

May 15, 2016

Pentecost Sunday

Come Holy Ghost, creator blest!

Week of May 16 schedule

Monday, Communion Service, 8 AM

Tuesday through Friday, Mass, 8 AM

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

(the Sunday 9 a.m. Mass is offered for the people of the parish)

Tuesday, Salvatore Camarata †

Wednesday, Marie Aronica †

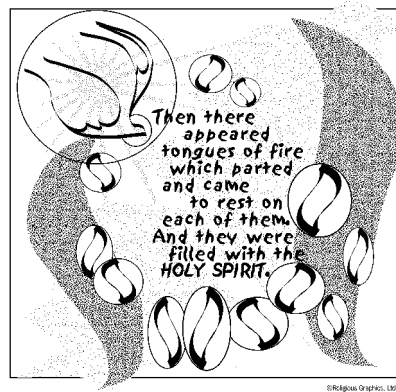
Thursday, Marge Myrar †

Friday, Fr. Raymond Gawronski, S.J. †

Saturday 5 PM, Dale Knudson †

Sunday 11 AM, Hermelinda Colazo †

Sunday 5 PM, Tamara Sharpe †



At that first Pentecost, the Church is born as the Spirit fills the Apostles with the gift to proclaim the good news in the numerous languages. And those who were present heard the good news proclaimed in their native tongue. Stewards use the gifts received through Confirmation to build up the parish community just as the disciples used their gifts to start the community of believers.

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

Are you new to St. Andrew's Parish? We welcome you. Please introduce yourself to the priest after Mass, and fill out a registration form. Ask for a parish directory.

"SERMON ON THE AMOUNT"

Table with 2 columns: Date/Event and Amount. Rows include Apr 30 & May 1 (\$746.50), Regular Sunday (2 qtr \$62,514) (\$3909.00), Building Fund (2qtr \$10,376) (\$696.00), Total May 7 & 8 (\$4605.00), Religious Education (2qtr \$40,153) (\$1115.50).

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Adult Education

St. Andrew's Young Adults (SAYA): A new weekly small group for adults in their 20s and 30s (single/married) will continue Thursday, May 19, 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Contact Rachel Hochstein at 360-325-6682 with any questions. Children are welcome.

Bible Study open to all parishioners will continue Friday, May 20, at 9:00 a.m. If interested, please call Emily Stickney at 968-9195 or Alison Mattson at 962-3564.

Clases de Catecismo Martes a las 6:00 p.m., para adultos. Todos están invitados a participar. También estaremos viendo otros temas de gran interés. Asiste con toda la familia.

Wednesday Evening Bible Study will offer SYMBOLON: The Catholic Faith Explained on Wednesday nights, 7:00 to 8:30 p.m., continue May 18, in the library. Every parishioner has access to the beauty of SYMBOLON, and other offerings, with our special parish online subscription. Visit www.formed.org and scroll down to submit our parish's code - 449536, create your username and password. Join us for discussion on Wednesdays.

Elementary and Youth

Elementary sessions will resume this Sunday, May 15, 10:15 to 11:30 a.m.

EDGE sessions continue Monday, May 16, 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.,

LifeTeen sessions resume this Sunday, May 15, 6:15 to 8:00 p.m.

CHOSEN (confirmation) May Get-Together and BBQ. Join us Wednesday, May 18, 6 to 8 PM, at Carey Lake. All CHOSEN teens and families are invited to join us for a relaxing evening with lawn games and food. Please bring a potluck item to share.

Wildwaves CHOSEN End of Year Social will be Monday, June 20. Registration forms are available now and are due back by Wednesday, May 18, with \$10, no late registrations accepted. We will depart St. Andrew's at 7:30 a.m., and return by 9:00 p.m. Students should bring their sack lunch and money for dinner stop. Please wear a modest swimsuit, bring a towel and a change of clothes.

LifeTeen End of Year Party will be Sunday, May 22. We will meet at St. Andrew's at 4:15 for the 4:45 p.m., showing of Captain America: Civil War at Grand Meridian. We will conclude with a campfire cookout and games at 270 Ginny lane. Pick up students at 9:30 p.m. R.S.V.P. to Thomas in order to secure a ticket.

All graduating High School Seniors and 8th grade Middle School students are encouraged to join us for a special Graduation Mass on Sunday, June 5, at 9 AM. A reception will follow in the breeze way. All seniors should send in their graduation photos ASAP to display.

EDGE End of Year Party will be Monday, May 23, 5:30 to 8:00 PM, at Carey Lake. Please bring a potluck item to share; hot dogs and beverages will be provided. Families are invited.

EDGE Middle School Summer Lockin - Friday, June 17, 6:30 PM to Saturday, 8 AM. Celebrate the last day of school. Get ready for games, water balloons and more. We are currently looking for volunteer/chaperones, especially from 6:30 p.m. to midnight. All attendees are asked to bring a change of clothes and a snack/food item to share.

This is the last weekend to go into the activity center and see the First Communion Banners on display in the main lobby. The children worked very hard to create banners that show what the Sacrament means to them. Please pray for these children as they prepare to receive their Sacraments, the weekend of May 21/22.

