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Accountant Administrator: Trudie Johnson REC: Jeanie Stettler 208-540-1313 November 26th, Our Lord Jesus Christ **King of the Universe** Welcome to Saint Catherine's Catholic Church PO Box 685 Kamiah, Idaho 83536 935-2130

Intentions & Daily Mass

Website: saintcatherines.weebly.com

November 26th, Sunday 8:00am November 28th, Tuesday 5:00pm November 29th, Wednesday 7:45am November 30th, Thursday 8:30am December 1st, First Friday 5:00pm(adoration 4:00) December 3rd, Sunday 8:00am

Confessions are heard on Sundays before Mass 7:30-

1st Fridays 4 to 4:45 pm, 6 pm to 6:30 and by request. **PREPARATION FOR SACRAMENTS**

BAPTISM/1ST COMMUNION/ RECONCILIATION:

Preparation for Parents and Godparents is required prior to baptism. Contact Kathy Mincolla 208-702-2458 /Stephanie Schaff 935-9199

MARRIAGE: The engaged couple needs to complete the formal paperwork with the parish priest prior to setting the date for the wedding. Jim and Vickie O'Leary are the coordinators for Engaged Couples Education. Call 476-9128.

Youth Coordinator/Confirmation: Please contact Michelle Fabbi (208)553-6363

ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH? To register your membership with St. Catherine's Parish, please fill out the parish census form located in the plastic wall rack in the front door entryway and return it to the rectory.

RCIA: Please contact Patty Kries 935-2856

Master of Ceremony: Jacob Fabbi and Sawyer Wimer

If you would like Father to say a mass for your intentions, there are special envelopes in the back of church.

Email - bulletinSCCC@hotmail.com Call - Melinda Wimer 935-1834 Church email saintcatherinesparish@hotmail.com

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

November 26th- Lincoln and Sawyer

December 3rd- Charlie and Angel

December 10th- Orley and Aubrey

December 17th-Oniece and Peter

December 24th- Olivia and Gwen

December 25th-Kaden and Lincoln

Birthdays: 11/26-Angel Gonzalez, 11/27-Patty Kries, and 11/29-Trudie Johnson and Lincoln Schaff

Confession Schedule - Sunday from 7:30 - 7:45am. First Friday from 4 to 4:45 pm and from 6 pm to 6:30

He will also be available by appointment.

Sunday School Classes Class time is approximately 9:25 am until 10:15 am. Preschool and Kindergarten class is held downstairs in the Siena Center. All other ages have class in the Rectory. If you have any questions about classes, please call Jeanie Stettler (208) 540-1313.

Please support the kids going to ICYC this year by participating in our monthly envelope drawing fundraiser.

You could win \$30! Please grab an envelope in the back ranging from \$1-\$30 on it and write your name on the front. Please put the envelope in the next collection basket or give it to Stephanie or

Dan and Michelle Fabbi! We will have a drawing every month on youth mass to pick a winner.

Men's Conference Registration Opened November 1st

The Conference will be Saturday, February 3, 2024 at Holy Apostles in Meridian and online. For all the details and to register go

to www.ldahoCatholicMen.org or call 208-344-4774.

Upcoming Events:

Nov 26th- Sacred Heart Parish Lapwai Annual Bazaar 11:00am- 3:00pm Dec 2nd-Sts. Peter & Paul Christmas Bazaar 8:30am to 3:00pm **Dec 3rd** - Valley Singers Concert 3:00pm at St. Catherine's Dec 3rd- St. Catherine's Ladies Christmas party following coffee hour **Dec 5**th-Reconciliation Service 6:30pm Dec 6th - Soup & Movie for Advent

begins, Rosary 5:00pm, Movie and Meal to follow

Dec 8th-Feast of the Immaculate Conception 5:00pm Mass

Dec 12th - Our Lady Of Guadalupe 5:00pm

Dec 19th - Soup & Movie following 5:00pm Mass

Dec 24th- Fourth Sunday of Advent Mass 8:00am

Dec 24th- Christmas Eve Mass 7:00pm Dec 25th- Christmas Day Mass 9:00am As we prepare our homes and our hearts for Advent and the coming of Jesus, let us give thanks for our blessings and remember those who rely on the kindness and generosity of others for their basic needs. Your food donations to the **Community Food** Pantry will help make their holidays a little brighter for many.

