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Choir - St. Mary's: Sally Rehder 962-7798
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Ferdinand Women Group: Judy Forsman 962-5906
Greencreek Altar Society: Karen Lustig 962-7731
Guilds - St. Mary's/Holy Cross, co-chairs: call 962-3161
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Healing/Prayer Ministry: Cherie McDonough 962-3567
Homebound Ministry: Bonnie Gehring 962-5119
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Lazarus Committee: Brandy McElroy 553-5628
Lazarus & Choir SA: Sally Terhaar 962-3192
Project Ministry: Jim Rehder 208-507-0536
RCIA: Charlene Rehder 962-7324
St. Anthony Society: Bo Rose 208-507-0201
Stewardship Committee: Roy Uhlenkott 962-3847
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SATURDAY

5 pm - Assumption Church, Ferdinand

SUNDAY

7 am - St. Mary's, Cottonwood
8:30 am - St. Mary's, Cottonwood
10:30 am - St. Anthony, Greencreek
5 pm - St. Mary's, Cottonwood

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday - No Mass
Tuesday - No Mass
Wednesday, 8 am - St. Anthony, Greencreek
Thursday, 8 am - St. Mary's, Cottonwood
Friday, 8 am - Assumption, Ferdinand
First Saturdays, 8 am - St. Mary's

RECONCILIATION

St. Mary's: Saturday 2:30 - 4 pm
Or by appointment during the week

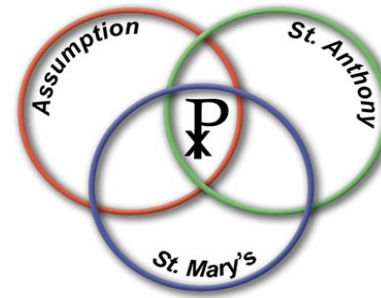
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ST. MARY'S

Every Tuesday: 7 am - 6:30 pm.
Tuesday Adoration until 8 pm if no Mass
Third Thursday: 7 pm - 7 am Friday
First Friday: 7 pm Thurs. - 7:50 am Saturday

TRI-PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES

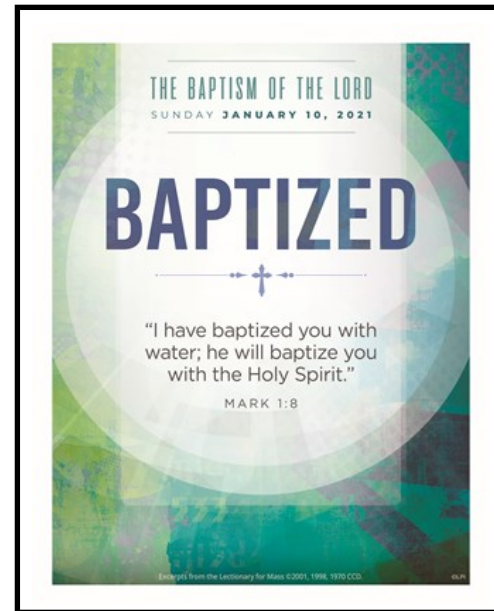
<u>St. Mary's</u>	<u>Assumption</u>	<u>St. Anthony</u>
Brandy McElroy Term ends Jan 2021	Tara Duclos Term ends Jan 2021	TJ Schmidt Term ends Jan 2021
Morna Lustig Term ends Jan 2022	Nicole Kinzer Term ends Jan 2022	Whitney Westhoff Term ends Jan 2022
Matt Beckman Term ends Jan 2023	Scott Schaeffer Term end Jan 2023	Jim Wemhoff Term ends Jan 2023
<u>Holy Cross</u>		
Pres. Heath Klapprich Term ends Jan 2021		

January 10, 2021 - Baptism of Our Lord



And Holy Cross Chapel

We are many parts, we are all one body.



Rosary prayed each morning at 7:30 am for our Nation, Leaders, and Church - St. Mary's Church - except on Sunday and Thursday as we pray the Rosary just before Mass begins.

Daily the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.
Please come join us in praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy each day at 3:30 pm at St. Mary's Church. Prayed during the Hour of Mercy and only takes about 15 minutes.

Father's Corner . . . Feast of the Baptism of the Lord: Today we celebrate Jesus being Baptized by John the Baptist. Some parishioners have asked me recently "if Jesus was Baptized Catholic?" That is, was He Baptized with a Christian Baptism? The answer is No! Jesus was not Baptized with a Christian Baptism because He is the source and beginning of Christian Baptism. There is no indication that the Apostles were ever Baptized with a Christian Baptism, until they were Baptized with their Blood at their deaths.

The baptism that Jesus received from John the Baptist was a baptism of repentance, a baptism of change. John baptized people to help them to repent of their sins and to help them change their lives, so they did not commit these same sins again. Jesus received this baptism to show us that we need to repent of our sins and be forgiven and that He was changing His life. He was leaving behind being a carpenter and taking on the ministry of being the Savior: proclaiming the Word of God in His words and actions. Jesus also received this baptism to show he was taking on what John the Baptist had been proclaiming, "The kingdom of God is at hand, repent!" Therefore, the theology of John the Baptist's baptism is only one small part of our theology of Christian Baptism. There are at least five other parts that need to be added to have a theology of Christian Baptism. Can you think of them?

