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Collection received last Sunday:

Collection Budget	Received	Gift/Other
St. Mary's	3153.00	2305.00
St. Anthony	1211.00	1159.00
Assumption	754.00	1497.00

SATURDAY
5 pm - Assumption Church, Ferdinand

SUNDAY
7 am - St. Mary's, Cottonwood
8:15 am - St. Mary's, Cottonwood
10:00 am - St. Anthony, Greencreek
Holy Cross 7 pm - 05/25/25 thru 9/14/25

WEEKDAY MASS
Monday - No Mass
Tuesday, 6:30 pm - St. Mary's, Cottonwood
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

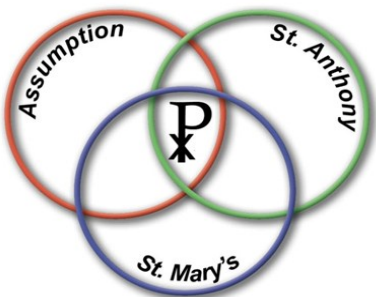
RECONCILIATION
St. Mary's: Saturday 2:30—4 :00pm
Or by appointment during the week

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
ST. MARY'S
Every Tuesday: 7 am - 6:30 pm.
Third Thursday: 7 pm - 7 am Friday
Every Wednesday—4-6 pm
First Friday: 7 pm Thurs. - 7:50 am Saturday

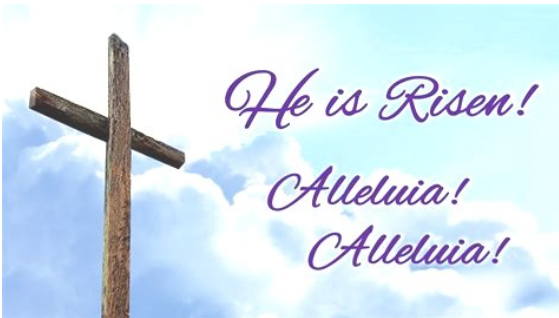
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TRI-PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES		
St. Mary's Mark Gehring Term ends Jul 2025	Assumption Katrina Geis Term end Jul 2025	St. Anthony Kevin Karel Term ends Jul 2025
Ron Rehder Term ends Jul 2026	Stephen Goeckner Term ends Jul 2026	Conrad Arnzen Term ends Jul 2026
Shelley Schlader Term ends: Jul 2027	Cara Uhlenkott Term ends: Jul 2027	Joe Baerlocher Term ends: Jul 2027
Holy Cross Diana Graning Term ends Jul 2027		



And Holy Cross Chapel



Pray each week for a religious who is from this area or who has served in this area. This week we ask you to pray for: Bishop Peter Christensen M.A., D.D
Bishop Peter was appointed as the 8th Bishop of the Diocese of Boise on November 4, 2014. He was installed December 17, 2014. Bishop Peter was born December 24, 1952. Bishop Peter was ordained to the priesthood in St. Paul Cathedral on May 25, 1985. Pope Benedict XVI appointed him as the 10th Bishop of the Diocese of Superior, Wis; he was ordained a Bishop September 14, 2007. He served as Bishop of Superior for 7 1/2 years before his appointment to the Diocese of Boise.

Pray for Peace. Pray for America



The Rosary is prayed every morning at 7:30 am at St. Mary's except on Sunday. Please join us.

Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed daily at St. Mary's Church at 3:30 pm. Join us each day or occasionally.

Preparation for Sacraments.
Baptism: Preparation for Parents and Godparents is required prior to Baptism. Classes and online 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



Father's Corner: The Easter Triduum part 2. BLESSED EASTER TO US ALL
Holy Saturday evening with the Vigil Mass begins the Resurrection of Jesus, Easter. The Vigil Mass is the first Mass of Easter. The Mass has four parts: Service of Light, Liturgy of the Word, Celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation, and Liturgy of the Eucharist.

Easter was the first celebration established in the Church after Sundays. Hippolytus, in the early third century, describes the celebration of Easter as a "night-long vigil: readings prayers, and silence, culminating at dawn with baptism, intercessions and the Eucharist." In the fourth century we separated the all-night celebration and spread it out over three days - Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter. These three days are now "the culmination of the entire liturgical year."

