

# PARISH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

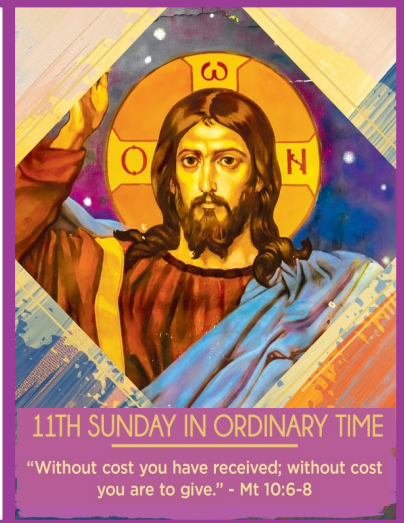
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## Parish Staff:

Secretary	Debbie Forgette	735-8558
Bookkeeper	Bianca Medina	735-8558
Parish Community Center (PCC) Coordinator	Presently Unstaffed	

## Faith Formation:

Pre-school to 5th Grade	Karen Gorham	735-8558
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## Ministers of Music:

4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass	Julianne Barnaby	735-2163
9:30 a.m. Mass	Paula Bachelor	375-9019
5:00 p.m. Mass	Perry Kelly	735-8558
Children's Choir	Presently Unstaffed	735-8558

## Ministries of Worship:

Scheduler for Liturgical Ministers	Trish Feeny	551-0486
Eucharistic Adoration	Liz Friedrich	783-6223
Prayer Line	Adele Ogryzek	627-0201
Altar Server Training	Zack Rinderer	582-2543

## Parish Ministries:

Mary Martha Prayer Group	Camille Henneberry	735-4858
Welcoming Committee	Jan Beardemphl	948-3367
PCC Nursery	Wynona Vaz	222-8982
Ministry to Sick and Shut-Ins	Deacon Eric Shaber & Charlotte Shaber	208-521-7846
Bible Study	Judy Turner	438-7938
Women's Group	Linda Rego	221-1130
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Weekend Mass Refreshments	Judy Urrutia	438-5039

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Voice of the Spirit	Dieter Bohrmann	987-3158
Parish Library	Ann Stevens	396-2723

## Charter Organizations:

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Knights of Columbus	Peter Dreisbach	205-2377
St. Vincent de Paul	Message Line	591-0632
American Heritage Girls	Erin Leistritz	406-579-1891

## Natural Family Planning:

Carol Gaulke	619-5464
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## JUNE 14, 2026

### Weekend Masses:

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.  
 Sunday: 9:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

### Weekday Masses:

*Monday, June 15: Rite of Distributing Holy Communion Outside Mass with the Celebration of the Word of God at 9:00 a.m.*  
 Tuesday: 5:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday through Friday: 9:00 a.m.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tuesday: 4:15 - 5:00 p.m.  
 Sunday: 3:00 - 4:15 p.m.

### Please visit our Holy Spirit Facebook page to join livestream events:

[www.facebook.com/HolySpiritParishCommunity](http://www.facebook.com/HolySpiritParishCommunity)

### Office Hours: Monday through Friday

8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
 and 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

### The Sacrament of Baptism

Babies and young children are usually baptized during Mass on Saturday or Sunday, or on Saturday at 12:00 p.m. Call the parish office for a list of upcoming Baptism dates and to receive registration information for pre-Baptism classes. (735-8558)



*Holy Matrimony*

### On Being Married at Holy Spirit ...

Engaged couples who wish to be married at Holy Spirit Parish are asked to contact the parish office at least nine months prior to their desired wedding date. The couple and the priest will then meet to begin the Marriage preparation program. (735-8558)

### Deaths

*What should I do when there is a death in my family?* Please call the parish office and speak with the office staff and the pastor before making arrangements with the funeral home, to ensure that the church is available at the desired date and time. (735-8558)

# Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, June 14, 2026

Calendar for the Week: (Note: PCC = Parish Community Center)

## Sunday, June 14:

### Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass in the church at 9:30 a.m. Mass is also livestreamed on [Holy Spirit Facebook page](#).

Pack-A-Picnic sponsored by Elizabeth Ministry, on the lawn in the shade on First Avenue, following Mass.

Sacrament of Reconciliation, PCC room 9, 3:00 - 4:15 p.m.

Mass in the church at 5:00 p.m.



