PASTORAL ASSISTANTS:

Liturgy
Mary Smith
966-0830

Youth Ministry
Amy Baumgardner
966-5344

Children’s Education:
(3yrs-8th Grade)
Rose Meyer
966-0788

Adult Faith Formation:
Amy Baumgardner
966-5344

Executive Assistant to the Pastor
Dolores Nesta
966-0830

RECONCILIATION
Every Saturday 3:30-4:30 PM
Other times by Appointment

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday
5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)

Sunday
7:00 AM
9:00 AM
11:00 AM (Bilingual)
6:30 PM (Youth)
Latin Mass 1:30 PM
(2nd Sunday of the Month)

Weekdays
In the Chapel
Mon. - Wed. 7:00 AM
Thurs. 8:15 AM
Fri. 7:00 AM
& 12:15 PM

Saturday
8:15 AM
Holy Family’s Oktoberfest 2017

September 23rd
Mass: 5:00pm
Dinner: 6:30
Join the Spaß (Fun)

Tickets:
Adults $30
7 to 13yrs $15
6 & under Free

Tickets can be purchased in the Gift Shop,
Main Office and in the Religious Education Office.
Proceeds go toward our Church, Faith Formation Programs, and to those affected by Hurricane Harvey.
Peter was expecting a Messiah that would carry out a different plan than the one Jesus had explained. Jesus was indeed the Messiah, but his life and death would show a different understanding of what it means to be the Messiah. We too have expectations of God and our own ideas about what we think God ought to be doing in our world. Like Peter we may risk limiting God’s plan is always more than we can ever imagine.

As you gather as a family, talk about what we expect God to be doing in our world and in our family life. Then read today’s Gospel, Matthew 16:21-27. Why do we sometimes get discouraged because God doesn’t act in our world in the ways that we expect? Sometimes forget to let God be God for us? That is, do we sometimes get discouraged because God doesn’t act in our world in the ways that we expect? Pray together that your family will remember that God is always working for the world’s salvation in ways that are beyond our human imaginings. Conclude by praying together today’s Psalm, Psalm 63.

SEMINARIANS!

Bishop Tyson has encouraged us to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Jesús Mariscal is studying at The Pontifical North American College in Rome, Italy. Please keep him and those who are considering vocations in your prayers.

FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED:

ALL NATURAL GRASS FED BEEF

INSEMINATION

♦ NO HORMONES
♦ NO ANTIBIOTICS
♦ NO STRESS
♦ NO ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION

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Sowers of the Good Seed

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Twenty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time - September 3, 2017

WELCOME TO HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

If this is your first time at Holy Family, welcome and be sure to pick up a registration card at the Welcoming Desk or call the Parish Office at 966-0830 and we will be glad to assist you. If you are looking for a church home, we invite you to become a member of Holy Family.

Advertiser of the Week

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See their ad on the back of this bulletin.

Mission Mass at the Ahtanum
Sunday Mass at St. Joseph’s Mission Sunday, September 3rd at 9:30 am. For further information call (509) 966-0865.

Sacred Heart Radio 88.1 FM

Aluminum Cans Needed for Kc’s.
Proceeds go toward Seminarian education. Bring them to boxes in parking lot.

Altar Server

We need you! If you are 4th grade or above, consider becoming an Altar Server! If you are interested please contact Tami Snyder 949-0359 ratasa@aol.com

Rachel’s Vineyard Weekend Retreats

Urgent Notice: If you are ready to begin healing from abortion, the next Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat will be held October 27 – 29 at Immaculate Heart Retreat Center in Spokane. You must be registered by Oct. 6th to attend. Call confidentially (509) 994-4355 or email healing@rvspokane.org See http://www.rvspokane.org/retreats.asp for more information.

If God is calling you to hope and healing OR to minister to those in need of hope and healing here in our local community, please contact Lisa Petersen (509-421-7847 or lisape tersen65@gmail.com) for more information. Your call will be kept completely confidential.

Abortion Loss & Unresolved Grief

A LIFE LINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Thinking about separation or divorce? Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce? Do you know how to save that marriage? Or do you feel helpless? RETROUVAILLE is designed to help troubled marriages regain their health. It helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. For confidential information or to register call (509)520-4118 or (800) 470-2230 or visit the website at www.Retrouvaille.org.

