

# Sts. Peter & Paul Church

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

January 8, 2017 ~ The Epiphany of the Lord



### New Parishioners ~ We seek to meet and greet you!

We invite you to **register at the church office** during office hours, or fill out a registration form that can be found online at our parish website. Though a rather simple act, registration is a sign of one's commitment and responsibility to the parish. In practical terms, registration allows the parish to know how many families live in the parish. It also provides an official record of your membership and is essential for participation in parish programs and sacraments.

**Welcome One and All!**

Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion,  
Lectors, Sacristans, Greeters, MC's  
WELCOME! FR. HALDANE

### January 14 ~ Saturday 5:30 p.m. Mass

Sacristan: Cande Ramirez  
MC: Teresa Groom -0847  
Lector: Leslie McDaniel  
EOM: Tesse Pineda -0072  
Rob Groom -0847  
Altar Servers: Diego Ramirez  
Ava Forsyth  
Gift Bearer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Greeter: \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosary: Yvonne Falk 208-724-6657

### January 15 ~ Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass

Sacristan: Penny Stuivenga -0849  
MC: Rachel Chmelik -3881  
Lector: Elizabeth Rockwell Brown  
-425-358-1067  
EOM: Penny Stuivenga  
Jana Frei -2467  
Altar Servers: Kieran Gallagher  
Dustin Kaschmitter  
Gift Bearer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Greeter: \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosary: \_\_\_\_\_

**Father leaves January 9th for vacation. It is essential that all people who serve at the weekend Masses are in attendance at their assigned Masses. New priests unfamiliar with our church, should be able to come in and celebrate Mass knowing all positions are being served. These are Father John's concerns and should be ours.**

### January 9 ~ 15, 2017

**Happy Anniversary**  
None listed

### Happy Birthday

Camden Barger ~ 9  
Jan Jungert ~ 10  
Joyce Forsmann ~ 11  
Mitch Green, Rocky Howe ~ 12  
Tiernan Castricum ~ 13  
Michael Frei, Marie Frei ~ 14

### HALLISSEY TOURNAMENT ~ 54<sup>th</sup> YEAR

- ◆ Dates: Weekend of February 17th.
- ◆ Catholic basketball tourney for 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys and girls.
- ◆ Sts. Peter & Paul takes a parish team, which includes students from our school and those attending CCD to Boise
- ◆ Coaches are needed,
- ◆ A trip & fundraising co-ordinator is needed.
- ◆ How many teens are interested in going to the tournament?
- ◆ To register a player, and/or volunteer as a coach or coordinator please call Teresa Groom at the home 983-0847.
- ◆ First game played that Friday night.
- ◆ No school on Monday-President's Day

### Church Cleaning for January 2017

\*\*Penny Stuivenga ~ 0849  
Tammy Lorentz ~ 0801  
Judy Long ~ 0149  
Nancy Walker ~ 1310wk  
Eddie Lustig ~ 5471

### Fr. John Gathungu Parish Administrator

Ph: unavailable at this time  
[jgathungu@gmail.com](mailto:jgathungu@gmail.com)

Deacon Don Sokolowski ~ 983-2646

Candelaria Ramirez ~ Parish Secretary

### Parish Office:

Ph: 208-983-0403 / Fax: 208-983-0115  
[office@stpeterandpaulparish.org](mailto:office@stpeterandpaulparish.org)  
Hours 9:00a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Mon. - Thurs.  
{Wednesday morning ~ bulletin deadline}  
Office closed on Fridays

### Sts. Peter & Paul School ~ 983-2182

Leslie McDaniel ~ Principal  
[lmcdaniel@mypsps.org](mailto:lmcdaniel@mypsps.org)  
Penny Stuivenga ~ Secretary

### Weekend Mass Schedules

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

### Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday ~ No Mass  
Tuesday ~ Mass ~ 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday ~ Mass ~ 8:30 a.m.  
Thursday ~ Mass ~ 6:30 p.m.  
Friday ~ Mass ~ 8:30 a.m.

### Sacred Heart, White Bird

Saturdays: 9:00 a.m.

