

July 31, 2022



Eighth 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

7:00 AM Low Mass
8:45 AM Low Mass
10:30 AM **Sung Mass**
1:00 PM Low Mass
5:00 PM Low Mass

M, W, F 6:30 AM, 12:15 PM

Tues. & Thurs. 6:30 AM, 8:30 AM

Saturday 6:30 AM, 8:30 AM

Confession Times

30 min. before each Sunday Mass

30 min. before each daily Mass

4:00-5:00 PM Saturday

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MASS AND EVENT SCHEDULE

Events		Mass Times & Intentions
Sunday July 31th Eighth Sunday after Pentecost		7:00 AM: Pro Populo 8:45 AM: Private 10:30 AM: John Joyce and family 1 PM: Private 5 PM: Private
Monday August 1st Feria (The Holy Machabees, St. Peter in Chains)		6:30 AM: Private 12:15 PM: Private
Tuesday August 2nd St. Alphonsus Mary of Liguori, Bishop & Doctor	Women's group mtg. 6 pm	6:30 AM: Private 8:30 AM: Private
Wednesday August 3rd Feria		6:30 AM: Private 12:15 PM: Private
Thursday August 4th St. Dominic, Confessor	Adoration/Benediction 5—6 pm Convert class 6:30 pm	6:30 AM: Private 8:30 AM: Private
Friday August 5th Dedication of Our Lady of the Snow	First Friday Homeschool moms 1 pm	6:30 AM: Private 12:15 PM: Private
Saturday August 6th The Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ	First Saturday Parish brunch 9:30 am Maidens of St. Joan 10:30 am	6:30 AM: Private 8:30 AM: Private
Sunday August 7th Ninth Sunday after Pentecost		7:00 AM: Private 8:45 AM: Pro Populo 10:30 AM: Private 1 pm: Private 5 PM: Private
Adoration Chapel candles: Prayers for the Dobrowolski family (Piotr & Magdalena Dobrowolski) Sanctuary candle: For the conversion of the members of my family (Anonymous) Flowers for the Altar, BVM, & St. Joseph: For the conversion of Douglas Kenter (Liz Worchester)		

TODAY'S HYMNS

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Processional (Low Masses until mid-August)

Recessional (Low Masses until mid-August)

Mass, Credo

Marian Antiphon Salve Regina

REMINDER: Please *silence* your cell phones!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mass intentions are once again closed for all priests. Thank you for understanding.

Perpetual Adoration: Hours needed are: Sunday 8 am and 11 am, Wednesday 11 pm, Thursday 1 pm, There are many hours that need a second adorer. Email the Tones at adoration@stjoanarc.com if you are interested in becoming an adorer. Thank you to all the adorers for keeping the Lord company.

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

Fr. Eichman: will be gone from Aug. 3—17. Your patience is appreciated as there will only be two priests here during those two weeks. Thank you.

Welcome! Please welcome the newest members of the congregation, **Gemma Clare Henrie**, who was baptized on July 23; she is the daughter of David and Marie Henrie.; and **Marie-Azelie Roach**, who was baptized on July 27; she is the daughter of John and Tira Roach. Welcome to both!

Women's Group: The Women's Group will meet on Tuesday, at 6:00 PM, at the Parish Hall. All adult women of the parish are welcome to attend. Father Flick will begin with a rosary at 6 pm and continue with a talk on the spiritual life.

Homeschool moms and First Friday Park Days: Homeschool moms will meet at local park each First Friday, May - September. We meet after the 12:15 Mass. All are welcome, homeschooling or not! Come when you can, stay as long as you'd like. Contact Jenjunkin@gmail.com for location and details.

First Saturday brunch: in the parish hall this Saturday, August 6th after the 8:30 am Mass. Please sign up at the link below to bring a dish to the brunch. The Maidens of St. Joan will be serving. <https://m.signupgenius.com/#/showSignUp/10CoD4EA8AE2CA5F4C52-first1>

Maidens of St. Joan's for young Catholic girls, ages 12 and up; meets 10:30 am to 1 pm on Saturday July 2 in the parish hall. If you have any questions or would like to join, please contact Fr. Gordon.

