

# Walla Walla Catholic Parishes

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 25, 2021

## Weekend Mass Times

### St. Patrick

*No sign up required for any Masses at this time*

Saturday .....7:00 pm (Spanish)

Sunday..... 7:30 am, 9:30 am

Sunday.....12:00 pm (Spanish)

2nd Sunday .....2:00 pm (Latin)

### St. Francis

*No sign up required for any Masses at this time*

Sunday..... 8:30 am, 9:30 am

### Assumption

*No sign up required for any Masses at this time*

Saturday .....4:00 pm

Sunday.....10:30 am

## Weekday Mass

### St. Francis

Monday - Friday.....7:00am

### Assumption

Wednesday & Friday.....8:30am

### St. Patrick's

Tuesday & Thursday .....12:00noon

First Saturdays.....9:00am

## Confession Times

Saturdays.....Assumption | 3:00PM

Sundays.....St. Francis | 8:00AM

St. Patrick | 9:00AM & 11:30AM

Wednesdays.....St. Patrick | 4:30PM

(First) Fridays....Assumption | 8:00AM



## Ministry

Fr. Matthew Nicks, Pastor

Fr. Raymond Kalema,

Parochial Vicar

Fr. Curtis Seidel,

Chaplain Catholic Schools

Deacon Jim Barrow

Deacon Maclobio Robles

Deacon Olegario Reyes

Maddi Baird, R.E. Director

Karin Western, Facility

Coordinator / Bookkeeper

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(509) 525-3310

St. Francis: Ext. 1

Assumption: Ext. 2

St. Patrick: Ext. 3

Mailing Address:

408 W. Poplar

Walla Walla, WA 99362

VISIT OUR WEBSITE:

[wwcatholic.org](http://wwcatholic.org)



## From the Pastor

April 25, 2021



Last week we considered the first reason regarding why, at the time of the Annunciation, our Lady's response to the Archangel Gabriel, "How can this be, since I have

no relations with a man," cannot be understood as a manifestation of any doubt on her part. We now turn to the second reason.

The second way we know that our Lady's question was not a manifestation of doubt is because, though our Lady may have been young, perhaps as young as fourteen or fifteen, she wasn't ignorant.

Nazareth, at the time of Jesus, was a tiny rural town of roughly four hundred inhabitants. The Blessed Virgin Mary was effectively a farm girl and I've never known a teenager from a farm who didn't have a basic idea of where babies come from. The Gospel also goes out of its way to make sure its clear that, at the time of the annunciation, the Virgin Mary is already engaged to be married to St. Joseph. So, unlike her relative, Elizabeth, our Lady is not beyond childbearing years nor is she without the possibility of marital relations as she has a husband already lined up.

There is nothing about this context that would make sense for her doubting an angel's message that she is soon to have a baby boy. In fact, a young married woman having a child would be the most natural thing in the world, not a reason for doubt. No. There is just no logical way that her question can be construed as stemming from doubt or a lack of faith. Her faith was firm.

However, her question should still give us pause, not as a manifestation of doubt, but as peculiar in another way. If it was obvious to our Lady how a young married woman would become a mother, why did she ask how *she* was to become a mother?

We will continue with the answer to that question next week.

Praised be Jesus Christ, now and forever!

In Christ,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Fr. Nicks".

Fr. Nicks

## Pulpit Announcements

Join us for our  
**Annual May  
Crowning!**

Everyone is welcome!  
Wednesday, May 5 at 1:00pm  
Assumption Church parking lot

Visit the link below or scan  
the QR Code to sign up to  
bring flowers for Our Lady!  
[tinyurl.com/CrowningFlowers](https://tinyurl.com/CrowningFlowers)



**THANK YOU! A Big Thank you to John and Terry Czarnecki of *Light and Line Stained Glass Studio!* They did a magnificent job on our Adoration Chapel window. We are also so very grateful to Joe Ascherl who did the window frame, built the altar, laid the flooring and so much more!**



## Walla Walla Catholic Schools

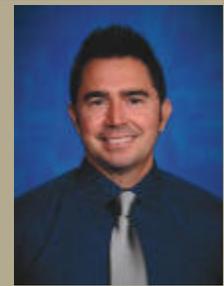
*Strong in Virtue, Exceptional in Learning, Generous in Service*

### HOLY HOUR CHANGE

The WWCS Wednesday Holy Hour has now moved to St. Patrick Church at 4:00 PM. Even though this remains a Walla Walla Catholic Schools event, it is still open to the community and we hope that you will join us in prayer!

