

November 15, 2020



Resumed 6th Sunday after Epiphany

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 November 15th Resumed Sixth Sunday after Epiphany	Young Adults, Fine Brewed after 9:30 AM Mass	7:30 AM: Pro Populo 9:30 AM: (Sung Mass) Private 12 PM: Private 5 PM: Private
Monday November 16th St. Gertrude the Great, Virgin	Catechism classes: 6:30 pm	6:30 AM: Private 12:15 PM: Junkin children (Ross & Jennifer Junkin)
Tuesday November 17th St. Gregory the Wonder- worker, Bishop & Confessor	Homeschool moms mtg. 7 pm	6:30 AM: Junkin godchildren (Ross & Jennifer Junkin) 12:15 PM: Private
Wednesday Nov. 18th Dedication of the Basili- cas of Ss. Peter & Paul	Bible Study, livestreamed 6:30 pm	6:30 AM: Juana Vogel family (Kevin Vogel) 12:15 PM: Private
Thursday Nov. 19th St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Widow	Adoration/Benediction: 5 pm	6:30 AM: †Leo Heinan (Heinan family) 12:15 PM: Private
Friday November 20th St. Felix of Valois, Confessor	Young Men's mtg. 6 pm	6:30 AM: John & Mary Vogel family (Kevin Vogel) 12:15 PM: Private
Saturday Nov. 21st Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Youth Focus group, 5 pm Men's group 7 pm	6:30 AM: Paul & Kirsten Vogel family (Kevin Vogel) 9:30 AM: Private
Sunday November 22nd 24th & Last Sunday after Pentecost	Young Adults, Fine Brewed after 9:30 AM Mass	7:30 AM: Private 9:30 AM: (Sung Mass) Pro Populo 12:00 pm: P 5 PM: P

Adoration Chapel candles: For the conversion of sinners (Suzanne Williams)

Sanctuary candle: For the complete recovery of Tom Thomson & strength for his wife, Carol (Anonymous)

Flowers for the Altar, St. Joseph, & Bl. Mother: For Tony & Jana Heinan (Audrey Heinan)

TODAY'S HYMNS

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Processional Sing Praise to God

Recessional O God the Almighty Father

Mass XI, Credo I

Marian Antiphon *Salve Regina*
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REMINDER: Please *silence* your cell phones!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fr. Rapoport and Fr. Terra are currently taking Mass intentions Make check to the priest and limit to three intentions. Thank you.

Fr. Gordon's Mass intentions: are private this week.

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**

Perpetual Adoration: Hours available that need a second adorer. Please email adoration@stjoan.com

Olive wood carvings from the Holy Land: will be available for donations in the amounts displayed on the items after all Masses this Sunday, November 14th. The proceeds are to support Christian Catholic families in the Holy Land as it is the major source of income for them. More than 75 families in Bethlehem hand carved these items. They are very beautiful and unique items such as Nativity sets, Crucifixes, Rosaries, Statues, and more. The Christian population in the Holy Land has dropped from 22% to less than 2% in the past two decades. This is a way to support them staying there. Thank you for your help and support. (This group has been approved by the Diocesan office).

Winter coat/clothes giveaway: The Knights of Columbus Council 12560 at St. George's is having their Winter Wear Giveaway on Friday, November 27, the day after Thanksgiving, from 9 am-5 pm at St. George's, 2010 N. Lucas Street, Post Falls. They will be giving away **over 900 brand new children's down-filled winter coats** along with a large quantity of new stocking hats, gloves and socks. The size of our coats ranges from 5 -18 years. The clothing is intended for any area family that has a need for them and will be distributed until they run out. Please come by & let others know of this very generous offer .

Welcome! Please welcome the newest member of the congregation, Trinity Anne Connelly, who entered the church through the sacrament of baptism on November 8, 2020. She is the daughter of Daniel and Hope Connelly. Welcome!

Catechism class: Monday evenings with five separate classes for ages 6—17 yrs. Classes begin at 6:30 pm and end at 7:30 pm. We hope to see you there.

