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Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 9:30 AM and 5:00 PM

Weekday Masses during Lent:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Tuesday: 12:15 p.m.

Thursday: 5:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3:30-4:30 PM

Sunday: 3:30-4:30 PM

Office Hours:

Monday through Friday:

9:00 AM-12:30 PM and 1:30-4:00 PM

The Sacrament of Baptism

Babies and young children are usually baptized during Mass on Saturday or Sunday or on Saturday at 2:00 p.m.

Call the pastor for a list of upcoming Baptism dates and to receive registration forms for classes. (735-8558)



On Being Married at Holy Spirit ...



Holy Matrimony

Couples engaged to be married and who wish to be married at Holy Spirit are asked to contact the parish priest at least nine months prior to their desired wedding date. The couple and the priest will then meet to begin the marriage preparation program. (735-8558)

Deaths

What should I do when there is a death in my family ...?

Please call the parish office and contact the pastor before making arrangements with the funeral home to ensure that the church is available at the desired time. (735-8558)

Fifth Sunday of Lent, March 29, 2020
Calendar for the Week: (Note: PCC = Parish Community Center)

Sunday, March 29:
Fifth Sunday of Lent

Live-stream Mass at 10:00 a.m. on Holy Spirit Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/HolySpiritParishCommunity>

Monday, March 30:
Lenten Weekday

Tuesday, March 31:
Lenten Weekday

Wednesday, April 1:
Lenten Weekday

Thursday, April 2:
Lenten Weekday
Saint Francis of Paola, Hermit

Friday, April 3:
Lenten Weekday

Saturday, April 4:
Lenten Weekday
Saint Isidore, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Sunday, April 5:
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Live-stream Mass at 10:00 a.m. on Holy Spirit Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/HolySpiritParishCommunity>



Save your rummage and the dates for the spring Women's Group Rummage Sale, Friday and Saturday, May 22-23.

Since our Holy Spirit Conference of St. Vincent de Paul is not able to take a collection on the 5th Sunday of this month, please feel free to mail a donation or give online. The need in our local community is greater than ever, given the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic. You may mail a donation to Parish of the Holy Spirit, 7409 W. Clearwater, Kennewick, WA 99336. Give online at <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/holy7409270>. Select "Special Collection" on the fund drop-down menu, and then select "St. Vincent de Paul 5th Sunday Collection" in the subfund drop-down menu. Thank you!

It has long been a Catholic understanding that when circumstances prevent one from receiving Holy Communion, it is possible to make an Act of Spiritual Communion, which is a source of grace. Spiritual Communion is an ardent desire to receive Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament and lovingly embrace him at a time when one cannot receive Him in sacramental Communion. The most common reason for making an Act of Spiritual Communion is when a person cannot attend Mass. Acts of Spiritual Communion increase our desire to receive sacramental Communion and help us avoid the sins that would make us unable to receive Holy Communion worthily.

Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus, I believe that you are present
in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love you above all things
and I desire to receive you in my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace you as if you were already there
and unite myself wholly to you.
Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

Posted by the Archdiocese of New York, retrieved from the USCCB website, <http://www.usccb.org/> March 23, 2020

When the faithful find themselves in the painful impossibility of receiving sacramental absolution in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, it should be remembered that perfect contrition, coming from their love of God above all things, and expressed by a sincere request for forgiveness, may be directed to Almighty God. An Act of Perfect Contrition is efficacious for the forgiveness of all sins. As the Catechism of the Catholic Church explains, however, the penitent must make a firm resolve to formally confess any grave sins they have committed—in a timely manner—in the Sacrament of Penance (see CCC no. 1452).

An Act of Perfect Contrition

My God, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong and failing to do good, I have sinned against you, Lord. I truly love you above all things. I firmly intend, with your help, to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation, to do penance, to sin no more, and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Our Savior Jesus Christ suffered and died for us. In his name, my God, have mercy.

*Save the date for a celebration of
Father O'Shea's 60th ordination anniversary!*

*Friday, June 19, 2020
at the Parish of the Holy Spirit
Mass with a reception to follow*

Readings—Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord: Mt 21:1-11; Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14—27:66

ALL LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES IN THE DIOCESE OF YAKIMA ARE CANCELLED
Confession is now by appointment only in all the parishes of the Diocese.

STEWARDSHIP: When Jesus heard about the illness of His friend, Lazarus, He responded, "This illness is not to end in death; rather it is for God's glory, that through it the Son of God may be glorified." Every aspect of our lives - our gifts as well as our sufferings - can, if surrendered to Christ, lead to blessing for others and ourselves.

