

This Sunday, October 4

8:30 am Mass / CLW / Preschool
 8:30 - 11:00 am 6th Grade Car Wash for New Hope
Blood Pressures / Religious Goods Sale
 9:40 am Religious Ed Grades 1- 6
 11:00 am Mass / CLW / Preschool
 7:00 pm Sr. High Youth Group



Monday, October 5

7:30 am Mass
 7:00 pm Scouts

Tuesday, October 6

7:00 am Men's Prayer Group
 9:15 am Avalon Nursing Home and
 Northpointe Assisted Living Ministries
 7:00 pm Faith Formation

Wednesday, October 7

7:30 am Mass
Women's Guild Day of Devotion
 7:00 pm Jr. High Youth Group
 7:00 pm RCIA Inquiry
 7:00 pm Just Faith
 7:00 pm Neighbors Helping Neighbors



Thursday, October 8

7:00 pm First Reconciliation Preparation

Friday, October 9

9:30 am Mass
 10:00 am Women's Faith Sharing

Saturday, October 10

8:00 am - 4:00 pm Boy Scouts Rummage Sale
 4:30 pm Reconciliation
 5:30 pm Mass

Next Sunday, October 11

8:30 am Mass / CLW / Preschool
 9:40 am Religious Education Grades 1-6
 11:00 am Mass / CLW / Preschool
 7:00 pm Sr. High Youth Group



All Souls Day Remembrance

A Book of Remembrance for All Souls Day will be available in the lobby for the month of October for those who wish to record the names of loved ones to be remembered on November 2nd.

Next Weekend's Liturgy

Scripture Readings

October 10th- 11th 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wisdom 7:7-11 (143B)
Hebrews 4:12-13
Mark 10:17-30



Finance Council Report

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP INCOME

\$ 5,050.00 Envelopes
 \$ 408.27 Plate
 \$ 0.00 Other
 \$ 5,458.27 Total

Thank you!

The Finance Council's Year-to-date stewardship income budget is \$75,400.00. We have achieved to-date 71,535.52 - a shortfall of \$3,864.48.

We have 722 families registered in the parish.

Knights of Columbus

Officers Meeting - October 29th - 7:00 pm
 Halloween Carnival - October 31st-6:30 pm
 Business Meeting - November 5th - 7:00 pm
 4th Degree - November 5th (after Business Mtg.)
 Officers Meeting - November 19th - 7:00 pm



Dinner Group

Please sign up for an evening of fun and fellowship once a month for parishioners to get together. We are hoping to have several groups of eight. Each Group will decide whether to do a dinner, potluck, movie etc. Please sign up in the lobby after the Masses this weekend! For further information call Debbie or Dan McKinney at 466-2528.



Breakfast with Dino Rossi

As a husband, father, and businessman, Dino will be speaking on the importance of fidelity to the teachings of Christ and His Church in marriage, in life, in the home, in business, and in public office. This fundraiser for St. Patrick Catholic School in Spokane will be held at The Lincoln Center, just north of downtown Spokane, on Wednesday, October 21, 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Reservations are required. Please call Maurice Prater by Monday, October 5, to register, (509) 638-2527.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"...what God has joined together, no human being must separate." Learn how to make your marriage unbreakable. The Next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is in Spokane, Oct. 23-25. Contact Ken & Cheryl Nagle for more information at (509)255-6085 or (509)389-2514.

Looking Ahead

Oct 13th Little Rock Bible Study begins 7:00 pm
 Oct 10th Troop 288 Rummage Sale
 Oct 17th-18th Ministry Fair
 Oct 31st Halloween Carnival
 Nov 29th Family Advent Event

Religious Education

First Reconciliation Workshop

First Reconciliation workshops for parents and fourth grade students and older children who have not celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be held on Thursdays, October 8th and 22nd and November 5th from 7:00 - 8:15 pm. Children celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation are required to either participate in the parish Religious Education program or attend Catholic school. First Reconciliation will be celebrated on Thursday, November 19th at 7:00 pm



Interested in the Catholic Faith?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process that prepares and welcomes the un-baptized or those baptized in other Christian faiths into the Catholic faith community. Meetings are Wednesday evenings from 7 - 9 pm. For more information please contact Sr. Kathleen at 466-4991.

Little Rock Bible Study

We will begin the study of "The Infancy Narratives of Jesus" on Tuesday, October 13th and continue for four weeks until November 4th. This study focuses on the connection between the Old and New Testaments.



Deepen your longing for the Messiah's coming again and ask God to be Emmanuel, "God with us". Guest speaker will be Fr. Patrick Hartin, Gonzaga professor. Please join us on Tuesdays from 7:00-8:30 pm. Registration and payment for study sets will be after the Masses on September 3rd & 4th. The cost is \$20.00.

New Hope Resource Center

Thank you for helping families in our community who are struggling. We are looking forward to donations of coats and blankets for the approaching cold weather. If you would like to donate toiletries, our supply of the following is running low: women's deodorant, size 5 diapers, baby wipes, dish soap, liquid hand soap, laundry softener, razors, and shower gel. Thank you for all your contributions of school supplies. Many families were blessed with your help as their children began the new school year. If your family is struggling financially, we invite you to visit New Hope's clothing bank.

Share the Food

Share the Food would like to thank all those who stepped forward to help with our first dinner. If you still want a chance to serve, contact Sharon Randall at 468-9949, Patt Perlman at 464-1497 or Peggy Ellingson at 464-1102

Teens "Stay Tuned...!"



Jr. High

Wed. Oct 7th – Theme: "Self Esteem". How we see ourselves and how God sees us.

Wed. Oct 14th – Service project in the works for a Senior neighbor....more information to follow. We will meet at the church after school at 3:30pm and then car pool to nearby location. We will arrive back at St. Joseph's by 6:30pm. Dress appropriately for the weather and bring any rakes, garden tools, and gloves that you can!!! Drivers are needed please!!!! Parents please call Lauren if you can carpool...368-4982.

Wed. Oct 21st - Theme: "Battle of Wills". The tug of war we face with temptation.



Sr. High

Sun. Oct 4th – Theme: Graced, "Jesus the living Sacrament"

Sun. Oct. 11th – Something great in the works!

Sun. Oct. 18th – Immersed, "Sealed with Love"

Living and Dying in Christ

A three part series in support of those who suffer from sickness or declining health and those who share their journey, Thursdays, October 8, 15, and 22nd at St Aloysius Parish Center Antonian Room, 330 E Boone Ave (corner of Boone and Astor).

Facilitators: Fr. Charles Barnes, SJ Parochial vicar of St. Aloysius Parish; MA in Health Care Ethics, Pierre Soffe, MD, former medical director for Hospice of Spokane, Ms. Sherry Fischer, MDiv, former hospital chaplain and current coordinator for bereavement services at St. Aloysius Parish.

Registration is required; space is limited. For more information: 313-5896 or 313-7006 or smtwilk@juno.com.

Troop 288 Rummage Sale!

BSA Troop 288 will be holding a rummage sale at St. Joseph Parish on October 10th from 8 am to 4 pm. Donations of used and/or worn items would be greatly appreciated. Items can be dropped off Friday, Oct. 9th between 5-8 pm or the morning of the sale. Unsold items will be donated to charity. Proceeds will be used to assist in the purchase of a new equipment trailer for the troop. Contact Chris Nicol (238-2241) or Tara VanLierop (465-1474) with questions or would like assistance transporting items to the sale.

