

ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO PARISH

4515 N. Alberta St., Spokane, WA 99205

September 20, 2026 ♦ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Parish Office

Office Hours: Tuesday– Friday,

9:00 am-3:00pm

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Sacraments

Reconciliation

Listed Inside

Or by appointment

Baptism

Contact the parish office.

Parental preparation is required.

Marriage

Couples planning to be married need to contact the parish office at least six months in advance of desired date.

Religious Education

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, call Father Ratuiste.

Religious Education Coordinator

Michelle Lutz

Consider a gift/bequest to St. Charles in your Will.

I give to St. Charles Catholic Parish, located at 4515 N Alberta, Spokane, WA 99205, the following amount/percentage ____ to be used wherever needed most.

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

St. Charles Borromeo Parish welcomes all our visitors who are joining us for worship. May your time with us be grace-filled and may the Lord Jesus Christ bless you and your loved ones today and always.

PARISH CALENDAR

Sun, Sep. 20	8:00 AM	A.C.	Adult Faith Formation/ OCIA
Tue, Sep. 22	12:00 PM	Church	Noon Mass
	12:30 PM	Church	Parish Rosary for the Preborn- All are welcome
Wed, Sep. 23	10:00 AM	A.C.	Women's Book Study
	5:00 PM	Church	Adoration and Reconciliation
Fri, Sep. 25	5:00 PM	Church	Adoration and Reconciliation
Sat, Sep. 26	3:00-3:30 PM	Church	Reconciliation
Sun, Sep. 27	8:00 AM	A.C.	Adult Faith Formation/ OCIA

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

		Sept. 13	
Offerings	\$7,153	Online	
Maintenance	\$10	Combined	\$3,401
Janitor	\$0	Giving	

COFFEE & DONUTS

Sept. 20 Ron & Joanie Spradling
 Sept. 27 Mike & Ila Myers
 Oct. 4 Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast

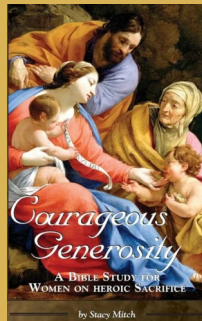


Sisters of the Sword

Oct. 3 at 9:00 AM

in the Activity Center

2026-27 new Bible study: *Courageous Generosity* by Stacy Mitch. Every 1st Saturday of the month following 8:30 1st Saturday mass-study starts around 9:10 in the Activity Center. Bring a copy of the book, your Bible, and your journal. Contact Connie Smith with any questions at sisterscatholicbiblestudy@gmail.com.



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WAYS TO DONATE

Online: onrealm.org/StCharlesParish/give/matercleri

By Mail: 4515 N. Alberta St., Spokane, WA 99205

In Person: At the Parish Office or the Donation boxes inside the Church



A HEART THAT NEVER FAILS



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2026

DIOCESE OF SPOKANE

This year's Annual Catholic Appeal theme, "A Heart that Never Fails," invites us to consider that the Sacred Heart of Jesus has always remained faithful to us – individually, as a family, a parish, and a diocese.

You should have received your ACA mailing from Bishop Daly.

The 2026 Annual Catholic Appeal Commitment Weekend is September 19th and 20th.

Our parish family has been asked to raise \$69,680 which is 22% of last year's parish income from offertory, Holy Days, and the ACA rebate we received. 1% of the ACA goes to K-8 Catholic Schools in our diocese. With everyone's help, this is a very achievable goal. Contributions can be mailed directly through the pledge envelope or made online at dioceseofspokane.org/aca.

Do you want to better understand, live, and share your Catholic faith? Or do you want to become Catholic? Ron Smith offers faith formation on Sunday mornings at 8:00 a.m. starting on September 20th in the Activity Center. If you want to learn more about your Catholic faith and in living a full sacramental life within the Church or want to become Catholic, please contact Ron Smith at 214-546-1138.

