St. John Vianney Catholic Parish

St. Paschal Catholic Parish

Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

November 22, 2026



Welcome!

To make St. John Vianney or St. Paschal your parish home, register with the office or online!

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Deadline is noon Monday

SJV Parish School 509-926-7987
Principal: Janelle Turcotte
Office Manager: Nichole McGarry
Website: www.st.johnvianney.com

SP Educare 509-922-7616
Director: Mary Jo Paschall

Prayer Chains
SJV: Jayne Seaboldt 509-921-0945
If unavailable: Mary McLeslie 509-926-0460
SP: Rosalie Thompson 509-443-7268

Assistance Program
If you need assistance with food, utilities, or prescriptions, please call the SJV office Tues.—Thurs., 9 a.m. to noon

Catholic Family Service Counseling
Call the Diocesan Office 509-242-2308

SJV & SP Parish & Finance Council Members

SJV Parish Council:
Ric Wesselman (Chair), Greg Takisaki, Angie Nordhus, Ruth Ann Pfeifer, Sue Kappen, Mark Sullivan

SJV Finance Council:
Erik Wakeling (Chair), Barbara Ewers, Nick Durgan, Cathy Suda, Greg Takisaki

SP Parish Council:
Kathy Foreman, Fred Meyer, Joan Dunn, Emily Klein, Lori Sullivan, Tom Lutyens

SP Finance Council:
Bill Trudeau (Chair), Fred Meyer, Carmen Ballard

Mass Times:
SJV: Daily Mass Tuesday - Friday at 8:15 a.m.
Sat. Vigil 4 p.m.
Sun., 10 a.m.
SP: Sun. 8 a.m.

Eucharistic Home Visits
If you are homebound or ill, and want to receive Holy Communion, please call the office.

Eucharistic Exposition for Adoration
SJV: Wed. 9a.m. - 5p.m.
2:30 p.m. —3:30 pm Every First Saturday is Holy Hour for Vocations
2:30 p.m. -3:30 p.m. Every Last Saturday is Holy Hour for SJV School
SP: Tuesdays 5-6 p.m.

Confessions By appointment, and regularly at:
SJV: Sat. 2:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.
SP: Tuesdays 5-6 p.m.

Sacraments of Baptism & Holy Matrimony
Parents seeking baptism for their child should fill out a baptism request form on our website 3 months before intended baptism date. Engaged couples should contact the office 6 months before the intended wedding date to begin marriage preparation.

Interested in Becoming Catholic?
Interested in becoming Catholic, or want to ask about our OCIA program? Please call l Mike Heywood, 509-999-8374 or Sue Manfred, 509-230-2695.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The St. John Vianney & St. Paschal Catholic Church family seeks to:
- **grow in our faith**
- **proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ**
- **serve the people of God**

Office: (509) 926-5428 SJV / SP
Mailing Address: P.O.Box 141125, Spokane Valley, WA 99214
SJV Location: 503 North Walnut Road / SP Location: 2521 North Park Road
Website: www.sjvchurch.org / Email:sjv@dioceseofspokane.org / Facebook : StJohnVianneyCatholic

LECTORS & EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Saturday Nov. 28	SJV		
Lectors	Bea B.	Brad S.	
EMs	Betsy S.	Dan E.	Deacon Don
Sunday Nov. 29			
Lectors	Chris G.	Sheila G.	
EMs	Erik W.	Pamela T.	Deacon Don
Sunday Nov. 29	**SP**		
Lector	Charlotte M.		

Stewardship Report - SJV

11/15/26	Collected	Budgeted	YTDCollected	YTDBudget	Difference
Offertory:	$ 5,924	$ 8,077	$ 137,302	$ 161,538	$ 24,236
Assistance	$ 512		$ 12,178		
Building	$ 515		$ 51,338		
School:	$ 145		$ 6,530		

Stewardship Report - SP

11/15/26	Collected	Budgeted	YTDCollected	YTDBudget	Difference
Offertory:	$ 1,725	$ 1,629	$ 36,193	$ 32,577	$ 3,616
Assistance	$ 120		$ 1,340		
Building	$ 90		$ 2,102		
Fuel	$ 18		$ 518		
School:	$ -		$		

MASS INTENTIONS

	Offered For	Requested By
Tue	+ Nick Cirignani	Lydia Cirignani
Wed	+ Jim Christnacht BD	Carol Christnacht & Brad Smith
Thu	Vocations	
Fri	+ Achille Kedjigni	Chris Hodedin
Sat	+William & +Mary Ellen Condotta	The Swenson Family
Sun	8 am People of SP 10 am People of SJV	

If Mass is ever canceled, please know that the intention will be offered in the next available Mass.

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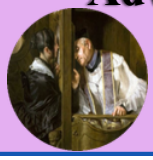
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We appreciate everyone who helped clean up the SJV grounds last weekend. Thank you for sharing your time to brighten up our church and school.

