



# 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**

March 26, 2016 ~ 5:30pm ~ Saturday

See List at back of Church

March 27, 2016 ~ 8:00am ~ Sunday

See list in back of Church



Please join on Good Friday for outdoor Stations of the Cross. We will be starting on the north side of the

Church and will process around the block stopping at different places where the Stations have been set up.

### Sacramental Preparation

#### Requirements for Marriage:

- A four month minimum lead time and marriage preparation class is required.
- **"A wedding is a day, a marriage is a lifetime."**
- **Required for Baptisms:**
- Sacramental Preparation Class
- Certain requirements for Godparents.

#### Finance Council: Fr. John Gathungu

\*Tonya Kennedy, Kurt Lothspeich, Dave Wimer,

#### Parish Council: Fr. John Gathungu,

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

#### School Governing Board: Fr. John Gathungu,

\*Joe Bonn, Mark Frei, Lynette Lothspeich, Lynnel Wassmuth, Adam Miller, Christi Sonnen, Steve Frei, Bob Sobotta, Jenna Murdock



### March 21~27 Happy Anniversary Eric & Joyce Forsmann

#### Happy Birthday

Tracy Baune, Sharon Blackmer, Sara Kaschmitter, Jeff Krogh ~ 21  
 Barbara Gehring, Sadie Kopezynski ~ 22  
 Jerry Johnston, Dean Klement ~ 23  
 Matthew Blackmer, NaTosha Stowers, Alan Teats ~ 24  
 John Wagner ~ 25  
 Carl Deford, Siena Wagner ~ 26  
 Blake Howe, Kennedy Kaschmitter ~ 27

#### CHURCH CLEANING MARCH

\*Joyce Forsmann, Donna Forsman, Katei Eimers, Christi Sonnen, Sheri Wassmuth



*Tradition is Juniors and their parents plan, compile and assist at the Seniors' parish breakfast /dinner~ next year your child will also be honored. It is that time again.*

#### REGISTER NOW!!

**Saturday, April 9, 2016**

#### 4<sup>th</sup> Annual: "It's All About Us": A Celebration of Marriage "Mercy in Marriage"

Please join us for an event featuring guest speakers Jason & Sarah Kidd, of the Marriage and Family Life Office, Archdiocese of Portland. This will also be an opportunity to meet Jay Wonacott, the new Marriage & Family Life Director of our Diocese. Plan on an afternoon of inspiration and education, followed by Mass, renewal of wedding vows, a full dinner, and dancing.

When: Saturday, April 9, 2016 from 1:00 pm-10:00pm

Price: \$25 per couple (scholarships available)

Where: St. Pius X Catholic Church, 625 E. Haycraft Avenue, CDA

For more information call (208) 651-4101 or email [marriageitsallaboutus@gmail.com](mailto:marriageitsallaboutus@gmail.com).

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



# Sts. Peter & Paul Church

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

*March 20th, 2016 ~ Palm Sunday*



### Fr. John Gathungu ~ Parish Administrator

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**Deacon Don Sokolowski ~ 983-2646**

**Candelaria Ramirez ~ Parish Secretary**

#### Parish Office:

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[office@stspeterandpaulparish.org](mailto: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  
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**Holy Trinity ~ Nezperce:** Contact Michelle Koepf  
[mmkoepf@gmail.com](mailto: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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Funeral Dinners Lenore Hill Ph: 208-983-1264

Coffee Hours Andrea Howe Ph: 208-507-0686

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J ~ M ~ J The Holy Sacrifice  
of the Mass  
*Liturgy of the Hours, Holy Hours,  
Confession, Parish Rosary*



**Saturday ~ 19~ St. Joseph**

9:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Chapel Mass ~ White Bird  
**Mass** † Sylvester Winkler ~ His Children  
4:00 p.m.-5:20 p.m. **NO HOLY HOUR**  
~ Confessions ~ Parish Rosary  
5:15p.m. **Mass** † Gary Forsmann ~ M/M Bob Abbott

**Sunday 20~ Palm Sunday**

7 a.m.-7:50 a.m. **NO HOLY HOUR**  
~ Confessions ~ Parish Rosary  
7:45 a.m. **Mass** For Parishioners Needs  
10:00 a.m. Holy Trinity Mission Mass ~ Nezperce

**Monday ~ 21**

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**

8:00 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours - Morning Prayer  
**8:25 a.m. Mass** † Bonnie Wassmuth  
5:00 p.m. **Mass Holy Trinity Mission Mass** ~ Nezperce

**Thursday ~ 24 ~ Holy Thursday**

7:00 p.m. **Mass** ~ The Lord's Supper

**Friday ~ 25 ~ Good Friday**

12:00 pm Stations of the Cross  
6:00 pm Good Friday Service  
6:00 p.m. Holy Trinity Mission Service ~ Nezperce