### Holy Trinity ~ Nezperce:

Contact Michelle Koepf  
[mmkoepf@gmail.com](mailto:mmkoepf@gmail.com) ~ Ph. 208-937-2325

### Holy Trinity, Nezperce

Sundays: 10:00 a.m.  
Wednesdays: 6:30 p.m.  
Fridays: 6:30 p.m.



First the Son of God took on flesh and was born to the Blessed Virgin. Then his coming and his true identity had to be made known to the world. In a general way, that's what the Solemnity of the Epiphany commemorates – the start of proclaiming the good news to every creature. More specifically, the solemnity commemorates Christ's manifestation to the wise men, the first Gentiles to believe in him and worship him.

St. Paul writes in his Second Letter to Timothy that God's plan was "made manifest through the appearance of our savior Christ Jesus" (2 Timothy 1:10, emphasis added). The Greek for "appearance" comes into our language as "Epiphany." The word "epiphany" is defined as "an illuminating discovery, realization, or disclosure" (Merriam-Webster Dictionary). Now in the work of the New Evangelization, we continue to participate in the wonder of those first epiphanies by making Christ known.

....The Great Adventure (post on the Epiphany)

## An Honor Serving Our Lord

Training available for all positions.

**Sacristan:** Come a little early. Light the candles, prepare the pitcher of wine, place the hosts in the ciborium, procure the linens, place the Mass book on the altar, place the bulletins and all Mass items on the Credence Table. This is do-able...just give it a chance and try.

**Lector** Proclamation of the Word is a vibrant and exciting Ministry. The words are in front of you, people are needed to read them. Why not read for Our Lord?

**Eucharistic Minister (EOM)** At our church we depend on the extra-ordinary to bring the Body of Christ to our parishioners and our homebound. Perhaps you are called to give the Body of Christ during Mass. Or maybe you want to bring Jesus into the homes of those who are unable to get to Mass. Becoming an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EOM) is a worthy and holy role. No experience necessary.

### Altar Server

- Training is available.
- Assist the priest during the Mass.
- Serve about once a month and rotate through all the Sunday Masses.
- Arrive 15 minutes before Mass to robe.
- Servers are appreciated so much by our priests and parish.
- Just have a special willingness to serve Our Lord.



**Music Ministry** When you sing you pray twice! Anyone can join the choir and make a joyful noise for Jesus. Volunteering for the choir helps the worship. No special skills required, just an open mind and cheerfulness.

**Greeter** “Hello, happy to see you”. OR “Hi there, welcome to SPP Parish” OR “Hello” (and smile). Not hard but so very welcoming and needed.

**MC’s:** Newly instituted position to inform the parish before Mass, of all important events, and to introduce any visiting priest to the parish. MC’s also read the Responsorial Psalm after the First Reading.

“Everyone wants to be wanted.  
So does God”

...Mother Angelica (EWTN)

**Coffee Hour** After Sunday morning Mass there is a coffee hour in the Parish Hall. Please come join us for coffee or tea and snacks. It is a friendly and relaxed time and also a great opportunity to make new friends and socialize. Family/Teams take turns hosting the coffee hours. It's fun and easy to do and is a perfect way to meet new people and enjoy fellowship. The best part is, you don't have to know how to cook! We always need new coffee hour hosts!

**Environment/Decoration Team** We are always in need of setting up or changing the decorations for Church Seasons.. We strive to always have our Parish beautiful and inviting. You can be part of the team that helps with these operational needs. Keeping the church beautiful and ready for worship is a wonderful way to serve and it can be quite fulfilling.

**Usher** This ministry is needed only a few times a year, especially on Easter and Christmas. Ushers help find seats and provide the sort of hospitality needed when guest come calling. Maybe you feel like a host and want to make sure people have a place in the pews, are comfortable with the procedures and welcome. Our ushers are these host.

**Children's Ministry** We have a CCD & Catechism of the Good Shepherd Programs, Jr. High & High School Youth Ministry for our children's religious education. Maybe you want to help form the next generation?