## Monday, June 15:

### Weekday

*Rite of Distributing Holy Communion Outside Mass with the Celebration of the Word of God at 9:00 a.m.*

## Tuesday, June 16:

### Weekday

Holy Spirit Mommy and Me, PCC nursery, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Luncheon in remembrance of Cecilia Miller, PCC hall, 12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation, CHURCH, 4:15 - 5:00 p.m.

Mass in the church at 5:30 p.m. Mass is also livestreamed on [Holy Spirit Facebook page](#).

St. Serra Club dinner meeting with officer installation, PCC hall, following Mass and Eucharistic Adoration

Knights of Columbus 4th Degree, PCC room 9, 7:00 p.m.

## Wednesday, June 17:

### Weekday

Mass in the church at 9:00 a.m. Mass is also livestreamed on [Holy Spirit Facebook page](#).

VBS helper training, PCC hall, 1:00 p.m.

Mary Martha Prayer Group, PCC room 5, 1:30 p.m.

St. Vincent de Paul District Meeting, PCC room 7, 2:00 p.m.

VIRTUS Safe Environment training, PCC room 5, 6:00 p.m.

## Thursday, June 18:

### Weekday

Mass in the church at 9:00 a.m. Mass is also livestreamed on [Holy Spirit Facebook page](#).

St. Vincent de Paul, PCC 7, 10:00 a.m.

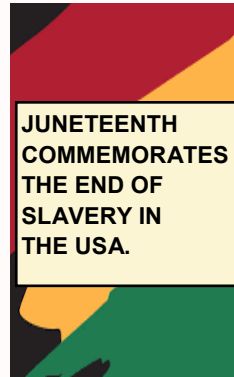
Celebration Choir, church, 7:00 p.m.

## Friday, June 19:

### Weekday

Saint Romuald, Abbot

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED IN OBSERVANCE OF THE JUNETEENTH HOLIDAY**



Mass in the church at 9:00 a.m. Mass is also livestreamed on [Holy Spirit Facebook page](#).

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 9:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m., in the vestibule. Concludes with *Prayers for Priestly Vocations* and *Prayers for Peace* at 4:30 p.m. and the *Rite of Benediction*

## Saturday, June 20:

### Weekday

Blessed Virgin Mary

Catholic Daughters, PCC hall, 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Vigil Mass in the church at 4:00 p.m.

## Sunday, June 21:

### Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Father's Day

Mass in the church at 9:30 a.m. Mass is also livestreamed on [Holy Spirit Facebook page](#).

Sacrament of Reconciliation, PCC room 9, 3:00 - 4:15 p.m.

Mass in the church at 5:00 p.m.



**STEWARDSHIP:** In today's Gospel, Jesus sends out the disciples to meet the needs of others. His admonition to them is the same challenge he makes to us: "The gift you have received, give as a gift."

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Next week we will take up the **Peter's Pence Collection** to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including the charitable works of Pope Leo XIV. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Be a sign of hope with your generosity. For more information, visit [www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html](http://www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html).



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ICE CREAM BOOTH EVENTS



The Water Follies is July 24th-26th, and the Benton-Franklin County Fair is August 25th-29th. Anyone 14 or older can volunteer to help in the ice cream booth (under 16 must be with a parent or guardian). This is a great opportunity for family time and service to our parish and community. We need help from all parishioners and member Knights. Earnings from these events give us the funds necessary for our charitable endeavors, which focus on the Corporal Works of Mercy.

Sign up in the vestibule after Mass next weekend or visit <https://kofc.volunteerlocal.com/volunteer/id=110307> to sign up for your desired shifts online. Additionally, you can email us at [kofcicecream@gmail.com](mailto:kofcicecream@gmail.com) or call David Konzek at 509-947-0517 or Deacon Ken Ellis at 509-948-4355 with questions or to volunteer.

### HOLY SPIRIT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



Thank you to those who volunteered to fill specific time slots during Eucharist Adoration. We still have an **immediate need** for one Committed Adorer on **Fridays from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.** due to the loss of a beloved parishioner. Another time slot is available for one Adorer on **Fridays from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m.** If you don't feel you can serve weekly, we would love to add your name to our substitute list.

A Committed Adorer is someone who commits to attend Eucharistic Adoration weekly in a chosen time slot. Volunteers are available to substitute for you when you have a conflict.

