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Liturgy of the Word

Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14 Those who fear the Lord honor their parents.

Psalms 128 "Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways."

Colossians 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 Clothe yourselves with heartfelt mercy.

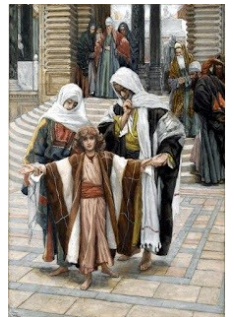
Luke 2:41-52 Mary and Joseph find Jesus teaching in the temple.

Today's first two readings include dozens of phrases and aphorisms which could be framed and hung in a home, constant reminders of how to live as a family: "He stores up riches who reveres his mother." "Over all these put on love." "Be thankful." As we listen to God's word, may we appreciate these words of wisdom and hear how Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, despite the misunderstandings in today's Gospel story, have taken them to heart.

Question of the Week: How can I help my family be more reflective of the Holy Family? What difficulties stand out in our family life?

Jesus Found in the Temple

by James Tissot (1836-1902)



How precious is the family as the privileged place for transmitting the faith. ~ Pope Francis

Please continue to pray for Fr. Sean, Fr. Pedro, and Paul Budrow



MARRIAGE ANNOUNCEMENT

The Curtis family joyfully announces the upcoming marriage of their son, Abel, to Siena Baillie, a wonderful young lady. The couple will be married on February 1 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Sandpoint, Idaho. As they begin this new chapter of their lives, we kindly ask that you keep them in your thoughts and prayers, that their union may be filled with love, faith, and blessings.



CAFFEINE & CALORIES: The weekly social hour continues, after Mass.

Please consider hosting C&C. Contact Alicia Brown for info, 509-429-1621.

- **Reconciliation: (Confession)** available, following Mass, on Sunday and Wednesday - please contact Fr Pedro, before mass, to confirm availability. Also by appointment.
- **Baptism:** Please contact the Deacon or Pastor, at least one month prior to desired date.
- **Sacrament of Marriage:** Please contact the Deacon or Pastor at least six months prior to desired date.

Mass Schedule:

- ♦ Sun, Dec 29 @ 11:00 a.m. **Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Rosary @ 10:30 am**
- ♦ Wednesday, Jan 1 @ 9:30 a.m. **Adoration / Benediction will precede 5:00 am to 8:30 am, Rosary 9:00 am**
- ♦ First Friday, Jan 3 @ 9:30 am **Anointing of the Sick**
- ♦ Sun, Jan 5 @ 11:00 a.m. **Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord**



Feast of the Holy Family

PRAY

Please Remember in Your Prayers

Fr. Sean Thomson
Thomson Family
Fr. Pedro
Fred Nowicki
Julie Humling
Evangeline Grace Knox
Teagan Maxwell
Gary Barrett
Dan Anderson
Paul Budrow
Melissa Larsen
Howard Burcham
Terry & Barb Anderson
Bernice Morgan
Julie Sager
Kevin Hickman
Anna Cotner



Repose of the Soul of

Dave Williams
William T. Maenner, II



BUILDING COMMITTEE

We commented back to the Architect!

People with ideas about the new parish hall, especially those with building skills, are welcome to Contact Dennis Doyle at 509-997-7311 or 360-807-3791.

PARENTS: Please do not allow your children to play on/ around the new block retaining wall. Thank you!

Financial Report:

Weekly Budget: \$1,255.00

12/15 \$587.00; 12/22 \$1743.00

12/24 & 12/25 \$1723.00

WELCOME: NO MATTER WHAT YOUR PRESENT OR PAST STATUS IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH. NO MATTER YOUR PERSONAL HISTORY, AGE, RACE OR BACKGROUND. YOU ARE INVITED, WELCOMED, ACCEPTED AND LOVED AT ST. GENEVIEVE CATHOLIC PARISH.