Boys summer camp: is August 21—26 and registration for camp is **now open**. Printed applications are available at the back of church. Deadline for registration is August 12.

Parent Volunteers needed for Youth Group: Any parents who would be interested in helping with the Youth Group please contact the parish office. Some responsibilities that need to be fulfilled: sending out emails, coordinating volunteers, organizing and making food for 60+, setting up and then overseeing clean-up of the church kitchen and hall, and ensuring the safety of the kids by simply being present at church. The Youth Group usually meets from 5-8pm on the 2nd Saturday of the month here at St. Joan of Arc. There will not be a Youth group meeting in August.

Help needed with Altar and Church flowers: the church's 'flower lady', who arranges the altar and church flowers, is stepping down effective mid-September. We are looking for someone to manage the Flower Committee as well as volunteers who can take on responsibilities of particular flower arranging needs. Some experience is helpful. If interested, please contact the parish office at secretary@stjoanarc.com or 208-660-6036. May God reward you for helping to beautify His Church.

Meals for parishioners: The coordinator for the 'Make them a Meal' program is Amanda Owen. If you want to be added to the email list to help provide meals, or if you are in need, contact Amanda at CorJesu5@yahoo.com

Ushers needed: please contact the parish office if you are interested in being an usher at Mass.

Religious Literature: Please do not put religious literature or ads, no matter how pious, on the credenza, in the pews, or on cars, unless Fr. Gordon has first given permission to do so. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter!

Prayer chain: St. Joan of Arc has a prayer chain to pray for parishioner's needs. If you would like to be part of it and contacted by the coordinator when there is a prayer need, please send your email address to secretary@stjoanarc.com. May God reward you for your prayers for others.



APOLOGETICS CORNER

Defending our Faith with the Truth

By Father Dennis M. Gordon, FSSP

The Divinity of Jesus

Question: “Where in the Bible does Jesus say, ‘I am God; worship me’? If Jesus never said those words then He did not claim to be God nor did He command to be worshipped.” [Note: *this question, as phrased, is a **common** objection made by Muslims.*]

and alive and was dead, and behold I am living forever.” This expression, the First and the Last, is a title of God Himself, as we see in **Isaiah 44:6**, for here we see these words: “I am the First and the Last, and besides me there is no God.”

Answer: “Ah, my friend, you are exercising a classic ‘logical fallacy’, called the *false dilemma*. You are *assuming* that there are only two options: that Jesus Christ had to have said that *exact statement*, otherwise He cannot lay claim to being God nor to being worshipped as God. But this is a *false dilemma*. For there are *other* ways (other than Our Lord having to make *that exact statement*, ‘I am God; worship me’) by which we can show that He *did* claim to be God and *does* require divine worship.

“After all, I can turn the question around and show you that this kind of ‘logic’ is erroneous: for example, where in the Bible does Jesus say, ‘I am *only* a prophet; do *not* worship me’? Since nowhere in the Bible did He say ‘I am *only* a prophet; do *not* worship me’, it doesn’t follow that the absence of that statement alone from the Bible is enough to prove that He was more than a prophet.

“So where **is** Our Lord Jesus said to be God in the Bible? Among many places, let’s look at what we find in **Apocalypse (Revelations) 1:17-18**. Here Our Lord Jesus comes to St. John and says to him, “*I am the First and the Last,*

“Not only that, but the Quran uses this same title for the eternal God. In surah 57:3 of the Quran, this title *the First and the Last*, is given as a title of God. Our Lord claims to Himself a title that even the Quran gives to God, therefore Our Lord Jesus is indeed claiming to be divine.

“Moreover, the Quran, which Muslims believe is true, even says that the Bible is true. Surah 3:3-4 says that God ‘has revealed the book (the Bible) in truth, and surah 5:48 says that the Scripture (the Bible) was sent ‘in truth’

“As to worshipping Him, of course we are to worship Jesus as God since He is God, but to make

that clear **Isaiah 45:22-24** says “I am God and there is no other... every knee shall be bowed to me.”

“So although the exact sentence ‘I am God; worship me’ is not found on Jesus’ lips in the Bible, it is clear from the Bible, which even the Quran says is true, that Jesus is God and should be worshipped.”