The date for Easter was a fierce controversy in the second century. One position was that Easter should be the first day of the Jewish Passover - that is on the first full moon of spring. This could turn out to be any day of the week. The other position was that Easter should be the first Sunday after the first full moon of spring equinox (March 20th or 21st). The second position is the one that won in the Western Church. This is why Easter moves each year. The movement of Easter then requires that any Feast Day figured from Easter moves as well, for example, Ash Wednesday.

In the Eastern Rites, Easter is the first Sunday after the first full moon of spring equinox (April 3rd), the Eastern Rite use the Julian calendar which is different from the Gregorian calendar we use. This year, both calendars agree on the date of Easter.

Easter was first called the "Pasch" which means "Passover." In Latin it is "Pascha." The English word "Easter" comes from the Middle High German word for resurrection "Urstand" and is tied to the word "East" and the rising of our sun.

(continued next week) Father Paul Wander

A BLESSED AND JOYFULL EASTER!
JESUS IS RISEN! ALLELUIA!

Question of the Week: What do we believe about the afterlife?
When you die there is a Particular Judgement and your soul goes to Heaven, Purgatory, or Hell. At the Second Coming of Christ at the end of time, there is a General Judgement. Everyone is gathered and will know what everyone else did and why they are going where they are going. Those who were in Hell and those who were still living at this time who are deserving of Hell will go there. Those who were in Heaven, Purgatory and living at the time and were good will go into the New Creation in the Glorified Body.

Father Paul Wander

Seeking Nominations for High School Graduates: Salt & Light Radio would like to acknowledge area graduating high school seniors that are making a difference in our communities. We are taking nominations for teens in your parish living a virtuous life and performing acts of charity. Salt & Light Radio will be highlighting these teens on *Morning Light* in the month of May. To nominate a teen go <https://saltandlightradio.com/distinguished-graduate> call 208-344-4774.

Youth Ministry Calendar of Events
Apr 23: Jr High Faith Night, OMG, 6:30-8:30
Apr 26: Confirmation Retreat - all students & Sponsors at St. Mary’s, 9 am to 12 noon.
Apr 27: First Holy Communion, 1 pm, St. Mary’s
Apr 30: HS Faith Night, OMG, 6:30 pm

Looking forward to July: 2025 RIM CAMP for youth in 9th-12 grades, sponsored by the Diocese of Boise. To be held July 13-17; John Paul II Camp, Cascade, Idaho. Contact our Youth Minister, Sarah, for register.

Tri-Parish Calendar of Events
Apr 20: Easter Sunday
Apr 21-24: Father Paul is out of town
Apr 21: Easter Monday, Office is closed
Apr 24: Funeral for Shane Arnzen, St. Anthony’s 1:00 burial in Craigmont; in St. Anthony in Greencreek will be 3:30 Rosary, 4:00 Mass of Christian Burial
Apr 25: Funeral for Patti Watson at St. Mary’s, 10:00 Rosary; 10:30 Mass of Christian Burial
Apr 26: Confirmation Retreat - all students & Sponsors at St. Mary’s, 9 am to 12 noon.
Apr 26: Funeral for Curt Terhaar at St. Anthony 1:00 Rosary; 1:30 Mass of Christian Burial
Apr 27: First Holy Communion St. Mary’s, 1:00 pm Reception follows Mass at St. Mary’s.
Apr 27: Divine Mercy Sunday– Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed at Mary Ann Kuther’s at 3:30 pm.
May 1-2: Adoration over First Friday at St. Mary’s, begins 7 pm Thursday through to 8 am on Saturday
May 3: First Saturday Mass at St. Mary’s, 8:00 am
May 3: Adoration for Families with small children at St. Mary’s, 8:30 am until 10:30 am.
May 4: Pinochle Party at St Mary’s, 1:00 pm.
May 5: Healing Holy Hour, St. Mary’s, 7-8 pm.
May 9: Confirmation - to be held at All Saints Church in Lewiston with Bishop Peter Christensen
May 10: Funeral for Paula Schwartz at Assumption, 10:00 Rosary; 10:30 Mass of Christian Burial

Stewardship: “...He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him.” (Acts 10:38) We cannot give what we don’t have. Open your heart to receive God’s love, mercy and forgiveness. Then, show the same to others. As God’s adopted sons and daughters, we are made in His image and likeness. As Pope Benedict XVI says, “we are made for greatness.” Strive for greatness! We are made for more! We are made for God!

