

Welcome!

St. Mark's Catholic Community

Pastor- Steve Rukavina

Parochial Vicar- Rev. Bruno Mgaya

24 Hour Eucharistic Adoration

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Parish Office

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Prayer Chain

St. Mark's has a prayer chain that prays for the needs of all and would like to pray for you. If you need prayer for any reason please call Janet Clark at 377-4789, or the parish office at 375-6651, or email pray4ustoday@gmail.com

Rosary Devotions

Rosary for Peace and Evening with Mary
Monday at 7 pm (Adoration Chapel)

Parish Schools

St. Mark's Elementary 375-6654
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Council of Catholic Women

Cathy Kirk 375-2349

Food Bank

Teresa Taylor 327-0345

October 2, 2011

27th Sunday

in Ordinary Time

Baptism Class

Saturday, October 8, at 10 am, in Rooms 106 and 107.

This is a class that should be attended by all parents who have children under the age of 6 or have not started the 1st grade and who wish to have a child baptized. To schedule your Baptism you must come to class, no reservations are necessary.



The New Roman Missal

October sessions will be given on:

Sunday's at 9:30 am and Monday's at 7pm

2nd/ 3rd -- The Introductory Rites

9th/ 10th -- The Liturgy of the Word

16th/ 17th -- The Liturgy of the Eucharist:

Preparation of the Gifts and Eucharistic Prayer

23rd/ 24th -- The Liturgy of the Eucharist:

Communion Rite; The Concluding Rites

Baptism Sunday

The next Baptism Sunday is October 15/16, for more information contact Deacon Joe Rodriguez at 968-2170 or Deaconjoe05@yahoo.com

Suggestion Box

St. Mark's Pastoral Council welcomes parishioner suggestions and comment. Feel free to contact a council member directly or place your comments/suggestions in the "Suggestion Box" in the parish lobby.

Outreach Ministry

Outreach Ministry takes communion to people who cannot make it to Church. We are in need of your help, or we will not be able to provide Communion to those in need on a particular Sunday.

2nd Sunday -- Grace Assisted Living needs help
- located on 300 N. Allumbaugh

2012 Lector Workbooks

2012 Lector Workbooks are available in the parish Office for \$12. These workbooks are needed beginning Sunday, November 27, the First Sunday of Advent.

Fasting and Prayer on Fridays

This Friday please join us in fasting and prayer for World Peace and the Safety of our Armed Forces.

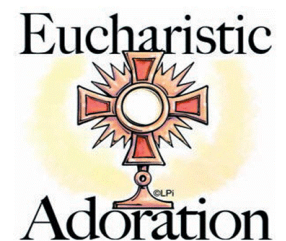
(fasting = one full meal and two snacks)

(prayer= Mass, Adoration, Rosary, etc)

PARISH GOAL – ADORATION

One of the parish goals for 2011 was for all families to participate in Eucharistic Adoration. Did you get scheduled? We have Holy Hours that will fit any schedule, but below are a few that are more urgent--

- Tuesdays at 8am
- Saturdays at 12am
- Most of our Late Night/Early Morning adorers need a partner, so please consider. Many graces!



Please call Linda at 954-7513 to discuss these opportunities or any other time that fits your schedule. Thank you!

Food Bank

HELP - Men needed to load and unload food once a month! More information and sign-up will be available at our table at the ministry fair - please stop by and visit with us!



This week the food bank is in need of: Soup, Macaroni & Cheese and Crackers

Thank you for your support!

Safe Environment Class

10 AM – Saturday, October 8
Call the office to register

Pastoral Council Meeting

The next Pastoral Council meeting will be held Tuesday October 4th at 7pm in the Faith Formation room. All are welcome.

Calling all Grandparents

Next meeting:
Friday, October 7 at 9:30 AM
Bring your friends!



St. Mark's Council of Catholic Women



Please join St. Mark's CCW for our annual membership POTLUCK.

When: Monday, October 3

Where: Parish Hall

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Please bring your favorite potluck dish.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

If you are looking for a Ministry to join and you knit or crochet and have an interest or questions about the St. Mark's Prayer Shawl ministry, please give Susan Baker a call 321-7088.



St. Mark's Single Senior Lunch Bunch

St. Mark's Single Senior Lunch Bunch will hold their potluck luncheon on Monday, October 3 at 12 noon. This will be in the kitchen area, room 109-110 of the parish hall. Please remember to bring your own table service so we can "go green". We welcome all single seniors of the parish. Please call Betty, 323-8875, with any questions.

HAVE YOU NOTICED?????

We have TWO SETS of Breaking Bread books in the pews now.....all the current books, dated 2011 on the front cover, have been placed loosely in the pews as we still need them for the Psalm response and most music. All the NEW books, dated 2012, have been placed inside the vinyl covers.. We will be using these new books for all the Mass acclamations which have been changed/revised due to the changes in the Roman Missal.

PLEASE, just listen to the cantor announcements each week, and watch the cantors, who will be giving directions before and during the liturgies by holding up the correct book for that particular part of the Mass.

We also will be rehearsing the new acclamations each week immediately following the ringing of the bells 5 minutes prior to Mass time.....so perhaps you can arrange your travel time to get to the church a few minutes earlier and be there for the song rehearsals and all the announced directions!

We are doing our best to make this as easy and as understandable as possible!

ONE IMPORTANT NOTE.....please do not try to insert the front cover of the new songbooks into the vinyl flap.....only the back covers are to be inserted into the covers, otherwise both book and vinyl flap get torn. Thank you!

