

October 12, 2025 - Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Collection received from last weekend Masses:

Collection Budget	Received	Gift/Other
St. Mary's	3153.00	3723.00
St. Anthony	1211.00	1099.00
Assumption	754.00	1573 .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 - not until summer of 2026

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

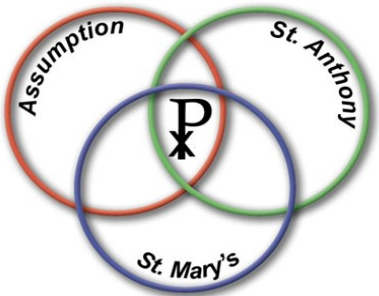
RECONCILIATION
St. Mary's: Saturday 2:30—4 :00pm
Or by appointment during the week

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

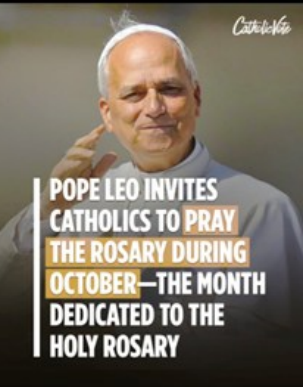
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TRI-PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES		
<u>St. Mary's</u>	<u>Assumption</u>	<u>St. Anthony</u>
Ron Rehder	Stephen Goeckner	Conrad Arnzen
Term ends Jul 2026	Term end Jul 2026	Term ends Jul 2026
Shelley Schlader	Cara Uhlenkott	Joe Baerlocher
Term ends Jul 2027	Term ends Jul 2027	Term ends Jul 2027
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Term ends: Jul 2028	Term ends: Jul 2028	Term ends: Jul 2028
<u>Holy Cross</u>		
Diana Graning		
Term ends Jul 2027		



And Holy Cross Chapel



“Since the prayers of the Rosary come from our Lord Himself, from inspired Scripture, and from the Church - it is not surprising that the Rosary is so dear to our Blessed Mother and so powerful in Heaven.”
~St. Alan de la Roch



Pray for Peace. Pray for America



The Rosary is prayed EVERY morning at St. Mary's;
Sunday at 6:30 am; the rest of the week at 7:30 am.

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...
Sacraments—What are they?

They all have some things in common. The Sacraments are perceptible signs (words and actions) accessible to our human nature. By the action of Christ and the power of the Holy Spirit they make present efficaciously the grace they signify (CCC 1084). In simple English, Sacraments are things we do, that were begun by Christ (instituted by the Lord) as a way of giving His Grace, His life to us.

In a very real way Jesus is the Sacrament of the Father. He is the invisible God made visible to give us Grace. The whole Church is the sacrament of Jesus Christ. Before Jesus ascended into Heaven He told His Apostles - the Church - to go to all the world and proclaim the Good News that is to be the visible presence of Christ in the world, who is now invisible in Heaven.

The Church has Seven Sacraments. These Sacraments “of the Church” because they are done “by the Church” to fulfill Christ’s mission; and they are “for the Church” in that they make the Church by manifesting our communion with God.

The Sacraments are celebrations we do that were instituted by Jesus Christ to give the gift of salvation to the world. The Seven Sacraments of the Church are: Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, Reconciliation, Anointing of the Sick, Matrimony and Holy Orders.

The Sacraments are to sanctify us, to build up the Body of Christ and to give worship to God.

The Sacraments are efficacious - effective in giving Grace - because in them Christ is at work. Christ’s saving work is being done; therefore, they are made real by the power of God not by the righteousness of either the celebrant or the recipient. God does the Sacraments; however, the fruits of the Sacraments also depend on the faith and disposition of the one who receives them.

Each of the seven Sacraments is celebrated within a Liturgy. Liturgical services are not private functions but are a celebration of the whole Church. The “rites” are meant to be celebrated in common with the faithful present and actively participating rather than quasi-privately or individually.