Are you interested in enrolling your child at the ELC, Assumption, or DeSales for the 2021-22 school year? Contact our Enrollment Coordinator, Geoff White, for more information and to schedule a tour! Email Geoff at [gwhite@thewwcs.com](mailto:gwhite@thewwcs.com), or contact him by phone at (509) 525-9283.

Make sure to ask about applying online! We recently made the change to a paperless online enrollment application, so applying has never been easier!



**DeSales Catholic High School**  
Principal: John Lesko  
919 E Sumach St, Walla Walla, WA  
(509) 525-3030

**Assumption Catholic Grade School**  
Principal: John Lesko  
2066 E Alder St, Walla Walla, WA  
(509) 525-9283

**Assumption Early Learning Center**  
Geoff White - ELC/Director  
2096 E Alder St, Walla Walla, WA  
(509) 525-9478

# Tri-Parish Faith and Formation

## Sacraments

### Baptism

Baptism classes are the first Saturday of every month. Please contact Deacon Jim Barrow at: [jimb@bmi.net](mailto:jimb@bmi.net) or call your parish office.

### Confirmation & First Eucharist

Sign ups are over for this year.

### Marriage Preparation

Contact one of the priests at least 4 months before your desired wedding date.

### Anointing of the Sick

If you or someone you know is homebound, and wants to receive Communion or the Sacrament of Anointing, please contact your parish office.

### RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults  
For info. email Roger Williams at:  
[rwilliams0109@icloud.com](mailto:rwilliams0109@icloud.com)

### Tri-Parish Prayer Group:

Meets Monday afternoon 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the Nativity Hall at St. Patrick's. Please wear a mask, we practice safe distancing. For more information or if you have a prayer request call Loraine at 529-4378. All are welcome.

## Adult Education

### Natural Family Planning

For information on learning family planning methods approved by the Catholic Church call: Kathy Martuscelli at 529-1020.



If you have a loved one in a nursing home or facility who is Catholic, get them on the list to receive Holy Communion. Call your parish office for contact information.

Women of Faith have decided to cancel our gatherings on Thursdays, 1-3 at St. Patrick youth room, until Covid numbers make it safer to gather. Sue Logsdon will contact the participants after Thanksgiving regarding when we would restart. Thanks.

Learning about our faith has never been more accessible! **FORMED.ORG**  
Watch from your phone or computer and on Roku! Our Free parish access:  
[wwcatholic.formed.org](http://wwcatholic.formed.org)

## Sacramental Prep & Religious Education K-5

Tri Parish R.E. Director | Maddi Baird

R.E. Office, 408 W. Poplar, Walla Walla

[redirector@wwcatholic.com](mailto:redirector@wwcatholic.com) | 509-525-3310 Ext. 4

Maddi's Office Hours:

Tuesday - Friday | 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM

If these times do not work,  
please call for an appointment.



### 4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



# Tri-Parish Outreach and Evangelization

 Catholic  
Social Concerns Ministry

April 24 & 25, 2021

Mission Statement: *The Tri-Parish Catholic Social Concerns Ministry is made up of parishioners from St. Patrick, St. Francis and Assumption parishes, who strive, in the light of Gospel values, to raise awareness of and address social concerns in our community and society through word and deed.* For more information regarding this column please contact Sue Logsdon at [slogsdon@hotmail.com](mailto:slogsdon@hotmail.com).

## **THE EASTER SEASON IS A TIME OF**

**WITNESS:** many of the readings during this Easter season recount the apostles witnessing with boldness, telling the story of Jesus and his resurrection. They were enabled to do this, even under threat of punishment, by the empowering of the Holy Spirit.

