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Collection received from last weekend Masses:			
Collection	Budget	Received	Gift/Other
St. Mary's	3500.00	3042.00	1514.00
St. Anthony	1428.00	1313.00	88.00
Assumption	853.00	1558.00	5.00

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 - Summer Months only

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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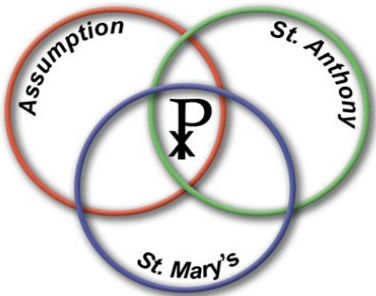
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TRI-PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES		
St. Mary's	Assumption	St. Anthony
Shelley Schlader Term ends Jul 2027	Cara Uhlenkott Term ends Jul 2027	Joe Baerlocher Term ends Jul 2027
Ned Waters Term ends: Jul 2028	Annmarie Schwartz Term ends: Jul 2028	Norm Sonnen Term ends: Jul 2028
T.J. Schmidt Term ends 2029	Mike Gehring Term ends 2029	Karl Dieseldorff Term ends 2029
Holy Cross		
Diana Graning Term ends Jul 2027		

September 20, 2026 - Twenty-fifth 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: Sister Elisa Martinez. She spent 30 years working to provide high-risk youth and families with alternatives to drugs, gangs and violence in LA and a journey to El Salvador. Sister Elisa has a Master in Social Work and was co-director of Soledad Enrichment Agency (SEA) a mental health clinic. She also helped families with better parenting skills in these gang areas as many were families with only mothers in the home working jobs for minimum wages. In 2015 Sister Elisa celebrated her Golden Jubilee as a Benedictine Sister.

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 ... Creed. Part 2.
(Article 1) "I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible."
(The Apostles Creed) "I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth."
I believe in one God: This is the source of all other truths. It is a confession of God's oneness. God reveals that there is ONE God. (Deut 6:4-5; Ex 20:1-6; Mk 12:29-30). With

these words, "The Christian confesses that God is one, in nature, substance, and essence." (CC200) We are monotheistic-believing in only one God.

God: God revealed His name YHWH ("I am He who is" or "I am who I am") (Ex 3:14-15) This means God is always there, present to His people. Out of respect to the holiness of God the name (Yhwh) is replaced by the divine title (English "Lord") (Hebrew Adonai; Greek Kyrois) God is who He is. There is no change, He was when there was nothing else. He made all things. We understand that the name reveals that God alone IS. That God is the fullness of Being and of every perfection, without origin and without end. (CCC213)

Father: Thy mystery of the Holy Trinity is the central mystery of the Christian Faith. There is only ONE God, but a Trinity of Persons who is God, a "Consubstantial Trinity." Each person of the Holy Trinity is God whole and entire (CCC253). The Incarnation of Jesus reveals God as the Eternal Father. The image of God as Father draws on human experience. While God truly transcends parenthood, you and I can understand a parent, Father or Mother, so this understanding of God as the Eternal Father gives us a starting point to help us understand God. The Holy Spirit is announced by Jesus (Jn 14:14, 26: 16:14).

Father Paul Wander

Spiritual Combat, House of Worship Conference - Featuring Lt. Col. Dave Grossman

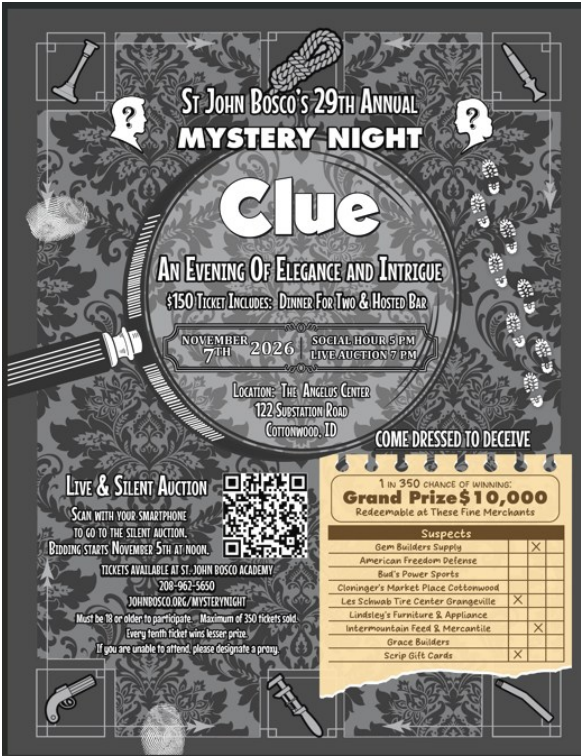
Idaho Residents have a rare opportunity to welcome Lt. Col. Dave Grossman, renowned author and leading trainer of military personnel and first responders throughout the United States, he will come to the Angelus Center Theater, Cottonwood, on November 13 & 14.
Bulletproof Mind Conference on Friday, November 13th. Register at AFDIdaho.com You may scan the Code on the posters on the bulletin board or call AFD Firearms Training at 208-935-5734.

