

"Let those who visit here be blessed with joy, love and peace!"

New Parishioners ~ We seek to meet and greet you!

If you are new to our community, please contact **Father Mariusz Majewski** at 983-0403. We ask you to complete one of our registration forms, which are on the vestibule bulletin board, and just drop it in the collection, or come visit the parish office.

Welcome

Extra-Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers,
Lectors, Sacristans, Greeters
December 7 ~ 5:30 pm Saturday Mass

Sacristan: Judy Salisbury
EM: Bob Ackerman
Lynn Dufur
Rob Groom
Lector: Lynette Lothspeich
Greeter: Lynnel Wassmuth
Rosary-5pm

December 8 ~ 8:00am Sunday Mass

Sacristan: Linda Losson
EM: Linda Losson
Ron Frei
Glenda Frei
Lector: Kim Frei
Greeter: Pat Hagen
Rosary-7:30am.....



December 2 ~ 8



Anniversaries

James & Betty Diggins ~ 3

Birthdays

Bailey Cullin ~ 2

Dustin Kaschmitter ~ 3

Teresa Groom ~ 4

Theresa Holcomb, Carl Losson ~ 5

Aidra Ellis, Carl Killgore ~ 6

Charles Fournier, Catherine Rockwell ~ 8

Your Parish Support

Last Weekend ~ \$2,643

\$3,808 needed weekly to meet the budget.

ELEMENTARY & HIGH SCHOOL

Religious Education Fees ~ \$25 per student

Isn't your child's Catholic religious education class worth just \$25? These fees pay for materials needed to teach your child. The teacher is volunteering her time. Parish Office -625 Lake St. or place in the collection marked "CCD" fees. Thank you.

SPP School To Celebrate 60 Years

Next year marks the 60th year anniversary for the opening of our parish school. To commemorate this occasion we will have an all-school reunion during July over the Border Days celebration.

Are you a school alumnus or a friend of the school who would like to help plan this get together? Please contact Teresa Groom at the school 983-2182 or at home 983-0847 to serve on **this happy occasion's planning committee**. The committee will meet once in early December to choose a date and two – three more times before the actual event.

2014 Contribution Envelopes Are Here

- On the vestibule table.
- Look for YOUR NAME on the packet.
- Please write your name on the envelopes.
- Return address labels are quick & easy to apply your name-to help our counters.
- Begin using after Jan. 1st.
- God bless and thank you for your generous support of your parish.

Parish Church Bell Update ~ \$11,120.00

Thank you to all our generous donors who have gifted to date. Goal: \$15,000



Sts. Peter & Paul Church

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

December 1, 2013 ~ First Sunday of Advent



Weekend Mass Schedules

Sts. Peter & Paul, Grangeville

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.

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.

Grangeville Care Center Mass

First Wednesday of the Month at 10:00 a.m.

Liturgy of the Hours

Monday ~ 8:00 a.m.

Tuesday ~ 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday ~ 8:00 a.m.

Thursday ~ 6:00 p.m.

Friday ~ 8:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesdays, 5:15pm-6:15pm during Holy Hour

Fridays, after 8:25 a.m. Mass during Holy Hour

Saturdays, 4:00 p.m. ~ 5:00 p.m.

Sundays, 7:00 a.m. ~ 7:50 a.m.

Fr. Mariusz Majewski

pastor@stspeterandpaulparish.org

Deacon Don Sokolowski ~ 983-2646

Sheryl Ann Slichter ~ Parish Secretary

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Office Hours 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Mon.–Thurs.

{Thursday morning ~ bulletin deadline}

Sts. Peter & Paul School ~ 983-2182

Principal ~ Teresa Groom

tgroom@mypsps.org

Holy Trinity ~ Nezperce: Contact Michelle Koepf

mmkoepf@gmail.com Ph. 208-937-2325

Ministries & Meetings

R ~ C ~ I ~ A (Sept.-Easter)

Call Carol Yalbuw ~ 983-9249

Kim Frei ~ 983-0482

Tuesdays ~ 7:15pm to 8:45pm~ Pentecost Room

Thursdays With Fr. Mariusz

7:15-8:15 p.m. (Catechesis) ~ In the Church

Women's Bible Study Group

Fridays at 12 Noon ~ Convent-KC Rm.

