

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

July 31, 2011 ✠ *Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

TUESDAY	AUGUST 2
7:00pm	Study of Scripture / <i>Old Chapel</i>
FRIDAY	AUGUST 5
8:00am	First Friday Adoration / <i>Church</i>
4:00pm	Benediction / <i>Church</i>
SATURDAY	AUGUST 6
4:00pm	Penance / <i>Church</i>
5:00pm	Mass / <i>Church</i>



"The hand of the Lord feeds us," sings the psalmist; "He answers all our needs." Often, though, it is with the open hands of generous stewards willing to share His many gifts that God's people are fed and their needs met.

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Communion Service: Monday-Friday at 6:30am

Mon	8:00am	Mary Lenoue
Tues	8:00am	Josephine Brousseau+
Wed	8:00am	Michael Shea+
Thu	8:00am	Olive Crooks+
Fri	8:00am	Ann Machtolf+



PLEASE PRAY

for members of our parish:



Margaret Spinelli, Kevin O'Leary, Jamie Daily, Abby Rogers, Henry Pelc, Robert Miller, Marilyn Kassel, Cecile Owens, Penelope Tenold and Sherry Gaiser

Please continue your prayers for all those serving in our armed forces.

The green cards in the pews are available so that you may add a name to our prayer list.

"SERMON ON THE AMOUNT"

Weekly Income Needed	\$	9,343
Last Week's Income	\$	7,898
Shortfall	\$	-1,445
Income Needed since July 1, 2011	\$	37,372
Actual Income Since July 1, 2011	\$	32,739
Shortfall	\$	-4,633

Thank you for your faithful financial support of your parish!

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

AUGUST 6 & 7, 2011

READERS

5:00pm	A. Ozuna, B. Wallace
8:00am	M. Hynes, D. Hendrickson
10:30am	P. Brennan, H. O'Keefe

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00pm	F. Boyle, H. Fitterer, _____ V. Wallace, J. Zamora
8:00am	J. Hynes, B. & M. Ward C. Helman, J. Parry
10:30am	K. Driscoll, D. Tatko, _____ T. Plummer, C. Kingen

SERVERS

5:00pm	Sam Eugenio, Shane Eugenio
8:00am	R. Doyen
10:30am	D. & N. O'Keefe, K. Johnson

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00pm	Milani Family, C. Braun
8:00am	Egan Family, M. Cashatt, J. Morlin
10:30am	D. Plummer, K. Coe, J. Ringwood, G. Hottell

HELP!

CAN YOU GIVE 1 HOUR A MONTH???



OLF Martha's need 16 helpers. We "clean" the Church on Saturday mornings (Friday would work also), usually at 8am.

The work is light: filling candles & pew pockets, dusting the altar, pews, etc. With 3-4 Martha's at work, it takes about an hour to complete.

Please call Joan Gullickson at 535-2124.

Thank you,
Joan

Safe Environment for Children

Information was mailed out to all volunteers who work with children and youth in our parish. Please complete your online test as soon as possible. If you are interested in working with our children and youth this fall, please contact Dan Glatt or Joan Leeds for information on training this fall. If you are a parent with children in All Saints, and plan on helping in the classroom or participating in a field trip, you need to have this training also.

GARDEN FOR THE POOR

Thank you to our wonderful helpers who are keeping the gardens looking good. Everyone is invited to participate in this direct service to the poor, by joining us on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 8pm. You are also welcome to come by anytime and tend to the gardens.



FALL NEWSLETTER



Can you believe fall is almost here?? It is once again time to start thinking about another newsletter. The Fall Newsletter will cover the months of September, October & November.

DEADLINE IS:

Monday, August 8th

ARTICLES

Email your articles to Betsy at:
betsym@fatimaspokane.com.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Call Meg with your availability at 747-7213 or emailing megc@fatimaspokane.com.

Questions? Call Betsy or Meg at 747-7213.

Betsy Murcar and Meg Caparosa, Secretaries

Mass Begins at Home

We refer to our arrival in the church before the celebration as "the gathering rite." Most of us think of it as the moment when we meet and greet our brothers and sisters in Christ early in the liturgy. But we can think of it as a rite that begins much earlier: Even as we arrive on the church grounds and get out of our cars in the parking lot, as we greet and talk with the others about the weather or about which of our children caught the chickenpox—the gathering rite is in motion. Even earlier, roused from our sleep, we have begun to gather our wits and collect our thoughts and intentions. Hauled from our beds, we have migrated from all directions to form this gathering. For we are hungry to break the bread that is Christ's body and share the cup of our salvation.

The gathering rite is our invitation to hone our awareness of this migration we make on Sunday morning. It gives the chance to make a transition from the sacrament of daily life to the sacrament of our gathered community. We do not want to find ourselves in this migration out of habit or duty—but we want to reach that level of awareness that knows our deepest yearning for an experience of the holy in communion.

Here are some ideas to make the gathering rite a joyful, rich and pleasant experience before you even arrive at the church: Get up an hour earlier and read over the scripture lessons for the day so that you can really hear them at the liturgy. Make special coffee or hot chocolate and bring it around to family members inviting them to this Sunday rising with plenty of time to shower and dress in their Sunday clothes. Allow that the family retains a Sunday silence—no idle chatter—just the peace of silence and a gathering of our inner selves. Play "Sunday music"—to set the tone: chant or some meditative and beautiful religious music from our long heritage. Retain the silence as you walk or drive to church. When you arrive, make a point of greeting and engaging the others you meet. Greet someone you know already and greet and make the acquaintance of someone whom you have never met before. "Where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I in the midst of you."