House of Worship Security on Saturday, November 14th.
Lt. Col. Grossman will present House of Worship Security, a Christian warrior mindset training based on faith and scripture. This conference is designed to help churches prepare for and respond to the growing threat of violence in churches while preserving a welcoming environment for worship. "With God, we will rise as virtuous Christian warriors who defend and protect the innocent, helpless, and oppressed." - Lt. Col. Dave Grossman
The House of Worship Conference on Saturday can be booked individually or combined with the conference on Friday.
AFD Firearm Training 208-935-5734 for more information.
Extra flyers are sitting next to the bulletins.

Youth Ministry Calendar of Events
Sept 19-20: 30Hour Fast concludes at 10:00 Mass
Sept 20: Catechetical Sunday
Sept 23: Back to School Bash, St. Mary’s, 6:30—9 pm
Sept 27: Confirmation Parent meeting, CEC, 7:00 pm

Tri-Parish Calendar of Events
Sept 20: Coffee Hour at St. Mary’s after 8:15 Mass
Sept 20: Holy Hour, St. Mary’s, 4 pm., praying *defeat* the *Reproduction Freedom & Privacy Act* (Prop 1)
Sept 21-24: Father Paul will be gone to Priest Retreat
Sept 23: PFFP Parent Day of Prayer with Adoration at St. Mary’s 12:00 noon to 9:00 pm. All are Welcome.
Sept 23: OCIA Intro Night at Joel & Taylor’s home
Sept 26: Father Paul will be gone most of the day
Sept 26: No Confessions
Sept 27: Breakfast in Greencreek Hall, 11:00-12:30
Sept 27: Holy Hour, St. Mary’s, 4 pm., praying *defeat* the *Reproduction Freedom & Privacy Act* (Prop 1)
Sept 30: Patriotic Rosary, 4 pm, St. Mary’s Church, with Eucharistic Adoration 4-6 pm.
Sept 30: OCIA class meet St. Mary’s Church, 6:45 pm
Sept 30: Parish Council meet in office, 7 pm

An Evening of Elegant Suspicion - \$150 Ticket includes dinner for two & Hosted Bar. Nov 7th. Social Hour 5 pm. Live auction 7 pm. Must be 18 or older to participate. Grand Prize is \$10,000 redeemable at participating merchants.
johnbosco.org/mysterynight



Happy Birthday!
Sept 20: Nicole Frei, Micah Hinds, Rhonan Johnson, Shane Ratcliff, Gladys Sonnen
Sept 21: Tara Duclos, Nita Lorentz, Amy Schaecher, Michelle Schaeffer, Audra Spencer, Jennifer Wemhoff, Tyler Wemhoff
Sept 22: Heidi Ahlers, Connie Bruegeman, Colleen Sonnen
Sept 23: Sherry Gehring, Heath Klapprich, Adalee Lustig, Debby O’Neill, Rose Weckman
Sept 24: Barrett Hills, Mike Von Bargaen
Sept 25: Morris Arnzen, Gus Hoene, Caroline Parmantier, Dean Schaecher, Alyssa Wemhoff
Sept 26: Alexis Shears, Claire Spencer

Happy Anniversary 40 years and more !
Ed & Jacqueline Poxleitner, Sept 20th, 40 years!
Ron & Doris Rehder, Sept 21st, 52 years!
John & Chris Kaschmitter, Sept 25th, 50 years!

Appreciation Breakfast sponsored by Greencreek Altar Society to be held **Sunday, September 27th**, at Greencreek Hall. 11:00 am to 12:30 pm. All Are Welcome - Please join us. Cost: \$7 per person, \$30 per Family, age 3 and under are free.

Please view the video at <https://www.stopprop1.org>

Familiarize yourself with how EXTREME this Pro-Abortion Initiative is. We must stop Prop 1 in Idaho. **The video is only two (2) minutes long.**

Language in **Prop 1** Initiative is very misleading. This Initiative is **Extremely Pro-Abortion** allowing abortions into the 8th & 9th months! Minors could attain an abortion without parent knowledge.

Learn more or donate: stopprop1.org

Stewardship Tech Box: Finally, A Simple Way to Pray Novenas Consistently! Get gentle daily reminders, save your intentions, and track your prayer journey. Intercede Catholic Novenas App is a mobile app that helps Catholics pray novenas and whose mission is to help Catholics around the world grow in their faith through the power of novena prayer. Novenas are nine-day prayers, typically invoking the intercession of a saint, often for a particular intention. It is simply the best mobile app for praying Catholic novenas with over 50,000 ratings, averaging 5 stars!