Homeschooling Mothers Group: Tuesday, Nov. 17, 7pm in the parish hall; all homeschooling mothers are welcome. Our mission is to support, encourage & pray for one another. This month's topics will be Advent traditions in our homes and materials used for religious education. Contact Jennifer Junkin jenjunkin@gmail.com for further information or questions.

Bible Study: Livestream classes every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month at 6:30 pm, stjoanarc.com

Young adult men's group for 21 yrs. and older: will meet Friday, Nov. 20 from 6—9 pm with Fr. Rapoport at the Bulldog Pipe & Cigar Lounge, located at Silver Lake Mall in Coeur d'Alene. Please RSVP to Scott Reed at 509-863-7153

Youth Focus Group Meeting: The Youth Group will meet on **Saturday, November 21** at 5 pm in the parish hall Please contact Fr. Rapoport with any questions at fr.rapoport@stjoanarc.com.

Men's group mtg: this Saturday 7 pm, with the rosary in the church then social gathering in the parish hall with pizza and drinks. Led by Fr. Flick & Fr. Gordon, open to all men of parish 18+ years of age.

Wine and Cheese Social—to support Children of the Immaculate Heart, a Catholic non-profit helping survivors of human trafficking. **Sunday, Nov. 22, 6:30 pm, parish hall.**

Troops of St. George—are offering to rake leaves and help with snow removal this fall and winter. Please contact Robby Miles with any questions at miles.robby@gmail.com.

In your charity and generosity, please remember the cloistered **Carmelite nuns** who pray and fast continuously for all of us. May God reward you.



APOLOGETICS CORNER

Defending our Faith with the Truth

By Father Dennis M. Gordon, FSSP

Confirmation

Question: “So where do you Catholics come up with the idea that in a Sacrament called **Confirmation** you receive the so-called **Seven Gifts of the Holy Ghost** and these twelve signs that the Holy Ghost is active in your life, by these so-called **Twelve Fruits of the Holy Ghost**?”

Answer:

“I’ll give you one guess as to which book this idea comes from....!!!

“Let’s turn to **Isaiah 11:1-3**: ‘And there shall come forth a rod out of the root of Jesse, and a flower shall

rise up out of his root. And the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him: the spirit of wisdom, and of understanding, the spirit of counsel, and of fortitude, the spirit of knowledge, and of godliness [piety]. And he shall be filled with the spirit of the fear of the Lord.’

“There they are! All seven Gifts of the Holy Ghost!”

“What about the Twelve Fruits of the Holy Ghost? Where are they in the Bible?”

“You’ll find those in the New Testament; in **Galatians 5:22-23**. ‘The fruit of the Spirit is, charity, joy, peace, patience, benignity, good-

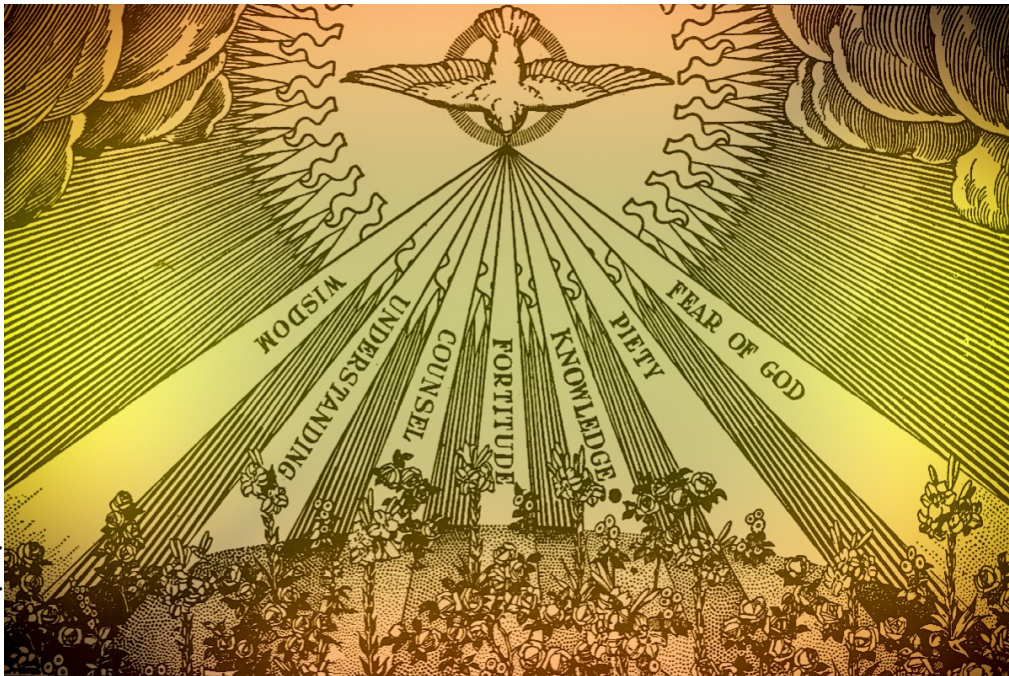
ness, longanimity, mildness, faith, modesty, continency, chastity.’

