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Collection received from last weekend Masses:

Collection Budget		Received	Gift/Other
St. Mary's	3153.00	2878 .00	1430.00
St. Anthony	1211.00	2240.00	46.00
Assumption	754.00	517.00	102.00

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

EUCHARISTIC 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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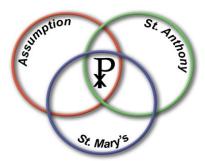
TRI-PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES

St. Mary's	<u>Assumption</u>	St. Anthony
Mark Gehring	Katrina Geis	Kevin Karel
Term ends Jul 2025	Term end Jul 2025	Term ends Jul 2025
Ron Rehder	Stephen Goeckner	Conrad Arnzen
Term ends Jul 2026	Term ends Jul 2026	Term ends Jul 2026
Challay Cabladar	Cara Uhlankatt	Joe Baerlocher
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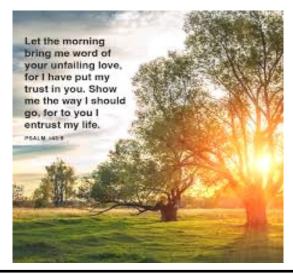
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Diana Graning Term ends Jul 2027

August 17, 2025 - Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



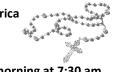
And Holy Cross Chapel



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: Deacon Rob Groom.

Deacon Rob was ordained a Deacon in September 2019. He serves the Sts. Peter and Paul Parish in Grangeville where he lives with his wife Teresa.

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' 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...

What is Private Revelation and what is its value?

All public revelation ended with the death of the last Apostle. Private revelation is given to individuals to help them and others to live the faith. Private Revelation is not part of the deposit of faith and does not have to be believed.

Private Revelations can NOT surpass, correct or change the definitive Revelation which is Christ.

Private Revelations are like crutches or canes that help a person walk. Private revelations help people to have faith and to live their faith. The Magisterium of the Church, the Bishops and Pope, have the duty of evaluating private revelations.

Some examples of private revelations are: A person is praving for discernment on what they should do and they get the feeling that God is telling them to do this. Another example is if you are praying in a charismatic group or with someone involved in the Encounter Movement, like what we had here a year ago, and someone gets a Prophetic Word for you.

The best-known and more famous type of Private Revelations are the different apparitions that have occurred throughout history. The Appearances of the Virgin Mary at Lourdes, Fatima, Medjugorje, Our Lady of Guadalupe, to name the most famous ones. And the apparitions of Jesus through out history like to Sister Faustina giving the Divine Mercy prayers.

These are all considered private revelations. Even though several of the different Popes have acknowledged them and said they think and believe they are real, they are still private revelations and you do NOT have to believe them. Private Revelations are given to call and guide us in living our faith.

Father Paul Wand

Please pray for the response of the soul of Father Lyle Konen who died Friday morning, August 8th at the age of 94 after 69 years of faithful service. His funeral will be in St. James Cathedral, Seattle, Washington, on Friday, August 22nd.

Thank you to these Parish Council members who have served their term: Katrina Geis for Assumption, Kevin Karel for St. Anthony, and Mark Gehring for St. Mary's. Elections for new Parish Council members is supposed to take place in July. Next weekend we will put the ballots out in the entrances to allow everyone to nominate someone you think would be a good member for our Tri-Parish Council. Thank you.

Question of the Week: "How are Tradition and Sacred Scripture connected?" Tradition and Sacred Scripture are bound together and communicate with each other. Each of them makes present and fruitful the mystery of Christ. They come from the same divine well-spring and together make up the one sacred deposit of faith from which the Church derives her certainty about revelation.

Father Paul Wander

Youth Ministry Calendar of Events

Sept 5: Youth & Family Adoration, St. Mary's, 9-10 pm

Sept 20-21: HS 30 Hour Fast - contact Sarah

Sept 24: Back to School Bash, St. Mary's, 6:30 pm

Tri-Parish Calendar of Events

Aug 16: Celebrate Patron Day (Assumption of Mary) - Assumption Parish at their Saturday evening Mass

Aug 20: Patriotic Rosary, 4 pm, St. Mary's, Eucharistic Adoration 4-6 pm.

Aug 21: Stewardship Committee meets, 11 am, Office

Aug 21: Third Thursday Adoration at St. Mary's, 7 pm through to 7 am on Friday.