**Saturday ~ 26 ~ Holy Saturday**

9:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Chapel Mass ~ White Bird  
**Mass** †  
4:00 p.m.-5:20 p.m. **NO HOLY HOUR**  
~ Confessions ~ Parish Rosary  
7:00 p.m. **Easter Vigil Mass** †



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



**Upcoming Events :**

**1st Reconciliation** ~ March 23, 3:30 pm  
**Easter Sunday** ~ March 27  
**First Holy Communion** ~ April 3rd 8:00am  
**Confirmation** ~ April 20th 7:00 pm Cottonwood



Sunday, Mar. 20,  
will be a Pray and  
Play night for youth  
group. All youth  
group members are  
encouraged to  
attend. We will  
meet in the Parish

Center at 7:00, pray together in the church, then  
go back to the Parish Center and the gym for  
dodgeball and snacks. We'll finish at 8:30.

There will be no youth group activities on March  
27 (Easter Sunday) nor on April 2 (the end of  
Spring Break).

2016 Idaho Catholic Appeal

Goal: \$30,679

Amount Received To Date: \$ 20,641  
\$ 10,038 is still due from our parish.

*This is an on-going diocesan request.  
You still have time to do your part.*

A "non-donor" list from our Diocese indicated  
that 72% of our 228 parish families have yet to  
gift to this appeal. If these families would  
gift just \$62.00 per family, our parish  
could meet the assigned goal. Please  
consider being a part of your parish and give.  
Our parish is assessed for the amount not met.

ICA envelopes are still on the vestibule table,  
or pop your gift in the collection marked "ICA".  
Thank you for your help to meet this goal which  
assists our Idaho Catholic Church to be there for  
Idaho's parishes' needs.

CD OF THE MONTH FOR MARCH  
"The Necessity of Divine Mercy" by Fr. Chris  
Alar. Listen, learn & share!



*Servers List For Holy Week*

Holy Week begins this week. Please be sure to  
check the serving list compiled specifically for  
this Holy Week. It is on the bulletin board.

*Palm Sunday~*

March 19th ~ 9am Whitebird  
March 19th ~ 5:15 pm Grangeville  
March 20th ~ 7:45 am Grangeville

*There will be no Holy Hour before the Masses.*  
March 20th ~ 10am NezPerce

*Holy Thursday ~ March 24*

7:00 pm ~ Mass of the Lord's Supper ~ Grangeville

*Good Friday~ March 25*

12:00 pm Noon ~ Stations of the Cross Grangeville  
6:00 pm ~ Veneration of the Cross ~ Grangeville  
6:00 pm ~ Veneration of the Cross ~ Nezperce

*Holy Saturday ~ March 26*

7:00 pm ~ Solemn Easter Vigil ~ Grangeville

*Easter Sunday ~ March 27th*

8:00 am ~ Mass Grangeville  
10:00 am ~ Mass Nezperce

*Divine Mercy Sunday ~ April 3*

3:00 pm ~ Chaplet of Divine Mercy

**A THEOLOGY OF A HOLY DOOR**

A holy door or *porta sancta* has been used since  
the fifteenth century as a ritual expression of  
conversion. Pilgrims and penitents pass through it  
as a gesture of leaving the past behind and  
crossing the threshold from sin to grace, from  
slavery to freedom, and from darkness to light.  
Often these rituals are associated with prayer,  
pilgrimage, sacrifice, confession, and indulgences.

But the door finds meaning only when the  
believer associates the door with Christ. Jesus is  
the Door! In the words of Pope Francis, "There is  
only one way that opens wide the entrance into  
the life of communion with God: this is Jesus, the  
one and absolute way to salvation. To him alone  
can the words of the Psalmist be applied in full  
truth: 'This is the door of the Lord where the just  
may enter' (Ps 118:20)."

John's gospel clearly depicts this relationship be-  
tween Jesus and us. "Amen, amen, I say to you, I  
am the gate for the sheep. All who came before me  
are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not  
listen to them. I am the gate. Whoever enters  
through me will be saved, and will come in and go  
out and find pasture. A thief comes only to steal  
and slaughter and destroy; I came so that they  
might have life, and have it more  
abundantly" (John 10:7-10).

It is fitting that a Holy Door be situated within a  
church building. The door of the Church is the  
*ianua ecclesia* – "the silent witness to all the  
moments of our lives" (USCCB, About the Jubilee  
Door, 1999). Often sacramental rituals begin at  
the door – here, the priest or deacon welcomes  
the parents as they bring their child for baptism;  
here, he greets the bride and groom as they begin  
the wedding liturgy; here, he greets the  
catechumens at the Rite of Acceptance; and,  
finally, the priest greets the casket at the  
beginning of the funeral liturgy.

*Courtesy of the Federation of Diocesan Liturgical  
Commissions*

It took 5 days for the crowds to go from  
"Hosanna!" to "Crucify Him!"

**Your Parish Support ~ Last Weekend ~ \$ 3,225**  
**\$3,808** needed weekly  
*Where is your heart's treasure?*