St. Anthony Parish

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Pastor: Rev. Gustavo "Gus" Ruiz-Juarez
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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 & Holy Marriage: Parents seeking Baptism for their child and couples seeking marriage should contact the parish office at least six months before desired dates for preparation. It is expected that you are registered and have been active in the parish for at least six months, be a regular contributor financially to the parish, and be taking part in the liturgical life of the Church—which includes attendance at Sunday Mass and Holy Days of Obligation.
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	
Alyssa Richards	Thanh Nguyen	

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 Patti Landreth
Society of St. Vincent de Paul President – Kathy Loe
Monthly meeting:
Second Saturday, 8am in Wilson Hall 509-216-1093.
www.Facebook.com/sasvdpspokane
Women of St Anthony's
Facilitator: Alyssa Richards
Meets in Wilson Hall the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30. All women are welcome. Womenofstanthonys@gmail.com

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, Angela Morbeck, Tina Lesser, Ashley & Family, Shaw & Family, Marc Stokes & Family



Parish Mass Intentions & Events †

Saturday, 10/24 St. Anthony Mary Claret
Trinity Book Sale in Wilson Hall
4:30PM Mass:
Sunday, 10/25 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Reformation Day
9:30AM Mass:
11:30AM Mass in Vietnamese
Trinity Book Sale in Wilson Hall
Monday, 10/26
1-4PM Mahjong
Trinity Book Sale in Wilson Hall
TUESDAY, 10/27
Trinity Book Sale in Wilson Hall
8AM Mass:
8:30AM Adoration & Confession
Noon-3PM: Trinity Band in Wilson Hall
6PM-7PM Confession
WEDNESDAY, 10/28 STS. SIMON & JUDE
Trinity Book Sale in Wilson Hall
8AM MASS:
9AM-3PM: Sr. Consuela in Wilson Hall
THURSDAY, 10/29
Trinity Book Sale in Wilson Hall
8AM Mass:
Noon-2PM: Trinity Strings in Wilson Hall
FRIDAY, 10/30
Trinity Book Sale in Wilson Hall
8AM Mass:
9AM Trinity School Mass
10AM-11:30AM: Trinity Music Class
Saturday, 10/31
Trinity Book Sale in Wilson Hall
4:30PM Mass:



October 25, 2026
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

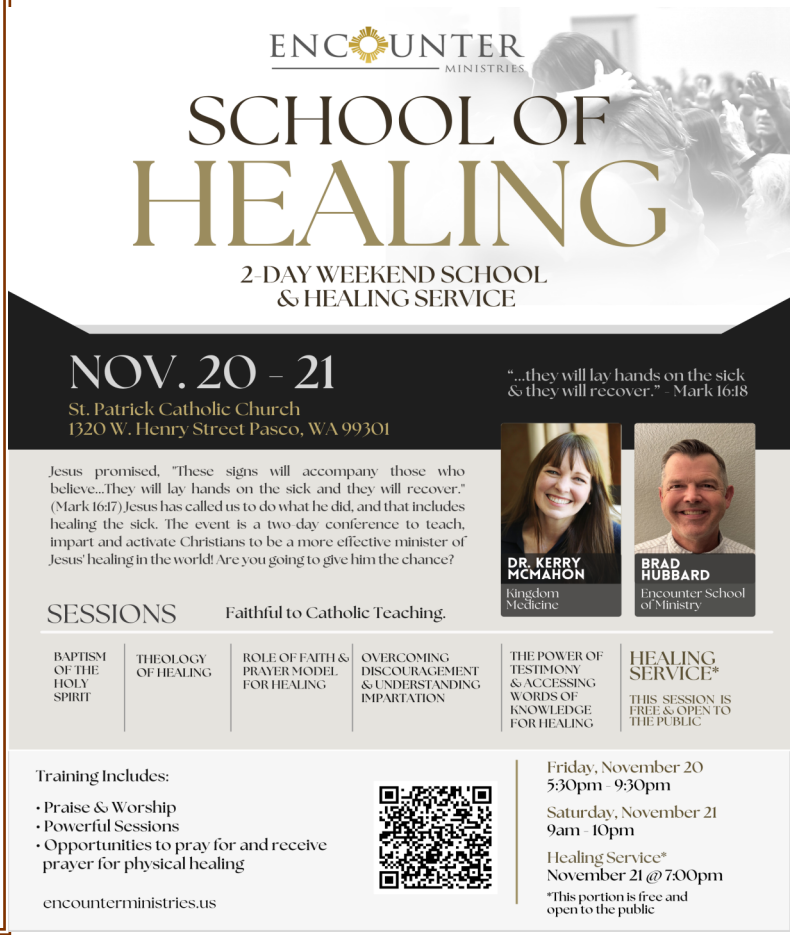
Pastor's Corner —My brothers and sisters in Christ,
May the Lord continue to bless our families and our parish community!
In our Gospel reading for this 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Jesus shares the striking parable of the Pharisee and the tax collector. Two men go up to the temple to pray, but they leave with vastly different standing before God. The Pharisee stands tall, listing his virtues and thanking God that he is not like other men. The tax collector, standing at a distance, will not even raise his eyes to heaven. He simply beats his breast and prays: "O God, be merciful to me a sinner."
Jesus tells us that it was the tax collector who went home justified. Why? Because God does not measure us by our self-righteousness, accomplishments, or spiritual pride. God looks at the humble and contrite heart. True prayer is not about convincing God of how good we are, but about recognizing how good, merciful, and essential He is in our lives. When we approach the Lord in genuine humility, we open the door for His grace to transform us. Humility frees us from the burden of comparison and self-reliance, allowing us to recognize that every good gift we have is a grace from God. Recognizing our dependence on God naturally spills over into compassion for our neighbors and generosity toward our Church.
We see this humble generosity alive in our parish communities of St. Joseph and St. Anthony. As disciples, we are called to share our gifts so that Christ's mercy reaches every corner of our city. One vital way we do this is through our support of the **Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA**) for the Diocese of Spokane.
The ACA sustains essential works of mercy and faith across Eastern Washington—supporting Catholic schools, seminarians, prison ministry, and outreach to families in need. This year's goals for our parishes are:
· **St. Joseph's Goal**: $19,086.00
· **St. Anthony's Goal**: $24,475.00
If you have already made your pledge, thank you for your generous heart. If you have not yet participated, please prayerfully consider making a gift. Every gift, no matter the size, helps us reflect God's humble, welcoming mercy to all. May we pray this week with the humble faith of the tax collector, trusting entirely in the Lord's abundant mercy.
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

SAVE THE DATE —
Turkey Bingo will be on Sunday, November 15th in the Trinity School Gym. Everyone is invited!

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL —
The Annual Catholic Appeal is ongoing. There are envelopes available at the back of the church for your donation to this year's appeal. Thank you for your generosity to this year's ACA.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY — In this Sunday's Gospel we find the truth that loving God isn't merely a matter of fervor in our hearts, but that it must be expressed in doing good for the sake of others. There is so much need, right here in our neighborhood! We primarily serve our neighbors within the St Anthony and St Joseph boundaries, helping them remain housed; because once housing is lost, the situation quickly becomes critical.



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