Family Faith Formation

Our first whole group Family Faith Formation will be October 2nd for those of you meeting on Sundays, and October 5th for our Wednesday classes. This will be in a station format so please meet in the Resurrection Room for instructions on what to do.

Something new is going on for the middle school youth of the parish. "Catalyst Unplugged" is an alternative formation program to the Catalyst large group that meets on Wednesday evenings. We follow the format of a small faith community in the youth lounge. If you have a middle school youth who feels more comfortable in a smaller, quieter setting, this program is for you. For more information please contact Nancy Brennan at 375-6651 ext. 111 or nbrennan@stmarksboise.org.

Remember- Sunday Elementary and Early Childhood Faith Formation classes will not meet on October 9th.

Sacramental Preparation

This week our first graders learn about two important reasons why we were created: "To Know and Love God." Our 2nd graders are honoring Mary during the month of October by praying and learning about the rosary.

First Reconciliation Parent Meeting 6:30-8pm will be at the St. Mark's School Auditorium and not at Church as previously advertised. Only one parent required. Babysitting available for those in need. Please RSVP Wendy for babysitting.

Teen Confirmation Orientation (8th through 12th gr.) is in the Parish Hall, **October 2**, 4:30-6pm for parents and candidates.

St. Mark's School 28th Annual Dinner Auction



Calling one and all to be a part of our parish school community building event. Make your dinner reservation for October 15th, donate an item or volunteer your time. Please contact Jeannette for more information at 863-4670.

Blood Drive

This Halloween, Count Dracula is not the only one who needs your blood. The American Red Cross want you too! It only takes about an hour and can help save more than one life. St. Mark's next blood drive is Tuesday, October 4th from 2 pm - 6 pm in Parish Hall. Please call Cari Moodie at 658-9138 to schedule an appointment.



Bible Study and Church History Studies Schedule

Epic Church History– Monday 7 pm
First Corinthians– Tuesday– 9 am; Friday– 9:30 am
Acts– Wednesday 6:30 pm
Matthew– Friday at 9:30 am

Thank You!

Thank you to the following individuals who are facilitating Bible Study classes this fall. Thanks for sharing your TALENT.

Natalie Way
Ann Marie Reuter
Cheryl Johnson
Mary Sue Chase
Judy and Mike Thompson

Bible Study

BIBLE STUDY FOR TEEN Candidates for Confirmation! Get more out of MASS!! Learn more about God's Word for YOU! Carl and Gretchen Sarazolla will teach, throughout the school year, a Bible Study, starting October 12, every Thursday, 6:30-8pm in rooms 104-105. RSVP Wendy 375-6651 x 118.

Help Wanted!

St. Mark's will be hosting a Thanksgiving meal the evening of Wednesday, November 23rd. If you would like to assist in the planning and/or implementation, please contact Phyllis in the parish office.



IDAHO PUBLIC TELEVISION WILL AIR THE
CATHOLICISM SERIES
 WITH
FATHER BARRON
 SUNDAY EVENINGS AT 7 PM AND 11 PM ON
 IDAHO PTV PLUS CHANNEL (4.2) AND CABLEONE CHANNEL 470
 BEGINNING OCTOBER 30
 THE FOUR-PART SERIES WILL AIR WEEKLY IN ONE-HOUR INSTALLMENTS

St. Marks Library



Fall has arrived, it's October, and time to celebrate the feast day of St. Therese of the Child Jesus. The library has several resources that tell about St. Therese. Two of them are *The Autobiography of St. Therese of Lisieux: The Story of a Soul*,

translated by John Beevers and *St. Therese of Lisieux: a Transformation in Christ* by Thomas Keating. These books tell St. Therese's story, one about a very short life with a very large impact upon those who knew her and followers who believed in her way of life. Stop by and browse the shelves of the library! The library, Room 108, is open before and after Mass as well as during regular office hours Monday thru Friday 8:30 to 4 PM.

If you would like to represent your Ministry on ST MARK'S SOCIAL MISSION NETWORK, contact Phyllis in the Parish Office 375-6651.

Public Square Rosary

Join the Knights of Columbus Assembly 3244 as they publicly pray the Rosary on the grounds of St. Mark's Catholic Church, on Saturday, October fifteenth. The Rosary will start promptly at twelve noon so please arrive a few minutes early. America is at historic crossroads. Secularists are trying to push God from the public square. They reject his beneficial action upon society. We must stop the secularist advance and pray to God for help. He will hear us if we pray through the intercession of the Blessed Mother. That is why I urge you to participate in the Public Square Rosary Crusade. You will be joining over 7000 other Public Square Rosaries being held through out the United States. Give up an hour of your Saturday to honor Our Lady with public payer. Questions please contact Joseph Kestler, 208-585-7670.

Stressed Out About Care giving? 2011 Family Caregiver Conference

This is for YOU. YOU ask the questions YOU need the answers to. Saturday, Oct 15th; 8:30am-1:30pm at the Double tree Riverside 2900 Chinden Blvd. Cost: \$10 (includes lunch). To register call 333-1363 or go to www.fiaboise.org

INTO THE HEART

A Journey Through the Theology of the Body

"The heart is that intimate place in which good and evil, sin and justice, concupiscence and holiness fight each other in man." Pope John Paul II

If you would like to continue and deepen your journey through the *Theology of the Body* teaching, the 8 week course "*Into the Heart*" is the next offering as a follow-up to the Introduction sessions.

When: Each Tuesday evening beginning October 25th through December 13th at 7 p.m.

Where: St. Mark's Classroom #103

Registration: \$28 per workbook (couples may share a book)

For more information and to register, call Phyllis at St. Mark's office 375-6651 or email psawyer@stmarksboise.org OR Pat Ott 375-1486.

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