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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.

SACRAMENTS
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 Pastor, at least one month prior to desired date.
SACRAMENT of MARRIAGE: Please contact the Pastor at least six months prior to desired date.

ALTAR SOCIETY
Meeting after Mass on **September 30. Operation Christmas Child** starts this week. Please pick up a shoebox to fill for a child. Info at entrances to the church. Return boxes the week of November 16th.

HELPING OTHERS
The COVE, our local food bank, appreciates continued support from St. Genevieve’s parishioners. There’s always a need for protein sources, pet food, and paper products

FELLOWSHIP
Caffeine & Calories. Please contact Alicia Brown at 509-429-1621 if you would like to help.

FINANCES
Thank you for your donations! Weekly budget: \$1,255
9/13/2026: \$788.00 **9/20/2026:** \$1,170.00
Building Fund: \$10,000.00

NEW PARISH HALL
The design is done; drawings are hung on the walls of the church and basement, lines are painted on the ground, and we have a Fundraising Committee. Now all we need is money! Please help.

Mass Schedule
Sunday, September 27 @11:00 AM, Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Rosary @10:20 AM
Wednesday, September 30 @9:30 AM
First Friday, October 2 @9:30 AM with Anointing of the Sick & Benediction & Exposition
Sunday, October 4 @11:00 AM, Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, Rosary @10:20 AM

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Ezekiel 18:25–28 Turn away from sin and live!
Psalms 25 “Remember your mercies, O Lord.”
Philippians 2:1-11 Christ became obedient even to the point of death.
Matthew 21:28-32 The one who obeys the Lord, even reluctantly, is the one who does the will of the Father.

In today’s first reading, **Ezekiel vividly contrasts** the eventual fates of a virtuous person who turns belatedly to sin and a wicked person who turns away from sin to do what is right and just. In the same vein, Jesus presents two sons, one of whom promises obedience, but fails to follow through, while the other responds defiantly, but then has a change of heart. As we listen to God’s word, let us ask ourselves where we often fall and how we can do better.

Question of the Week: To what have I said “no” recently that I regret now? How can I turn around and make up for that?

**2026 Annual Catholic Appeal: “A Heart that Never Fails”**
Our goal is **\$16,998**. Response cards are available in the pew and entrances of the church, or you may give online at <https://www.dioceseofspokane.org/aca> Thank you for your generosity!

SKYLSTAD FAMILY HAVEN:

- Now leasing 1, 2, & 3 Bedroom Units call 509-698-2230 or 509-202-0605
- Grand Opening, Dedication & Lunch Wednesday, **October 19**, at 12:30 PM

Extraordinary Ministers and Lectors are sometimes hard to find, especially during vacation times or on short notice due to illness. If you are interested in serving in these ways, please Contact Fr. Pedro.

Blessing of the Animals/Pets on October 7after 9:30 am Mass (St. Francis).

Please Remember in Your Prayers


Deacon Bill and Julie Brandon Richison
Gavin Maxwell
Firefighters and other public safety workers
Chris Thomson
Boni Arebalo & Family
Phil Remsburg
Paul Budrow
Bev Schulz
Christine Cline
Ed Pearson
Bill White
Terry Hunt
Fr. Jose Luis Milan
Fred Nowicki
Cor Bader
Wannita Knox
Fr. Sean Thomson
Howard Burcham
Terry Anderson
Barb Anderson

 *Repose of the Soul of*
Brandi