

ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA PARISH

SUNDAY BULLETIN

1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Our Mission:

*Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ and our tradition of Ignatian Spirituality,
St. Aloysius Gonzaga Catholic Parish strives to welcome and empower all who
journey in faith towards knowing, loving, and serving God and one another.*



Matthew 24:37-44

Jesus said to his disciples:
"As it was in the days of Noah,
so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man.

In those days before the flood,
they were eating and drinking,
marrying and giving in marriage,
up to the day that Noah entered the ark.

They did not know until the flood came and carried them all away.
So will it be also at the coming of the Son of Man. Two men will be out in the field;
one will be taken, and one will be left.
Two women will be grinding at the mill;
one will be taken, and one will be left.

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**8:00 A.M. Weekday
Mass Intentions**

12/1: Ellen Murdoch[†]
Joseph Schoentrup[†]
12/2: Donna Belt[†]
12/3: Jo, Gordon & Tim Merwin[†]
12/4: Marc Beaudry
Bridget Kirby[†] & Jozef Blaut[†]
12/5: Aunt Jen[†]



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Eucharistic Adoration

The Blessed Sacrament
is exposed at
St. Aloysius Church on:
Tuesdays at 2:00 – 4:00 PM
Fridays at 7:00 – 7:45 AM



Sacrament of Reconciliation

Thursdays at 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.
in the Church

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., and 7:00 p.m.



Parish Contributions & ACA

Weekend of 11/25

Received \$26,043
Fiscal YTD
Received: \$411,471
Needed: \$383,00
Over:
\$28,471

ACA Donations

Need:
\$215,481
Received:
\$189,275
Goal Met:
87.84%

Dates and Activities to Remember

December 1-13: O'Malley. The O'Malley stairs will be removed and replaced, as the damage is now critical and hazardous. The ramp will still be available to use and to access entry.

December 4: Senior Lunch & Bingo. St. Al's Altar Society and Knights of Columbus are preparing another fun afternoon in O'Malley Hall at 12pm. RSVP to Danelle at 509.979.9968.

December 9: Altar Society. Monthly meeting at 11pm in O'Malley Hall.

December 14: Native American Mass. Mass from 3:30pm - 4:30pm and Potluck to follow in O'Malley. All are welcome.

December 13/14: Collection for the Poor: Family Promise, equipping families & communities to end the cycle of homelessness. Because every child deserves a home. More information on how you can help in next week's bulletin.

THINGS TO KNOW

Several updates have been made inside the church and the vestibule. Some of the walls have been repainted, and we will continue to patch holes and touch up areas as needed. We are also in the process of hanging the rose artwork in O'Malley, and the Pietà statue has been returned to its original location in the church.

We will continue making thoughtful improvements in both areas with the goals of minimizing clutter, maximizing usable space, and honoring the rich history of our beautiful parish.

There are new bulletin holders in the vestibule near the Comfort Room. These will contain extra bulletins and parish materials for all to take. Please remember that any paperwork, prayer cards, or other items must be approved before being placed in the rack.

Additionally, a Lost and Found basket is now located in the Comfort Room. All items left there will be brought to the Parish Center office on Monday mornings and kept until Friday. If you have misplaced something, please call the front desk at 509-313-5892.

Thank you for your understanding, cooperation, and continued love for our parish home.



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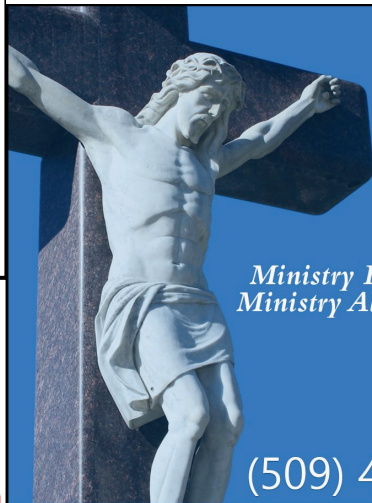
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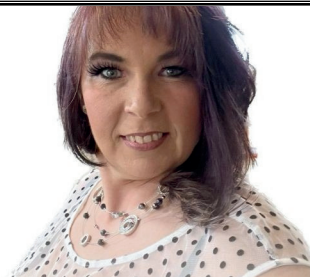
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