Men's Bible Study Group

Saturday Mornings ~ 7 a.m. ~ Convent-KC Rm.

Youth Group Class

Kathy Ackerman ~-1325

Sunday Evenings ~ 7 p.m. ~ Pentecost Rm.

Women of Sts. Peter & Paul Society

Second Tuesday ~ 7 p.m. ~ School

Knights of Columbus Men's Group

Third Tuesday ~ 7:30 p.m. ~ KC Room

Parish Rosary

Before Weekend Masses

Saturdays ~ 5:05 p.m. / Sundays ~ 7:35 a.m.

Prayer Chain

Dolores Billups ~ 983-1927

Funeral Dinners

Lenore Hill ~ 983-1264

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The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass Liturgy of the Hours &

Saturday ~ 30
5:30 p.m. †Frances Dufur ~ M/M Craig Dufur
9:00 a.m. ~ Sacred Heart ~ White Bird
No Mass

Sunday ~ December 1
8:00 a.m. For our parishioners needs

Monday ~ 2
8:00 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours - morning prayer
8:25 a.m. †Anthony Joerger ~ Clarence Joerger

Tuesday ~ 3
6:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Hours - evening prayer
6:30 p.m. NO MASS – (Fr.'s Day Off)

Wednesday ~ 4
8:00 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours - morning prayer
8:25 a.m. †Eleanor Yockey ~ Marie Baune
10:00 a.m. Nursing Home Mass
6:30 p.m. ~ Holy Trinity ~ Nezperce

Thursday ~ 5
6:30 p.m. †Fr. William Dohman

Friday ~ 6
8:25 a.m. †Fr. William Dohman

Saturday ~ 7
7:00 a.m. Advent Mass honoring Our Lady
5:30 p.m. †Doug Pecarovich ~ Mom & Dad
9:00 a.m. ~ Sacred Heart ~ White Bird
No Mass

Immaculate Conception Mass ~ SPP
Monday ~ December 9-7AM
Cottonwood-7am / Ferdinand-Noon / Greencreek-7pm
December 8

Eucharistic Adoration

- **Tuesday Evenings: 5:15pm – 6:15pm
before 6:30pm Mass with **Confessions** during holy hour
- **First Thursdays: 5:15pm—6:15pm before 6:30pm Mass
(Intention: *Vocations & the Priesthood*)
- **Friday Mornings: after 8:25am Mass for 1 hour
- **First Fridays: 5am to 5pm
- **Sunday Evenings: 6pm-7pm

*“Jesus is more offended by
our indifference than by our sins.”*

...St. Therese of Lisieux



“O God, you have spoken your Word of love, your Son, into our world’s deafness.” ...Magnificat

Father’s Schedule

- **Men’s Every Saturday Morning Bible Study** ~ 7am
- **Youth Group Mass ~ First Sundays** ~6:00pm.....Dec. 1
- **Nursing Home Mass** ~ 10am.....Dec. 4
- **“Thursdays with Father” Class** ~ 7pmDec. 5
- **Women’s Fridays Bible Study** ~ NoonDec. 6
- **SPP School’s “First Weekend” Saturday ~ Mass**
.....5:30pm~Dec. 7
- **Advent Penance Service** (5 priests)-7pm.....Dec. 17

Meetings:

- **Youth Group** ~ 7-8:30pm~ Sunday.....Dec. 1
- **Women of SPP** ~ 7pm~Tuesday.....Dec. 6
- **Parish Council** ~ 7:15pm ~ Thursday.....Dec. 12
- **Knights of Columbus** ~ 7pm ~ Tuesday.....Dec. 17
- **School Board** ~ 5:30pm ~ ThursdayDec. 19
- **Finance Council**Dates decided by members

YOUTH GROUP

Dec. 1Youth Mass at 6pm
.....Confirmation Class after Mass...8:30pm

Dec. 8.....Youth Group...7-8:30pm

Dec. 15.....Christmas Party...7-8:30pm

Dec. 22/29.....Christmas Break.....NO CLASS

EVENTS !