HAPPY LABOR DAY

A special Mass will be offered for all workers on Monday, September 4th at 9:00am. (No 7:00am or 12:15pm Mass)

MASS, ANointing OF THE SICK, LUNCHEON

Thursday, September 21st at 12:15 pm.

Please make plans to join us next month. All are welcome to attend. If you plan on joining us please call the parish office to make appropriate accommodations.
Jesus Knows Your Demon

By Jenna Hines  blesedisshe.net/devotion/jesus-knows-your-demon/

Are you troubled?

The demons who stalk the Earth can take advantage of our weaknesses. They may make themselves known in our lives by encouraging us to feel out of control, worthless, and distant from God. Maybe you’re like me, and you struggle with an anxiety disorder. You pray fervently for relief, but you still haven’t seen the miracle you’re looking for. Others may have spouses with a gambling or pornography addiction. Some might struggle with motivation and procrastination. You may have a tendency to lie or be quick to anger. Maybe you yell at your kids too often or you judge your coworkers in your own head or aloud with gossip.

We know where we are weak, and that is where the demons strike. But Jesus knows too. He knows our weaknesses and understands them better than we do. He pondered the very weakness that is on your mind while He hung on the cross. Think about that: He thought of you while He was on the Cross. You. In 2017.

He also thought about the Canaanite woman in Matthew’s Gospel—her along with her daughter. So great was her faith that even when Jesus tested her, she persisted. And He heard her request and healed her daughter (so powerful are the prayers of a mother). (Matthew 15:28)

And in this circumstance, Jesus chose to heal. He took away the demons that were tormenting the daughter all because of faith. This type of passage leaves me wondering, “I have faith. Where is my miracle?” Jesus may not heal me today, but if I look at how He has acted in my life, I can see how He has helped me through my weaknesses. He may be using my temptations to bolster my faith or the faith of another. We don’t know His ways, but we do know He can use evil and the hardships in our life for good.

So ask for that miracle. Ask God to take away your demon and believe He will. Go to Him in the Sacraments, receive your healing through the avenues of grace Jesus gave to us. Know that “The world offers you comfort. But you were not made for comfort. You were made for greatness,” (Pope Benedict XVI) and our healing will come in God’s time be it all at once or little by little over the course of a lifetime.

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Register Now!

Youth Group forms available in the Church office, Church foyer and Religious Ed Office.
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• Why must Jesus die on the cross?
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• What does the symbol of the cross mean to you?

WALKING WITH PURPOSE

Women’s Scripture Study – This Fall!

Are you interested in getting together with a group of women to explore your faith? You don’t have much Scripture knowledge, but you would like to see how the Scriptures apply to your everyday life? If so, we invite you to consider joining Walking with Purpose at Holy Family Parish. Evening weekly group sessions are starting Monday, September 11th.

Opening Your Heart, our 22-week foundational Bible study is designed for women new to WWP as well as those with more Bible study experience.

Walking with Purpose is a Catholic Bible study for women that aims to bring women to a deeper personal relationship with Christ. Through personal study and small group discussions, the group helps to link our everyday challenges with solutions given to us through the teachings of Christ and the Catholic Church.

Interested in learning more? Please join us on Sept. 11th and find out what it is all about! Bring a friend to Holy Family in the Church Hall Classroom (across from the nursery) on 9-11 at 6:30 pm. Forms are available in the Foyer & Parish Office.

Workbooks $45.00.

For questions or to RSVP, call or email Teresa Guaglianone at 559-269-4364 or tguaglianone@gmail.com. You can also visit www.walkingwithpurpose.com for more information. We hope to see you at Walking with Purpose this fall!

Children’s Ministries:

PRESCHOOL THRU GRADE 5

Middle School Ministries: GRADES 6, 7 & 8 - Middle School

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INFANT BAPTISMS take place on the 1st, 3rd & 5th weekends during Mass; and on the 2nd & 4th Sunday’s in the chapel at 10:15am.

Parents & Godparents requesting baptism for children are expected to attend two preparation sessions prior to baptism.

To register, and if you need childcare you must call the office beforehand, 509-966-5344

Next Sessions Sept. 26th & Oct. 3rd 6:00-8:00pm

Let us welcome our newly Baptized

Aiden Axel Gaytan

Baptism

A CALL TO MEN

MEN’S MINISTRY

Annual open house kickoff! Join us in the Gathering Hall Monday September 11th at 6pm for pizza, drinks, information and a spiritually good time with the guys.