“We receive these Gifts and we will show these Fruits when we are confirmed with the Holy Ghost, which Spirit comes with these things, as we just saw from the Bible. Where does it say that we are given the Spirit in Confirmation, during which we are *anointed with oil*, and our

soul is sealed with an indelible mark? In **2 Corinthians 1:21-22**! Check it out: ‘Now he that confirmeth us with you in Christ, and that hath anointed us, is God: who also hath sealed us, and given the pledge of the Spirit in our hearts.’

“Since the Spirit of the Lord, as described in Isaiah 11:1-3, comes with those seven gifts, we also receive those seven gifts when we are given the Spirit, the Holy Ghost, in Confirmation. And if we allow that Spirit to be active in our souls, we also will have those twelve fruits that Galatians 5:22-23 describes.

“How good God is, to give us His Spirit, the Holy Ghost, to strengthen (or confirm) us in our faith!”



THE VANITY OF THE WORLD

St. Alphonsus, Meditations and Readings

The world! And what is the world but mere show! A scene which quickly passes away! The fashion of this world passeth away! Death approaches, the curtain falls, the scene closes, and all comes to an end!

I. *What doth it profit a man, if he gain the whole world and suffer the loss of his own soul?* (Matt. xvi. 26). O great maxim, which has conducted so many souls to Heaven, and bestowed so many Saints on the Church! What doth it profit to gain the whole world, which passes away, and lose the soul, which is eternal?

The world! And what is the world but mere show, a scene which quickly passes away! *The fashion of this world passeth away* (1 Cor. vii. 31). Death approaches, the curtain falls, the scene closes, and thus all comes to an end!

Alas! at the hour of death, how will all worldly things appear to a Christian--those vessels of silver, those heaps of gold, that rich and vain furniture--when he must leave them all forever!

O Jesus, grant that henceforward my soul may be wholly Thine! Grant that I may love no other but Thee. I desire to renounce all things before death tears me away from them.

St. Teresa says: "Nothing ought to be considered of consequence which must come to an end." Let us, therefore, strive to gain that treasure which will not fail with time. What does it avail a man to be happy for a few days (if indeed there can be any happiness without God), if he must be unhappy forever in eternity.

David says that earthly goods at the hour of death, will seem as a dream to one waking from sleep: *As the dream of them that awake* (Ps. lxxii. 20). What disappointment does he feel who, having dreamt he was a king, on awaking finds himself still as lowly and poor as ever?

O my God, who knows but that this meditation which I am now reading will be the last call for me? Enable me to root out of my heart all earthly affections, before I enter into eternity. Grant that I may

be sensible of the great wrong I have done Thee, by offending Thee, and by forsaking Thee for the love of creatures. *Father, I am not worthy to be called thy son* (Luke xv. 21). I am grieved for having turned my back upon Thee; do not reject me, now that I return to Thee.