Father Paul Wander



Youth Ministry Calendar of Events

Oct 11: Jr High Rally in Coeur d’Alene
Oct 12: Confirmation Parent meeting, CEC, 7 pm
Oct 26: Confirmation Student blessing at 8:15 Mass
Oct 28: PFFP All Saints Party, CEC, 3-5 pm all welcome
Oct 29: Youth Trick-or-Treat for canned food for our local Food Bank

Tri-Parish Calendar of Events

Oct 12: KC Breakfast, KC Hall, 7-10 am
Oct 14: KC Meeting, KC Hall, 6:30 pm
Oct 12-24: Father Paul is gone on vacation
Oct 15: Patriotic Rosary, 4 pm, St. Mary’s Church, with Eucharistic Adoration 4-6 pm.
Oct 16: Third Thursday Adoration, St. Mary’s, begins 7 pm Thursday through to 7 am Friday
Oct 18-19: Father John Odeyemi, Food for the Poor, will be here to celebrate the weekend Masses.
Oct 18: No Confessions
Oct 19: Coffee Hour, St. Mary’s following 8:15 Mass
Oct 22: Patriotic Rosary, 4 pm, St. Mary’s Church, with Eucharistic Adoration 4-6 pm.
Oct 28: PFFP All Saints Party, CEC, 3-5 pm all welcome
Oct 29: Parish Council Meeting, 7 pm, Office

Happy Birthday!

Oct 12: Raina Frei, Waylon Gehring, Ron Riener, Keenan Shears
Oct 13: Regina Kaschmitter, Vincent Poxleitner
Oct 14: Tom Schumacher, Rachel Schwartz
Oct 15: Doug Schumacher
Oct 16: Colton Nuxoll, Evan Schwartz
Oct 17: Darbie Duclos, Tiffany Forsmann, Sylvi Larson, Jeanne Spencer
Oct 18: Ruger Dutcher, Brooklyn Lewis, Jennie Rehder, Joshua Warren

Happy Anniversary 40 years and more !
Joe & Arlene Baerlocher, Oct 17th, 44 years!
James & Barbara Remacle, Oct 18th, 56 years!

Assumption Parish will be holding their annual fundraiser Sunday, November 2nd at the Parish Hall. All proceeds will be used to maintain Assumption Parish in Ferdinand. Enjoy a Roast Beef and Ham dinner with all the trimmings will be served from 11 am - 4 pm. Cost for Adults is \$14, K through 6th is \$7, and preschool and under is free. Raffle drawing 4 pm. Bingo all day. Come & enjoy!

St. Mary’s Ministry

All Sundays 7:00 am:
Please come early and volunteer
Oct 12, Sunday 8:15 am:
Greeters: Mark & Rachel Gehring and Family
Servers: Johnny & Madison Duman, Grace Rehder
Lectors: Emily, Gerry Child Lit: April
EM: Sarah, Ned, Emmett, Debbie/Joe
Oct 19, Sunday 9:15 am:
Greeters: Rod & June Behler
Servers: Emil/Fulton/Ignatius Parmantier
Lector: Colleen/Jim Child Lit: Denise
EM: Joe D., Darbie, Kelsie, Bonnie, Della

St. Anthony Ministry

Oct 12, Sunday 10:00 am:
Greeters: Shane & Megan Stubbers and Family
Lector: Andy Servers: Decklan, Evan, Sam
EM: Adam, Nate Sacristan: Molly
Oct 19, Sunday 10:00 am:
Greeters: Roberto & Rachel Hernandez and Family
Lector: Shirley Servers: Kael, Buren, Aiden
EM: Greg, Norm Sacristan: Rhonda

Assumption Ministry

Oct 11, Saturday 5 pm:
Servers: Ben, Micah
Lector: Candice EM: Ryan McHugh, Virgil
Oct 18, Saturday 5 pm:
Servers: Del, Tess, Jack
Lector: Lynn EM: Ryan Mader, Annmarie

Father Paul will be leaving on vacation on Monday morning, October 13th and returning Friday, October 24th. If you need a priest for an emergency for the Last Rites, call either Fr. Anthony in Grangeville (208-983-0403) or Father Meinrad at the Monastery (208-962-2010).