Eucharistic Adoration is held in the church vestibule on Fridays after Mass from 9:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. At 4:30 p.m. we have prayers for vocations and for peace, followed by Benediction at 4:45 p.m. Parishioners and others are welcome to attend Adoration anytime during the day, for any length of time, but it is very important to have two Adorers assigned each hour, so the Lord is never left alone.

Please prayerfully consider spending time with the Lord each Friday. Contact Liz Friedrich at 509-539-5413 (text/call), 783-6223 (home), or at [mfriedrich2@charter.net](mailto:mfriedrich2@charter.net) with any questions or to volunteer.

### WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

All dates are tentative.

Tuesday	June 16, 5:30 p.m.	Jim Day RIP
Wednesday	June 17	Mayson Noclair
Thursday	June 18	Pam Harty RIP
Friday	June 19	J J McDaid
Saturday	June 20, 4:00 p.m.	Mary Jane Royack RIP
Sunday	June 21, 5:00 p.m.	Nemzek Family

The Sunday morning Mass is normally offered for the people of the parish.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of  
**Gil Garcia and Phil McGuinness.**  
May they rest in peace with the risen Lord.

To have your need added to our parish prayer phone chain,  
please call Adele Ogryzek at 627-0201.

To have your need added to the list which is published in the bulletin

### SAVE THE DATES FOR SUMMER FUN!



Our high school and middle school youth ministers have some fun and exciting plans for the summer. A special activity is planned for each month.

**Sunday, July 19th** will be a water fun night here at church in the grass field outside the PCC. It will be after the 5:00 p.m. Mass with food provided. We will even have ice cream sundaes! So bring your **appropriate** swimsuit and towels and be prepared to get hit with water balloons!

**Saturday, August 22nd** is Faith Night at the Dust Devils Baseball Stadium! This will be open to all parishioners. We have reserved seats in Section 107 for this game. Soon we'll have more information and a link to purchase tickets.

We are looking forward to enjoying these fun summer activities with all of you!



### VIRTUS SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

All adult volunteers currently working with or planning to work in any capacity with minors or vulnerable adults at our parish must complete **VIRTUS Safe Environment Training** before starting their ministry. Also, if you completed the training more than 6 years ago, it is time to update your training in a new and revised session in order to remain in compliance with diocesan policies. Deacon Ken Ellis is offering a VIRTUS training session at **6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 17th**, in PCC room 5. Create an online VIRTUS account and register at [www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org). Call Deacon Ken at 509-948-4355 or the parish office at 509-735-8558 for more information.

### A REMINDER FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Please bring along a light colored t-shirt, a dozen cookies per family OR the specific snack item requested. We will be having fun playing games outside as well, so wearing shoes to run in will be best. We are looking forward to seeing you June 22 - 26 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the PCC.

If you have any questions, please call Karen Gorham in the parish office at 509-735-8558.



**Camp Breakaway** is a five-day Catholic camp for incoming 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th graders. Camp dates are August 3 - 7, 2026. Registration forms with more information can be found on our parish website at [www.holyspiritkennewick.org](http://www.holyspiritkennewick.org) and on the youth bulletin board in the hallway of the church, near the kitchen. Contact Camp Director Jared Houchin at [jaredlhouchin@gmail.com](mailto:jaredlhouchin@gmail.com) with any questions.

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## THIS WEEKEND

### June 13-14, 2026



These beautiful and unique art pieces will be available for purchase after all Masses **Saturday, June 13 and Sunday, June 14**. Items include nativities, ornaments, crucifixes, rosaries, and statues. They make wonderful gifts.

The handicrafts trade in the Holy Land has evolved as a cultural tradition over many centuries and has become an industry of significance to the local economy in Bethlehem and Jerusalem. The proceeds from these sales are a major source of income for 90 Catholic families who hand carve these pieces. In the past two decades, the Christian population in the Holy Land has dropped from 22% to 2%. Your purchase of these religious articles helps to support the ability of these Christian families to continue to live and thrive in the Holy Land.

Thank you for your support.



**(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC—RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS** By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

“The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few.”

This excerpt from Matthew’s Gospel has become a catchphrase in the modern Church. We give ourselves vertigo with the amount of head-shaking we do over the much-lamented “decline in numbers.”

Which numbers, you ask? Well, take your pick — numbers of baptized Catholic children who continue to profess their faith in adulthood, numbers of registered parishioners, numbers of priests ordained each year. All are a fraction of what they were generations ago.