In Sinu Jesu, on the Rosary

The words of Our Lord spoken to the heart of a priest

There is a kind of guilt that keeps souls far from Me – such guilt is the effect of wounded pride of a deep disappointment in one's flaw itself. Never succumb to the guilt that whispers: "Stay away. It's no use. There is nothing left here for you. You are incapable of the location you thought you heard. Accept your failure to live it and admit that you were deceived." This is not My voice. It is rather the voice of the accuser who borrows all the voices of your past, still alive in your memory, and makes use of them to assault you with a barrage of lies that are calculated to bring you down and cause you to despair.

My voice is always one of comfort and love, producing peace in the soul even when My words

are cutting, even when they pierce the heart like the surgeon's scalpel. Trust, then, in My words to you, and close the ear of your imagination and heart to all else. I am He who comforts you, not the one who would assault you, accused you, condemn you, and cast you out. I am the one who welcomes you with joy. I am the father delighted to see the face of his son and to hear his voice. I am the bridegroom who longs for the sweet company of his beloved bride. I am the friend who takes delight in the conversation of the friend whom he has chosen

and to whom he has bound himself by a lasting pledge of friendship. Come to Me, then, without fear, for with Me you will always find a divine welcome, a loving embrace, consoling conversation, and the courage to continue in the way of life that I have traced out for you.

There is no problem or difficulty that cannot be solved or resolved by a faithful persevering recourse to My mother's most holy Rosary. The Rosary is My Mother's gift to the poor and the simple, to the little ones who alone are capable of hearing the gospel in all its purity and of responding to it with a generous heart. It is to such as these – the childlike and the meek, the poor and the trusting – that the Rosary is given. It is to such as these that the Rosary belongs.

There are no sufferings that cannot be borne peacefully so long as a soul is praying the Rosary. Through the Rosary, all the grace and power of My mysteries passes through My Mother's Immaculate Heart into the hearts of the little ones who invoke her, repeating the angel's "Ave" over and over again. There are illnesses that can be cured through the Rosary. There are clouds of darkness and confusion that only the Rosary can disperse, and this because it is My Mother's favorite prayer, a prayer that originated in the heights of heaven and was carried to earth by My Archangel, a prayer echoed and amplified in the Church through the ages, of prayer loved by all My saints, a prayer of disarming power and of immense depth.



There are those who find the Rosary difficult. The difficulty lies not in the Rosary but in the complexity of those who struggled to enter into its simplicity. Invite souls to the prayer of the Rosary; through it I will heal the sick of mind and body, through it I will give peace where there is conflict, through it I will make great saints out of great sinners, through it I will sanctify My priests, give joy to My consecrated ones, and raise up new vocations in abundance.

There is no safer way of coming to Me than through My Mother and under the mantle of her protection. Those who think they can journey through this life without My Mother's companionship and intercession are blinded by a terrible pride and they sin against My dispositions made from the cross: "Woman behold thy son. Behold thy mother." It is My positive will that all souls should learn of My Mother and live in her company. It is My positive will that souls should so abandon themselves into My mother's keeping that they will be like children held tightly against her Immaculate Heart.



August 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31 Eighth Sunday after Pentecost	1	2 6 pm Women's group	3	4 5 pm Adoration Benediction 6:30 pm Convert	5 First Friday 1 pm HS mom's mtg.	6 First Saturday 9:30 Brunch 10:30 Maiden
7 Ninth Sunday after Pentecost	8	9	10 6:30 pm Young Adult Spiritual talk	11 5 pm Adoration Benediction 6:30 pm Convert class	12	13 5 pm Youth Group
14 Tenth Sunday after Pentecost	15 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 6:30 pm Sung Mass	16	17	18 5 pm Adoration Benediction 6:30 pm Convert class	19	20 1 pm Troops 5 pm Youth Focus group 7 pm Men's group
21 Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost Sung Mass at 10:30 resumes	22 Boys summer camp Aug. 21—26	23	24 7 pm Men's Focus group	25 5 pm Adoration Benediction 6:30 pm Convert	26	27 9:30 am Altar servers
28 Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost	29	30	31	1 5 pm Adoration Benediction 6:30 pm Convert	2 First Friday 1 pm HS mom's mtg.	3 First Saturday