**REFLECT:** Do I witness to others about my faith? Do I believe it is my obligation and duty to share my faith? Am I embarrassed or fearful to talk to family, friends or co-workers about Jesus? Do I truly believe that following Jesus makes a difference in my life? ***DID YOU KNOW*** that you received the Holy Spirit when you were baptized and at your confirmation? Call on the Holy Spirit for courage and wisdom in sharing your faith.

## **APRIL SPECIAL INTENTION OF POPE**

**FRANCIS:** “O God, during this time when we recall your Son's resurrection, we pray for those who risk their lives while fighting for fundamental rights under dictatorships, authoritarian regimes and even in democracies in crisis.”

## **ISSUES FACING CHRISTIANS AND PEOPLE OF CONSCIENCE IN OUR WORLD TODAY:**

**Immigration,** especially those who flee persecution and violence for a better life “May the light of the risen Jesus be a source of rebirth for migrants fleeing from war and extreme poverty. Let us recognize in their faces the marred and suffering face of the Lord as He walked the path to Calvary. May they never lack concrete signs of solidarity and human fraternity, a pledge of the victory of life over death.” Pope Francis Easter 2021

**Racism** “Racism is an evil which endures in our society and in our Church. Despite apparent advances and even significant changes...the reality of racism remain. In large part it is only the external appearances that have changed.” American Bishops, *Brothers and Sisters*.



**CHRIST IS RISEN! And lives among us !THANK YOU ALL SO MUCH** for sharing Easter Joy with our global family through CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES RICE BOWL! If you haven't yet donated but wish to, please either use our online donation page <https://crs.donordrive.com/team/WallaWallaCatholicParishes> or turn your donation in this week to one of the parish offices so that we may total up the donations and send our check on to CRS. 25% of gifts stay here in Eastern WA for hunger & nutrition-focused programs; 75% of gifts support CRS' humanitarian programs around the world.

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**THE TRADITIONAL SACRED LITURGY**

**2nd Sunday, May 9th, 2021 | 2:00pm**

**St Patrick's Catholic Church**

**Celebrant: Father Matthew Nicks**

Find out more: <https://wwcatholic.org/latin-mass/>

# Tri-Parish Ministries and Evangelization



**KNIGHTS OF COLUBUS** Is God calling YOU to become a Knight? Application forms are available from any member of the Knights of Columbus. Website: [www.koc766.org](http://www.koc766.org) **Grand Knight: Carl Ungerec**  
[carlju01@pocketinet.com](mailto:carlju01@pocketinet.com) or [michaelflohr766@gmail.com](mailto:michaelflohr766@gmail.com)



## CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICAS

Court St. Cecelia # 668  
Instituted June 5, 1921.

“ 100 Year Anniversary – 1921-2021 “

**MOTTO: Unity and Charity**  
CDA Mission Statement

“Catholic Daughters of the Americas strives to embrace the principle of faith working through love in the promotion of justice, equality, and the advancement of human rights and human dignity. We would love to have you join us. For question call Deanna Smith, Regent 525-1516 Or Monesa Grant Vice Regent 509-240-7724

## CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS



Catholic Young Adults, welcome! We meet on Wednesdays at 7pm for fellowship, music, and to listen to an engaging and unique speaker. Our fellowship is for those between 18 and 35 years of age. Location: St. Patrick's Catholic Church Gym, 1320 W. Henry St. Pasco, WA 99301. Jacob Andersen cell 509-405-9598 for questions.



## Recovery Rosary

Are you or someone you know struggling with alcohol, drugs or any unhealthy attachment? If so please join us for our Recovery Rosary 6:00-6:30PM on the 1st and 3rd Monday of the month at St. Francis Church. All are welcome. For information contact Jezzra Elstrom at: [taylorjezra@gmail.com](mailto:taylorjezra@gmail.com) or 301-9032.

**Does your business want to advertise in our bulletin? Contact Michelle:**  
[mjacobs@4lpi.com](mailto:mjacobs@4lpi.com)

## Walla Walla Valley Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday 12pm - Saturday 12pm

At Assumption Church in the Adoration Chapel

Go through the main doors and to the right.

Contact a captain to sign up!

Please remember to social distance from others who are praying.

Greg & Sue Fazzari: [gfazzari@thewwcs.com](mailto:gfazzari@thewwcs.com)

Mike & Terri Neal: [nealfamily@live.com](mailto:nealfamily@live.com)

Don & Kathy Martuscelli: [kathy.martuscelli@gmail.com](mailto:kathy.martuscelli@gmail.com)

*“The devotion to the Eucharist is the most noble because it has God as its object; it is the most profitable for salvation, because It gives us the Author of Grace; it is the sweetest, because the Lord is Sweetness Itself.”- St. Pius X*

Check us out on facebook



## Check out the Tri-Parish App

To Get the App

Search in the App Store

or Google Play Store for:

Walla Walla Catholic



[www.ParishSolutionsCo.com/Walla](http://www.ParishSolutionsCo.com/Walla)  
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schedule and Make a donation  
online! <http://www.khssradio.com>

## Elizabeth Ministry

We are a woman-to-woman mentoring program to support women during the joys, challenges and sorrows of the childbearing years. We provide peer support, spiritual nourishment and inspirational resources. For assistance or if you are interested in joining our ministry, contact: Nancy Milton We provide peer support, spiritual nourishment and inspirational resources. Support may be provided in the form of visits, phone calls, e-mails, greeting cards, prayer, and other assistance. Contact Nancy at: [nancyjmilton8@gmail.com](mailto:nancyjmilton8@gmail.com) or 916-612-1546.

## Chesterton Society Meeting

This is a fun group full of folks who love G.K. Chesterton. For more information, contact Kathy Wikman, 509 386-7813 or email: [kwikman3@gmail.com](mailto:kwikman3@gmail.com)



# St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

722 W. Alder Street - Walla Walla, Washington 99362 (509) 525-3310 Ext. 1



Founded in 1915 as a spiritual home for Italian immigrants, St. Francis is a community of Roman Catholics who draw strength and vision from the Gospel and participation in the sacramental life of the Church, inspired by their patron saint's spirit of humility and simplicity strive to be instruments of God's peace and reconciliation by in need in the Walla Walla Valley.

Tuesday & Thursday  
8:00a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Office Manager: Terri Neal  
Leave a message at 525-3310 Ext. 1  
or email: [stfrancis@wwcatholic.com](mailto:stfrancis@wwcatholic.com)

## MASS INTENTIONS April 25-May 2

Sunday, April 25

8:30 AM | Mark Daltoso+

9:30 AM | Frances Maccarone+

Monday

7:00AM | Carol Wilson +

Tuesday

7:00AM | Tomasa Siller +

Wednesday

7:00AM | Virgil Reynolds +

Thursday

7:00AM | David Ferraro+

Friday

7:00AM | Frances Maccarone+

Sunday, May 2

8:30 AM | Jim Barclay+

9:30 AM | Martha Burroughs+

## Organizations

**Finance Council:** Chair: Dominick Elia, Lorraine Manuel, Andrew Neal, Kevin Magnaghi

**Pastoral Council:** Lisa Cox, Marguerite Daltoso, Tina Deccio, Rosalie Lesko, Claire Valente, Stephen Fausti, Donny Biagi, Chad Kjeldgaard, Tim Pettyjohn

## St Ann's Altar Society



All women of St. Francis are invited and encouraged to join St Ann's. Please call Lisa Cox (386-3238) for more information. Saint Ann, Pray for us!

**There will be an Altar Society Meeting on Sat, May 8th at 10am in the church basement. Not yet a member? Come and get signed up.**

## President:

Lisa Cox

## Altar Care:

May 1: Helen Tompkins

May 8: Patti Locati

## Linens:

Claudia Deccio, Debbie Kleinhesselink



*The Month of May is dedicated to Mary!*

There will be a May Crowning on Sunday, May 2nd at 8:30 am Mass. If you have extra flowers in your garden, please bring them. The children of our parish are invited to carry

up the flowers in the procession. Please join us.

**Are you interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister to the Homebound and care facilities? There will be a training soon! Contact Kathy: 529-1020 or Shirley: 240-1407.**

## PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR PARISH!

Please continue to support your parish through these trying times. Some different options are:

- Mail in your donation. If you want envelopes, let us know.
- Set up online giving. It is easy and on our website:

WWCATHOLIC.ORG



If you know of a parishioner who is sick or in crisis, get us their name and address and we will send them a card of encouragement. Call the parish office and leave a message or email: [stfrancis@wwcatholic.com](mailto:stfrancis@wwcatholic.com)

## ANOIDING OF THE SICK

If you or someone you know is homebound, and in need of the Sacrament of Anointing, please contact your parish office at 525-3310.

# Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church

2098 E. Alder Street Walla Walla, Washington 99362 (509) 525-3310 Ext. 2



In 1953, Bishop Charles D. White established the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish in Walla Walla. The community undertook the building of a grade school. Over the next decade, there were added a convent, the rectory and our spacious modern church. Following the example of our Patroness, Assumption Parish strives to live a sacramental life, witnessing the Gospel, in our service to others.

We **WELCOME** you to Assumption Parish. If you wish to learn more about us, please fill out the Welcome Card located in the pew racks.

## OFFICE HOURS:

**Monday: 9am-12pm**

**Thursday: 9am-12pm**

## OFFICE MANAGER:

Mary White

Email: [assumption@wwcatholic.com](mailto:assumption@wwcatholic.com)

## PASTORAL COUNCIL:

Anne Golden, Mike Levens, Patty Konen, Sally Buchanan-Rojo, Jerry Anhorn Jr, Michelle Moramarco, Chandra Hall

## BABY BASKET MINISTRY

The Baby Basket Ministry would love to gift a basket of items for newborn including diapers, wet wipes, lotion, shampoo, an outfit and a homemade quilt. Arrangements for delivery are flexible however the family prefers. Let Mary Owens, 525 3697 or Kit Chryst, 301 0818 know your good news!

## MASS INTENTIONS APRIL 24-MAY 2

**April 24-25**

**Saturday, 4:00pm | Anita Kemmy Sp. Int.**

**Sunday, 10:30am | Jim Manion +**

**Wednesday, 8:30am | Virgil Reynolds+**

**May 1-2**

**Saturday, 4:00pm | John Crowley Sp. Int.**

**Sunday, 10:30am | Michael Paul Salazar +**

## *Works of Mercy*

### **Spiritual**

Instruct the ignorant.  
Counsel the doubtful.  
Admonish the sinners.  
Bear wrongs patiently  
Forgive offenses.  
Comfort the afflicted.  
Pray for the living & dead.

### **Corporal**

Feed the Hungry  
Give Drink to the Thirsty  
Clothe the Naked  
Shelter the Homeless  
Visit the Sick  
Visit the Imprisoned  
Bury the Dead

**Matthew 25:40** "And the king will say to them in reply, 'Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me.'"

**Are you interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister to the Homebound and care facilities? There will be a training soon! Contact Kathy: 529-1020 or Shirley: 240-1407.**

## **TRI-PARISH DIAPER DRIVE**



Please put your donations in the Baby carriage in the back of Assumption Church of diapers and wipes for Catholic Charities and other agencies in town that are in need of diapers. It will be there year round.



## **ASSUMPTION CHURCH WOMEN**

**President | Michelle Moramarco: 509 301-5325**

**Vice-President | Teresa Ascherl: 425-327-8603**

## **PLEASE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT YOUR PARISH!**

Please continue to support your parish through these trying times. Some different options are:

- Mail in your donation.
- Set up online giving. It is easy and there is a button on our new website: [wwcatholic.org](http://wwcatholic.org) or sign up here: <https://osvonlinegiving.com/4582>



## **Anointing of the Sick**

If you or someone you know is homebound, and wants to receive the Sacrament of Anointing, please contact your parish office at 525-3310.

