

September 16, 2018



17th Sunday After Pentecost

ST. JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC CHURCH



Traditional Latin Rite Parish of the Diocese of Boise

Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter



Preliminary rendering of the new St. Joan of Arc Church

Mass Times

Sunday 7:30 AM Low Mass
9:30 AM Sung Mass
12:00 PM Low Mass
5:00 PM Low Mass
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Weekdays 6:30 AM, 12:15 PM
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Saturday 6:30 AM, 9:30 AM

Confession Times

45 min. before each Sunday Mass
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30 min. before each daily Mass
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4:00-5:00 PM Saturday

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MASS AND EVENT SCHEDULE

	Events	Mass Times & Intentions
Sunday, Sept. 16th 17th Sunday after Pentecost	Holy Hour , 3:00 PM	7:30 AM: Pro Populo 9:30 AM: Private Intention 12:00 PM: St. Michael's Guild 5:00 PM: Private Intention
Monday, Sept. 17th Feria		6:30 AM: Dale Reindel (Bill & Peggy Reindel) 12:15 PM: Dean Zentner Family (Bonnie Gibbs)
Tuesday, Sept. 18th St. Joseph of Cupertino, Confessor		6:30 AM: Special Intention 12:15 PM: In honor of Our Lady of Sorrows (Michael Duddy)
Wednesday, Sept 19th Ember Wednesday		6:30 AM: The Truong Family (Molly Murphey) 12:15 PM: Naff Family (Joe & Anna Vogel)
Thursday, Sept 20th Feria	Holy Hour , following the 6:30 AM Mass	6:30 AM: †Myron J. Wilson (Molly Murphey) 12:15 PM: Reindel Family (Joe & Anna Vogel)
Friday, Sept 21st St. Matthew, Apostle & Evangelist	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament , following the 6:30 AM Mass until noon	6:30 AM: Ada O'Connor (Molly Murphey) 12:15 PM: Our Godchildren & Confirmandi (Joe & Anna Vogel)
Saturday, Sept 22nd Ember Saturday	St. Tarcisius Group , 3 to 5 PM at the Hayes home Young Adults , 6 PM Java Coffee, Hayden	6:30 AM: Private Intention 9:30 AM: Robert J. More (James Andrews)
Sunday, Sept 23rd 18th Sunday after Pentecost	Holy Hour , 3:00 PM	7:30 AM: Private Intention 9:30 AM: Pro Populo 12:00 PM: Private Intention 5:00 PM: Tim Griffin (The Jacobs)

TODAY'S HYMNS

Processional  God of Mercy and Compassion
Recessional  # 835 Lift High the Cross

REMINDER: Please do not bring cell phones into the church, or be sure they are completely silenced *before* entering the church. Thank you for your consideration.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mass Intentions: Unfortunately, Mass intentions are **not being accepted** at this time by **any of the priests**. Fr. Flick's Mass intentions will be private while he is away, beginning Tuesday, September 4th.

Special Announcement from Fr. Gordon: "I ask all parishioners to join the priests in observing the upcoming Autumn Ember Days (Sep. 19, 21, and 22) as days of fasting and abstinence in reparation for the sins and outrages committed by members of the clergy and episcopacy. Some sins, like some demons, can only be driven out by prayer and fasting."

Additional Holy Hour: Simple Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (without Benediction) will take place following the 6:30 AM Mass **every Thursday**, in reparation for the sins and abuses committed by those in authority in the Church.

Invitation to Help: St. Joan is seeking volunteers to help with coffee & doughnuts after Sunday morning Masses, with picking up doughnut orders on Saturdays, and with the monthly social after First Saturday devotions. A sign up will soon be available online. Please consider assisting in this important tradition.

Welcome Newcomers! All adult parishioners of St. Joan of Arc who are new to the parish within the past 2 years, are invited to attend a **Newcomers Potluck Dinner** on Saturday September 29th from 5:30 PM to 9:00 PM at the home of Dr. Tom and Cynthia deTar. Meet fellow parishioners and learn more about what St. Joan has to offer and how you can get involved. Please call Roseann Loftus to confirm attendance, get directions, and sign up for the potluck at 208-661-4088.

St. Tarcisus Group: The St. Tarcisus Group is a monthly gathering of children ages 4-12, where a priest leads the children in the Holy Rosary and on a guided meditation. The first gathering is Saturday, September 22nd from 3:00-5:00 PM, at the home of Kent and Anne Hayes (1117 N. Maverick Ln., Post Falls). Please bring a healthy snack to share. To learn more, complete a registration form which are available on the credenza. Completed forms can be placed in the **black box** on the wall in the church basement. With questions, call Allison Anderson at (503) 515-6623.