Father Paul Wander

I learned of a website that is teaching the **Catechism of the Catholic Church** in 1 email a day for a year. I encourage you to sign up for it. The cost is free. To sign-up go to: flocknote.com/catechism There is also a series on all the Popes. I signed up for both series. I began the series on January 6, 2020, but you can jump in at any time and you'll finish the same time next year. - You'll get one email a day (Mon - Fri ... not sent on week-ends) - We'll be using the (awesome and Vatican-approved) Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church (and including direct links to the full Catechism for further reading)

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FORMED.ORG: <https://triparishchurches.formed.org>
This website has a wealth of information and Catholic content.

www.triparishchurches.com

Debbie's rectangle ... For Youth Ministry:

Youth Ministry Calendar of Events

- Jan 10: Confirmation Class, CEC, 10 am, w/snacks
- Jan 13: HS Peer Ministers, Habit, 7 pm
- Jan 20: HS Faith Night, OMG, 7 pm, w/snacks
- Jan 24: Adoration, St. Anthony, 7 pm for Confirmation and Youth and families
- Jan 25: Haiti Team meet, St. Mary's, 7 pm
- Jan 27: Jr High Faith night, CEC

Tri-Parish Calendar of Events

- Jan 12: KC Meeting, 7:15 pm, KC Hall
- Jan 12: Fr Paul attending Deanery, Grangeville
- Jan 13: RCIA, at St. Mary's Church, 7 pm
- Jan 14: PFFP Board meet 7 pm, CEC
- Jan 20: Liturgy Committee meet, 4:00, Office
- Jan 20: RCIA, at St. Mary's, 7 pm
- Jan 21: Third Thursday Adoration at St. Mary's
- Jan 22: USA Day of Prayer and Penance
- Jan 27: RCIA, at St. Mary's, 7 pm
- Jan 28: PFFP Parent night for First Reconciliation
- Jan 30: First Reconciliation, St. Mary's, 9 am
- Feb 4-6: Adoration over First Friday at St. Mary's, begins 7 pm Thursday through to 8 am on Saturday

You can acknowledge your Godchild on the anniversary of their Baptism. We now have cards available at the Tri-Parish Office. A card is \$2.00 each.

With the Apostolic Letter, "Patris corde" (With a Father's Heart), Pope Francis, on the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, declared the coming year to be a "Year of St. Joseph" which will be observed from Dec 8, 2020 to December 8, 2021. Recalling the 150th anniversary of the declaration of St. Joseph as Patron of the Universal Church.

Collection received last Sunday:			
	Budget	Received	Gifts/Other
St. Mary's	2757.69	2330.00	44.00
St. Anthony	1025.00	978.00	722.00
Assumption	794.23	254.00	3.00

I received this message and thought it would be good for all of us to read: "Good morning, and welcome to Flight 2021. We are prepared to take off into the New Year. Please make sure your Positive Attitude and Gratitude are secured and locked in the upright position. All self-destruct devices ... pity, anger, selfishness and resentment should be turned off at this time. All negativity, hurt and discouragement should be put away. Should you lose your positive attitude under pressure during this flight, reach up and pull down a prayer. Prayers will automatically be activated by Faith. Once your Faith is activated, you can assist other passengers who are of little faith. There will BE NO BAGGAGE allowed on this flight.

God, our Captain, has cleared us for take-off.
Destination – GREATNESS!" *Father Paul*

Please be praying for a Religious each week who is from this area or has served in this area. This week please pray for *Sister Meg Sass, OSB, Monastery of St. Gertrude.*

Happy Birthday

- Jan 10: Ralyn Horton, Thomas Willenborg, Harriet Remacle, Thomas Schwartz
- Jan 11: Lydia Lustig, Katteri Duman, Chris Kaschmitter, James Poxleitner, Kevin Schmidt, Matthew Schumacher
- Jan 12: Marina Geis, Ed Lustig, Tanis Uhlorn, Joe Ross
- Jan 13: Bob Goeckner, Logan Kuther, Helen Nuxoll, Christopher Schumacher
- Jan 14: Brandon Anderson, Amanda Dinning, Josh Lustig, Devon Schultz, Connie Schumacher, Krystin Uhlenkott
- Jan 15: Benjamin Secrest, Austin Sonnen, Sarah Seubert, Gage Uhlenkott
- Jan 16: Leslie McIntire, Leah Prigge

"To recite the Rosary is to contemplate with Mary the face of Christ." St. John Vianney, (Cure' of Ars) patron of priests, was seldom seen without a rosary in his hand.

