

**Stewardship Message**

“And ‘to love him with all your heart, with all your understanding, with all your strength, and to love your neighbor as yourself’ is worth more than all the burnt offerings and sacrifices.” (Mark 12:33) Of all the gifts that God gives us, the one He wants the most is our heart. He wants us to share out of our love for Him, not out of obligation. Using our talent in parish ministry and contributing money to support our parish mission is important, but it’s more important to spend time in prayer with God daily and discern how He is calling us to be generous with all of our gifts. Not just the visible ones, but the invisible ones like love, mercy and forgiveness.

**Every Day-Every Way Stewards**

That we are generous with our visible gifts of charitable works and generous giving, but that we are more generous with our invisible gifts of love, mercy and forgiveness.

**Collection for October 24, 2021**

Sunday Offerings		\$13,245.78
Building Fund		\$529.00
Children’s Offerings		\$1,022.85
School Donations		\$209.00



**Prayers:** For our Armed Forces at home and overseas including **Christian Fraga, Steven Hahn, Ramon Vargas, Ian Dimmick, John Hylden, Christy Hylden, Andrew Jacobsen, Alexander Araujo, Tyson Kaas, Lt. Col. Lowell Howard, Jr., Christian Shink, Juan Borrego, Estrella Gomez, and Erick Miller.**

For our sick including **Drew Schreiber, Gil Gloria, Rob Jasso, Elaine Himes, Lois and Rick Rutherford, Jan Billings, Fr.**

**Lawrence Reilly, Silvia Rodriguez, Kathleen Barone, Pat Ray, Monica Moore, Lourdes Nelson, Jessica Floeter, Billy Sickles, Nestor Barba, Rory Valdes, Elizabeth Torres, Eva Bratton, Kim Davis, Kathy Ramirez, Bill Roe, Donna Whitehead, John Curran, Jan McCallister, Alberto Carranza, Danika Whitsett, Fr. Tom Long, Bob and Mary Ross, Jerry Mikkelsen, Kelly Freeman, Arlene Callahan, Mary Houston, Jim Nicacio, Dominic Nicacio, Luca Nicacio, Gus Perez, Phyllis and Jack Pelletier, Katie Hackney, Kathryn Evans, Marlene Madrigal, Emily Harrington, Sherri McKie, Hugo Garcia, Nancy Park, Vanessa Nicacio, Carol Smith, Pat Leskovar, Armando Rodriguez, Tony Wise, Jose Del Angel, Zara Husan, Ronald Campbell, Lindy Hobbs Styer, Raquel Cardoza, Bob DeLorenzo, Dolores Baker, Samuel Quintanilla, Frank Leifheit, Pat McKie Szacik, Christy Leskovar, Patty Brown Anne Morgan, Daria Padilla** and all parishioners experiencing health problems and for those from our community who have passed away recently, especially James McConnell, long-time parishioner.

Be sure to call when your ill family member gets better, so we can make room for someone else on the list of prayers for the sick.



**Eucharistic Adoration:**

**Jesus is waiting. Could you please help with Adoration during the times listed below?**

**Monday: 11pm; Saturday: 11pm**  
Underlined hours= no adorers

Call Carol, 582-5011, to volunteer for an hour or hable con Delmi Aleman al 509-528-8896 si desea ayudar con una hora.

“The Eucharist is the sacrament of love; It signifies love. It produces love. The Eucharist is the consummation of the whole spiritual life.” (St. Thomas Aquinas)

**The Small Church is open Monday-Friday from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm for personal silent prayer.**

**Welcome to our Parish Community!**

If you are new to St. Joseph, we welcome you – whether you have come here from another part of the country, from across the world, or simply from another parish. You have helped us celebrate the liturgy in a beautiful way. If you would like to become part of our Catholic community, fill out a registration form available on our website. Welcome!



**A NOTE FROM SERRA CLUB OF THE TRI CITIES**

“...humbly regard others as more important than yourselves...” Are you being called to help others approach the mercy of God as a **priest, deacon or in the consecrated life?**

Next week, *November 07-13, 2021*, is the **National Vocations Awareness Week**. It is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promoting vocations to ordained ministry and consecrated life through prayer and education. **Let us renew our prayers and support** for those who are considering one of these particular vocations. Observance of this week began in 1976.



**HAPPY ALL HALLOWS' EVE**

**Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK November 1-7**

Monday	6:30 am	(RIP) Elaine Loftus
	8:30 am	(RIP) Glenn Whitman
	12:05pm	All Saints' Day
	5:30 pm	
	7:00 pm	Dia de Todos los Santos
Tuesday	6:30 am	All Souls' Day
	8:30 am	
	6:00 pm	Dia de los fieles difuntos Bilingual Mass
Wednesday	6:30 am	(RIP) Pio R DeLeon
	8:30 am	(RIP) Lance Holman
Thursday	6:30 am	(RIP) Maria Paz Rodriguez Rodriguez
	8:30 am	(RIP) Lance Holman
	7:00 pm	
Friday	6:30 am	(RIP) Maria Paz Rodriguez Rodriguez
	8:30 am	(RIP) Lance Holman
Saturday	8:30 am	(RIP) Lance Holman
	5:30 pm	(RIP) Eugene Bartosik
		(RIP) George Palmieri
		(RIP) Emil Zlatich
	7:00 pm	(RIP) Elena Mora
		Almas del Purgatorio
		Hermanas Vallejo Farias
Sunday	9:00 am	(RIP) Eugene Bartosik
		(RIP) Charles Marshall Yoke
		(RIP) Gloria Wise
	11:00 am	(RIP) Lilia Santos Mayuga
		(RIP) Jim McConnell
		(RIP) George Paul
	1:00 pm	(RIP) Florita Vallejo
	5:30 pm	(RIP) Jill Gage
		(RIP) Jonathan Bautista
	7:00 pm	(Birthday) Jesus, Josue, Jesus Valencia
		(RIP) Rosa y Miguel Tejada
		(RIP) Jorge Valle