March 15: \$2,594.00 Recorded givers: 27
March 22: \$8,396.81 Recorded givers: 34

**Thanks for your giving of time,
talent and treasure.**

For online giving, visit:
<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/holy7409270>

The Coronavirus pandemic is having an economic impact on our parish's finances and operating budget. Please continue to support the ongoing mission of Holy Spirit Parish. A large number of our members already give their tithes and offerings online or have mailed or dropped them off at the office. We appreciate this help in maintaining our church operations, as well as our tithing obligations in our community and world. The link for online giving is above, if you'd prefer to mail an offering, please send it to Parish of the Holy Spirit, 7409 W. Clearwater Ave., Kennewick, WA 99336. Thank you.

Please send an email to holyspiritkofcnovena@gmail.com to sign up to participate in the **40 Days for Life novena**. Just type "40 Days Novena" in the subject line and Bernie Ip will respond.

The Diocese of Yakima is teaming up with Catholic Charities Serving Central Washington to help those in our diocese who are most affected by the Coronavirus pandemic by creating the **Light of Hope Fund**. 100% of the donations to the fund will go to individuals and families impacted by this pandemic. Donations to the fund will be matched with up to \$25,000. Please encourage those looking for a way to help their neighbors to contribute to the **Light of Hope Fund**. Donations may be made online by selecting **Light of Hope Fund** at <https://bit.ly/3bhvJ98> or by mailing donations to **Light of Hope Fund**, Catholic Charities, 5301-E Tieton Drive, Suite C, Yakima, WA 98908.



Join our faith community—and more than 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States—in a life-changing Lenten journey with **Catholic Relief Services (CRS) Rice Bowl**. Maria Ana and her brothers receive one meal a day at school, so that they can focus on achieving their dreams. How was education important for your future? How can we ensure that all

young people have a chance to be educated? Visit the web site at csrricebowl.org for more information, recipes, and stories.

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

All dates are tentative.

Monday	March 30	Walsh Family
Tuesday	March 31	Fr. Perron Auve
Wednesday	April 1	Rusty Lunzer RIP
Thursday	April 2	Evelyn Lunzer RIP
Friday	April 3	Ed Harrington RIP
Saturday	April 4	Lu, Mary and Joseph Stein RIP

The Sunday morning Mass is normally offered for the people of the parish.

**To have your need added to our parish prayer phone chain,
please call Adele Ogryzek at 627-0201.
To have your need added to the list which is published in the bulletin
once each month, please call the parish office.**

RESOURCES FOR CATHOLICS AT HOME DURING COVID-19

Websites

FORMED - our parish code is 8NFJ89 [www.formed.org]
Word on Fire (Bishop Robert Barron) [www.wordonfire.org]
U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops [www.usccb.org]

Some Online Masses

Vatican News Live Stream of Pope Francis' Masses
Catholic TV Mass
EWTN Daily Mass
Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception

**These publishers have made their resources available for
FREE online**

Liturgical Press: *Give Us This Day*
Magnificat
Adoremus
Bayard: *Living with Christ*
The Word Among Us
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Apps

Laudate
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Mary [rosary and chaplets]

Prayers

Pope Francis' Prayer with Mary for COVID-19
Archbishop Gomez Prayer for COVID-19
Spiritual Communion
COVID-19: A Prayer of Solidarity
Light a Candle Online (National Shrine of St. John Neumann)

Family Podcast Resources

For Kids:
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A PRAYER FOR PROTECTION IN TIME OF PANDEMIC



The ancient fresco of Madonna del Soccorso (Our Lady of Help) in St. Peter's Basilica was restored with the support of the Knights of Columbus to mark the Year of Faith (2012-2013). Photo courtesy of Fabbrica di San Pietro/M. Falcioni.

O Mary,
you always brighten our path
as a sign of salvation and of hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick,
who, at the Cross, took part in Jesus' pain
while remaining steadfast in faith.

O loving Mother,
you know what we need,
and we are confident you will provide for us
as at Cana in Galilee.

Intercede for us with your Son Jesus,
the Divine Physician,
for those who have fallen ill,
for those who are vulnerable,
and for those who have died.

Intercede also for those charged with
protecting the health and safety of others
and for those who are tending to the sick
and seeking a cure.

Help us, O Mother of Divine Love,
to conform to the will of the Father
and to do as we are told by Jesus,
who took upon himself our
sufferings and carried our sorrows,
so as to lead us, through the Cross,
to the glory of the Resurrection. Amen.

