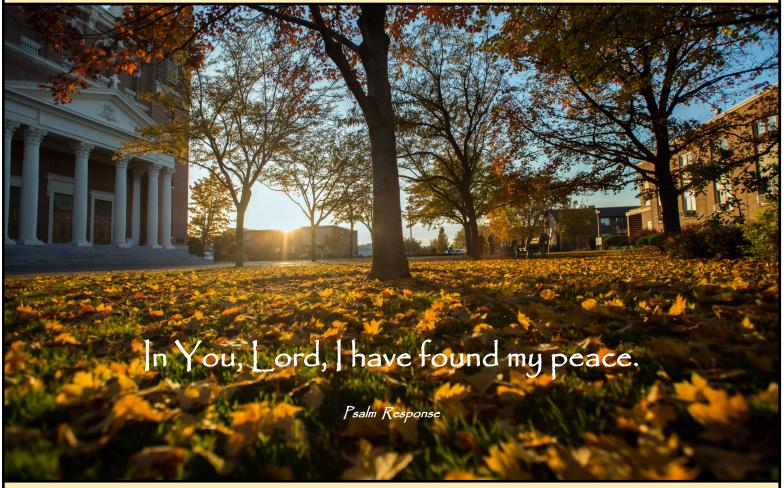


St. Aloysius Gonzaga

A Roman Catholic Jesuit Parish

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time November 5, 2023



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Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5:00 pm and Sunday 8:30 am, 11:00 am, and 7:00 pm

Sunday (all) and Daily Masses (8:00 am) -

Live Stream: www.stalschurch.org

Adoration - Tuesdays 2-4pm and Fridays 7-7:45am

Sacrament of Reconciliation - Thurs. 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm

<u>Parish Center Hours</u> -Tuesday through Friday, 8:30 am - 1:30 pm

St. Aloysius Gonzaga Catholic Grade School -

611 E. Mission Ave. 489-7825
Kindergarten through 8th grade and Early Learning Center
Co-Principals: Angie Krauss - akrauss@stalsschool.org
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Altar Society - President: Mary Kay Bryan 487-4632

Knights of Columbus Council #15143 -

Grand Knight: Devin Franke 805-668-5280

S.E.E.L. - Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life -

Director: Cindy Reopelle at seelspokane@gmail.com

8:00 a.m. Weekday Mass Intentions

Nov. 6 Addie Sauer

Nov. 7 Lora & Isabella Langford

Nov. 8 Anita Dickes

Nov. 9 Anna Pike

† Iluminada Monte de Ramos

Nov. 10 † John Traynor

† Pete Duffy

Nov. 7th - Knights of Columbus General Meeting

in O'Malley Hall, 6:45 pm - All men are welcome!

The St. Aloysius Knights of Columbus is a men's service organization that meets monthly for prayer and planning of leadership and service projects that support the parish.

For more information, call Devin Franke, our grand knight: at 805-668-5280.

Nov. 12th - World famous blueberry Pancake Breakfast—Free!



in O'Malley Hall, after 8:30 and 11:00 Masses
The St. Aloysius Knights of Columbus will cook up their
famous blueberry pancakes.
Donations will be accepted and proceeds will go
to one of our several charities.

Altar Society

Our **Altar Society** will meet <u>Tuesday, November 14th,</u> at 11:30 am, in O'Malley Hall.

All are welcome, men and women.

We gather in O'Malley Hall, bring your own lunch and join us! Find out what this ministry group is up to in the background. Info. 509-487-4632.

Nov. 12th - Urban Indian Mass and Potluck

3:30 Mass in the church followed by a potluck in O'Malley Hall

Did you know that the Urban Indian Community has a monthly Mass at St. Aloysius on the 2nd Sunday of the month? Anyone is welcome to join us. Fr. Peter Byrne, SJ is the presider for the Urban Indian Community.





The Annual Catholic Appeal funds the presence of the Catholic Church in Eastern Washington. Our mission is to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ, to make Him known, and to serve others in His name.

Mission and Outreach Clergy Vocations Catholic Education Diocesan Leadership Youth and Young Adult Ministry

October 29th report: We have received pledges for \$77,595 44% of our goal. St Aloysius Assessment: \$174,582

We are grateful for your support of our relationship between the parish and the Diocese of Spokane.



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Risen Lord,

You journey alongside us and call each of us to holiness.
Give us courage to walk forward in hope.