We have created a list of **suggested** food donation options that is available in the Narthex. Please take this list as you shop, and if you have kids, have them help you pick out the items each week. Then, each Sunday of Advent, place your items in the "Advent Alive" box in the Narthex as a family. Monetary contributions can also be made using the special envelopes provided. That will allow the Food Pantry Volunteers to purchase meat, eggs and fresh produce to complete the meals. Checks can be made out to Community **Food Pantry.**

Thank you and God Bless You.

"For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink," Matthew 25:35



Parish Spotlight

We welcome Anthony and Gregory Lusich, sons of James and Nickole. So happy to have you as part of our Parish.

Maintenance Team

Pat Murphy
John Hagen

Tom Steiger Dan Edmonds

Wayne Behnke

Liturgy Team

Mary Sellitti -- 208-926-7086 Jeanie Stettler -- 208-540-1313 Virginia Daugherty-208-983-8432 Kathy Petro - 208-816-1834 Donna Hoopes - 208-935-0789 Melinda Wimer - 208-935-1834 Teresa Trulock

Finance Team

Do you have questions about parish finances? Ask anyone on the team!
Dan Fabbi-208-451-6559
Dan Drover-208-935-8500
Joe Chapman
John Wilcox
Trudie Johnson-bookkeeper-208-507-0099

Altar Society - Catholic Store

Please stop by and check the new arrivals in the Siena Center. It is open after Mass each Sunday.

Social Concerns

To fulfill our mission as Disciples of Christ by providing support to those in need.

Melinda Wimer 208-935-1834Virginia Daugherty 208-935-0003/208-983-8432

Prayer Chain

For requests for prayers Virginia Daugherty 208-983-8432 Pat Ricken, 954-482-1996

Month of the Immaculate Conception

The month of December is dedicated to the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. "From all eternity God chose with infinite wisdom the woman who would be the Mother of His divine Son. To prepare for the Word Incarnate a spotless and holy tabernacle, God created Mary in grace and endowed her from the moment of her conception with all the perfections suited to her exalted dignity. St. Thomas teaches that through her intimacy with Christ, the principle of grace, she possessed beyond all creatures a fullness of divine life." — *Liturgical Meditations*, The Sisters of St. Dominic

Things to do in December

- 1. **Pray for missionaries all over the world** who are spreading God's Word. Saint Francis Xavier's Feast Day is December
- 2. Fill your children's shoes with small gifts or wrapped candies while they're asleep to celebrate Saint Nicholas' Feast Day on December 6th.
- 3. Attend Mass on Christmas Day December 25th and the Feast of the Immaculate Conception December 8th. Both are Holy Days of Obligation.
- 4. Have a Mexican-themed dinner with roses as decorations to celebrate the feast days of Saint Juan Diego December 9th and Our Lady of Guadalupe December 12th.
- 5. Plan to give a gift (or three) to Jesus this year to celebrate His birthday. Jesus taught us that when we help those in need, we are helping Him. Find a way to give a Christmas gift to someone who is particularly in need this year.
- 6. Set up your family's Nativity scene and have a discussion about what the sights, sounds, and even smalls may have been.
- 7. Read one of the Gospel accounts of the birth of Jesus on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day. Wait until then to add Jesus to your family's Nativity scene.
- 8. Brainstorm with your family things you can do to live more like the Holy Family.
 The Feast of the Holy Family is the first
 Sunday after Christmas.
- 9 Choose an activity that will help babies, such as donating to a crisis pregnancy center, praying for babies in danger around the world, or even just spending time with a special baby in your lives. The Feast of the Holy Innocents is December 28th.

Save the Date to be Part of a Movement—Diocese of Boise Joins National Eucharistic Procession!

From May 27th to May 31st, 2024, the Diocese of Boise will take part in the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage, hosting a dozen young adults as they process with the Blessed Sacrament on their way to the Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis in July. These four national teams embark on their cross-country pilgrimage Pentecost Sunday, May 19, 2024. Along the way, they will stop at parishes to pray, process, and gather, unified around the Blessed Sacrament. This unprecedented opportunity allows the faithful in Idaho to join with one of the largest Eucharistic pilgrimages in history, as part of the national Eucharistic Revival sponsored by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.

On May 27th, Bishop Peter will meet Bishop Cary of the Diocese of Baker on the border between Oregon and Idaho, where they will solemnly transfer the Blessed Sacrament to our diocese. The Eucharistic procession will continue across the southern portion of the state before it crosses the border into Utah. The national team will make four major stops in our diocese: Corpus Christi in Fruitland; the Cathedral of St. John in Boise: St. Edward's in Twin Falls; and Holy Spirit Catholic Community in Pocatello. Save the date and plan to pray, process and be part of this historic event! More information to come on ways in which all communities will be able to participate.