*Under thy protection we seek refuge,
O Holy Mother of God.
In our needs, despise not our petitions,
but deliver us always from all dangers,
O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.*

Adapted from the prayer of Pope Francis

Sacrifice of Praise

Fifth Sunday of Lent: Ezekiel 27:12-14 / Romans 8:8-11 / John 11:1-45

Finding the Light of the World, in the World

In this week's Gospel, Jesus learns Lazarus is gravely ill. Out of great love for his friend, he chooses to travel back to Bethany. Those traveling with Jesus worry about his safety. Jesus tells the disciples they will travel during the light of day because anyone who walks in the light will not stumble — speaking here both figuratively and spiritually. Jesus is the “light of this world” (Jn 11:9), and we are called to walk in his teachings and his promises; if we walk by the light of Jesus, we will not risk stumbling into temptation nor falling away from faith.

Jesus shares seven “I Am” statements in the Scriptures. In this Gospel passage, he describes himself as light of the world, also “the resurrection and the life” (v. 25). Our hope for eternal life rests in Jesus Christ as Messiah, Savior. Could you answer Jesus with the affirmation of the belief that Martha did when he said to her: “Whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?” (vv. 25-26).

She answered, “Yes, Lord, I ... believe.” Can you make this proclamation in your own life? Do you see the generosity of God in your life, that you can trust in his



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FOR REFLECTION

- How would you categorize your ability to trust God?
- Which prayers fortify or comfort you when you feel your faith wavering?
- Does Jesus' generosity toward his friends provide consolation or hope as you present your supplications to the Lord?

power whatever the circumstances? Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead. Sometimes we are dead in our faith — whether in our prayer life, in lackluster participation in the sacraments, or in lack of time spent reading the Scriptures. We may have allowed it to wither and maybe even develop, dare we say, a stench.

Lazarus' sisters, Mary and Martha, are offered as

examples of contemplative and active prayers. When Jesus first visits them in Bethany, we find Martha anxious and busy, upset with her sister's contemplative stance at Jesus' feet. Jesus challenges her to find a balance in her life between work and prayer; she was missing that one thing needed — dedicated time with the Lord amidst all the other things to do. In John 11, with her proc-

lamation of faith in Jesus as Messiah, we witness the fruit of following Jesus' gentle admonition.

Lent is an opportunity for us to answer this same gentle exhortation from Jesus in our own lives. Beloved, you are anxious about a great many things, but only one thing is needed. Do you read those words and begin to make a list of the things for which you are worried? Can you recount the last time you sat at the Master's feet to learn from him? Do you believe you can come to Jesus with your supplications, no matter how dire or how many? Do you trust him with your life?



PRAYER TIP

Prayer bears fruit in our lives when offered in:

DEVOTION
with earnest belief

HUMILITY
with reverent awe

CONFIDENCE
with expectant hope

PERSEVERANCE
with unwavering patience

TRUST
with abandon to the will of God

An Act of Trust

The word **supplication** comes from the Latin verb *supplicare*, which means to plead humbly, or to beseech. A prayer of supplication calls for one to humble themselves before the Lord and ask (petition) for a favor only he can give. It is an act of trust in the angel Gabriel's words, "for nothing will be impossible for God" (Lk 1:37).

CATECHISM CONNECTION



"Jesus also prays for us — in our place and on our behalf. All our petitions were gathered up, once for all, in his cry on the Cross and, in his Resurrection, heard by the Father. This is why he never ceases to intercede for us with the Father. If our prayer is resolutely united with that of Jesus, in trust and boldness as children, we obtain all that we ask in his name, even more than any particular thing: the Holy Spirit himself, who contains all gifts."

— *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 2741

Prayer

Lord Jesus, you told your disciples to ask and it will be answered. In your mercy, what we receive always aligns with the will of your Father. If we, broken and sinful, strive to give good gifts to our children, how much more will our heavenly Father provide. I bring my supplications to you, trusting in your love and mercy.

Remaining Steadfast in Prayer



pleased, but not so much that I had been cured as that Jesus had chosen me for his child."

St. Gemma Galgani preferred to engage in informal prayer in the form of continually conversing with God throughout the day and night. This way, she believed, was the way to assure she remained in the presence of God at all times. Gemma spent a year suffering from spinal tuberculosis. After two failed attempts at reciting a novena to the Sacred Heart, she persevered and tried once more. This time, not only did she complete the nine days of prayer, but she also received a miraculous and complete cure of her ills upon its completion. Grateful to be cured, her focus remained on Jesus; "I too was

"V. We adore you, Christ, and we praise you.

R. Because by your holy cross, You have redeemed the world."

— TRADITIONAL STATIONS OF THE CROSS BY ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI

