



Sacred Heart Catholic Church

**219 E. Rockwood Blvd.
Spokane, WA 99202**

*25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 19, 2021*

The pastor and parishioners of Sacred Heart Catholic Church
warmly welcome you to our parish family!

We hope that you find us to be a family of faith and love, exemplifying
in word and deed the generosity of the Father, the self-giving service of
Jesus Christ, and the enduring presence of the Holy Spirit.

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ELEMENTARY: PENDING!

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Mass Schedules:

WEEKENDS:

Reconciliation: Saturday 4:00 pm

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm (in person)

Sunday: 10:00 am (in person & livestreamed)

WEEKDAYS:

Tuesdays through Fridays, 8:30 am

HOLY DAYS:

5:30 pm

Religious Education:

Children's Liturgy of the Word:

To Be Announced

Religious Education, Kindergarten to Grade 6:

To Be Announced

For livestream events, schedules, and contact persons,
visit our website:

shparishspokane.org

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A New Home for Our Pastors...

Over the Top We Go!

We can't say THANK YOU enough! Because of your generosity, we have surpassed our fundraising goal of \$150,000, and are currently over **\$207,000** in donations and pledges. We so greatly appreciate your support!

Reconciliation

Just a reminder that Father Kevin is available for the Sacrament of Reconciliation every Saturday from 4:00—4:35 pm, in the entry area of the social hall or by appointment throughout the week.



ON-LINE GIVING !

For those interested in making their donations to Sacred Heart digitally, we now offer this service through our parish website:

shparishspokane.org/donate



New to Our Parish?

We look forward to getting to know you! Please contact our office by phone: 747-5810, e-mail:

office@shparishspokane.org, or through our website: shparishspokane.org, to register. **Welcome!**



2021 | ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL
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You may have received your **2021 Annual Catholic Appeal** letter from the Diocese recently; if not, please watch for it to arrive in your mailbox soon. Extra copies are available in the vestibule, too. Commitment weekend is next weekend: September 25th & 26th. Thank you in advance for your discernment in helping our parish reach our goal, which the Diocese has set this year at **\$65,488!**

Church Safety, *Delta Edition*

As the Delta variant of the coronavirus circulates widely in our community and out of concern for the health and safety of all, ***we now require mask wearing for all persons who attend Mass in church or who attend other parish activities indoors.***

Please also be attentive to maintaining at least **6' social distance** between yourselves and others outside your family group while in church.

We continue to ask all to receive Holy Communion ***ONLY in the hand.***

Thank you for your patience and perseverance!



Mass Intentions This Week

Saturday, Sept 18th
Sunday, Sept 19th

+Rita Enes Worrying by Kay Conlon
People of the Parish

Tues., Sept 21st

Members of the Consecrated Religious of the Spokane Diocese by Irene Dufort

Wed., Sept 22nd

+Imelda Patterson by MaryAnn Agnew

Thurs., Sept 23rd
Fri., Sept 24th

+James Bosch by Mary Conley
+Christine Johnson by Anita Lamp

Our Parish Prayer Chain: Is there illness or are there special needs in your family? Our community prayer chain looks forward to praying for you! Send your request to **Judy Felgenhauer**, jfelgen@comcast.net.

Religious Education Classes Starting Soon- Registration Now Open

Religious Education and Sacramental Prep classes will be starting soon, and we're hoping to get an idea of how many of you might be interested in joining! Please go to our parish website: shparishspokane.org, and click on the Religious Education page to find the registration form to complete. If you have any questions, or need more information, please call the office, at (509)747-5810. We look forward to starting classes soon!



Immaculate Heart Retreat Center requests Volunteers

Immaculate Heart Retreat Center has many volunteer opportunities available, and invites you to share your time and talent by volunteering for one of the following groups:

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Christmas decorating assistance

St. Joachim Volunteers

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upkeep assistance

Martha and Joseph Volunteers

Preparing rooms for
the next group of retreatants

For more details, please contact Sr. Bernadette Pederson,
Volunteer Coordinator, at 509-608-1709 or volunteer@ihrc.net



Blue Envelope Fund

Our Blue Envelopes are back in the pews and they never left your own packet of envelopes at home! Thank you for your generosity in donating to our Outreach Fund throughout the pandemic year. Your donations to the Blue Envelope Fund have helped us support our 99202 neighbors in need with their power bills, rent, and city utilities, as well as other neighborhood charities like Meals on Wheels.

Besides using an actual Blue Envelope, you can also use our on-line giving page on our website, just note in the comment line, "Blue Envelope".

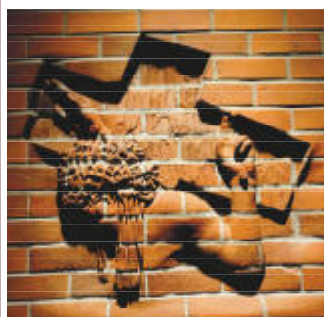
A Word from Father...

Dear Friends,

Continuing on from last week...these are a few of my favorite things about our church:



One thing I love about our church are the fourteen Stations of the Cross, so artistically carved into the very brick of the church walls. Some months ago, I was able to speak by phone with Maxine Martell, the daughter of the architect, Carroll Martell, and the artist who designed and executed the Stations; she told me that at the time, there was quite a bit of consternation among some in the parish because they were not "traditional" enough. I responded that nowadays, they are loved by everyone, not least by myself. The work that went into creating those carvings was extraordinary (each green brick carved individually according to the cartoon...some of which hang in our social hall...then taken to be baked...then returned and set in place...wow!), and the results are true pieces of great art.



But what I love most is watching from my position in the sanctuary as moms or dads take a squirmly little one to the back and begin showing them the stations, and not just with their eyes, but with their little hands. It is so beautiful to see those little child hands touching and tracing and feeling the ins and outs of the carvings.

The story of Jesus is being told not just with words, but with hands and bricks! The Gospel is being proclaimed to the youngest among us!

The image of John the Baptist and Jesus carved into the brick in the baptistery would be more difficult for those little hands to reach, but at least they would have the new font with its flowing waves to touch and follow with their delicate fingers!

What a debt of gratitude we owe to Maxine Martell and her father for having the artistic foresight to know that these particular pieces of art in our church would serve us so well across the years, continue to inspire us decades on, and maybe most of all, proclaim the faith to our children!

Fr. Kevin

Farewell Father Kevin

Father Kevin's final weekend with us will be *September 25-26*. There will be an informal reception following the 5:00 pm Saturday Mass and a parish picnic/barbecue in the church yard following the 10:00 am Sunday Mass. (We will make it "covid-safe" for all of us!)





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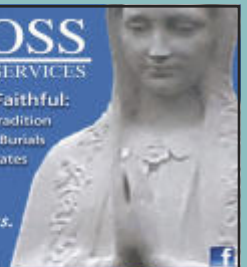
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