

**8:00 a.m. Weekday
Mass Intentions**

- May 27 + Bob & Marie Wissink
- May 28 + Katie Owens
- May 29 + Gorgia Iskendar Rabban
+ Michaelanne Foster
- May 30 + Marian Yturri
- May 31 + Betty Sheehan



Listening Session

How are things going here, at St. Aloysius Parish? Do you have questions or topics you would like to discuss with our pastor, Fr. Tom Lamanna, SJ? Come to **O'Malley Hall** and let's visit about St. Al's commendations as well as recommendations.

Sat., June 1st, 3:30-4:30pm Sun., June 2nd, 9:45-10:45am



**PENTECOST
June 9th**

Come, Holy Spirit, Come!

The liturgical color for Pentecost is **red**. It is a day that reminds us to pour out our lives in the service of Christ.

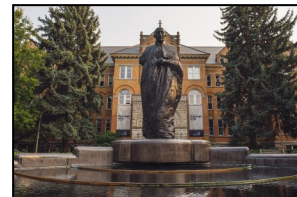
We hope you will consider wearing red to Mass on June 8th and 9th!



A disruption in our parking will result in a newly paved parish parking lot!

Please be patient as the lot behind (west of) the Parish Center is torn up and resurfaced the next couple of weeks.

This project will be done by the end of May. **Until then**, you may park in the GU/College Hall lot off of Addison St. just east of the church. (by the fountain and statue of St. Ignatius)



We've been thinking about you!

Q & A sessions about the Catholic faith

for all people and all backgrounds. These sessions are a safe place to explore your spirituality with people who care.

If you've been thinking about becoming a member of the Catholic Church, or you're simply interested in learning more about Catholicism, we invite you to attend.

Then, in the fall, if you're interested in continuing this journey of faith, you'll be welcomed into the RCIA (*Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults*) or another Sacramental Preparation program depending on your personal journey.

Our Q&A sessions will be Sundays, in the Parish Center Antonian Room, dates and times are listed below.

For questions, please contact Michele at mlassiter@dioceseofspokane.org

May 19 - 12:15-1:15pm (after 11:00 Mass)

June 9 - 12:15-1:15pm (after 11:00 Mass)

July 21 - 9:45-10:45 (between morning Masses)

August 25 - 9:45-10:45 (between morning Masses)

September 15 - 12:15-1:15 (after 11:00 Mass)



Senior Lunch

Thursday, June 6th.

12 Noon - O'Malley Hall

Please make your reservations by June 3rd. Call Karen at 313-5896. Cost \$5. Come visit, make new friends. Stay & play Bingo. (*Cards are free*)



Tuesday, June 11th

We will begin with a devotion followed by a sack lunch.

All are welcome, men and women. Info.? Call Mary Kay at 487-4632.

Sacrament of Reconciliation



will be **cancelled on June 6th** because of our **Grade School graduation.**

It will resume it's regular schedule on June 13th.



Confirmation & First Eucharist

We, at St. Aloysius Parish, are excited for your children in grades 2-5 to complete their Sacraments of Initiation, a journey of faith you began with them when you chose to Baptize them into the community of faith!

This is a fun, age appropriate program designed to prepare children for the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist.

Classes will begin in September and will run in two groups; each group will meet on alternating Sundays. **You can download the schedule and registration forms at: stalschurch.org.** Programs are also available for teens and adults.

Please contact Michele Lassiter for more information. 509.313.7009; mlassiter@dioceseofspokane.org

Justice Works: Social Ministry



Justice Prayer/Reflection

*"Eat and drink together,
talk and laugh together, enjoy life together,
but never call it friendship until you have wept together."*

(An African Saying)

*****2020 Delegation to El Salvador*****



If you feel called to walk in the footsteps of St. Oscar Romero, the Four North American Women Martyrs, the 6 Jesuits, their housekeeper and her daughter killed at the University of Central America -- if you want to deepen your faith and experience the holy -- consider

participation in the 2020 Delegation to El Salvador.
January 9-19, 2020.

Approximate cost: \$1550.00.
Some Scholarships available.

Now taking applications.

Info: Trista Rodeen:
tlrodeen@gmail.com
or 509-599-4961.

2019 Delegation



"All of us can cooperate, as instruments of God, for the care of creation, each according to his or her own culture, experience, involvements and talents."

Pope Francis, Laudato Si



Green Tips: Learn about the native flora and fauna, and see what efforts are being made to conserve wild spaces in your community.

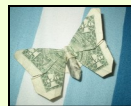
Visit a local park or natural area!

Your Sunday Contributions

| | (5/19/19) | (May) | (July-May) |
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| Contributions NEEDED: | \$ 16,100 | \$ 48,300 | \$ 740,600 |
| Contributions RECEIVED: | \$ 13,876 | \$ 44,988 | \$ 742,260 |
| Over/Shortfall: | \$ -2,224 | \$ -3,312 | \$ 1,660 |

3rd Sunday Collection for the Poor went to:

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| Catholic Charities Emergency Fund | \$ 500.00 |
| Hope House | \$ 500.00 |
| Alexandria's House | \$ 500.00 |
| Poor Fund | \$ 1,056.94 |



Thank you for your compassionate giving.

**TEXTS or
EMAILS
FROM OUR
PRIESTS!**

There have been emails and texts being sent to parishioners asking for immediate donations, gift cards or money in some form under the name of Tom Lamanna and Jerry Graham.

These are not legitimate requests! They are what is called phishing, fake texts or emails. This has not only been happening here at St. Al's, it is something that we are told is common at all kinds of churches, not just Catholic. The parish will continue to ask for donations but in the usual ways; in the bulletin and on the webpage, from the pulpit, and/or letters mailed to your home address. The only emails we would ever send would always be by way of our diocesan email address: **.....@dioceseofspokane.org** and there will always be a disclaimer at the bottom of the email:

Disclaimer: The information contained in this communication from the sender is confidential. It is intended solely for use by the recipient and others authorized to receive it.....

Thank you for your diligence and patience in this digital age.

Upcoming Events

ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

5/31- Fun! Run at the Grade School

6/6- 8th Grade Graduation at St. Al's Church

6/13- Last Day of School Mass 9:00 am -St. Al's Church

"CAST of Characters Drama Camp!"

Mr. Michael Barfield (St. Al's drama director) and Mrs. Jenna Solberg (Cataldo music director) will lead this year's camp, packed with diverse theatre workshops, improv, singing, choreography, and a final performance for family and friends to attend! The camp is hosted at Gonzaga Prep and runs for two full weeks:

August 5-16, 9am-3pm every day.

Open to all students going into grades 4-8.

Spots are limited, so don't wait too long to sign up!

Go to: <https://qrgo.page.link/H8ot>.

Questions? Email Mr. Barfield at mbarfield@dioceseofspokane.org.



SUMMER RETREATS in the area:

Immaculate Heart Retreat Center

ihrc.net; 6910 S. Ben Burr Rd., Spokane, 509-448-1224

8 Day Ignatian Silent Retreat

July 14—21; Fr. Jeff Putthoff, SJ

Cursillo Movement Weekend

Men—August 1-4; Women—August 8-11

Contact Jim Peterson for more information on this weekend: 280-2004; spokanecursillo@gmail.com

Spirit Center

(at the Monastery of St. Gertrude in Cottonwood, Idaho)
www.Spirit-Center.org 208-962-2000

A Sip of Silence - August 10-12

Sr. Lillian Englert, OSB and team

Introduction to Centering Prayer - August 17-19

Darlyne Pape, and Donna Kreiensieck