A Night with the Saints: All are welcome to the home of Dr. Tom & Cynthia deTar on Sunday, October 7th. Beginning at 7 PM, Dr. deTar will give a presentation on "The North American Martyrs: A Study of 17th Century Jesuits, Iroquois and Huron Indians."

Young Adults Meeting: Young adults (18-35) will be meeting at the Java Coffee (97 W. Prairie Shopping Center, Hayden, ID) on September 22nd at 6 PM for coffee and socializing. Join Fr. Rapoport, who will be giving a spiritual talk. Any questions please contact Fr. Rapoport at fr.rapoport@stjoanarc.com.

Light Weigh One King: The Light Weigh One King group will begin another 12 week session beginning on September 26th. Please come join us as we meet together to study and learn how to apply the effective tools of prayer and sacrifice to help others, and achieve moderation and peace with food. We will be meeting on Wednesday evenings at the home of Katie Herbison. For more information please contact group coordinator Katie before September 12th at (509) 994-3819.



APOLOGETICS CORNER

Defending our Faith with the Truth

By Father Dennis M. Gordon, FSSP

Good Works: A Sign of Salvation or Meritorious toward Salvation?

Question: “You Catholics seem to put the cart before the horse. You say that **works are part of your salvation**, but good works will just follow your justification – they are a sign of your having been saved. Isn’t that what Paul taught?”

Answer: “Actually St. Paul *didn’t* say that works are a *sign* of being saved, and you may be surprised to know what he *did* say about works. But we have to distinguish between simply works (good deeds) and *works of the law*. Now, if we don’t understand our terms correctly, we’ll get what he is saying wrong.

“**So first**, a little review of terms:

“**Justification** is the moment that a man is *moved from a state of sin to a state of friendship (state of grace) with God*. This first happened for us at Baptism. If we *have been* justified (placed into a state of grace) then we are saved unless we lose that state by a new, mortal sin.

“**Faith** (in Greek, *pisiV - pistis*) is a supernatural virtue by which one believes all that God has revealed. Like in English, it also has the connotation of fidelity, as when one *keeps faith* with someone, so faith is ongoing – it can’t be just one act in the past, and faith can be lost.

“**Works of the Law** (in Greek, *ergwn nomou - ergon nomou*) is a technical term which refers to the ritual observances of the *Old Law*, often in reference to circumcision.

“**What St. Paul says** in reference to justification and salvation being independent of *works of the law*, he always said in context of the discussion of the necessity of the **OLD Law**. ‘*The law*’ that he speaks of is, to his Jewish-Christian audience’s ears, would of course be a reference to the *OLD law* – the Jewish law and covenant.

“The context shows that St. Paul’s words on this issue were *not* a denying that *good deeds* have a bearing on our salvation, but specifically a denying that *works of the law* – the **old law**, have any bearing

anymore on salvation. We are justified by grace through faith, and in fact Scripture is clear that our faith *has to* be manifested by our works.

“In Galatians St. Paul says, **Galatians 5:6** where St. Paul says, ‘**For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision availeth any thing, nor uncircumcision: but faith that worketh by charity.**’

“**St. Paul even says** that our works have this influence on our salvation. In Romans St. Paul says that God ‘will render to every man **according to his works**, to them indeed who, according to *patience in good work*, seek glory and honor and incorruption, *eternal life.*’ (**Romans 2:6-10**)

“Then in Philippians he says, ‘**Work** out your salvation with fear and trembling for it is *God* who worketh in you. (**Philippians 2:12-13**).’

“Finally, we have the words of the Apostle St. James, the bishop of Jerusalem, who said in the Bible, ‘*Was not Abraham our father justified by works, offering up Isaac his son upon the altar? Do you see that faith did co-operate with his works; and by works faith was made perfect? Do you see that by works a man is justified; and not by faith only?*’

“It is true that we cannot earn the grace of being put into a state of justification (salvation); but our works can indeed be meritorious toward salvation once we are justified. So, works are not a *sign* of our having been saved – they are not a putting of the cart in front of the horse – but rather works are a *necessary expression* of that faith that works through charity whereby we are saved!”

THE EMBER DAYS

Traditional days of fasting & penance

SICK AND HOMEBOUND

In your charity, please pray for the sick and homebound of the parish.