Dec. 1.....Food Bank Sunday

Dec. 6.....Bazaar Set-up 2am-19pm

Dec. 7Parish Christmas Bazaar
Luncheon 11am-1pm ~ Craft Fair 9am-4pm

Dec. 19.....SPP School Christmas Program-7pm

COFFEE HOUR ~ SUNDAY ~ Dec. 1
With Nancy Winkler as host.

- Chairlady: Andrea Howe (507-0686): Call her!
- No coffee hour hosts, no coffee hours. If we are enjoying our coffee hours, then we must have hosts. It is not hard. Just takes a smidge of effort.

KC’S AND “CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS” CARDS

The cards are on view in the vestibule. This can be an honor-self-serve sales with payments being placed in a little blue box, if you choose to promote our Lord at His birth this Christmas.

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ADVENT COME LORD JESUS !

“Advent has a twofold character: as a season to prepare us for Christmas when Christ’s first coming to us is remembered; as a season when that remembrance directs the mind and heart to await Christ’s Second Coming at the end of time. Advent is thus a period for devout and joyful expectation.”
...Second Vatican Council

The word Advent (from the Latin “adventus”, “coming”) originally described the whole mystery of the Incarnation. The conception of Jesus was an Advent, but so was his birth and what will be his final coming at the end-times.

Advent, with its many emotional overtones, ushers in the most popular season of the year. At first, from the early 4th century, the feast of the Nativity on December 25 began the church year at Rome. When Advent evolved, it took this position, and since the 900s has been considered the beginning of the church year. This does not mean that Advent is the most important time of the year. The Easter cycle has always had this honor. The distinction happened from the practice of placing the liturgical texts for Advent at the beginning of hand-copied books used for Mass. They had to begin somewhere.

The beginning of Advent always falls on the Sunday nearest the feast of St. Andrew the Apostle, November 30. As a preparation season, like Lent, it has no meaning in itself. It looks forward to the annual celebration of Jesus’s birth, both the historical event itself and the saving event of the coming of God in flesh.

CHILDREN

~ COME SING FOR OUR LORD

There will be a children’s choir for the 4:30 Christmas Eve mass. Students at SPPS will be practicing the songs during music class. We will also have several practices in the two weeks leading up to Christmas Eve and will announce those in the bulletin. Children who do not attend SPPS who are interested in participating, please contact Jan Jungert at jjungert@g.com or 208-866-5333, or Krystal Ellis at ellis@sd242.org or 208-451-4057.



OUR ADVENT PENANCE SCHEDULES

- The *Advent Penance Service* will be on Tuesday, Dec. 17 at 7pm. We will have 5 priests present. No Holy Hour or Mass in the evening that day.
- *Other penance services in the Deanery –at 7pm:*
Moscow, St. Mary’s—Monday— Dec. 2
Cottonwood—Tuesday, Dec. 10
Nezperce—Wednesday—Dec. 11
Greencreek—Monday, Dec. 16
Lewiston—St. James, Wednesday, Dec. 18
- Fr. Mariusz will celebrate *Special Advent Masses* to honor the Mother of God on every Saturday in Advent. All are welcome to attend. December 7 & 14 & 21. All Masses are at 7am.

*North Idaho
Correctional Center’s
Christmas For Children*



ALL children need to be loved & cared for at Christmas. Our parish has been so very generous each year to love the children of the inmates at **Cottonwood’s Correctional Center**. **Again this year please look for a form to fulfill a child’s Christmas dream. Forms are on the vestibule bulletin board.** Several families could share a family of children, or a family game could be purchased. We only have about 3 weeks to get this Christian act accomplished. *Thank you so much for being of a kind heart for the less fortunate children of God.*

COMING ~ COMING !

Are we ready?

SPP Parish Christmas Bazaar
Set-Up ~ 2pm—10pm—Friday
Saturday ~ December 7
Luncheon: 11am to 1pm

Craft Fair with Vendors: 9am - 4pm
REMEMBER YOUR CRAFTS & BAKED GOODS! Your items can be dropped off at the parish office, if you cannot be there on Friday-the 6th during set-up. KC Breakfast next morning. Come peruse, enjoy (& buy) the crafts and baked goodies—enjoy the KC breakfast!