We pray for an increase in vocations to religious life and priesthood.

Inspire in young women and men a burning desire to serve You.

May we joyfully set out together to build up your kingdom of justice, mercy, and love.

We ask this in your name, Jesus.

Amen.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Thursday 4:30-6:30p.m. in the church.



Our children are preparing for Confirmation and First Eucharist will be receiving their First Reconciliation on Nov. 9th.

Others are still welcome to attend.



Our St. Aloysius Altar Society will hold your intentions in prayer. Call Mary Kay or Danelle. Or leave us a request in the "Prayer Box" by Mary's Altar. *Mary Kay B. 509-487-4632 Danelle B. 509-979-9968*.

Justice Works: Social Ministry

Prayer/Reflection

"Lord, you have told us what is good: "to do justice."
Help us to treat others as we would have them treat us.
When someone asks us to walk a mile with them,
encourage us to walk two.
When someone demands our shirt,
help us offer our coat as well.

You have taught us, Lord, that justice extends beyond the letter of the law."

(Catholic Relief Services)

<u>Setting the Record Straight:</u> <u>Catholic Charities Housing and Homelessness Services</u>

How is Catholic Charities ministering to the homeless population in and around Spokane?

www.cceasternwa.org/answers



JUSTFILMS

"Wetlands: A PBS FILM"

Wednesday, November 15th.
10:00-11:30 am Antonian Room
Facilitated by Kurt and Pam Wittman
(members of the Caring for Creation Committee)

RSVP by Monday, November 13 to Rita at: rwaldref@dioceseofspokane.org

**Did you know that nearly half of all wetlands in the U.S. have been removed in the last 100 years?

Gonzaga Climate Center

"The Future of Climate Education in the United States"

Wednesday, November 15th, 5:00 PT Hemmingson Auditorium or livestreaming online.

Speaker: Dr. Deb L Morrison, CLEAR Environmental and the U. of Washington Free and open to the public.

Register at www.gonzaga.edu/climate-institute/events



2023 FOOD DRIVE

Each year the Parish collaborates with Gonzaga Prep's Annual Food Drive. Food will be collected Nov. 11/12 and 18/19.

See bulletin insert for more details.

Thank you to all who donated socks and belts to the House of Charity.

Your generosity is overwhelming and appreciated!



Immigration: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow

A Twilight Retreat

Tuesday, November 28, 2023

Bea House

(across the alley from the Parish Center, 1107 N Astor St.)

5:30 - 9:00 pm

Facilitated by Sr. Pat Millen, OSF

Includes simple meal and prayer/presentation/reflection.

RSVP to Rita by November 22nd: rwaldref@dioceseofspokane.org

"We, the people of this continent, are not fearful of foreigners, because most of us were once foreigners.

I say this to you as the son of immigrants, knowing that so many of you are also descended from immigrants."

Pope Francis speaking to US Congress

Homelessness and Hope:

A 2-part series on Homelessness in Spokane

Friday, December 1st, 5:30—9:30PM

(Begins in the Antonian Room)

5:30 - Gather. 6:00 - Bus departs

<u>Part 1</u>. Watching videos about local homelessness. Links sent after RSVPing.

<u>Part 2</u>. An evening encounter with Spokane's Homeless People.

Hosted by Barry Barfield: Spokane Homeless Coalition, Parishioner

Guest Speakers:

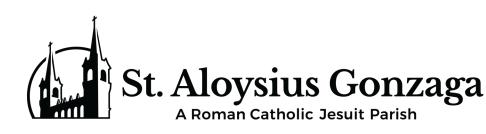
Homeless people and those who minister to them.

Limited to 10.

Info/to RSVP: Rita Waldref

at rwaldref@dioceseofspokane.org





THANKSGIVING **DAY**

November 23rd 10:00 AM Mass.

NO 8:00 am Mass nor Confessions that day.



ELECTION DAY IS TUESDAY, NOV. 7th

VOTE! It is our privilege and responsibility!







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"Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn."

Benjamin Franklin

The Ignatian Examen

Presence—Place yourself in God's presence. **Gratitude**—What moments, people, events are you grateful for today?

Review—How has God spoken to you through the events of the day?

Sorrow—Ask God for forgiveness or healing for the moments when you turned away from love.

Grace—What grace do you ask God for as you look forward to tomorrow?

SCAN HERE TO RSVP AND INDICATE

5PM - MASS @ ST. ALOYSIUS CHURCH



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