# St. Patrick Catholic Church

408 West Poplar Street Walla Walla, Washington 99362 (509) 525-3310 Ext. 3



Born of the original 1846 Diocese of Walla Walla, St. Patrick Parish is a culturally diverse community of Roman Catholics who, in cooperation with other Christians in the Walla Walla Valley, strive to worship God, foster spiritual growth among its members, and serve others according to

## Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
9AM -1:00PM

## Office Manager:

Sonia Muro

Email: [stpatrick@wwcatholic.com](mailto:stpatrick@wwcatholic.com)

ST. PATRICK PARISH

## LIGHT MINISTRY

LADIES IN GOD'S HOUSE TOGETHER



Revel in the great promise of  
God's salvation  
while you are enjoying  
the bloom of spring!

**NEXT MEETING:** MAY 5TH @ 6:30 @ MAUREEN HALL'S @  
505 E. TIETAN. WE WILL DISCUSS INSTALLING THE STATUE OF  
OUR LADY OF THE UNBORN AND PRAYER BENCH, NEW ALTAR  
LINENS, UPDATING THE WEDDING BINDER, **SOCIAL BBQ ON JUNE  
16TH TO HONOR OUR PRIESTS IN WALLA WALLA.**

### **PLEASE CALL LIGHT OFFICERS FOR INFO:**

KAREN HEINZMAN, PRES	509-525-3558
MONICA GAFFREY, VP/SEC	509-301-7178
MAUREEN HALL, TREAS	509-301-6037

## **Pastoral Council:**

Antonio Caso, Salvador Esquivel, Shawna Sweeney, Steve Droke, Catherine Worden, Monica Gaffrey, Roger Treis.

## **MASS INTENTIONS April 26-May2**

### **Monday**

7:00AM | Carol Wilson +

### **Tuesday**

7:00AM | Tomasa Siller +

### **Wednesday**

7:00AM | Virgil Reynolds +

### **Thursday**

7:00AM | David Ferraro+

### **Friday**

7:00AM | Frances Maccarone+

### **Saturday, May1**

7:00PM | Tri-Parish parishioners

### **Sunday May 2**

7:30 am—Jerome Harrigan +

9:30 am—Irene Gleason +

12:00 pm—Antonio Quezada/Sara Damian

## **WELCOME BABY MINISTRY**



If you are expecting a baby or recently had a baby, please let us know so we can get a new baby gift basket to you. We would also love to provide you and your family with some meals as you get settled. Contactless drop off can be arranged during Covid. Please call Jennifer Caso with your baby news.(509). 301-7103.

## **THE TRI-PARISH PRAYER GROUP**

Meets Monday afternoon 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the Nativity Hall at St. Patrick's. Please wear a mask as we will practice safe distancing. For more information or if you have a prayer request call Loraine Valencsin at 529-4378. All are

## **PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR PARISH!**

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It is easy to do.

<https://osvonlinegiving.com/4583> There is also a button on our website: [wwcatholic.org](http://wwcatholic.org)

# Parroquia San Patricio

408 West Poplar Street Walla Walla, Washington 99362 (509) 525-3310  
AVISOS EN ESPAÑOL IV DOMINGO DE PASCUA



Nacida original de la Diócesis de Walla Walla de 1846, la parroquia de San Patricio es una comunidad diversa culturalmente de Católicos Romanos que, en cooperación con otros cristianos en el V alle de Walla Walla, se esfuerza por adorar a Dios, fomentar el crecimiento espiritual entre sus miembros y servir a los demás de acuerdo al Evangelio de Jesucristo.

25 DE ABRIL, 2021

## Horario de Oficina:

Lunes, Miercoles y  
Viernes

9:00 – 3:00

## Office Manager:

Sonia Muro

## BAUTISMOS Y PLATICAS PREBAUTISMALES

PROXIMA PLATICA BAUTISMAL EL 3 DE MAYO 2021 A LAS 7 PM EN EL SALON NATIVIDAD.

**BAUTISMOS: EL PROXIMO BAUTISMO SE LLEVARA A CABO EL 22 DE MAYO. POR FAVOR LLAME A LA OFICINA PARROQUIAL PARA REGISTRARSE PARA LOS BAUTISMOS Y PLATICAS PRE-BAUTISMALES.**

## CATECISMO—2020-2021

Directora de Educación Religiosa, Maddi Baird.