Contact the Parish Office to request a Mass for a special intention or the repose of a soul or in honor of someone’s birthday, feast day, anniversary or in memory of the day someone died. The suggested donation is \$10.00. All Masses are available for intentions.

## Arts & Crafts

**Women of St. Joseph News**  
The Art and Craft Show is coming Nov. 5-6 in Dillon Hall. We are taking donations for the raffle to be conducted at the Art and Craft Show. Donations can be dropped off at the Parish Office. We are looking for things that can help fill baskets or items that can be raffled gifts alone. The deadline for donations is November 1.



### 2022 Diocesan Annual Catholic Appeal

The programs, services, and ministries supported by the Diocesan Annual Catholic Appeal are intended to meet the needs of Catholics here in the Diocese of Yakima. The Church serves each of us, and our financial support is needed to continue God's work here in Central Washington. Remember to bring your envelopes to Mass next week if you have not already mailed them.



### Traveling Vocations Crucifixes

St Joseph's has two Traveling Vocations Crucifixes— one at the 9:00 am Mass and one at the 1:00 pm Mass. Sign up to take a crucifix (box includes the crucifix, rosary, and prayer cards) home for one week and pray for vocations—all vocations, but especially the

Priesthood, Diaconate, and Vowed Religious Life. We pray that more young men and women will hear God's call and say yes. Remember, without priests, we would not have the Eucharist or other sacraments!!

The following people are scheduled for November:

11/7	Kennedy De la Cruz	9:00 am
	Karina Valencia	1:00 pm
11/14	Vic & Wanda Parks	9:00 am
	Anselma Rivas	1:00 pm
11/21	Jim & Roberta Guzek	9:00 am
	Ana & Rolando Vargas	1:00 pm
11/28	Rebecca Maltos Carl	9:00 am
	Camerina Mariscal	1:00 pm

With questions or to sign up, contact Celine Petersen, 582-8738 for 9:00 am or Irma Valdivia, 366-4422 for 1:00 pm.

### First Friday Mass

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus  
November 5, 2021

Reconciliation 6:30 pm Small Church  
Mass 7:00 pm



*Bring Hope to Life* by helping low income, elderly neighbors with transportation. Volunteer Services of Catholic Charities Serving Central

Washington needs drivers to help clients get to grocery stores, health appointments, and more. Volunteer for a few hours per week to make a big difference for someone in our community. For information on how to apply for this opportunity, please contact Patty George at 509-943-2590, ext. 2112 or [pgeorge@catholiccharitiescw.org](mailto:pgeorge@catholiccharitiescw.org)

### All Saints' Day

Monday, November 1

Mass 6:30 am, 8:30 am, 10:30 am (SJS)

12:05 pm and 5:30 pm

Misa 7:00 pm



All Souls' Day

### All Souls' Day

Tuesday, November 2

Bi-Lingual Mass 6:00pm

All Masses in Big Church

The **St. Vincent de Paul Society** of our parish helps those in need within our parish boundaries. During this awful time of Covid, we have been staying active helping our sisters and brothers in need. We have been creative, finding ways to help while adhering to Covid protocols. The need is very great as Covid has been especially hard for low-income folks. This weekend (October 30-31) is a 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday. Please be generous! We thank you for your past and future generosity.



**St Joseph Catholic School News**  
St. Joseph's School is in need of substitute teachers as well as para educator substitutes. Please stop by the school office to pick up your application or call 509-586-0481 for more information.



### Sacrament of Baptism for Infants

Baptisms take place on third Saturdays of the month. The next available dates:

January 15, 2022

February 19, 2022



**All Baptisms are in community.**  
**There are NO private Baptisms.**

Please stop by the Parish Office to pick up a registration packet. The packet must be completed and returned to the Parish Office before a date can be given. No incomplete registrations will be accepted. No baptisms during Advent.

### The Advent Wreath

For many Christians, Advent wreaths are a favorite way to celebrate the month of December leading up to Christmas Day. Although Advent Wreaths are very popular, many are not aware of the rich meaning and symbolism embedded in this tradition. If we learn this meaning, we can appreciate it all the more!

- The **1st Sunday of Advent** symbolizes Hope with the "Prophets' Candle" reminding us that Jesus is coming.
- The **2nd Sunday of Advent** symbolizes Faith with the "Bethlehem Candle" reminding us of Mary and Joseph's journey to Bethlehem.
- The **3rd Sunday of Advent** symbolizes Joy with the "Shepherds' Candle" reminding us of the Joy the world experienced at the coming birth of Jesus.
- The **4th Sunday of Advent** symbolizes Peace with the "Angels' Candle" reminding us of the message of the angels: "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men."

Advent begins November 28.