Parents & Catechists

\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE: TIMES ARE RESCHEDULED\*\*\* Practice for First Communion Masses will be offered on Thursday, May 19, 5:00 PM (Sat 5 PM Mass); 5:30 PM (Sun 9AM Mass); 6:00 PM ((Sun 11 AM Mass); and 6:30 PM for (Sun 5 PM Mass). Sessions will begin PROMPTLY every half hour. Please be EARLY for your scheduled Mass time. This is mandatory for child and parent. Please have your child wear the shoes they will be wearing at the First Communion Mass. Any questions, please call Alena at 509-306-0131.

The Sacrament of First Holy Communion will be celebrated by over 50 children at all Masses next weekend, May 21 & 22. Please note: All Masses will be well-attended by extended family and friends.

There are books for children at the church entrance. Please return them when done.

Thank you to everyone who helped to make this year's Mother's Day Brunch a huge success. A special thank you to the Hayden and Mattson families with your help during clean up; to Barb Johnson and Alejandra Tejada for their amazing shopping skills; to Dave Camarata and Michael Camarata and Mary Coy for your kitchen assistance and once again to Matthew Camarata for his invaluable service to all by keeping his mother from going crazy. Due to the generosity of our table sponsors: Valley Veterinary Hospital, Kirkham Law Offices, Marquiss Family and Charlene Wilkes, we raised \$565. The proceeds will be used to purchase each kindergarten student a Children's Bible.

Open Registration, for St. Andrew's Preschool 2016-17 school year is now available. Classes are offered Tu/Th for 3 & 4 year olds, M/W/F for 4 & 5 year olds. Tuition is \$90 & \$110/mo., respectively. \$40 non-refundable registration fee. There is a waiting list for both classes.

Our next Altar Server Training session will be this Sunday, May 15, 11:45 AM to 3 PM. This is for those who are/have received First Holy Communion, as well as, those who are currently serving in this Ministry. Lunch is included. Children in grades 2 and above are invited and strongly encouraged to attend. This is a great ministry for children to begin their stewardship life.



The next Baptism Preparation class will be on Monday, May 23, at 7:00 p.m. (English), and Wednesday, May 25, at 7:00 p.m. (Spanish). Parents and god parents are required to attend. Please bring a copy of the State Birth Certificate. Sorry, we are unable to provide childcare.

Trying something new with Registration for 2106-17 Religious Education for elementary, middle and high school youth! We will offer Early Registration on Sunday, June 5, 8:45 AM to 12:30 PM. We hope this will help parents with one thing less to do with back-to-school activities in September. Tuition costs remains the same this year at \$30 elementary, \$35 middle & high school, with maximum of \$80 per family. Remember catechists do not pay tuition. Updated booklets will be available in September.

To better facilitate this list, it will be purged at the beginning of every other month, ie: May, July, Sept., etc.

Please pray for the sick of our parish Betty Nolls, Gerald Gunn, Rob Snyder, Lori Boykiw Smith, Pat Carney, Peter Conti, Don Bacon, Carlos Huitron, Ray Fletcher, Jamie Winterer Carney, Reid O'Donnell-Herbers, Joe Jacobs, Bernice Orcutt, Ken Lafferty, Fr. Richard House, Fr William Vogel, Randy Brunson, Bob Riggins, Esta Willard, Fred Schaan, Bob Witkowski, Raechele Lunde, Wally Dillon, Mac Brotherton, Tom Emerson, Leo and Linda Brennan, Noella Wyatt, Shawn Lopez, Hubert Schmitt and our priests and nuns who suffer from poor health, and those who are sick but wish to remain anonymous, we pray to the Lord. (Please call the office with updates.)



Magnificat 2015-16 will wrap up on Saturday, May 21, in Yakima, 9 AM to 1 PM. Sessions will resume in October.

Upcoming Meetings

St. Vincent de Paul Ministries will meet this Sunday, May 15, at 10:15 a.m.

Compassion Corps will continue meeting at noon on Thursday, May 19, in the St. Jerome Library. All are welcome to participate with those grieving the loss of a loved one. Bring a lunch.

Join us in Centering Prayer on Mondays at 5:15 p.m., in the meditation/cry room. For more information, please call Karen at 962-9648.

Crafts Unlimited will take a short break and resume meeting in the activity center on Tuesday, May 31, 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Bring a sack lunch. For more information, please call Carole Vondergeest at 962-1551.

Please join St. Andrew's veterans group, Pro Deo Et Patria, on Memorial Day, Monday, May 20, at 11:00 a.m., at Holy Cross Cemetery for a short prayer service to remember those lost in service to our great nation.

Please visit our website to view Amoris Laetitia of the Holy Father Francis. "The Joy of Love" brings together the results of the two Synods on the family convoked by Pope Francis in 2014 & 2015. You can pick up chapters 4 & 5 here, or view the whole document on line. A rushed reading is not recommended.

Central Washington Catholic Foundation will host regional comprehensive End-of-Life Planning Seminars in May. Offered Wednesday, May 18 in Richland; Tuesday, May 24 in Quincy; Wednesday, May 25 in Yakima; and Thursday, May 26 in Wenatchee, 1 to 4 PM. Please call 509-972-3732 for more information or registration.

With praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God, The Roman Catholic Diocese of Yakima announces the Ordination to the Sacred Priesthood of Deacon Daniel C. Steele & Deacon Peter J. Steele, by the Most Reverend Joseph J. Tyson, on Friday, May 27, at 7:00 p.m., at St. Paul Cathedral in Yakima. Your prayers and presence are requested.