“I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing.” John 15:5
EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Chapel of Divine Mercy is sung on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 3:00 pm.
Adoration: Tuesdays from 8:00 to 5:45 ending with Benediction.

HOLY FAMILY NURSERY:
Ages 4 and Under The Childcare Center at Holy Family church is available during the Saturday 5:00 pm Mass and Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am Masses. We invite all other children to attend Mass with their families.

PRAYER INTENTIONS
Sister Janet Strong -Tel: 576-0931; email: annunciation@beitmery.org, our Diocesan religious Hermite, would like us to know that she is very happy to pray, before the Blessed Sacrament, for any intentions that might be referred to her.

KNITTING & CROCHETING FOR JESUS:
A prayer shawl ministry: Caring, Comfort and Celebration is what Knitting & Crocheting for Jesus does. Knitters & those who Crochet, knit & crochet at home and during our Prayer shawl gatherings. If you know someone who needs Caring or Comfort or has an event to Celebrate please call Mary Patrick at 509-952-1974 or the parish office. More knitters & those who Crochet are also needed. Come and Knit or Crochet for Jesus. We meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday’s of the Month at 9:30 am.

Elizabeth Ministry
is a wonderful ministry in our parish that takes time to congratulate new parents and welcome our new ‘lil’ one into our faith community. Welcome bags are available in the church foyer or the parish office. These are filled with goodies and helpful information. We are looking for new team members to help welcome new families into our community. If you are interested in joining the Elizabeth Ministry team, please call Amy at 966-5344.

Elizabeth Ministry Bereavement offers support for women who have suffered the loss of a baby to miscarriage. In this time of grief and questions please call Christine Levitan at 901-4995 to receive helpful information and resources. And if you wish, the opportunity to talk with someone who has been through this difficult experience.

If you are interested in volunteering with one of the Elizabeth Ministry teams, please contact Amy at the Office of Adult Faith Formation, 966-5344, for more information.

PRAISERCISE
Mon and Wed 1:15 pm
Cardio, Resistance Training, mat work and stretching & short Bible Study. Bring a water bottle and a mat (I will have some extra mats). Comfortable clothing, and sneakers which provide good support.

Premier Fitness 5110 Tieton Dr. #340 (Glenwood Square 3rd Floor)
Questions? Call Jill Carroll at 965-0296

If you have wondered about how to plan a vigil and funeral liturgy contact Deacon Jim at 945-5432 after 4pm

HELP STOP ABORTION!
Please join Greg Sherman and Nathan Stone in representing Holy Family’s crusade against abortion.

Tuesdays 9-10 am and 2:30 to 3:30pm
Wednesday 9:00 to 11:00am.
People committed to ending abortion walk with signs in front of Planned Parenthood abortion clinic on 11th & Tieton Dr. Call Nathan at 966-3216 for information.

CURSILLO
The Cursillo Movement seeks to remind laity of their unique role in the world as Christians and empower a Christian life. Contact: John McKeen, 509-317-2134.

FLOWER REMEMBRANCE
In celebration of Norm McDean’s birthday, on Aug. 9th from his loving family.

SEWING MINISTRY
Can you sew? Every Tuesday morning to make linens and vestments for our priests. Perhaps giving one year to this ministry could be your gift to the church. They meet every Tuesday from 9:30 to Noon in the Brides room off the church foyer.

Sharing the Light Gift Shop Hours
Sat. 4:45pm to beginning of Mass; 6:00pm to 6:15pm Sunday: Open at 8:00am closed at 12:15pm

“HOLY GROUNDS” after Mass Fellowship
Coffee and donuts every weekend. Coffee hours will follow the 7:00, 9:00, & 11:00am Masses. Come visit and have a coffee.

The Yakima Diocese has a sexual abuse hotline for those who wish to report some incident concerning that issue as regards to a bishop, priest, deacon or diocesan employee or volunteer. Please call (888) 276-4490.

PRAYER HOTLINE:
For any prayer requests call Barb McKinney at 945-0477 or email: rbmckinney84@gmail.com
If you’d like to become a member of the prayer hotline please call Barb.

YOUNG LADIES’ INSTITUTE (YLI)
YLI is a Catholic Women’s Organization located in four western states.
Yakima Institute #96 meets on the second Thursday of each month at the Holy Family Knights of Columbus Hall at 56th Avenue and Chestnut. The meetings begin at 7pm with the Rosary, with the meeting to follow. For information call 388-4128 or 949-2105.