II. No position of dignity, no magnificence, no wealth, no nice points of honor, no pastimes, will console a Christian at the hour of death; the love of Jesus Christ, and the little that he has suffered for His love, will alone console him.

Philip II, when dying, said "Oh, that I had been a Lay-Brother in some Monastery, and not a King!" Philip III said "Oh, that I had lived in a desert! Alas, now I shall appear with but little confidence before the tribunal of God!" Thus, at the hour of death, do those express themselves who have been esteemed the most fortunate in this world.

In short, all earthly goods generally bring, at the hour of death, only remorse of conscience and fear of eternal damnation. O God! will the dying sinner say, I have had sufficient light to withdraw myself from worldliness, and

yet I have followed the world, and its maxims; and now what sentence will be pronounced upon me? Fool that I have been! I might have been a saint, with the means of grace and the advantages I enjoyed! I might have led a happy life in union with God; and now what have I but remorse of conscience and a dread of damnation! But when will he say this? When the scene is about to close, and himself about to enter into eternity, and at that moment on which will depend his happiness or misery forever.

O Lord, have pity on me! For the past I have not been so wise as to love Thee. From this day forward Thou alone shalt be my only Good: *My God and my all!* Thou alone deservest all my love, and Thee only will I love.





November 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 All Saints Day	2 6:30 pm All Souls Day (Sung) Mass	3 6 pm Women's group meeting	4 6:30 pm Bible Study livestream	5 5 pm Adoration Benediction	6 First Friday	7 First Saturday & Parish brunch 11 am Maidens mtg
8 Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost	9 6:30 pm Catechism classes	10	11 6:30 pm Young adults spiritual talk 7 pm Men's Focus mtg.	12 5 pm Adoration Benediction	13 10am-4pm Confirmation retreat	14 9:30 am Confirmation Mass 10:30 am Little Flowers 5pm Youth Group
15 Resumed Sixth Sunday after Epiphany	16 6:30 pm Catechism classes	17 7 pm Home-school group mtg.	18 6:30 pm Bible Study livestream	19 5 pm Adoration Benediction	20 6pm Young adult men's mtg.	21 5 pm Youth Focus 7 pm Men's group mtg.
22 24th (Last) Sunday after Pentecost	23 6:30 pm Catechism classes	24	25	26 Thanksgiving Day 6:30 am & 9:30 am Mass	27	28 10:30 am Server mtg. 3pm St. Tarcisius
29 First Sunday of Advent	30 6:30 pm Catechism classes	1 6 pm Women's group meeting	2 6:30 pm Bible Study livestream	3 5 pm Adoration Benediction	4 First Friday	5 6:30 am Rorate Mass 1st Saturday/Brunch 11 am

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, Julie deTar, 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, 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, Erna McKay, Kevin McKay, Mike McManus, Agnes McMillan, David Metzger, Norm Miller, Florence McNamara, Lynnette Miller, Michael Mitchell, 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, 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 & Sr. Mary Crimmins, Carmel of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Post Falls, ID; Dom Mary Peter Leedy, OSB, Monastero di San Benedetto 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

November 8th Collections

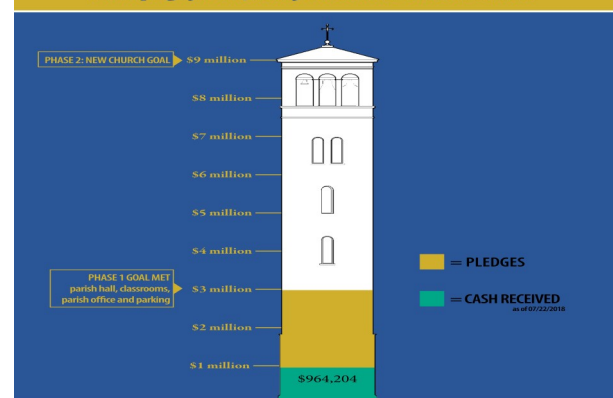
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