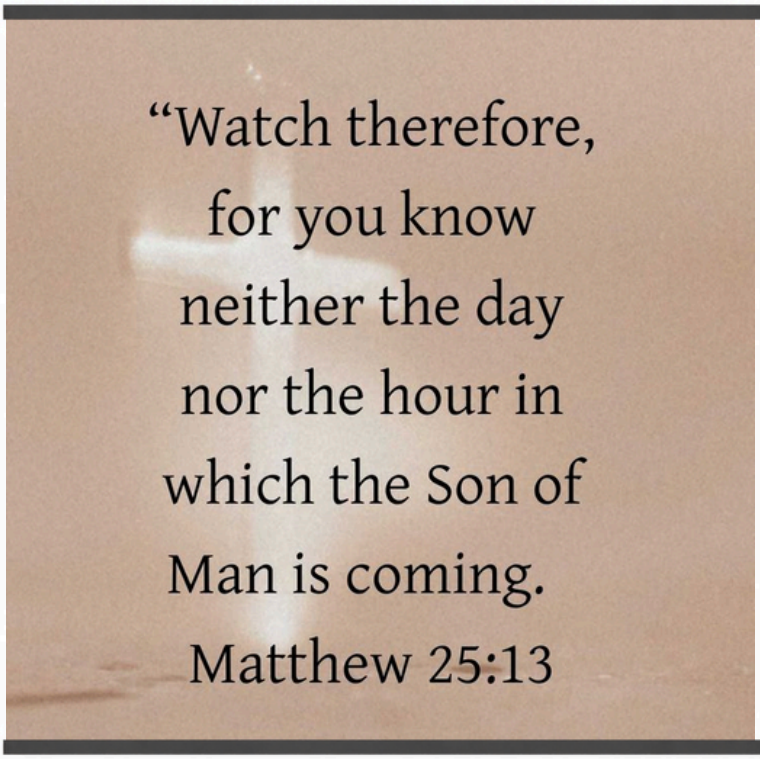


Sacred Heart CatholicChurch

219E.RockwoodBlvd.
Spokane,WA 99202

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 8, 2026

Sacred Heart Catholic Church is a community striving to encounter, live, & proclaim Jesus Christ and the gospel in our worship, our families, our neighborhoods,and our parish life.

We embody our Eucharistic faith by welcoming all, through ongoing personaland community faith formation, community connectedness and committed stewardship.

We proclaim Christ through service to our parishioners and neighbors in need.

Every voice matters and every gift is needed in building the future of our parish.

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Mass Times

Weekends:
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm (in person)
Sunday: 10:00 am (in person & live-streamed)

Weekdays:
Tuesdays through Fridays, 8:30 am

ADORATION:
First Friday of the Month, 9 am - 10 am

Reconciliation:
Saturday, 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm
First Friday of the Month, 9:00 am - 9:30 am

Religious Education: TBA

For livestream events, schedules, and contact persons, visit our Website: shparishspokane.org or Facebook: facebook.com/shparishspokane

SACRED HEART PARISH
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Food Drive



Our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive to help provide nonperishable food items to the Martin Luther King Community Center, for distribution to the needy of Southeast Spokane ***has started.***

The forms are in the vestibule but any amount you are able to donate is greatly appreciated.

Just mark your donation ***"2026 Thanksgiving Food Drive"***, and return as soon as you can, and we will make sure it goes toward providing food for our neighbors!

Thank you in advance for your continuing generosity toward the less fortunate of our community!

THANK YOU!

Christmas Bureau Pajama Drive

Help us spread warmth & comfort to children in need!



Needed:
Infant & Child-Size Pajamas



Pajamas must be NEW, with tags still attached and unwrapped.

There will be a box in the vestibule to place your donations in beginning November 14th.
Pajamas needed before December 1st.

ACA Update.

Thank you for all who have thus far contributed to this year's ACA.

Our ACA goal is $89,530.

We are at **91.93%** of our goal.

We are getting closer to the finish line. Please help us meet this year's goal. Every gift is cherished and important.