Patricia & Francesco Barsanti, David Burns, Sr. Maria Consuela, David Cools, Veronica Cools, Terrence Cooney, Roberta Costa, Regina Dumas, Jess Flores, Sharon Flores, Alvin Froehlich, Robert Geist, David Gunseor, Gale Hamilton, Susan Hamilton, Sherri Higgins, Donald Holbrook, Kathryn Holbrook, Margaret Hurn, Fr. Irwin FSSP, Joseph Kemna, Mary Lynn Kenary, Scott Kennedy, Carrie Kralicek, Paul Krieg, Joseph Larsen, Marianne Leake, Donald Lohman, Spencer Lowell, Bryce Lund, Sandra Madrid, Sharon McManus, Patrick McMonigle, Paul Orozco, Michael O'Sullivan, Phyllis Peick, Michael Permen, Rachel Porter, Julia Rose, Coleman Rozsnyai, Louis Sachwitz, Joshua Schlader, Georgia Schrempp, Heaven & Mary Schumacher, Ed Stephens, David & Erika Taxin, Jonathan Taxin, Mary & Charles West, Ernie Willette, Lezlie White, Barbara Woods.

FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Please pray also for the deceased of our parish.

Richard Ambrosi, Angelo Ambrosetti, Diane Braun, David Brunson, Julie Cook, Richard Copeland, Robert Courteau, Ann deTar, Grover Dilsaver, Joseph Anthony Drongoski, Charles Douglass, Susan Douglass, James Duggan, Joan Duggan, Norman Dumas, Jean Duval, Brenda Finn, Frank Finney, William Fisher, Mary Forrester, James P. Gordon, Joseph Guarnotta, Jeanine Grenier, Helen Groves, Ed Hatstrup, Patricia Howland, Rosemary Jacobs, John Keller, Daisy Koler, Paul Koudelka, Elemer Kovacs, Boleslaw Kozlowski, Wanda Kozlowski, Josephine LoCurto, Patrick Mahoney, Bonnie McDonald, Erma McKay, Kevin McKay, Mike McManus, Agnes McMillan, David Metzger, Norm Miller, Florence McNamara, Lynnette Miller, Ann Morgan, Arcadia Nicklay, Fr. Colman Nolan, Mary Norman, Molly Rose Pearson, William Pearson, Jerry Peick, Kathleen Rardon, Fr. George Rassley CSSR, Bonnie Royer, Tamiko Shaw, Steve Slater, Jeremy Smith, Maryanna Thompson, Paul Upthegrove, Paul Uribe, Linda Vogel, Paul Van Voorst, Bob Wagner, Dorothy Wagner, Helen Walitzer, Elizabeth Welch, Ernest Willette

VOCATIONS

Please pray for the members of our parish who are discerning or pursuing a religious vocation.

Br. Peter Mary, FSSR; Mr. Christopher Hatstrup, FSSP; Mr. Daniel Llera, FSSP; Mr. Joseph Loftus, FSSP; Sr. Teresa Benedicta, Carmel of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Post Falls, ID; Sr. Mary Gertrude, O'Praem, Canoness of the Bethlehem Priory of St. Joseph; Brother Mary Peter, Monastero di San Benedetto di Norcia; Brother Lawrence Burns, OSB, Clear Creek Monastery, OK

Customary Stipends

- ◇ Mass*: \$10
- ◇ Marriage: \$80-100
- ◇ Baptism: \$25-50
- ◇ Other sacrament: no stipend applies

*We ask that parishioners request no more than three Mass intentions per priest at one time.

*Stipends are **not** required to receive any sacrament.

FINANCES

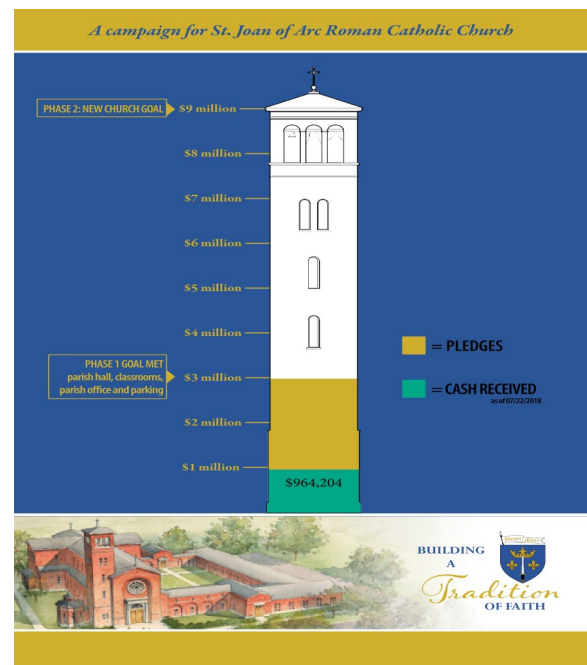
September 2nd Collections

General, envelopes, & loose cash	6,416.50
Capital Campaign	6,888.00
Saint Helen's Poor Box	59.50
Votive Candles	170.03
Social Events	17.20
Total	13,551.23

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