SJV -2nd collection for the Assistance Fund - THIS WEEK

Advent Penitential Services



5 p.m. December 18
at St. John Vianney

Christmas Singalong & Jazz Piano Concert

Friday, Dec. 11 at 7 p.m.
St Joseph Catholic Church - Otis Orchards
Featuring Chris James Gootherts with vocalist George DeRuyter

Tickets $15 for adults with children under 12 FREE

St Mary Parish Art Walk

Enjoy an "art gallery" experience complete with catalog of exhibited art, delicious appetizers, mocktails, kids' activities and fellowship. **Free admission**, donations gratefully accepted.

St. Mary Catholic Church
304 S Adams Rd - Spokane Valley

Saturday, Dec. 19 6-8 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 20 a am - 2 p.m.

All Souls Remembrance

Maria Delger
Remy Cabigas
Estanislao Cabigas
Sharon Mae Cabigas
Harold Kellams
Missy Atkinson
Ernest Atkinson
Elsie Atkinson
Antonio Lopez
Duane & Elfrieda Groff

SCHOOL NEWS

Grandparents' Mass & Breakfast

Wed., Nov. 2 - students are invited to bring their grandparents or a special friend to attend Mass with them. Following Mass, guests are welcome to enjoy muffins and fruit in the parish hall. Afterward, students will have the opportunity to give their special guest a tour of their classroom and school—be sure to stop by the Faith Fair in the library!

SJV DAY OF GIVING

The Day of Giving for St. John Vianney Catholic School is **December 1, 2026,** with a parish kick off on the weekend of November 28 and 29. The goal for this year is to raise $50,000 in Tuition Assistance. By making a gift to the school, you are helping to ensure that all families who choose our school can continue to receive faith-filled and quality academic formation for their children. Stay tuned for more details..

THANK YOU!

The 6th Grade class thanks you for helping us meet our Socktober goal of 800 pairs. The final count was 1,675 pairs of socks to help those in need. We could not have done this without the support of our community!

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Sunday Reflection

Friends, a story is told about Mother Teresa of Calcutta; someone once asked her how she could spend her life caring for the poorest, the sickest, and the most abandoned people. Her answer was simple: "I see Jesus in them." That is why she could touch wounds, embrace the dying, and welcome those whom the world had forgotten. She believed the words of today's Gospel with all her heart: "*Whatever you did for one of the least brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.*"

Today as we conclude the liturgical year A, we celebrate the solemnity of Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. But when we hear the word "king," we often think of power, wealth, influence, and authority. In our readings for today, all of those ideas are turned upside down. In the first reading, the prophet Ezekiel describes God as a shepherd: "*I myself will look after and tend my sheep*." God seeks the lost, brings back the strayed, binds up the injured, and strengthens the weak. This is the heart of God. He is not a king who sits at a distance. He is a shepherd who walks among his people.

And in the Gospel, Jesus reveals himself as that shepherd and King. But notice where we find him. He does not say, "I was seated on a throne, and you honored me." Rather, "I was hungry… thirsty… a stranger… sick… in prison." The King of the Universe has chosen to identify himself with the most vulnerable members of his kingdom. And then comes the great surprise. Both the sheep and the goats ask the same question: "*Lord, when did we see you*?" Neither group recognized Jesus. The difference was not what they knew, but what they did for him.

The sheep saw a need and responded with compassion. The goats saw a need and walked away. One group allowed God's mercy to flow through them; the other did not. In Matthew 7:16 Jesus says, "*They will be known by their works.*"

In other words, our actions reveal what is really in our hearts. Our actions reveal the king we serve, the king we praise, and the king to whom we give our allegiance. We can call Jesus our King, sing hymns to him, and even profess our faith every Sunday. But if we do not love as he loves, serve as he serves, show mercy and compassion as he does, or forgive as he forgives, then Christ is not truly reigning in our lives.

Therefore, this feast of Christ the King is not simply about declaring that Jesus is King. It is about asking whether his kingship is visible in us. When people look at our lives, do they see kindness or indifference? Do they see compassion or judgment? Do they see generosity or self-interest? Do they see forgiveness or resentment? When people meet us, do they encounter something of Jesus?

Mother Teresa often reminded her sisters that every person they served was "Jesus in his distressing disguise." Perhaps that is the challenge Jesus gives us today: to recognize him in the people we would rather overlook. The hungry person may be someone longing for our attention. The stranger may be the new family in the parish. The prisoner may be someone trapped by addiction, fear, or loneliness. The sick may be a friend carrying a burden silently. Christ stands before us every day, often in disguise, asking whether we will see him and love him.

As we celebrate this great solemnity, let us renew our allegiance to Jesus Christ, not merely with our lips but with our lives. Let us ask for the grace to recognize him in the least, the forgotten, and the vulnerable. And may our works reveal that we belong to him. Then, when the King comes in his glory, we may hear those beautiful words: "*Come, you who are blessed by my Father. Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world.*"

TOYS FOR TOTS

The St. Paschal Christmas tree will be in the vestibule until **Dec. 13**. We are collecting ***UNWRAPPED*** gifts valued at up to $30 for Toys For Tots. Please consider making a donation for the children this Christmas.

Catholic Daughters

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