That last one — the priests — that’s a particular worry for us, isn’t it? So we pray, “Send us laborers, Lord! Make them holy. Make them earnest.”

And then we add, in the silence of our hearts: “Make them perfect.”

It’s no secret that part of the reason the pews are empty is because we often find it hard to love the Church if we find it hard to love a particular priest, a particular bishop, or a particular human representative of the Church.

Because that’s the thing about priests and bishops and all the laborers in the field: they are human. They are sinners. Just like you and me.

We must consider this: today’s Gospel lists the Apostles whom Jesus sent out in ministry to heal, console, and evangelize, and right at the end — like a record scratch — comes the name of Judas Iscariot, the betrayer. If ever a laborer failed in his work, it was Judas.

And surely, when he did, his fellow laborers were so demoralized and so disenchanted that they considered laying down their tools and leaving the harvest to wither and die.

But they did not, and we must not.

Without cost we have received, and without cost we are called to give.

So we labor on, for the day is drawing to a close, and the threshing time is near.

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Save the Date  
for a Parish Mission at St. Joseph’s Parish in Kennewick  
**October 5 - 10, 2026**

“To Live as a Favorite Son/Daughter of God and No Longer as an Orphan” will be presented by Fr. Philip Scott, F.J. Fr. Philip is the founder of the Family of Jesus religious community based in Peru.

**HOLY SPIRIT ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CONFERENCE**

Thank you, parish family, for your May fifth Sunday donations, totaling \$3,979.07, to our St. Vincent de Paul Conference. Your contributions made it possible for us to help a lady whose power was disconnected and who needed gas for her DoorDash job. Thank you! We meet the first and third Thursdays of each month at 10:00 a.m. in PCC room 7. Come, visit!



Check out the Vincentian family online at <https://famvin.org>.



In celebration of the **Jubilee Year of St. Francis**, Holy Angels Mission (a Pilgrimage Church of the Diocese of Yakima) will offer special opportunities for the faithful to honor St. Francis of Assisi and venerate his relics. Holy Angels Mission is located at McEntee and Douglas Street in Coulee City. Every Tuesday at 6:00 p.m., a Holy Hour with veneration of the relics will be held, and on the second Tuesday of each month, a Holy Mass with veneration will also take place. Parishes across the diocese are invited to participate in regional pilgrimage days throughout the year.

Please join us on **Saturday, July 18, at 10:00 a.m. at the Ahtanum Mission**, 17740 Ahtanum Rd, Yakima, for the **Bilingual Mass and Grand Opening of the Saint Kateri Shrine**, followed by a picnic.

The Ahtanum Mission, founded in 1852, is located at 17740 Ahtanum Road in Yakima. The restored chapel was dedicated in 1871.



We will also highlight the story of Jake Finkbonner, whose miraculous healing at age five was the second miracle that led to the canonization of Saint Kateri Tekakwitha.

**\*\*\* ATTENTION YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN OF THE PARISH \*\*\***



Have you made a decision to join, or have you already joined any branch of the military in the past year? If so, the Knights of Columbus here at Holy Spirit would like to recognize you and your family for making this important commitment. A banquet is being planned by the Knights to host you and your family.

For more information, please contact Duc Nguyen at 509-942-4147 or Marcel Bergeron at 509-554-4924.