Happy Birthday!
Apr 20: Donna Mader, Starla Schumacher, Theresa Sonnen, Tate Uhlenkott
Apr 21: Michael Shaul, Greg Sonnen, Michael Walsh
Apr 22: Mya Meyers, Ed Poxleitner, Hailey Stubbers
Apr 23: James Parmantier, Shawn Seubert
Apr 24: Aidan Lustig, Beth Schumacher, Olivia Uhlenkott, Isabella Walsh, Aubrey Westhoff, Andrew Geis
Apr 25: Teagan Dieseldorff, Shane Poxleitner, Jill Wimer
Apr 26: Marge Arnzen, Natalie Latimer, Tessica Lustig, Paige Poxleitner, Raylie Warren

Happy Anniversary 40 years and more !
Henry & Harriet Remacle, Apr 24th, 54 years!
Pat & Connie Uhlenkott, Apr 24, 49 years!

EASTER SUNDAY Masses:
St. Mary’s at 7AM and 8:30AM with Fr. Paul
Assumption at 9AM with Fr. Meinrad
St. Anthony at 10:30AM with Fr. Paul

On MERCY SUNDAY - CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY: Will be prayed at Mary Ann Kuther’s house at 3:30 pm on Mercy Sunday, April 27th, 610 Church Street, Cottonwood; due to St. Mary’s Church will be busy with First Holy Communion and their reception following First Communion Mass.

St. Anthony's Liturgy committee is in need a seamstress. Fr. Paul would like to cover the statues in St. Anthony's Church with purple cloth during Lent next year. If someone is willing to sew these covers, please contact Amy Gorges for more information. 208-507-1621

The Vigil Project Concert “An Evening of Praise” - Sponsored by Salt & Light Radio to be held at the Angelus Center, in St. John Bosco Academy on **June 14, 2025, 7:00- 8:30 pm.** Doors open at 6:30 pm. Idaho Catholic Event of the Summer. Tickets are \$15.00 each. Keynote by Christopher Check. Social follows. Evening is for ages 21+. To reserve your ticket please go to saltandlightradio.com/cottonwood-concert
Tickets may be purchased at the door - seating is limited.

JUBILEE 2025 - Pilgrimage of Hope: All Saints Church in Lewiston has been designated as a pilgrimage “specified holy site” for the Jubilee. Pope Francis has specified: 1.Make a pilgrimage to a specified holy site 2.Make an Act of Mercy 3.Make an Act of Penance 4.Participate in the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Eucharist. (and Sacrament of Renciliation at the earliest possible opportunity).

Scholarship applications available for Seniors - PFFP scholarship and the Youth Ministry Scholarship. More information next week.

St. Mary’s Ministry
All Sundays St. Mary’s Ministry 7:00 am:
Please come early and volunteer for Mass Ministries
Apr 19, Holy Saturday Vigil 7:30 pm:
Please sign-up on the sheet posted on the bulletin board
Apr 20, Easter Sunday 7:00 am:
Please sign-up on the sheet posted on the bulletin board
Apr 20, Easter Sunday 8:30 am:
Please sign-up on the sheet posted on the bulletin board
Apr 27, Divine Mercy Sunday 8:15 am:
Greeters: Kevin & Kathy Rehder
Servers: Glenn/Ignatius Parmantier, Orrin Lustig
Lectors: Jon, Jim R. **Child Lit:** Denise
EM: Della, Kelsie, Bonnie, Meredyth, Glenn
Apr 27, First Communion Mass 1:00 pm:
Mass Ministers will be family members