Explore what God has to offer in the Catholic Church! Everyone is invited. This is also a way for non-Catholics to find out more about the Catholic faith and the process of preparation for those who wish to become Catholic. (Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist)

Adult Faith Formation & OCIA

LITURGICAL SERVICES

Sat, Sep. 19	4:00 PM	Ron Arruabarrena†
Sun, Sep. 20	10:00 AM	Pro Populo
Mon, Sep. 21	8:00 AM	Nathan Loe
Tue, Sep. 22	8:00 AM	Andrew Kelly
	12:00 PM	Jenna Laville
Wed, Sep. 23	8:00 AM	Seminarians
Thu, Sep. 24	8:00 AM	Carole Burke
Fri, Sep. 25	8:00 AM	Zeli Fite
Sat, Sep. 26	4:00 PM	Dave Buckley†
Sun, Sep. 27	10:00 AM	Pro Populo

UPCOMING SCHEDULE CHANGES

We are happy to announce the addition of **Noon Mass every Tuesday starting September 22.**

Join us each Tuesday at **12:00 PM** for Mass. We look forward to worshipping with you!

Rosary for the Preborn will follow Mass each Tuesday. All are welcome!

Come Read, Reflect & Grow Together!

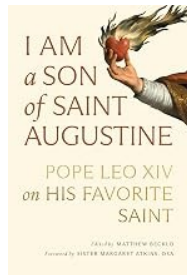
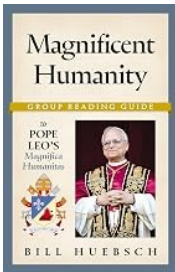
Join us for a women's book study featuring **Pope Leo's *Magnificent Humanity*** and ***I Am a Son of St. Augustine***.

Come enjoy meaningful conversation, faith-filled fellowship, and a deeper journey of discovering what it

means to live our faith with joy and purpose. **Wednesday mornings at 10:00 AM in the Activity Center.**

All women are welcome!

Bring your curiosity, your coffee, and your love of good conversation. We'd love to have you join us!



Offerings and Collections at St. Charles

- Drop off your donation in our donation boxes. They are located on the bulletin board on both sides of the foyer.
- Use the Donate button on our website
- Text STC to 73256
- Mail your offering to 4515 N. Alberta, Spokane, WA 99205

PASTOR'S COLUMN

Putting our Giving into Action

By Fr. Kyle Ratuiste

Last Sunday, I shared a handy way for breaking down our financial stewardship. To summarize, if we make it our goal to give back 10% of our income to God, we can designate 5% for our parish, 1% for the diocese, and 4 % for other worthy causes. With it being “Commitment Sunday” for the Annual Catholic Appeal, I invite us to go from grateful thoughts to generous action.

First, I invite you to consider your tithe to support our parish. For the sake of consistency and convenience, I strongly encourage recurring online giving. For instance, I make my tithe to the parish monthly. You can give to our parish by going here:

<https://onrealm.org/StCharlesParish/give/now>



Second, we make our commitment to the ACA. Our parish goal is \$69,680. There are about 300 households in our parish. That means if every household pledges an average of \$250, we will easily exceed our goal. Funds collected above and beyond our goal are returned to the parish as a rebate. To make your ACA pledge online, please follow the link/QR code below and be sure to select “St. Charles – Spokane” in the Parish field so that your pledge is counted toward our goal.

<https://www.dioceseofspokane.org/give-online-to-aca-here>



Third, we have the opportunity to discern how else we will glorify God by supporting other causes that honor Him. I want to highlight especially the Borromeo Society, which was launched under the leadership of Principal Jensen. Members of the Borromeo Society commit to a recurring gift to support the mission of our school. To join the Borromeo Society, go here:

<https://givebutter.com/borromeo-society-kipmoy>



I've examined my budget and set in place my tithe to the parish, my pledge to the ACA, and my contribution to the Borromeo Society. I invite you to join me. Since God has been so generous to us, let us glorify Him through our generosity to our parish, diocese, school, and other works of the Lord.

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