Aug 23-24: Missionaries of the Word are visiting

Aug 26: NO Tuesday evening Mass, Father Paul will be attending Memorial Mass for Father Bruno's mother.

Aug 27: Patriotic Rosary, 4 pm, St. Mary's, Eucharistic Adoration 4-6 pm.

Aug 30-Sept 1: Labor Day Weekend

Women—Let's "Rejoice in Hope" and reflect as Pilgrims of Hope during this Jubilee Year!! Highly anticipated Idaho Catholic Women's Conference! The conference is scheduled for September 6th, in -person attendance will be at Holy Apostles in Meridian, and a Watch Party at Sts. Peter & Paul in Grangeville. Speakers include Crystalina Evert and Sr. Maria Goretti. In-person in Meridian is \$49 per person, the Watch Party is \$29 per person. When registering online, under "Registration Fee" there is a drop-down menu and you will choose: \$49 In Person or \$29 Watch Party. For more details and to secure your spot, visit:

idahocatholicwomen.org Ladies don't miss it!

To attend at Grangeville: choose Grangeville Sts. Peter & Paul Parish from the "Watch Party Location" from the drop-down menu.

The Women of All Saints Catholic Parish (Lewiston) are proud sponsors:

Spiritual Retreat: "Opening the Door of Hope" Saturday, September 13, 2025. 8:30 am - 3:00 pm. Presenter: Sister Betty Schumacher, Spirit Center Director. To be held in the large classroom in All Saints Catholic Church, 3330 14th St. Lewiston.

This Retreat is open to all Catholic Women.

Continental Breakfast and soup luncheon will be provided. Please RSVP Gloria Cocossa (208)743 5287. coco2fg@gmail.com or

Debi Ruppe (208)746-9076 debi.ruppe@gmail.com

Happy Birthday!

(missed) Aug 7: Capri Hagen

Aug 17: Roberta Forsmann, Thomas Holman, Sue Schumacher, Tony Schumacher

Aug 18: Noah Geis, Mabel Schaeffer, Gavin Stubbers,

Deacon Eric Wassmuth

Aug 19: Maddie Bock, Maggie Bock, Mary Funke, Sylvia Uhling,

Patricia Kaschmitter, Debbie Schmidt

Aug 20: Dane Crea, Makayla rose, Kathy Seubert, William Sonnen

Aug 21: Emily Holman, Asher Kaschmitter, Atticus Rehder

Aug 22: Carter Chicane, Denis Duman

Aug 23: Cecilia Remacle-Ahlers, Shae Dinning, Tyler Nuxoll, Tenly Riener, Marjorie Remacle, Heather Seubert, Leann Sharpe, Melvin Sonnen, Emmett Wilson

Happy Anniversary 40 years and more!

Joe & Debbie Chicane, Aug 18th, 46 years!

Don & Starla Schumacher, Aug 20th, 42 years!

Fred Seubert is needing a little extra help. Caregiver who could come in the morning for a while and do light house work, some food preparation, help with activities of daily living and can be paid by the VA. Contact Vicki at parish office and she will put you in touch with Fred's daughter.

Assumption Raffle: Assumption Dinner and Raffle are scheduled for November 2, 2025. If you would be interested in **donating towards the Raffle** please contact Marilyn 208-507-1173 or Candice 208-870-3911 by Sunday, September 7th. Thank you!

Cottonwood Community Blood Drive

August 19, 2025, 12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Cottonwood Community Hall

For an appointment call Brenda Kaschmitter at

208-962-2112 Or go online to self-schedule at Vitalant.org

Donate in August and be entered to win \$10,000

Jesus is the Way the Truth and the Life. Allow Jesus to be the Lord and Savior of your life and marriage by attending an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on Oct 24-26, in Beaverton, Oregon. To apply or to search for other dates go to rediscoverthespark.org For information about WWME call 503-704-0836 or email: reservations@rediscoverthespark.org

Assumption Parish is looking for a custodian to clean the church.

It is a paid position and is about 2- 3hours every two weeks as their church is locked most of the time and does not get very dirty as it does not have people in and out of the building during the week. Please contact Judy Forsman if you are interested or if you wish to apply 208-962-5906.

