



Welcome To All

New Parishioners ~ We seek to meet and greet you!

If you are new to our community, contact **Father John Gathungu** at 983-0403. Please complete one of our registration forms, which are on the vestibule bulletin board, drop it in the collection, or come visit the parish office.

Ministries List

Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion,
Lectors, Sacristans, Greeters, MC's

December 26, 2015 ~ 5:30pm ~ Saturday

Sacristan: Deacon Don Sokolowski
MC: Yvonne Falk

EOM: Deacon Don Tracy Baune
Lector: Tera Hill
Rosary Leader: _____
Greeter: _____
Servers: _____

December 27, 2015 ~ 8:00am ~ Sunday

Sacristan: Deacon Don Sokolowski
MC: Kim Frei

EOM: Deacon Don Lori DeFord
Lector: Nick Slichter
Rosary Leader: Donna Kopczynski
Greeter: _____

Servers: Ryan Cuthbert/Dustin Kaschmitter

CHURCH CLEANING FOR DECEMBER
***Lori Courtright-3418

Betty Ruzicka-0656, Michelle Barger-3423,
Jill Lane-3494, Lauren Barger-451-3327.

2016 Contribution Envelopes

In the vestibule, you will find your 2016 church support envelopes, in alpha order. Please wait until January 1st to start using, as some family's numbers have changed due to the printing company's needs. Please pick your packet up.

CD OF THE MONTH FOR DECEMBER-
"Mary, The Indispensable Mother of God" by
Tim Staples. Listen, learn & share!

"Consult not your fears, but your hopes & dreams." —Saint John XXIII

Happy Anniversary

Leon & Sheryl Ann Slichter ~ 28
Michael & Erin Blinn,
Raymond & Shelley Dempsey ~ 30
James & Laurie Rockwell ~ 1
Ivan & Judy McHone ~ 2

Happy Birthday

Jeffrey Blackmer, Cindy Daly,
Rick Mager ~ 29
Colby Kenned ~ 31
Sean Blinn, Joseph Chmelik ~ 3

The Men In Black ~ Are Back!

You will find these great calendars featuring our diocesan priests, in the vestibule. This annual little drive helps in many ways: 1.) support our priests and seminarians, 2.) helps encourage vocations to the priesthood with visual reminders, 3.) reminds us to pray for our priests, 4.) gives us the face of our priests. Everyone needs a calendar, so grab and offer a \$15 donation for the support, place in the box provided. Make checks out to "St. John Vianney Society". Only 50 available. Thanks for your support!



Finance Council: Fr. John Gathungu

*Tonya Kennedy, Kurt Lothspeich, Dave Wimer,

Parish Council: Fr. John Gathungu,

*Jim Church, Kevin VanGuntun, Bob Ackerman
Tracy Baune, Mike Frei, Lynette Lothspeich

School Governing Board: Fr. John Gathungu

*Joe Bonn, Mark Frei, Heidi Lindsley, Lynnel Wassmuth,
Adam Miller, Christi Sonnen, Steve Frei,

"Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."



Sts. Peter & Paul Church

625 Lake Street * Grangeville, ID 83530 * 983-0403

December 13, 2015 ~ Third Sunday of Advent



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Deacon Don Sokolowski ~ 983-2646

Candelaria Ramirez ~ Parish Secretary

Parish Office:

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office@stspeterandpaulparish.org

Hours 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Mon. – Fri.
{Thursday morning ~ bulletin deadline}

Sts. Peter & Paul School ~ 983-2182

Principal ~ Bob Sobotta
bsobotta@myspps.org

Holy Trinity ~ Nezperce: Contact Michelle Koepf
mmkoepf@gmail.com Ph. 208-937-2325

Weekend Mass Schedules

Saturdays: 5:30 p.m.
Sundays: 8:00 a.m.

Sacred Heart, White Bird

Saturdays: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Trinity, Nezperce

Sundays: 10:00 a.m.

Wednesdays: 6:30 p.m.

Fridays: 6:30 p.m.

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday ~ No Mass

Tuesday ~ Mass ~ 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday ~ Mass ~ 8:25 a.m.

Thursday ~ Mass ~ 6:30 p.m.

Friday ~ Mass ~ 8:25 a.m.

Youth Minister: Linda Uhlenkott, Ph: 208-507-2339
Elementary RE Marilyn Wimer Ph: 208-983-2625
Prayer Chain: Lori DeFord Ph: 208-983-2286
KC's: Rob Groom Ph: 208-983-0847
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The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Liturgy of the Hours, Holy Hours, Confession, Parish Rosary