If you get an email about “Virtus” it is from Veronica at the Diocese’s Office for Safe Environment. It is a legitimate email and it is being sent to give you the information you need to renew your Safe Environment training. Virtus is the Diocese’ new program for Safe Environment. If you do not remember your sign-on information from the old program: cmgconnect, please contact Vicki or Sarah at the parish office and they will help you reset your password. The renewal training online is now good for two years. Questions - please call parish office.

Veronica’s email: vchilders@rcdb.org

Mass Intentions for the Weekend

Oct 11, Sat ASSUMPTION 5 pm:
+Marvin & Molly Wimer +Henry Wimer
+Josh Wimer, Bd 10/18
Oct 12, Sun ST. MARY’S 7 am:
Ethan & Sarah Remacle (wedding anniversary Oct 9)
+Jared Sonnen, da 10/11, by Greg & Colleen
Oct 12, Sun ST. MARY’S 8:15 am:
+David Spencer +Richard Spencer
Oct 12, Sun ST. ANTHONY 10:00 am:
All Tri-Parish Parishioners
Oct 13 & 14, Mon-Tues No Mass
Oct 15, Wed St. Anthony 8 am:
Liturgy of the Word with Communion
Oct 16, Thurs St. Mary’s 8 am:
Liturgy of the Word with Communion
Oct 17, Fri Assumption 8 am:
Liturgy of the Word with Communion
Oct 18, Sat ASSUMPTION 5 pm:
+Patti Watson, bd 10/21
And for the Deceased members of PHS Class of 1972:
Kelly Hinkelman, Dale Shears, Betty Wemhoff Savage, Robert Funke, Jim Riener, Tom Toennis, Ed Hattrup, John Whittington, Janice Schmidt Gardner, Gary Hattrup, Shirley Forsmann Zobeck, Allan Rieman, Sally Geis Schongalla, and Mike Uhlor
Oct 19, Sun ST. MARY’S 7 am:
+Don & Jane Hoene and for their descendants
Oct 19, Sun ST. MARY’S 8:15 am:
+Theresa Wemhoff +Ed Forsmann, bd 10/21
Oct 19, Sun ST. ANTHONY 10:00 am:
All Tri-Parish Parishioners

Our Tri-parish community will be featured on Wednesday, October 15 at 9:00 AM on 89.5 FM. Salt & Light Catholic Radio's Fall Pledge Drive is October 15-17, daily from 7 AM to 6 PM. The theme, “Memories” highlights inspiring testimonies from fellow parishioners about the history of our parish. Listen on the radio, the Salt & Light Radio App, or online. Pledge by 10/14 to be entered into a drawing for a weekend stay at the new Jubilee House at Marymount, plus another drawing to win a pilgrimage to Poland! For the full parish schedule or to pledge, visit saltandlightradio.com/pledge-drive or call 208-344-4774.

Rev John Odeyemi will offer the Masses and speak the weekend of October 18-19 while Father Paul is gone on vacation. Father John will share personal witness about Food For The Poor’s mission to care for the destitute as a means of living out the Gospel mandate to love one another. Father John is a priest who was ordained for the Catholic diocese of Ilorin, Nigeria in 1994.

Mystery Night: Each \$150 ticket includes admission for two, dinner and your 1 in 350 chance to win the Grand Prize of \$10,000.00! The grand prize is redeemable at any of our sponsors:
Bud’s Powersports
Lindsley’s Furniture and Appliance
Les Schwab Tire - Grangeville
Cloninger’s Marketplace - Cottonwood
Gem Builder’s Supply
American Freedom Defense
Grace Builders
Intermountain Feed & Mercantile

One in eight ticket holders will win a smaller prize through the night. The night also includes online and in person auctions. Tickets are available from any SJB Family, from the school office at 208-962-5650 or online at

johnbosco.org