St. Anthony Ministry
Apr 20, Easter Sunday 10:30 am:
Greeters: Adam & Tiffany Forsmann and Family
Lector: Joe **EM:** Adam, Nate
Sacristan: Arlene **Servers:** Anthony, Drew, Lucas
Apr 27, Divine Mercy Sunday 10:30 am:
Greeters: Justin & Elizabeth Nuxoll and Family
Lector: Laurie **EM:** Rhonda, Gene
Sacristan: Rhonda, Sarah W. **Servers:** Isaiah, Joshua, Wyatt

Assumption Ministry
Apr 20, Easter Sunday 9:00 am: (*Fr. Joe Schmidt*)
Servers: Ben, Micah, Ava
Lector: Annmarie **EM:** Dorothy, Virgil
Apr 26, Sat Divine Mercy Sunday 5 pm:
Servers: Declan, Hailey, Matt
Lector: pat **EM:** Dorothy, Cara

Rachel’s Vineyard Post Abortion Healing Weekend Retreat: If you have been wounded by the act of abortion...or someone dear to you has struggled with the spiritual and emotional aftermath of abortion, experience the healing love of Jesus Christ on our upcoming Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat **May 2-4, 2025** in Garden Valley, ID, sponsored by Holy Apostles Catholic Church. Participation is strictly confidential and offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God’s love, forgiveness, and compassion. For more information, contact Mary McCool 208-484-6113 Mary-Pat_8@hotmail.com or Terry Lennox (please text or leave voicemail) 208-870-1939 Teresalennox0@gmail.com or visit www.rachelsvineyard.org .

“Be patient, because the weaknesses of the body are given to us in this world by God for the salvation of the soul. So they are of great merit when they are borne patiently.” ~St. Francis of Assisi

Mass Intentions for the Week
Apr 19, Holy Saturday Vigil at St. Mary’s 7:30 pm:
For our Neophytes
Apr 20, Easter Sunday ST. MARY’S 7 am:
For deceased family members whose names were listed on the Offertory Envelopes for Easter Flowers
Apr 20, Easter Sunday ST. MARY’S 8:30 am:
+Keath Schmidt, bd 4/19 +Gary Schmidt
Apr 20, Easter Sunday ASSUMPTION 9 am:
All Tri-Parish Parishioners
Apr 20, Easter Sunday ST. ANTHONY 10:30 am:
+Anselm Schumacher, bd 4/17 +Patrick J. Nuxoll, da 4/27
Apr 21-22, Mon-Tues No Mass
Apr 23, Wed St. Anthony 8 am:
Liturgy of the Word with Communion
Apr 24, Thurs Funeral for Shane Arnzen
1:00 burial Craigmont Cemetery. After burial in St. Anthony Church will be 3:30 Rosary, 4:00 Mass of Christian Burial
Apr 25, Fri Funeral for Patti Watson - St. Mary’s
10:00 Rosary; 10:30 Mass of Christian Burial
Apr 26, Sat Funeral for Curt Terhaar - St. Anthony
1:00 Rosary; 1:30 Mass of Christian Burial
Apr 26, Sat ASSUMPTION 5 pm:
All Tri-Parish Parishioners
Apr 27, Sun ST. MARY’S 7 am:
+Molly Wimer, da 4/27 +Josh Wimer
+Henry Wimer
Apr 27, Sun ST. MARY’S 8:15 am:
+Chad Frei, da 4/23 +Stella Harman
Apr 27, Sun ST. ANTHONY 10:00 am:
+Ralph Stubbers +Larry Stubbers

Be praying for our second grade students who will be receiving their First Holy Communion on April 27th:

Maci Arnzen	Maddox Behler
Maddie Bock	Maggie Bock
Holley Cochran	Tysen Duman
Khloe Enneking	Cooper Frei
Jack Goeckner	Elise Hasenoehrl
Hannah Hinds	Rory Johnson
Matthew Nuxoll	Laura Nuxoll
Fulton Parmantier	Emil Parmantier
Vincent Poxleitner	Ava Prigge
Paige Quintal	Elijah Ratcliff
Hayden Ratcliff	Stanley Rehder
Maverick Slichter	Nyxon Stigum
Zane Stubbers	Cieran Tacke
Moses Uhlenkott	John Patrick Warren
Ruby Weckman	Aubrey Westhoff
Levi Wimer	Corbin Wood
Sam Smith (Sam received First Communion April 13th)	