Saturday ~ 19~

9:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Chapel - White Bird

Mass † Dorothy Wassmuth ~ M/M John Crouch

4:00 p.m.-5:20 p.m. **HOLY HOUR**

~ Confessions ~ Parish Rosary

5:30 p.m. Mass † Richard Lothspeich

~ M/M Kurt Lothspeich

Sunday 20~ Fourth Sunday of Advent

7 a.m.-7:50 a.m. **HOLY HOUR**

~ Confessions ~ Parish Rosary

8:00 a.m. Mass For Parishioners Needs

10:00 a.m. Mass Holy Trinity ~ Nezperce

Monday ~ 21 ~ St. Peter Canisius

8:00a.m. Liturgy of the Hours - Morning prayer

Tuesday ~ 22~

5:15pm-6:15pm **Holy Hour & Confessions**

6:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Hours - Evening prayer

6:30 p.m. Mass † Dr. John Rockwell

~ Blanche Rockwell

Wednesday ~ 23~ St. John of Kanty

8:00 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours - Morning prayer

8:25 a.m. Mass † Wendy Kaschmitter

~ M/M Eric Robie

6:30 p.m. Mass Holy Trinity Mission ~ Nezperce

Thursday ~ 24~ Christmas Eve

10:00am Mass Sacred Heart Chapel - White Bird

4:00 p.m. Mass Sts. Peter & Paul - Grangeville

6:30 p.m. Mass Holy Trinity ~ Nezperce

10:00 pm Mass Sts. Peter & Paul - Grangeville

Friday ~ 25~ The Nativity of the Lord

8:00 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours - Morning prayer

9:00 a.m. Mass Sts. Peter & Paul - Grangeville

Saturday ~ 26~

9:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Chapel - White Bird

Mass † Craig Dufur ~ Lynn & Darlene Smith

4:00 p.m.-5:20 p.m. **HOLY HOUR**

~ Confessions ~ Parish Rosary

5:30 p.m. Mass † Tony Haener ~ Mom & Dad

"For Jesus Christ I am prepared to suffer still more." St. Maximilian Kolbe

"The Mass is long", you say, and I reply, "Because you love is short."

St. Josemaria Escriva

PARISH HAPPENINGS

- ◆ *No Coffee Hours ~ Dec. 20*
- ◆ *Decorating the Church for Christmas ~ Dec. 20, 10 am*
- ◆ *RCIA ~ Dec. 21, 5:30pm*
- ◆ *CHRISTMAS ~ Dec. 25 (Read below for Mass times)*
- ◆ *No Coffee Hours ~ Dec. 27*
- ◆ *Mass- Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God- Holy Day of Obligation Jan. 1 8:25 am*
- ◆ *RCIA ~ Jan. 4, 5:30pm*

Christmas Eve ~ Dec. 24

10:00 a.m. in White Bird

4:00 p.m. at SPP Parish (Children's Mass)

6:30 p.m. at Nezperce

10:00 p.m. at SPP Parish

(No midnight Mass)

Christmas Day ~ Dec. 25

9:00 a.m. at SPP Parish



The K of C have Christmas Cards for sale in the SPP Church entryway. Prices vary per card style. Please take a look and support the Knights.

Volunteers Needed!

Please sign up to help with one of the Christmas Masses.

Our monthly Food Drive is always the First Sunday of the month.

Thank you for continuing to support our local food bank.



Christmas Eve is this Thursday. Whether you are a family, a high school or college student, a retiree or anyone in between, come to Grangeville Health & Rehabilitation just before 10 am to sing Christmas carols. We meet in the dining room.

Come the day before, Wednesday, December 23, at 10:30 am to practice together. Care Center dining room. 410 E. North Second Street, Grangeville, ID



There will be no Family Rosary this month. Our next meeting will be January 17.

Seminarian Endowment Matching Funds

An anonymous donor and the Knights of Columbus will match gifts made by December 31st to the Seminarian Endowment up to \$50,000 and will provide the much-needed funds to form and educate seminarians for the Diocese of Boise now and in the future. Please know that your donation, no matter what size, will make a difference!

Your Parish Support ~ Last Weekend ~ 2986

\$3,808 needed weekly

Where is your heart's treasure?

Mark your calendar!

Lifetouch Photograph will be here taking pictures of our families for the Parish Directory. Please sign up to have your picture taken. We are also needing your pictures. If you have pictures of an event that occurred in our parish bring it to the office so we can scan and add to our booklet. We also would love to have the pictures of all our Service Man and Women from our Parish. There will be a special section for them. Please help us make this a wonderful memory book. Volunteers needed to help coordinate this event.



Youth Group Activities

- ◆ Dec. 20—YDisciple Sunday~
~ Freshman/Sophomore Girls
~ Freshman/Sophomore Boys ~Perez Home
~Junior/Senior Youth
- ◆ Jan. 3—Confirmation Class ~ 7pm-8:30pm
Parish Center/Pentecost Room
Saint's name paper due.
- ◆ Jan. 10—YDisciple Sunday~
~ Freshman/Sophomore Girls
~ Freshman/Sophomore Boys ~
~Junior/Senior Youth

Diocesan Finance Department MEMO **END OF YEAR GIFT-TAXING RULES**

The *Diocesan Finance Department* has instructed this office on **end of year tax donations:**

1. If your intentions are to make a 2015 donation to SPP Parish for tax purposes, please remit your gift into the parish office before Thursday-December 31st by noon. The last deposit will be made for 2015 by 12:30pm.

2. If you mail in your gift, and it is post-marked before Jan. 1st, 2016, it can be posted for 2015.

3. BUT if your gift comes in after January 1st (by hand to the office or is postmarked in 2016), it must be posted to the new year-2016, regardless of when the check was dated.