



# ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC PARISH

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## June 25, 2017 12th Sunday in Ordinary Times

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**Office Hours: On-site office is now closed. For help call 466-3811. Please note: All correspondence/ payments should be mailed to: St. Patrick's, c/o St. Thomas More Parish, 505 W. St. Thomas More Way, Spokane, WA 99208**

### Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9:30 AM (Church)</b>
<b>Weekday: Mon.</b>	<b>7:00 AM (Convent)</b>
<b>Tues.</b>	<b>7:00 AM (Convent)</b>
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>7:30 AM (Convent)</b>
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>7:00 AM (Convent)</b>
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>7:00 AM (Convent)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>8:00 AM (Church)</b>
<b>Holy Days</b>	<b>consult bulletin</b>

### Sacramental Celebrations

**Baptisms:** Parental preparation is required. Please call Fr. Kruse @ 466-3811, ext. 204.

**Reconciliation:** Saturdays, 8:30—9:00 AM or by appointment.

**Marriage:** Please call Fr. Kruse at 466-3811, ext. 204 at least 6 months in advance.

#### Care of the Sick & Homebound

Communion is taken to the sick and elderly on a regular basis. We ask families to please notify the Parish office when illness or infirmity impedes a person from coming to church for an extended period of time. The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is celebrated on request. Call 466-3811, ext. 200.

## St. Patrick's Prayer Line

Have a certain need that prayer can help? St. Patrick's Prayer Line is available. Call Jackie Silvey (483-3109).

### ANY NEWS FOR THE BULLETIN?

**PLEASE CONTACT TRACI @ 466-3811, ext. 200  
OR EMAIL: [stpat Spokanebulletin@gmail.com](mailto:stpat Spokanebulletin@gmail.com)**

BULLETIN ITEMS ARE DUE NO LATER THAN MONDAY @ 4:00 PM. Also, if you know of any homebound who would like to have the bulletin mailed to them, please send us their address.

**Clause for a Christian Will:** I give, devise, and bequeath to St. Patrick Catholic Parish — Spokane for the benefit of (*insert St. Patrick Catholic Church*), a Washington nonprofit corporation, (*description of gift*).

### Parish Staff:

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### Parish Council

George Baertlein, Chair  
Members: Mike Dellwo, Mary Grayhek, Louise Andrews, Ex Officio

**Finance Council:** Mark Kelly, Chair; Members: Ed Sinclair, Dorothea Moore

Dear Parishioners:

When I came to be your pastor nine months ago, I mentioned to you at Mass that I would only be here for a short while...until the Bishop was able to appoint a permanent pastor. Now that the time has passed, and I have arrived at my "second retirement," I will find it difficult to depart. You have shown me great understanding and kindness and while I have only begun to know you individually, I have found a home here.



As I mentioned to you on several occasions our parish has more involvement by the laity than I have experienced before. That makes a parish. I thank you for your commitment to Christ and His Church. In a special way, I thank our wonderfully competent and dedicated staff. Many of them are behind the scenes working hard to support all the efforts of our parish community. I especially wish to thank Fr. Kruse and our deacon. They have made my life easier than I ever expected.

I leave you in very competent pastoral hands. I know that you will come to know that as time passes. God has blessed me in giving me the opportunity to be your pastor. May God bless all of you and draw you closer each day to the Heart of His Beloved Son.

Sincerely in Christ,  
Msgr. Pearson

**June:**

4, 11, 18, & 25: Our Parishioners  
17: Elisa Sibulo  
24: Francisca Rajenel

**Memorial Candle for June:**

Billie Curtis & Anita Frederick



The Missionaries of Charity would like to invite you to join them in a Novena here at St. Patrick's on the 13th of each month beginning in February and continuing until October. This is in commemoration of the apparition of Our Lady of Fatima. The Novena will begin with Mass at 6:00 PM and a rosary procession in the neighborhood will follow and conclude with the Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

**Mark your calendars:**



**Vacation Bible School**  
**July 24-28, 2017**  
**1st to 6th Grade**  
**(5-12 yrs)**  
**Free!**

**Parish Website**

**Have you checked out our new website? Find out what's happening at your parish:**

**[www.stpatrickspokane.org](http://www.stpatrickspokane.org)**



**Looking for a way to get involved with the parish?**

We need your help with special events, coffee hours, funeral dinners, church cleaning or repair projects, etc. Please call Jan at 230-1957 or email her at [jprovinsal@dioceseofspokane.org](mailto:jprovinsal@dioceseofspokane.org) to have your name put on a call list for when help is needed. Many hands make light work and it's fun to represent our parish. Thank you!

**Meet the Priests**

Fr. Pat Kerst was born and raised in Spokane in what was then known as "the Valley." He was baptized at St. John Vianney Church and raised primarily in St. Mary Parish. His parents, Ted Kerst and Donna Abel, still live in Spokane, as do his younger brother, John, and younger sister, Alicia. His older brother, Joe, is deceased. He attended St. Mary School and Gonzaga Prep, graduating in 1981. He entered Gonzaga University and Bishop White Seminary, and after graduation continued seminary formation at St. Paul Seminary at the University of St. Thomas in St. Paul, MN. Since ordination in 1990, he has served in parishes in Pasco, Brewster/Twisp, and Walla Walla, and is currently serving at his home parish, St. Mary in Spokane Valley, and St. Joseph Parish in Rockford. He serves on several boards, councils and committees in the diocese, and is the bishop's Vicar for Priests.

Fr. Jose Jaime Maldonado R. was born in Monterrey, N. L., Mexico on November 2, 1971. Monterrey, N. L. is located at the northeastern part of Mexico, four hours by car from San Antonio, Texas. His father, Sotero Maldonado lives in Florida (Lake Okeechobee). His mother, Gabriel Reyna died in June, 1998. Two of his sisters are living in Blue Ridge, Georgia. His oldest sister passed away in June, 2007. Fr. Jose lived in Monterrey until he was 15 years old and then his family moved to San Luis Potosi in the central part of Mexico where he started studies in the seminary. From 1987 to 1990 he studied in the minor seminary. From 1990 to 1996 he studied Philosophy and Theology (major seminary) in Monterrey, N. L. In 1997, he came to the United States (Spokane) for the ESL program at Gonzaga University. In 1999, he spent a year of theology at St. Paul Seminary in St. Paul, MN. From 2000-2002 he completed the last two years of theology at Mount Angel Seminary in Saint Benedict, OR. On May 24, 2002 he was ordained as a priest for the Diocese of Spokane. Since ordination in 2002, he has served in the parishes in Pasco, Brewster/Twisp, Chewelah, Walla Walla, and Orville/Tonasket. Last January he was assigned to the Immaculate Heart Retreat Center.

Welcome to your new priests:

Fr. Pat Kerst and Fr. Jose Jaime Maldonado

They begin their duties on July 1!

Stop by and introduce yourselves to them and welcome them to our parish!



**Coffee and Donuts**

**Join your fellow parishioners for coffee and donuts following Mass.**

