

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 Low Mass (for Summer)
 - 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 РМ Saturday

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Mass and Event Schedule

	Events	Mass Times & Intentions
Sunday July 26 th Eighth Sunday after Pentecost	Young Adults, Fine Brewed after 9:30 AM Mass	 7:30 AM: Private Intention (Bill Jasper) 9:30 AM Pro Populo/St. Michael's Guild 12:00 pm : Private 5 PM: Private
Monday July 27 th Feria (St. Pantaleon)		6:30 ам: +Margie Savino 12:15 рм: Private
Tuesday July 28 th Ss. Nazarius, Celsus, Martyrs, Ss. Victor I, Innocent I, Popes		6:30 ам: Private Intention 12:15 рм: Private
Wednesday July 29 nd St. Martha, Virgin		6:30 AM: Private Intention (Elisa Joyce) 12:15 PM: Private
Thursday July 30 th Feria (Ss. Abdon & Sennen)	Adoration/Benediction 5 pm	6:30 AM: +Fr. Richard Rego 12:15 РМ: Private
Friday July 31 st St. Ignatius of Loyola	Martyrs of Compiegne play 7 pm	6:30 AM: +Agustin de la Huerta 12:15 РМ: Private
Saturday August 1 st Saturday of Our Lady (St. Peter in Chains, Holy Machabees)	First Saturday Martyrs of Compiegne play 2 pm & 7 pm	6:30 ам: Private Intention 9:30 ам: Private
Sunday August 2 nd Ninth Sunday after Pentecost	Young Adults, Fine Brewed after 9:30 AM Mass	7:30 АМ Р 9:30 АМ : Р 12:00 рт: Pro Populo 5 РМ: Р

Today's Hymns

Processional

Recessional Holy God, We Praise Thy Name, v. 1,2,3

Marian Antiphon Salve Regina

REMINDER: Please *silence* your cell phones!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fr. Gordon is open for Mass intentions. No more than 3 per person, please. Masses can also be offered by contacting the FSSP office in Pennsylvania. Thank you for your understanding.

Fr. Fr. Flick's Mass intentions: 7/26 Private Intention (Bill Jasper); 7/27 [†]Fr. Michael Irwin (Bill Jasper); 7/28 The Clausen Family (The O'Neill Family); 7/29 Jason and Sarah Stone Family (Gina Marie Vasquez); 7/30 Our children (Jeffrey and Karen Ade): 7/31 Our Godchildren (Jeffrey and Karen Ade); 8/1 Private (Private).

Bishop Christensen **continues the dispensation** from Sunday Mass obligations for those who are 60 and older, those who are immunocompromised and those who have judged it prudent for their health and safety to stay at home. Sunday Holy Mass is **livestreamed at 9:30 am at** *stjoanarc.com*

Martyrs of Compiegne play: St. Joan's Young People presents "**Martyrs of Compiegne**" a one act play based on "Song at the Scaffold" by Gertrud von le Fort as a fundraiser for the Carmel and the parish building funds. Performances are **Friday July 31 at 7:00 pm**, and **Saturday August 1 at 2:00 pm and 7:00 pm** at St. Joan of Arc Church. Tickets are \$15 each or \$10 each for 65+ and children under 12. Tickets will be available at the door, but seating is limited. To reserve tickets for groups or if you have a small business and would like to support the fundraiser by advertising in the program, contact <u>martyrsofcompiegnetickets@gmail.com</u> or Maria (262)388-8023.

First Saturday Rosary: At St. Joan of Arc at 7:45 am for the **intentions of the sick** who are unable to have access to the Sacraments due to Covid19. Essentially every hospital in the US forbids visitation to Covid positive patients, preventing them access to Confession and Last Rites. Please come & pray on **August 1st at 7:45 am**. **Mothers of Lu Spiritual Motherhood:** Information forms about for this devotion are now located in both the credenza and the adoration chapel. Contact Michelle Simpson at 208-659-7226 for more information and how to sign up.

Concerning Holy Mass:

Nursing room/cry room: We have a number of new parishioners who may not be aware of the nursing mother's room, located in the north end of the building, just past the restrooms. This serves as both a nursing mom's room and cry room. Men should not access that room during Mass times. Nursing should only take place there, <u>not in the church</u>. Father also reminds everyone that food and drink should not be brought into the church and that if a child is making noise during Holy Mass, even if the child is not crying, they should be removed so that the priest and other parishioners are not distracted during Holy Mass. It is out of courtesy for the common good, to provide a prayerful atmosphere, that we should do this.