Preparation for Sacraments.
Baptism: Preparation for Parents and Godparents is required prior to Baptism. Classes are available, Please contact Tri-Parish Office to register.
Marriage: The engaged couple needs to contact the parish priest 6 months prior to the proposed wedding
New to the Parish: Please call 208-962-3214

St. Mary's Ministry

- Jan 10, Sunday 7 am:
Lector: Volunteer EM: Volunteer if Deacon not present
- Jan 10, Sunday 8:30 am:
Greeters: Nolan & Rachel Rehder and Family
Lectors: Joe S, Maurice Lead Rosary: Rick & Rose
Servers: Dylan/Miranda, Ayla EM: Duane
- Jan 10, Sunday 5 pm:
Lector: Volunteer EM: Volunteer if Deacon not present
- Jan 17, Sunday 7 am:
Lector: Volunteer EM: Volunteer if Deacon not present
- Jan 17, Sunday 8:30 am:
Greeters: Scot & Shelley Schlader and Family
Lectors: Colleen/Jim Lead Rosary: Pete & Leah
Servers: Clara/Lillianne/Henry EM: Eve
- Jan 17, Sunday 5 pm:
Lector: Volunteer EM: Volunteer if Deacon not present

St. Anthony Ministry

- Jan 10, Sunday 10:30 am:
Greeters: Dale & Jeanne Stubbers and Family
Sacristan: Arlene EM: Bo
- Lector: Joe Servers: Thomas, Connor, Ray
- Jan 17, Sunday 10:30 am:
Greeters: Eric & Alea Wassmuth and Family
Sacristan: Alea EM: Eric
- Lector: Garrett Servers: Levi, Nathan

Assumption Ministry

- Jan 9, Saturday 5 pm:
Greeter: Lector: Millie
EM: Carri Servers: Hannah, Cody, Julia
- Jan 16, Saturday 5 pm:
Greeter: Lector: Tara
EM: Andrea Servers: Lane, Reagan, Kaden

Stewardship... "A voice came from the heavens, 'You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.'" - Mark 1:11
 Through our baptism, we too, are daughters and sons of God. We are disciples of Jesus. As true disciples we are called to actively participate in our Catholic faith, not just be mere bystanders. This means working in collaboration with the Holy Spirit and discerning how we are being asked to use our gifts. Using our gifts for the benefit of others and not just for our own interests and comfort.

Mass Intentions for Week

- Jan 9, Sat ASSUMPTION 5 pm:
+Rose Wallace by Aggie Walser and Family
+John Matheson
- Jan 10, Sun ST. MARY'S 7 am:
All Tri-Parish Parishioners
- Jan 10, Sun ST. MARY'S 8:30 am:
+Jared Sonnen, Bd 1/5, by Greg & Colleen
+Everett Sonnen, da 1/10, by Theresa
- Jan 10, Sun ST. ANTHONY 10:30 am:
+Ambrose Schumacher, Bd 1/8
+Clarence Wassmuth, Bd 12/26
- Jan 10, Sun ST. MARY'S 5 pm:
+Heintz Hoene, da 1/12, by Claudia
+Gene & Dolores Von Bargaen
- Jan 11 & 12, Mon & Tues No Mass
- Jan 13, Wed St. Anthony 8 am:
+Joe Schumacher and living deceased of family
- Jan 14, Thurs St. Mary's 8 am:
Jack Duman Whitney Westhoff by Anthony & Tiffany
- Jan 15, Fri Assumption 8 am:
+Cecilia Schacher +Rita Wimer
- Jan 16, Sat ASSUMPTION 5 pm:
+Mike Nuxoll +Minnie Haberman
- Jan 17, Sun ST. MARY'S 7 am:
+Clifford Arnzen +Judy Uhlorn
- Jan 17, Sun ST. MARY'S 8:30 am:
+Bob Ross, da 1/14, by Donna +Clarence Nuttman
- Jan 17, Sun ST. ANTHONY 10:30 am:
+Jerry Schmidt, da 12/3 +Roger Seubert
- Jan 17, Sun ST. MARY'S 5 pm:
All Tri-Parish Parishioners

*Happy Anniversary 40 years and more
John & Christine Remacle, Jan 16th, 50 years!*

Dear Holy Trinity, united in perfect love, You are three conceived in one Being. Oh, Holy Trinity, come down upon me for I, Your poor miserable servant call upon You. Oh Father, you are mighty and have done great things for me. I am Your servant. Use me as you wish. Oh, loving, caring, Jesus, You have saved me from total damnation. How shall I repay Thee? Love, Peace & Joy. Dearest Holy Spirit, without You I would be lost. You give me the strength I need. Holy Spirit I submit myself to you.

Have you renewed your Idaho Catholic Register? You can renew by writing a check for **\$20 to your parish** and indicate that it is for the (ICR) Idaho Catholic Register.

KC monthly breakfast has been canceled until further notice because of the growing number of COVID cases in our area.

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WorldWide MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: As we celebrate Holy Family Sunday, let us remember that God's love for us is reflected in the love for each other in our family. Why not celebrate and encourage that love by giving your spouse the gift of a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience? The next Virtual Experience is on February 19-21, 2021. To apply for **YOUR** WWME Experience or search other dates go to rediscoverthespark.org. For information about WWME call 503-853-2758 or by email at reservations@rediscoverthespark.org

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