“Over these past 2,000 years, Christians have developed traditions. Some of these go back to the early days of the Church. How do I know about them, and know which ones are important? By belonging to a parish, and joining in its rituals.

I'm about to begin the Year of Our Lord 2017. It would be a good time for me to think about how much these ancient practices are part of my life. Or, to put it another way, it would be a good time for me to think about how much I am part of and tuned in to life of the Church.”

—Little Blue Book December 2016

## PARISH EVENTS

### Coffee Hours

Jan. 8 ~ 6th-7th-8th grade CCD kids assisted by Joe Downs & Linda Uhlenkott  
Again, as usual and always, the parish is asking for parishioners to offer to host a coffee hour after 8am Mass. Please call the office –0403.

### SPP School

Feb. 17-18 ~ Parish Hallissey Tournament-Boise

### Parish

Jan. 11 ~ Next “Basics of the Catholic Faith”  
Jan. 13 ~ Friday’s ~ Parish Office Closed

### Youth of Parish

Jan. 8 ~ 9-12th grade youth group members meet in the Pentecost Room from 5:30pm to 7pm.  
Kathy Ackerman leads in prolife activities.

## PARISH NOTES

- ♦ 2017 parish contribution envelopes – in vestibule
- ♦ 2017 parish calendars in vestibule
- ♦ 2017 Men In Black calendars ~ \$15 suggested donation ~ in vestibule ~ Funds assist our Seminarians

### Our Visiting Priests Need You

- ♦ When Father John is on vacation, it is **SO VERY IMPORTANT** that all our Sacristans, Lectors, EM’s, Altar Servers, etc be sure to be in attendance at their assigned **weekend** for the priests who are coming to fill in. It is a kind and loving gift to them. All the priests should have to be concerned about is processing to and from the altar and celebrating Mass with all servers in attendance.

- ♦ **GIFT BEARERS**...families from our parish are requested to bring the gifts forward. When asked by the Sacristan, please say “yes”.

- ♦ **Boise March For Life ~ January 21st** leaves Julia Davis Park at 1pm-MT-and ends at the steps of the State Capitol for a rally with live music and an uplifting message of life. Join us as we celebrate and demonstrate that all human life has intrinsic value and purpose from our Creator.



The Eucharist is the Source and Summit of the Christian life. (CCC)

### January

#### First Saturday ~ 7 ~ St. Raymond of Penyafort

7:00 am Mass † Austin Blackmer ~ M/M Mike Frei  
9:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Chapel Mass ~ White Bird Mass † Sylvester Winkler ~ His Children  
4:00 p.m.-5:20 p.m. ~ Confessions ~ Parish Rosary  
5:30 p.m. Mass † Craig Dufur ~ Lynn & Children

#### Sunday ~ 8 The Epiphany of our Lord

8:00 a.m. Mass

#### Monday ~ 9 ~ The Baptism of the Lord

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

#### Tuesday ~ 10 ~

6:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Hours - Evening Prayer  
6:30 p.m. No Mass

#### Wednesday ~ 11 ~

8:00 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours - Morning Prayer  
8:30 a.m. No Mass  
5:15 p.m. No Mass ~ Neziperce

#### Thursday ~ 12 ~

6:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Hours - Evening Prayer  
6:30 p.m. No Mass

#### Friday 13 ~ St. Hilary

8:00 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours - Morning Prayer  
8:30 a.m. No Mass  
5:15 p.m. No Mass ~ Neziperce

Welcome ~ Father Haldane

We thank you for coming to SPP

#### Saturday ~ 14 ~ Blessed Virgin Mary's Birthday

9:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Chapel Mass ~ White Bird  
4:00 p.m.-5:20 p.m. ~ Confessions ~ Parish Rosary  
5:30 p.m. Mass

#### Sunday ~ 15

8:00 a.m. Mass

Our beautiful Christmas Decorations have to come down. Today, Sunday, the 8th, a crew is needed to dismantle our lovely decorations at 10:00am and remember many hands make quick work. All is done with love for Our Lord!