Bathroom Usage: Parents, there are often the same children who always get up to use the bathroom during Holy Mass. Please make sure that children use the bathroom beforehand, so that they do not miss any of the Mass. Getting up to use the bathroom <u>during</u> Mass should ONLY be done for *rare, real <u>imminent</u> bathroom emergencies*. It is distracting, **especially to the priest** during the sermon, but also to the other parishioners to have people moving in and out of the pews at any time during the Mass. Thank you.

Security: If you have a certain skill in the area of security, please contact Fr. Gordon.

Summer camp registration: is open with sign up forms in the credenza area. Dates are August 9 - 12 for girl's camp with **a talent show** the last night of camp and the sisters asking the girls to prepare skits or musical performances; and August 16 – 19 for boy's camp at the **Ross Point camp and conference center in Post Falls** with FSSP seminarians assisting the boys camp. Cost per camper is \$250 with some reduced cost scholar-ships available. **Sponsors for camp:** We continue to seek sponsorships to help families send their children to camp. If you are able sponsor a camper or donate any amount to the scholarship fund, it will be much appreciated. Thank you for your generosity.

Sanctuary candle sponsorship: As with the Adoration Chapel candles, the sanctuary candle in the main church can be sponsored for intentions similar to lighting votive candles for specific intentions. A donation of \$20 and intention for the candle (which burns for 8 days) will be accepted. If interested, please place intentions & checks in the black box in the credenza.

Perpetual Adoration: An Adorer is needed for Saturday at 5 pm.

Adoration chapel candles sponsor; Matthew White; please pray for the repose of the soul of Janie de Lauri.

Sanctuary candle sponsor: The Ade family; please pray for Guinevere Ade.



Apologetics Corner

Defending our Faith with the Truth By Father Dennis M. Gordon, FSSP

Justification, Faith and Works of the Law

Question: "Didn't St. Paul say that we are by the ritual observances of circumcision. saved by faith, apart from good works?"

Answer: "To understand St. Paul's thought on this issue we first have to understand his terms Justification, Faith and Works of the Law. These three terms are key to understand before having any discussion on this topic.

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.

by which one believes all that God has revealed. Like in works, is dead in itself. ... Was not Abraham our fa-English, it also has the connotation of fidelity, as when ther justified by works, offering up Isaac his son upon one keeps faith with someone, so faith is ongoing – it the altar? Do you see that faith did co-operate with his 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 mainly refers to the ritual observances of circumcision of the Old Law.

"How do we know that the term 'works of the law' refers to the ritual observances of circumcision in the Old Law, and not just 'good **deeds**? Three solid reasons: (1) the original Greek term itself, (2) how St. Paul uses the term in the context, and (3) how St. Paul speaks of simply works (good deeds) elsewhere. In the Greek Scriptures, which were used in St. Paul's time (the Septuagint), the word *law* is rendered as (nomoV - nomos). This term 'law' (nomos) is used by Our Lord Himself to refer directly to circumcision.

"In John 7:22 Our Lord said, "A man receives circumcision on the sabbath day that the law (nomoV - nomos) of Moses be not broken". In fact, in the Greek Old Testament, this word 'law' (nomos) in the Hebrew is actually the word 'torah'. So when St. Paul uses the term 'works of the law', it would be accurate to understand that as 'works of the *torah*'; the ritual observance of circumcision in the Old Law.

"The second reason why we know that the term 'works of the law' refers to the ritual observances of circumcision of Old Law, and not just 'good deeds', is how St. Paul uses the term in context. In both Romans 3 and Galatians 2 where St. Paul has his famous discussion about salvation and works of the law, in context he is talking about the issue of whether or not one is saved

"In Romans 3:20, St. Paul said, "By the works of the law no flesh shall be justified before [God]". And in Romans 3:27 he said, "For we account a man to be justified by faith, without the works of the law." Notice he *didn't* say faith alone. Also notice that he said one is justified by faith, *apart* from the works of the law, but we know this means keeping faith in Christ, 'separate from the works of the **torah**'. In context, St. "Justification is the moment that a man Paul's point was that we don't need circumcision in addition to our faith.

"What does the New Testament say about works - good deeds? In James 2:14-24 we read these words: "What shall it profit, my brethren, if a man say he hath faith, but hath not **works**? Shall faith "Faith (pisiV - pistis) is a supernatural virtue be able to save him?... So faith also, if it have not works; and by works faith was made perfect? Do you see that by works a man is justified; and not by faith only?"

