

Risen Christ Catholic Community



Liturgy: Saturday ~ 5:00PM & Sunday ~ 8:30AM & 10:30AM

Feast of Christ the King — November 25/26, 2017

Reconciliation
By appointment
Contact Msgr. da Silva

Baptism Of Infants
Preparation of parents
in advance
Contact parish office

Young Adult—Interparish
FirePit Ministry
Fr. Radmar, director—208-343-2128

Marriage
Preparation at least
6 months in advance
Contact parish office

Entrance Into The Catholic Church
Adults: Deacon Ted & Ludee Vermaas, 208-345-8279
Children: Deacon Gary Anderson, 208-362-6584

Bishop Kelly H.S.-Interparish
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The issues you have been addressing during these days are of particular interest to the Church, because they have to do with questions that concern us deeply, such as the beginning of the universe and its evolution, and the profound structure of space and time, to name a few. It is clear that these questions have a particular relevance for science, philosophy, theology and for the spiritual life. They represent an arena in which these different disciplines meet and sometimes clash.

We ought never to fear truth, nor become trapped in our own preconceived ideas, but welcome new scientific discoveries with an attitude of humility. As we journey towards the frontiers of human knowledge, it is indeed possible to have an authentic experience of the Lord, one which is capable of filling our hearts. *Address to The Vatican Observatory Conference, Pope Francis, Rome, May 12, 2017*



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Giving Tree

This custom, with help from the Jesuit Volunteers, expands and links Christmas giving to people in need.

Gifts go to families in need at Risen Christ and the surrounding area, Catholic Charities, Corpus Christi House, Catholic Relief Services, and Heifer International.

Tags describing gifts are on the giving tree in the narthex.

Gift wrap or place gift in a gift bag or envelope.

You may include a Christmas card or personal greeting. Attach tag securely.

Return gifts no later than the weekend of December 16/17.

To return monetary gifts, put tag with a check made out to Risen Christ in an envelope and place in collection basket.



"BOOK OF NAMES"

In Catholic experience, November is customarily associated with remembrance of those who have died.

The "Book of Names" is a custom frequently employed in parishes during November. Welcome the opportunity to name those who have died in the Book of Names, located in the "shrine" area of the church, near the piano and musicians.

HOLY DAY—IMMACULATE CONCEPTION MASS TIMES:

**THURSDAY, DEC. 7, 6PM AND
FRIDAY, DEC. 8TH, 8:30AM**

A PRAYER FOR NOVEMBER

Gracious and loving God,
as the autumn season continues its
transformation;
and the days become shorter,
the earth cooler;
as we anticipate joining family and friends
in joyful celebration on Thanksgiving Day,
we pause to give you thanks and praise for
the abundant blessings you have
bestowed upon us:

For life and health, safety and comfort,
food and nourishment,
we are sincerely grateful.

Through your spirit, open our hearts
so that we may be even better stewards
of these rich and unmerited gifts.
Show us how to be a blessing for the poor,
sick, lonely, and all who suffer.

And help us nurture the gift of faith,
revealed to us by your son, Jesus Christ,
our greatest gift, who reigns with you and the
holy spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen



Return filled boxes to Risen Christ Sunday, Nov. 19, between 8AM and Noon.

Volunteers Needed:

- Collect boxes at Risen Christ Sunday, Nov. 19, 8AM-12.
- Trucks needed to transport boxes to fairgrounds Sunday, Nov. 19, 8AM-Noon.
- Receive at fairgrounds, Sunday, Nov. 19, 8-2PM.
- Distribute boxes at Fairgrounds on Monday, Nov. 20, 7:30AM-6PM. & Tuesday Nov. 21, 7:30AM-4:00PM (3 hour shifts available).

Questions? Need info? Call Meghan, 208-957-3804.



IDAHO CATHOLIC REGISTER

It's time to renew. Make a check out for \$17 to Risen Christ with Idaho Catholic Register noted in the "memo" section and drop it in the collection basket.

MAGNIFICAT

Receive this monthly publication to help your daily worship. It's time to renew or begin a subscription. Call Sandra at 208-376-1516 or the parish office by Nov. 30th.