Blessings
COUNT THEM ONE BY ONE

Mass Intentions This Week

Saturday, Nov 7th	*Pope Leo's Intentions for November For the proper use of Wealth*
Sunday, Nov 8th	*Pro Populo (for the People)*
Tuesday, Nov 10th	*For Our Youth*
Wednesday, Nov 11th	*All Veterans of our Armed Forces, Living and Deceased*
Thursday, Nov 12th	*+Mary Morgan By Terri Coombs*
Friday, Nov 13th	*Holy Souls in Purgatory By Gene Gosse*

Our Parish Prayer Chain: Is there illness or are there special needs in your family? Our community prayer chain looks forward to praying for you! Send a request to Sean Goerke, Seanmarieleonard@gmail.com. You may also contact Sean if you would like to join Sacred Heart's Prayer Chain Group.

If you or someone you know are in the hospital and would like a visit from Fr. Vic, please call the office to let us know; we would be happy to arrange it! Also please contact the office if you would like a mass said for someone.

Youth Ministry

Save the date for our Winter Retreat, January 22-24 at Schweitzer Mountain Chapel!
Grades 5-12, Registration coming soon!

Youth Group is at 5:30 on Tuesdays at the Klein home!
Email SacredHeartYG123@gmail.com if you are interested in being involved!

Blue Envelope Fund

You are reminded on this second Sunday of the month of the **BLUE ENVELOPE** that comes with your donation envelopes.

You can also donate to this fund by way of our website - **www.shparishspokane.org/donate.** Please note in the comment box that your donation is for the Blue Envelope Fund.

Your donations to the Blue Envelope Fund help us support our neighbors in need.

Thank you for your generosity!

Rest in Peace...

Please remember in your prayers, Mary **Zimmerman** who passed away this last August.

Also, please keep her family in your prayers.

A Funeral Mass was held here at Sacred Heart on November 7th.

May she rest in peace.

Day of Prayer on the Faithful Departed

Wednesday, November 18, 2026
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Immaculate Heart Retreat Center

Day of Prayer on the Faithful Departed

Created for Eternal Life: "Set Your Hearts on Things Above" (Col. 3:1–2)
Sister Mary Eucharista, SMMC

We know through what the Catholic Church teaches that human life continues eternally after death, and that through Christ we are called to resurrection and everlasting communion with God in imitation of what Jesus demonstrated for us on Easter. But what does this look like? With a peek at verifiable near death experiences and stories of deathbed conversations with those who have passed, this day of prayer will bring opportunities for deep reflection about how our prayers can assist our loved ones who await the Resurrection of the Body and Life Everlasting.

Included will be Holy Mass with the distribution of Ashes, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, two conferences, lunch, the recitation of the Rosary and Adoration before the exposed Blessed Sacrament.

Individuals: $47 with room use: $57 *(Includes lunch)*

For more information call (509) 448-1224



Saint Leo the Great

Pope and Doctor of the Church

Feast Day: November 10

Saint Leo the Great, also known as Pope Saint Leo I, was born into a Roman aristocratic family, possibly with roots in Tuscany. Known for his intelligence, deep faith, and ability to bring peace between disputing groups, he became one of the most influential popes in Church history and the first to receive the title "the Great."

By 431, Leo was a respected deacon serving under Pope Celestine I. His reputation as a wise and gifted peacemaker led him to resolve both religious and political disputes. In 440, following the death of Pope Sixtus III, Leo was unanimously elected pope.

Throughout his papacy, Leo worked tirelessly to preserve the unity of the Church and defend its teachings. He opposed heresies that challenged essential Christian beliefs, particularly those concerning God's grace, the goodness of creation, and the nature of Jesus Christ.

One of his greatest contributions was his famous letter, known as the *Tome of Leo*, which affirmed that Jesus Christ is one divine Person with two natures, fully human and fully divine. This teaching helped guide the Council of Chalcedon in 451 and remains fundamental to Catholic doctrine.

Leo was also a courageous leader. In 452, he met with Attila the Hun and helped persuade him to withdraw from Italy. Beyond defending Rome, Leo devoted himself to caring for the poor, assisting refugees, and encouraging charitable works during times of famine and hardship.

A gifted preacher, Leo inspired the faithful through sermons emphasizing Scripture, holiness, and Christian charity. Nearly 100 of his sermons and 150 letters have survived, continuing to enrich the Church today.

Saint Leo died on November 10, 461, and was buried at St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. In 1754, Pope Benedict XIV declared him a Doctor of the Church.

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Mass at 8:30 (optional)
Immaculate Heart Retreat Center
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