> "Our works can't earn us the grace of justification - being placed into a state of grace. That is a free gift from God. But once *in* a state of justification, our works can and do either keep us in that state or cause us to lose that gift of eternal life, so says St. Paul and Our Lord! St. Paul says that God "will ren*der to every man* **according to his works**, to them indeed who, according to patience in good work, seek glory honor and incorruption, and eternal life." (Romans 2:6-10). Notice that St. Paul here connects people's eternal life to their perseverance in good works.

> "Our Lord said the same in **Matthew** 7:21-23; 'Not every one that says to me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven: but he that **does the will** of my Father in heaven.' He reinforces this in Matthew 25:31-46 when He shows that the criteria for distinguishing those who will go 'into life everlasting' and those who will 'go into everlasting punishment' (Matthew 25:46), are fact that those who did good works go into everlasting life, and those who did not go into everlasting punishment.

> "So according to the Bible, good works **do** have a bearing on our salvation!"

"Practice of Mental Prayer and Perfection"

By Fr. Alphonsus of the Mother of Sorrows, OCD

God. It is an act of the intellect and especially of Lord has suffered for us, without feeling ourthe will.

It is divided, firstly, into vocal and mental prayer. **Vocal prayer** is that of the lips, adding the attention of the mind and of the heart, without which it would be no prayer.

occupied interior Lee with God, either by means of considerations of the mind or by affections of Passion of Our Lord causes her is a meritorious the heart or of the will.

"Mental prayer consists in recollecting ourselves within ourselves, in order to understand well what we say, how great is he to whom we have the boldness to speak, the duties which the service of such a master imposes on us, how badly up to the present we have served him, and other like considerations. This is properly mental prayer period to recite the "Pater Noster," or the "Ave Maria" or any other prayer is vocal prayer: but this last must be accompanied with mental: without this what would it be but a vain noise of words often without order or meaning.

"According to me, prayer is but an intimate intercourse of friendship in which the soul entertains herself alone with God and continually expresses her love for him who, as she knows, returns her love. (St. Teresa of Avila, Life, Chap. VIII)

or acquired, that is, meditation, an extraordinary and to which consequently we can lend no or supernatural, also called passive or infused, help." (St. Teresa, Way of Perfection, Ch. XXVI) termed contemplation.

Saint Thomas Aquinas defines contemplation: "A simple view of the truth, terminating in love." (Summa Theologica IIa IIae q. 180, art. III, ad I)

"In ordinary mental prayer, devotion depends in part on our work period we could not

Prayer is an elevation of the soul to indeed meditate and deeply consider what our selves moved to compassion, but the pain which this view excites, and the tears which it causes to flow, have a certain sweetness and a light. If we consider the future glory, the love of our Lord for us, his triumphant resurrection, such thoughts delight and expand the soul. The joy which she **Mental prayer** is that in which we are feels, without being entirely spiritual or entirely sensible, is a virtuous joy, as the pain which the pain. Everything which gives rise in us to a devotion, to which the understanding has concurred in part, bears this character. But even then this devotion is a gift of God and we could not by our own unaided efforts acquire or merit it; because without divine grace, as we know, we could not have a good thought." (St. Teresa, Life, Chap. XII)

> "God only, my daughters, can bring you to **perfect contemplation**. Then this great God shows that he listens to the soul that speaks to him and that he Danes to stoop to speak to her, suspending her understanding, arresting her thoughts, causing the word to expire on her lips, so that she cannot pronounce a single one without a very painful effort. The soul feels herself on fire with love, without knowing how she loves. She knows that she possesses what she loves, but she does not know how she has its position. Indeed it is a pure gift of the master of heaven and earth: of him it who when he is pleased to give, gives as a God.

"Behold my daughters what is perfect contemplation, you can now perceive in what it differs from ordinary mental prayer in this latter prayer, we can do something of ourselves, with the assistance of God, but in contemplation we can do absolutely nothing it is God who does all, Mental prayer is subdivided into ordinary it is his work, a work which is above our nature,