PARISH EVENTS

NOVEMBER

- 27 - Bible Study, 7:00PM
- 27 - RCIA, 7:00PM

DECEMBER

- 2 - Men's Discussion Group, 7:30AM
- 4 - Bible Study, 7:00PM
- 5 - Reconciliation, 5:00-7:00PM
- 5 - Knights of Columbus, 7:00PM
- 6 - Prayer Shawl, 1:00PM
- 7 - Immaculate Conception Mass, 6:00PM
- 8 - Immaculate Conception Mass, 8:30AM
- 12 - Reconciliation, 5:00-7:00PM



**THERE WILL BE NO COFFEE HOUR
AFTER EITHER MASS
ON SUNDAY, DEC. 3RD.
THE SOCIAL HALL IS BEING USED.**

RELIGIOUS ED & YOUTH GROUP

QUESTIONS OR VOLUNTEER, CONTACT
Deacon Gary Anderson
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NOVEMBER

26 - No Class Religious Ed/Youth Group
Happy Thanksgiving

DECEMBER

3 - Pre K-Grade 6, Noon-1:00PM
3 - Jr. High, Grades 7-8, 3:30-5:00PM
3 - Sr. High, Grades 9-12, 3:30-5:00PM
12 - First Reconciliation, meet at 4:30PM to
prepare

CONFIRMATION CLASS TOPIC, DEC 13TH, 7-8PM:
Gifts of the Holy Spirit

WEEKDAY LITURGICAL SCHEDULE - 8:30AM

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 26TH

WEEKDAY MASS: MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY

MORNING PRAYER: THURSDAY

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated at Risen Christ during Advent on Tuesdays, Dec. 5th and Dec. 12 from 5:00-7:00PM, as well as by appointment.

Typically one priest will be available in each of the Boise area parishes on these dates and times. To be certain check their reconciliation schedule.

HURRICANE AND EARTHQUAKE RELIEF — DONATIONS WELCOMED

The Diocese of Boise will forward donations—marked for those harmed by the hurricane in Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, Florida and Texas—to Catholic Charities USA. The Diocese of Boise will also forward donations—marked for those harmed by hurricane or earthquake in Mexico and Caribbean Island nations—to Catholic Relief Services. Donations can be mailed or sent electronically to: Roman Catholic Diocese of Boise 1501 S. Federal Way, Boise, ID 83705 or CatholicIdaho.org.

THEOLOGY ENCORE

- All adults are invited to attend this gathering Tuesday, Dec 5, 7:00PM at the Outback Steakhouse, Boise. Come have a drink (courtesy of Church Builders Inc.), enjoy a bite to eat, and socialize before the talk begins at 7:30.
- Guest speaker Deacon Bill Burns of St. John's Cathedral presents **St. Nick versus Krampus: Catholic Faith and the New Paganism**.

POSITION OPENING

- St Mark's in Boise is seeking candidates for the full-time position of parish bookkeeper. Under the direction of the Director of Parish Operations, the bookkeeper is responsible for a variety of bookkeeping and accounting functions for the parish and the school.
- Complete job description and diocesan application can be found by visiting www.stmarksboise.org/Job-Openings or www.catholicidaho.org/Employment.

TAIZE PRAYER AT NAZARETH RETREAT CENTER

- Wednesdays during Advent beginning December 6th, at 7:00PM, Taize Prayer is offered at Nazareth, 4450 N. Five Mile Road.
- For additional info, please call Nazareth, 208-375-2932 or email nazareth@rcdb.org.

EVENING SCRIPTURE STUDIES

- WOMEN IN THE NEW TESTAMENT**—Monday, 7:00PM. Participants will encounter the strengths and needs of numerous New Testament women, and explore how being a woman in the Holy Land during the time of Jesus and the Apostles shaped many of the challenges they faced.
- Contact Jim Scherer: 208-362-5607 or kernel@heritagenwfi.com



RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS)

JOURNEY THE CATHOLIC WAY

If you, or someone you know, would like to become a full, participating members of the Catholic Church, the process to prepare you for the next step in your sacramental life has begun. Attend the next Class: Monday November 27th, 7:00PM.

**ADVENT REFLECTION BOOKS WILL BE
AVAILABLE NEXT WEEKEND—DEC. 2ND & 3RD.**

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Risen Christ Cash Flow Update: July 1, 2017 to September 30, 2017

	Parish Operations		Church Mortgage
Expenses Incurred for Parish Operations	\$ 69,196	Payments on Church Mortgage	\$ 43,927
Income and Fees Received for Parish Operations	<u>86,583</u>	Contributions Received for Church Mortgage	<u>22,673</u>
Excess General Operations Revenue over Expenses	<u>\$ 17,387</u>	Shortfall of Church Mortgage Contributions	<u>\$ (21,254)</u>

Shortfall on Mortgage Payments on the Church was covered by Income Received for Parish Operations + from parish checking account.