**EVANGELIO**—En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a los fariseos”

“Yo soy el Buen Pastor. El buen pastor da la vida por sus ovejas. En cambio, el asalariado, el que no es el pastor ni el dueño de las ovejas, cuando ve venir al lobo, abandona las ovejas y huye; el lobo se arroja sobre ellas y las dispersa, porque a un asalariado no le importan las ovejas,

Yo soy el buen pastor, porque conozco a mis ovejas y ellas me conocen a mí, así como el Padre me conoce a mí y yo conozco al Padre. Yo doy la vida por mis ovejas.

Tengo además otras ovejas que no son de este redil y es necesario que las traiga también a ellas, escucharán mi voz y habrá un solo rebaño y un solo pastor.

El Padre me ama porque doy mi vida para volverla a tomar. Nadie me la quita; yo la doy porque quiero. Tengo poder para darla y lo tengo también para volverla a tomar. Este es el mandato que he recibido de mi Padre”.

## JOVENES DE SECUNDARIA Y PREPA

MIDDLE SCHOOL/SECUNDARIA grados 6– 8  
Mary White—High School Grados 9-12. NO SE ESTAN REUNIENDO POR EL MOMENTO

## INTENCIONES DE MISAS-APR. 26–MAY-2

### Monday

7:00AM | Carol Wilson +

### Tuesday

7:00AM | Tomasa Siller +

### Wednesday

7:00AM | Virgil Reynolds +

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7:00AM | David Ferraro+

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12:00 pm—Antonio Quezada/Sara Damian +

## PLATO DE ARROZ DE CRS—

Nuestra comunidad cambió vidas esta Cuaresma, y Plato de Arroz de CRS quiere decir !Gracias! Si todavía tiene un Plato de Arroz, no olvide traerlo a la Iglesia la próxima semana o a la oficina parroquial. También puede elegir donar a través de nuestra página de datos en línea de Arroz Bowl: <https://crs.donordrive/team/WallaWallaCatholicParishes>



La semana pasada consideramos la primera razón aobre porqué, en el momento de la Anunciación la respuesta de Nuestra Señora al Arcángel Gabriel, “Como puede ser

esto, ya que no tengo relaciones con ningún hombre,” no puede ser entendido como una manifestación de ninguna duda de su parte.

Ahora seguimos con la segunda razón.

La segunda forma es que sabemos que la pregunta de Nuestra Señora no fue una manifestación de duda es porque, aunque Nuestra Señora pudo haber sido tan joven, quizás tan joven como catorce o quince años, no era ignorante.

Nazaret, en la época de Jesús, era un pequeño pueblo rural de aproximadamente cuatrocientos habitantes. La Bendita Virgen Maria era efectivamente una chica de granja y nunca he conocido a una adolescente de granja que no tenga la idea básica de donde vienen los bebés. El Evangelio también hace todo lo possible para asegurarse de que quede claro que, en el momento de la Anunciación, la Virgen Maria ya estaba comprometida para casarse con San José. Entonces a diferencia de su pariente Isabel, Nuestra Señora no está más allá de la edad fértil ni carece de la

posibilidad de tener relaciones matrimoniales, ya que ya tiene un marido en fila.

No hay nada en este contexto que pueda tener sentido para que ella dude del mensaje del ángel de que ella pronto va a tener un hijo varón. De hecho, una mujer joven casada que tenga un hijo seria la cosa más natural del mundo, no una razón para dudar. NO. Simplemente no hay una forma lógica de que su pregunta pueda interpretarse como derivada de la duda o la falta de fé. Su fé era firme.

Sin embargo, su pregunta deberia darnos una pausa, no como una manifestación de duda, pero tan peculiar de otro modo. Para Nuestra Señora era obvio como una joven casada se convertiria en madre, porqué preguntó como iba a convertirse en madre? Continuaremos con la respuesta a esa pregunta la próxima semana.

Alabado Sea Jesucristo, ahora y siempre!

En Cristo,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Fr. Nicks". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly stylized font.

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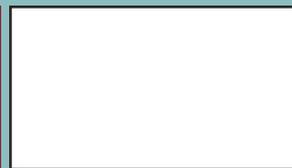
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