St. Mary’s Ministry
All Sundays 7 am:
Please come early and volunteer
Sept 20, Sunday 8:15 am:
Greeters: Mark & Rachel Gehring and Family
Servers: Avery & Eli & Tysen Duman
Lector: Jon, Jim **Child Lit:**
EM: Brad, Noelle, Dustin, Heath/Dylan
Sept 27, Sunday 8:15 am:
Greeters: Heath & Tara Klapprich and Family
Servers: Johnny & Madison Duman, Orrin Lustig
Lector: Joe Schaeffer, Maurice Seubert
EM: Jim R., Jon, Lillianne, Glenn, Nolan

St. Anthony Ministry
Sept 20, Sunday 10:00 am:
Greeters & Gifts: Andy & Molly Terhaar and Family
Lector: Faith **Servers:** Lucas, Levi, Drew
EM: Levi, Rhonda **Sacristan:** Rhonda
Sept 27, Sunday 10:00 am:
Greeters & Gifts: Dale & Jeanne Stubbers and Family
Lector: Norm **Servers:** Joshua, John Patrick, Jordan
EM: Shane, Shawn, Gene **Sacristan:** Sarah

Assumption Ministry
Sept 19, Saturday 5 pm:
Servers: Hailey
Lector: Linda **EM:** Ryan, Ryan
Sept 26, Saturday 5 pm:
Servers: Micah
Lector: Millie **EM:** Millie, Virgil

Life Choices Clinic - Night Under the Stars Gala: October 10, 2026; at 5:00 pm. Auction, Dinner, and Speaker Matt Hammitt. In the Historic Lewis-Clark Hotel Ballroom in downtown Lewiston. Semi-formal. To secure your seats please purchase tickets or a table 208-848-3711 or contact Katrina at katrina@lcpartners.org Or use QR code on pamphlet on the bulletin board.

Knights of Columbus welcome new members to their Council. Please congratulate them when you see them.
Tom Gehring Jon Rehder
Vic Garcia Jimmy Hinds
Conrad Arnzen Levi Wassmuth
Nate Duman Maximilian Rehder
Chad Weber Taylor Roy
Ricky Akridge Dalton Klosterman
Jon Ariola

Father Paul will be gone this week to Priest Retreat

Mass Intentions for the Week		
Sept 19, Sat	ASSUMPTION	5 pm:
+Kay Tacke	+Lee Uhling	
Sept 20, Sun	ST. MARY’S	7 am:
+Jacob Riener, da 9/10	+Eugene & Ella Schaeffer (bd 9/20)	
Sept 20, Sun	ST. MARY’S	8:15 am:
All Tri-Parish Parishioners		
Sept 20, Sun	ST. ANTHONY	10:00 am:
+Andew & Frances Schmidt	(Frances bd 9/21)	
Sept 21-22, Mon-Tues	No Mass	
Sept 23, Wed	St. Anthony	8 am:
<i>Liturgy of the Word with Communion</i>		
Sept 24, Thurs	St. Mary’s	8 am:
<i>Liturgy of the Word with Communion</i>		
Sept 25, Fri	Assumption	8 am:
+Father Arogyam Madanu	+John Mathes	
Sept 26, Sat	ASSUMPTION	5 pm:
All Tri-Parish Parishioners		
Sept 27, Sun	ST. MARY’S	7 am:
For Deacon Ryan Uhlenkott - ordained 9/28/2026		
Sept 27, Sun	ST. MARY’S	8:15 am:
+Daniel Ross	+Don Hoene	
Sept 27, Sun	ST. ANTHONY	10:00 am:
+George & Mildred Geis	+Mark Geis	

OCIA Classes are being led by Joel & Taylor Wimer: tbarjwimer@gmail.com **208-451-3695**
We encourage all those who are not baptized to attend the OCIA Classes or if you are an adult and have not been Confirmed this is the class for you. If you know of any one who may be interested please call.
Intro Night for OCIA will be held at the home of Joel and Taylor Wimer on Wednesday, October 23rd. If you plan on attending please contact them.

JOLT Women’s Group - Come Join Us!
JOLT (Joy of Learning Together) is a women’s group where we gather to grow in faith, build friendships, and learn to become better wives, mothers, and women. We meet monthly to pray, read, and set goals with each other. If you would love to join us in our first meeting to learn more, please email Kimberly kauptmor@gmail.com Our first meeting is on **October 1st at 6:30 pm**. In the Catholic Education Center (CEC) behind the Prairie Elementary School in Cottonwood. We hope to see you there!

Over 4 cord of firewood - Youth Ministry Fundraiser - see the firewood in the lower parking lot of St. Mary’s and contact Sarah or the parish office to place a bid.