

# ST. CHARLES PARISH

4515 N. Alberta St., Spokane, WA 99205

February 15, 2026 ♦ 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time



## Parish Office

Office Hours: Tuesday– Friday, 9:00 am-3:00pm

Phone: 509-327-9573

Pastor: Rev. Esteban Soler

Deacon: Roy Buck

Parish Office: Jami Glastre

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509-241-3180

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Audrey Morlan 509-389-9335

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Anne Thomas 509-209-6714

## Sacraments

### Reconciliation

Listed Inside

Or by appointment

### Baptism

Contact the parish office.

Parental preparation is required.

### Marriage

Couples planning to be married need to contact the parish office at least six months in advance of desired date.

### Religious Education

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, call Father Soler.

### Religious Education Coordinator

Michelle Lutz

## Consider a gift/bequest to St. Charles in your Will.

I give to St. Charles Catholic Parish, located at 4515 N Alberta, Spokane, WA 99205, the following amount/percentage \_\_\_ to be used wherever needed most.



St. Charles Parish welcomes all our visitors who are joining us for worship. May your time with us be grace-filled and may the Lord Jesus Christ bless you and your loved ones today and always.

PARISH CALENDAR

Wed, Feb. 18	8:30 AM	Church	Ash Wednesday Mass
	10:00 AM	A.C.	Women's Book Study
	12:30 PM	Church	Ash Wednesday Mass
	After Mass	Church	Parish Rosary for the Preborn- All are welcome
Fri, Feb. 20	11:00 AM	Church	Theodore Hanley Funeral Mass
	6:00 PM	Church	Stations of the Cross
	6:30 PM	Gym	Lenten Dinner
Sat, Feb. 21	3:00-3:30 PM	Church	Reconciliation

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

		Feb. 8	
Offerings	\$3,337	Online	
Maintenance	\$110	Combined	\$4,722
Janitor	\$0	Giving	

COFFEE & DONUTS

- Feb. 8 Bryan & Kimberly Yamanaka
- Feb. 15 Yong Phillippe & Betty Mueller
- Feb. 22 Mike & Patty Gaines

**Volunteers Needed**

We need help putting away tables and chairs after coffee & donuts each week. If you regularly visit coffee & donuts, please consider staying to prepare the gym for school use on Monday morning. Thank you!

Offerings and Collections at St. Charles

- Drop off your donation in our donation boxes. They are located on the bulletin board on both sides of the foyer.
- Use the Donate button on our website
- Text STC to 73256
- Mail your offering to 4515 N. Alberta, Spokane, WA 99205

Please Remember in Your Prayers

For all those we hold deeply in our hearts, may they be remembered.

**St. Charles, pray for us!**



*Friday Lenten Dinners*

*February 20th*

6:00 PM—Stations of the Cross

6:30 PM— Lenten Dinner

We will have Lenten Dinners starting February 20th and ending March 27th.

Please contact Anne Thomas at 509-209-6714 if you are interested in helping.

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- Boxed meals
- Peanut Butter
- Cereal
- Pasta
- Canned Meat

If you are interested in volunteering at Caritas, please call them at 509-326-2249.

LITURGICAL SERVICES

Sat, Feb. 14	4:00 PM	Pro Populo
Sun, Feb. 15	10:00 AM	Mary L. Costello†
Mon, Feb. 16	<b>No Mass</b>	
Tue, Feb. 17	<b>No Mass</b>	
Wed, Feb. 18	8:30 AM	Pro Populo
	12:30 PM	Mark Morlan
Thu, Feb. 19	<b>No Mass</b>	
Fri, Feb. 20	<b>No Mass</b>	
Sat, Feb. 21	4:00 PM	Pro Populo
Sun, Feb. 22	10:00 AM	John Morlant†

UPCOMING SCHEDULE CHANGES

**Father Soler will be in Argentina starting January 19 and he will return to celebrating Mass on February 24. During that time we will have a modified schedule. Adoration & Reconciliation on Wednesday and Friday will be cancelled. Daily Mass will only be on each Wednesday.**

Veritatis Splendor, St. John Paul II

No one can fail to realize that these approaches pose a challenge to the very identity of the moral conscience in relation to human freedom and God's law. Only the clarification made earlier with regard to the relationship, based on truth, between freedom and law makes possible a discernment concerning this "creative" understanding of conscience.

The judgment of conscience  
The text of the Letter to the Romans which has helped us to grasp the essence of the natural law also indicates the biblical understanding of conscience, especially in its specific connection with the law: "When Gentiles who have not the law do by nature what the law requires, they are a law unto themselves, even though they do not have the law. They show that what the law requires is written on their hearts, while their conscience also bears witness and their conflicting thoughts accuse or perhaps excuse them" (Rom 2:14-15).

According to Saint Paul, conscience in a certain sense confronts man with the law, and thus becomes a "witness" for man: a witness of his own faithfulness or unfaithfulness with regard to the law, of his essential moral rectitude or iniquity. Conscience is the only witness, since what takes place in the heart of the person is hidden from the eyes of everyone outside. Conscience makes its witness known only to the person himself. And, in turn, only the person himself knows what his own response is to the voice of conscience.

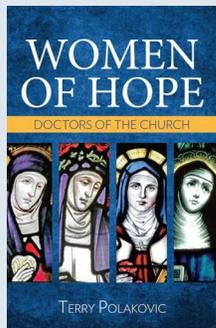
The importance of this interior dialogue of man with himself can never be adequately appreciated. But it is also a dialogue of man with God, the author of the law, the primordial image and final end of man. Saint Bonaventure teaches that "conscience is like God's herald and messenger; it does not command things on its own authority, but commands them as coming from God's authority, like a herald when he proclaims the edict of the king. This is why conscience has binding force".

ASH WEDNESDAY

MASS TIMES

8:30 A.M.

12:30 P.M.



Wednesday Women's Book Study

We meet each Wednesday at 10 a.m. in the Activity Center.

We are reading Women of Hope: Doctors of the Church by Terry Polakovic

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