Pastor

Alexious Ferrante  
Director of Parish Operations

# Spokane FIRE RELIEF

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## **Catholic Charities Eastern Washington**

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help support the individuals, and families impacted by the Spokane  
Complex wildfires in our region.

For information on how to give, please contact: (509) 455-3042 or go to:  
<https://give.cceasternwa.org/give/511873#!/donation/checkout>

## Dates and Activities to Remember

**August 9–14: Heroic Middle School Camp.** The Diocese of Spokane invites current 6th–8th grade students to attend Heroic Middle School Camp at Shoshone Mountain Retreat in Wallace, Idaho. Campers will enjoy a week filled with prayer, the sacraments, Holy Mass, adoration, catechesis, campfires, hiking, swimming, zip lining, rock climbing, archery, a giant swing, high ropes, and more. Cost: \$450, with a \$50 deposit due at registration. **Only 7 spots remain!** Register today at <https://givebutter.com/middle-school-camp-registration-copy-d7h4my>.

**August 15: Celebrating 55 Years of Priesthood.** Join Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church in celebrating Fr. Patrick Hartin's 55th Anniversary of Priesthood. Following the Feast of the Assumption Vigil Mass, all are invited to a reception in the Parish Hall as we give thanks for Fr. Patrick's faithful service, steadfast witness, and many years of priestly ministry. Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church, 3327 S. Perry St., Spokane.

**August 15–21: Catholic Men's Motorcycle Ride.** Join Rev. Matthew Nicks for a week-long journey of faith, fellowship, and adventure. Each day begins with Holy Mass, followed by scenic rides, shared meals, and opportunities for prayer and brotherhood. This year's destination is South Dakota, where riders will explore the beauty of the Black Hills and Badlands. Whether you're an experienced rider or new to long-distance touring, all Catholic men are welcome. Registration details, costs, and accommodations will be announced as the event approaches. For more information: [Catholicmenmotorcycling@outlook.com](mailto:Catholicmenmotorcycling@outlook.com).

**August 22: Cooking Class.** Join Chef Matt McDaniels at Immaculate Heart Retreat Center for Chef Matt's Heavenly Kitchen: It's Barbeque Season! Enjoy a fun, hands-on cooking experience from 2:00–5:00 p.m. Cost: \$46 per person or \$90 per couple. Register at [ihrc.net/cooking-registration](http://ihrc.net/cooking-registration).

**October 2–4: Inland Northwest Catholic Men's Retreat.** Join the Knights of Columbus for the 2026 Inland Northwest Catholic Men's Retreat, "Living Catholic Life to the Fullest," featuring Jesse Romero and Fr. John Mosier. The retreat will be held at Camp Lutherhaven and includes inspiring talks, Holy Mass, Adoration, Confession, Rosaries, bonfires, fellowship, and meals. Cost: \$175–\$260. For more information or to register, visit [www.inwmensretreat.org](http://www.inwmensretreat.org).

**October 22: Exploring Faith and the Universe.** Join us for an unforgettable evening featuring Brother Guy Consolmagno, S.J., the Vatican's renowned "Pope's Astronomer." Enjoy a deluxe dinner and dessert followed by an inspiring presentation exploring the wonders of faith and science. 5:30–9:00 p.m. at Immaculate Heart Retreat Center. Cost: \$50 per person. Register by calling 509-448-1224 or visit [ihrc.net/events/dinner-with-the-popes-astronomer](http://ihrc.net/events/dinner-with-the-popes-astronomer).

### **Notice: No Coffee & Donuts This Weekend**

Coffee & Donuts is canceled this weekend. If you are interested in volunteering to host or help with future gatherings, please reach out to Aundrea Davit at [adavit@dioceseofspokane.org](mailto:adavit@dioceseofspokane.org).

#### **CATHOLICS IN ORDINARY TIME**



You are invited to listen to a podcast all about St. Als!

**Catholics in Ordinary Time**, hosted by Fr. Jack Bentz SJ, is featuring St. Als' parishioners in a season called American Parish.

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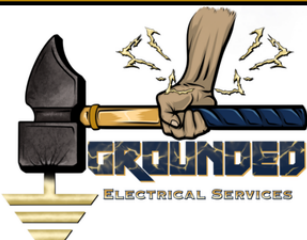
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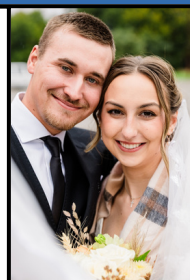
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