SICK AND HOMEBOUND

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

Patricia Barsanti, Sr. Maria Consuela, David Cools, Roberta Costa, Carmen di Pietro, Julie deTar, Regina Dumas, Ruben Finn, Timothy Finn, Sharon Flores, Mary Jane Foeller, Alvin Froehlich, Barbara Gagne, Karen Graham, David Gunseor, Gale Hamilton, Susan Hamilton, Sherri Higgins, Donald Holbrook, Kathryn Holbrook, Margaret Hurn, John Joyce, Joseph Kemna, Carrie Kralicek, Paul Krieg, Joseph Larsen, Marianne Leake, Donald Lohman, Spencer Lowell, Bryce Lund, Patrick McMonigle, Katie Orozco, Philomena Ost, Florence Pearson, Phyllis Peick, Michael Permen, Rachel Porter, Julia Rose, Coleman Rozsnyai, Louis Sachwitz, Sister Mary Gemma, TOR, Joshua Schlader, Georgia Schrempp, Heaven & Mary Schumacher, Michael Simpson, David & Erika Taxin, Jonathan Taxin, Esther Vasquez, Fr. Graham Walters, Mary & Charles West, Lezlie White, Nicolas Williams, Barbara Woods, Kathryn Woeppel.

FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Please pray also for the deceased of our parish

Richard & Nancy Ambrosi, Angelo Ambrosetti, Francesco Barsanti, Robert Bowman, Diane Braun, David Brunson, Dennis Cockrum, Julie Cook, Veronica Cools, Terrence Cooney, Richard Copeland, Robert Courteau, Raymond Covarrubias, Ann deTar, Joseph Anthony Drongoski, Charles & Susan Douglass, James & Joan Duggan, Norman Dumas, Jean Duval, Brenda Finn, Frank Finney, William Fisher, Lorraine Floberg, Jess Flores, Mary Forrester, Lin Fulwiler, Dorothy Gallus, Robert Geist, Joan Glaze, James & Beatrice Gordon, Fr. Bill Gould, Joseph Guarnotta, Jeanine Grenier, Helen Groves, Ed Hatrup, Leo Heinan, Patricia Howland, Fr. Michael Irwin, FSSP, Rosemary Jacobs, Rodney Johnson, John Keller, Mary Lynn Kenary, Daisy Koler, Paul Koudelka, Elemer Kovacs, Boleslaw & Wanda Kozlowski, Klaus Cuthbert, Vita La Fond, Jeremiah Leake, Steven Lepeilbet, Josephine LoCurto, Sandra Madrid, Patrick Mahoney, Bonnie McDonald, Kevin & Erma McKay, Mike McManus, Agnes McMillan, Florence McNamara, David Metzger, Norm Miller, Lynnette Miller, Michael Mitchell, Ann Morgan, Carlos Moya, Arcadia Nicklay, Fr. Colman Nolan, Mary Norman, William & Molly Rose Pearson, Jerry Peick, Betty Rackie, Kathleen Rardon, Fr. George Rassley CSSR, Bonnie Royer, Tamiko Shaw, Jeremiah Shea, Evelyn Simas, Alice Sires, Steve Slater, Jeremy Smith, Ed Stephens, Maryanna Thompson, Paul Upthegrove, Paul Uribe, Linda Vogel, Paul Van Voorst, Bob & Dorothy Wagner, Helen Walitzer, Joseph Walter, Elizabeth Welch, Ernest Willette, Wes Woods

VOCATIONS

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

Fr. Peter Mary, FSSR; Fr. Joseph Loftus, FSSP; Fr. Martin Adams, FSSP; Sister Mary Imelda, Filiae Laboris Mariae, Dom Mary Peter Leedy, OSB, Monastero di San Benedetto Norcia; Brother Lawrence Marie 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 24 th Collection	
General, envelopes, loose cash	
On line donations	
St. Helen's fund	
Sunday socials	
Flowers	
Individual gifts	
Votive candles	
Building fund/Capital camp.	
SJA tumblers/apparel sales	
Total	

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