St. Mary's Ministry

All Sundays 7:00 am:

Please come early and volunteer

<u>Aug 17, Sunday</u> 8:15 am:

Greeters: Kris & Erika Shears and Family

Servers: James/Oliver Lustig, McKenna Slichter

Lectors: Kristine Garcia, Henry Lustig
EM: Denise, Ned, Steel, January/Roger
Aug 24. Sunday
8:15 am:

Greeters: Roy & Denise Uhlenkott

Servers: Glenn/Ignatius Parmantier, Joseph Waters

Lectors: Jim Rehder, Jon Rehder **EM:** Jon, Jim, Roger, Marilyn, Ned

St. Anthony Ministry

<u>Aug 17, Sunday</u> 10:00 am:

Greeters: Matt & Sarah Warren and Family

Lector: Audrey **Sacristan:** Sarah

EM: Gene, Rhonda Servers: Isaiah, Joshua, Buren

Aug 24, Sunday 10:00 am: Greeters: Conrad & Jen Arnzen and Family

Lector: Shirley Sacristan: Alea

EM: Adam, Shane, Levi

Servers: Decklan, Maddie, Liam

Assumption Ministry

Aug 16, Saturday 5 pm:

Servers: Del, Tess, Lena

Lector: Nick **EM:** Ryan Mader, Ryan McHugh **Aug 23, Saturday 5 pm:**

Servers: Ava

Lector: Nicole **EM:** Dorothy, Cara

Holy Cross Ministry

<u>Sunday Evenings</u> 7 pm: *Please come early and volunteer for Ministries.*

Stewardship..."Do you think I have come to give you peace on Earth? No, I tell you, but rather division."

Luke 12:51

Many of us like to play it safe, not cause waves with our family and friends, especially when it comes to politics and religion. We don't want to cause turmoil

However, many times this is at the expense of the truth. The truth being Jesus Christ. Too many people are misguided because they rely on their own limited human ability to reason and are not allowing faith in God to guide them. You need to form your conscience; take a stance in life, marriage, and religious liberty.

"If we could comprehend all the good things contained in Holy Communion, nothing more would be wanting to content the heart of man."

"St. John Vianney

Mass Intentions for the Weekend

ASSUMPTION Aug 16, Sat 5 pm: +Fred & Minnie Haberman Aug 17, Sun ST. MARY'S 7 am: +Gabbie Rehder, bd 8/18, Baptism 8/25, by Stubbers Family +Theresa Wemhoff by John & Chris Kaschmitter Aug 17, Sun ST. MARY'S 8:15 am: +Don & Jane Hoene Aug 17, Sun ST. ANTHONY 10:00 am: +Marge Lamb +Patti Watson Aug 17, Sun **HOLY CROSS** 7 pm: All Tri-Parish Parishioners Aug 18, Mon St. Mary's 8 am: Fr. Justin All Souls in Purgatory

Aug 19, Tues St. Mary's 6:30 pm:

+Nole & Elizabeth Palmer

Aug 20, Wed St. Anthony 8 am:

+JD Lauer, bd 8/20, by Claudia

+Elizabeth Palmer, da 8/20

Aug 21, Thurs St. Mary's 8 am:

For employees and families of Seubert Excavators,

Valley Paving and Clearwater Concrete

Aug 22, Fri Assumption 8 am:

+Frank & Agnes Reichlin and Family - living and deceased

+Michael Francis Reichlin

Aug 23, Sat ASSUMPTION 5 pm:

+Eugene McHugh by Jared & Annmarie

+Alice Nau

Aug 24, Sun ST. MARY'S 7 am:

+Dale Uptmor, da 8/22, Bd 8/23, by Frank Bruno

Aug 24, Sun ST. MARY'S 8:15 am:

+Bob Ross, bd 8/26

+Joyce Prigge, bd 8/26

+Scott Wimer, bd 8/26

Aug 24, Sun ST. ANTHONY 10:00 am:

All Tri-Parish Employees

Aug 24, Sun HOLY CROSS 7 pm:

Jared & Madison Arnzen and Family by Lyle & Shelley Kuther

Bethlehem Wood . . . will be visiting here and will have Olive Wood Carvings available for purchase after all the weekend Masses the weekend of October 3-4. The proceeds are to support Christian Catholic families in the Holy Land since it is a major source of income for them there. More than 75 Catholic families in Bethlehem - Hand Carve these items. They are beautiful and unique items: Nativities, Rosaries Crucifixes, and Statues. Please consider a purchase and help support them. Thank you.