July 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28 Fourth Sunday after Pentecost	29	30	1 6:30 pm, Women's group mtg. Most Pre- cious Blood of our Lord	2 5 pm Adoration Benediction	3 First Friday	4 First Saturday ^{11am} Maidens of St. Joan mtg.
5 Fifth Sunday after Pentecost	6	7	8	9 5 pm Adoration Benediction	10	11 5 pm Youth group mtg.
12 Sixth Sunday after Pentecost	13 6:30 am Server boot camp	14 6:30 am Server camp 5 pm Young Adults Women's mtg	15 6:30 am Server boot camp	16 6:30 am Server boot camp 5 pm Adoration	17 6:30 am Server boot camp	18 6:30 am Server boot camp 7 pm Men's group mtg.
19 Seventh Sunday after Pentecost	20	21	22	23 5 pm Adoration Benediction 6:30 pm Men's mtg.	24	25 10:30 am Altar Servers 3 pm St. Tarcisius mtg.
26 Eighth Sunday after Pentecost	27	28	29	30 5 pm Adoration Benediction	31 7 pm Martyrs of Compiegne Play	1 First Saturday 2 pm & 7 pm Martyrs of Compiegne play

Sick and Homebound

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

Patricia & Francesco Barsanti, David Burns, Dennis Cockrum, Sr. Maria Consuela, David Cools, Roberta Costa, Carmen di Pietro, Tom deTar, Regina Dumas, Ruben Finn, Sharon Flores, Alvin Froehlich, Barbara Gagne, Robert Geist, Karen Graham David Gunseor, Gale Hamilton, Susan Hamilton, Sherri Higgins, Donald Holbrook, Kathryn Holbrook, Margaret Hurn, Joseph Kemna, , Carrie Kralicek, Paul Krieg, Joseph Larsen, Marianne Leake, Donald Lohman, Spencer Lowell, Bryce Lund, Bill Mayer Carol Mayer, Sharon McManus, Patrick McMonigle, Paul Orozco, Philomena Ost, Michael O'Sullivan, Florence Pearson, Phyllis Peick, Michael Permen, Rachel Porter, Julia Rose, Coleman Rozsnyai, Louis Sachwitz, Joshua Schlader, Georgia Schrempp, Heaven & Mary Schumacher, Michael Simpson, David & Erika Taxin, Jonathan Taxin, Esther Vasquez, Mary & Charles West, 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, Veronica Cools, Terrence Cooney, Richard Copeland, Robert Courteau, Raymond Covarrubias, 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, Jess Flores, Mary Forrester, Joan Glaze, Beatrice Gordon, James P. Gordon, Fr. Bill Gould, Joseph Guarnotta, Jeanine Grenier, Helen Groves, Ed Hattrup, Leo Heinan, Patricia Howland, Fr. Michael Irwin, FSSP, Rosemary Jacobs, John Keller, Mary Lynn Kenary, Daisy Koler, Paul Koudelka, Elemer Kovacs, Boleslaw Kozlowski, Wanda Kozlowski, Josephine LoCurto, Sandra Madrid, Patrick Mahoney, Bonnie McDonald, Erma McKay, Kevin McKay, Mike McManus, Agnes McMillan, David Metzger, Norm Miller, Florence McNamara, Lynnette Miller, Michael Mitchell, Ann Morgan, Arcadia Nicklay, Fr. Colman Nolan, Marv Norman, Molly Rose Pearson, William Pearson, Jerry Peick, Kathleen Rardon, Fr. George Rasslev CSSR, Bonnie Rover, Tamiko Shaw, Steve Slater, Jeremy Smith, Ed Stephens, Maryanna Thompson, Paul Upthegrove, Paul Uribe, Linda Vogel, Paul Van Voorst, Bob Wagner, Dorothy Wagner, Helen Walitzer, Elizabeth Welch, Ernest Willette, Wes Woods

Vocations

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

Rev. Brother Peter Mary, FSSR; Fr. Joseph Loftus, FSSP; Fr. Martin Adams, FSSP; Sr. Teresa Benedicta, Carmel of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Post Falls, ID; Brother Mary Peter, Monastero di San Benedetto di Norcia; Brother Lawrence Burns, OSB, Clear Creek Monastery, OK

Customary Stipends

Many people ask "what is a customary stipend in gratitude for the Sacraments?" Stipends are **not** required to receive any Sacrament. If one would like to give a gift, here are some customary offerings:

- ♦ **Mass:** \$10
- ◊ **Marriage:** \$80 100
- ◊ **Baptism:** \$25 50
- ◊ Other Sacraments: no stipend applies

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

FINANCES

July 19 th Collections				
General, envelopes, loose cash				
Adoration chapel candles				
St. Helen's Poor Box				
Capital Campaign				
On line donations				
Youth activities donations				
St. Joan vocations support				
Individual Gifts				
Votive Candles				
Total				

Thank you for your generosity!

June CollectionsGoalActualGeneral OffertoryCapital Campaign