**PLEASE KEEP IN PRAYER: FOR OUR SICK:** B.J. Bacon (relative of Troy and Emma Bacon), Carmel O’Shea (relative of Fr. O’Shea), Kathleen Zimbehl (parishioner), Lorraine Ramirez (niece of Dru Squires), Fran Rombaugh (parishioner), Marlin Friedrich (parishioner), Debbie Tavernaro (parishioner), James Ellis (son of Deacon Ken and Cindy Ellis), Spenser Heaton (nephew-in-law of Fr. Michael), Laurie Brzezowski-Greenberg (sister of Fr. Michael), Fr. Michael Brzezowski, Tyler Stevens (grandson of Rose Stevens), Brad Nelson (brother of Brett Nelson), Brian and Amanda Hollenberg (son and daughter-in-law of Glenn and Karen Hollenberg), Sr. Mary (parishioner), Jim Berkman (son-in-law of Allan and Merilyn Erhart), Fr. John O’Shea, Amanda Parry (parishioner), Kathy Bealer (relative of Deacon Ken Ellis), Jim Young (parishioner), Don Malisani (father of Paul Malisani), Harry and Jana Barnes (parishioners), John Jurgilewicz (parishioner), Larry Harris (relative of Deacon Ken Ellis), Lorraine Damon (daughter of Edith Perez), Eric Zimbehl (son of Kathleen Zimbehl), Kevin Gilliam (parishioner), Richard Dennis (uncle of Deacon Ken and Cindy Ellis), Rachel Courson (parishioner) and girls, George J. Konzek, Sr. (father of David Konzek), Camille Henneberry (parishioner), Rob Privette (parishioner), Addison Wessels (grandniece of Mike and Pam Thurman), John Schneider (relative of Gloria Ziegler), Chuck and Kate Wilson (relatives of Debbi Fisler), Judy Cleary (parishioner), Jeneane Conway (daughter of Julie Waddoups), Linda Ziegler (daughter-in-law of Gloria Ziegler), Rose Stevens (parishioner), Deborah Rowley (parishioner), Natalie Schaeffer (parishioner), Isaac Schmidt (grandson of Sharee Kline), Diana Murawski (parishioner), Deby Ziegler (daughter of Gloria Ziegler), Christina Squires (daughter of Dru Squires), Jason Dietz (grandson of David and Denise Konzek), Tom Collins (son-in-law of George and Marlene Fox), Pat and Leanna Mastaler (parishioners), Rita Magnaghi (parishioner), and Arlene Hundahl (parishioner), Ken Wise (parishioner).

If you wish to add a prayer need to [this list](#), please call the parish office at 735-8558.



Then [Jesus] summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits to drive them out and to cure every disease and every illness.

MATTHEW 10:1

## Jesus Calls Together the Twelve

ANN M. GARRIDO

**A**lmost everyone who has picked up a Bible has heard of the twelve tribes of Israel. Named after the twelve sons of the patriarch Jacob, the twelve tribes feature prominently in the Hebrew Scriptures. The twelve tribes are freed from slavery in Egypt and enter the Promised Land together. They then choose from among themselves a king. What would Vacation Bible School be without stories of the twelve tribes?

But read beyond the familiar lore of VBS, and one quickly discovers that the twelve tribes did not remain united. First, the tribes in the North were conquered by the Assyrians. Later, the tribes of the South were decimated by the Babylonians. The family once called by God to become a holy nation was scattered by war and the political machinations of their own leaders. They became like sheep without a shepherd, no longer a flock.

And that is where Jesus steps in, as we read in today's gospel. As he looks at his people—God's chosen family—he sees how wounded and lost they are; how polarized they have become. Jesus knows what he needs to do. He calls together the Twelve—a significant number. Jesus saw himself as reuniting his people after a season of painful separation from one another.

Today, Jesus continues to call people to participate in the ministry of reconciliation. Can you imagine your name included among the “twelve” as one who will help heal a divided nation? ●



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### Reflect

*Do I unite people by my words and actions, or am I more of a divider?*

# Dear Padre,

*I struggle to relate to traditional devotions like the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Any advice?*

Christ instructed his followers to love the Lord God with all our heart, soul, and mind. (See Matthew 22:37.) We seek a deeper union with God not only through reason and understanding but also through feelings and affections. However, as Pope Francis pointed out, “Many people feel safer...in the more readily controllable domain of intelligence and will” (*Dilexit Nos* [On the Human and Divine Love of the Heart of Jesus Christ], 10). Descartes said of us, “I think, therefore I am,” but it can also be said that “I am my heart, for my heart is what sets me apart, shapes my spiritual identity, and puts me in communion with other people” (*DN* 14).

Moreover, the heart “is the place of encounter” with God (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 2563). Pope Francis acknowledges that some people today may not find the Sacred Heart image to be meaningful (See *DN* 2.), but it’s “a summons to make room for an encounter with Christ...in whatever way we wish to picture him” (*DN* 57). “More than any other part of his body, the heart of Jesus” represents “his boundless love” (*DN* 48). Therefore, “any act of love or worship of his heart is thus ‘really and truly given to Christ himself,’ since it spontaneously refers back to him and is ‘a symbol and a tender image of the infinite love of Jesus Christ’” (*DN* 50). ●



JOAN SUTTER / CATHOPIC

Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR / [DearPadre.org](http://DearPadre.org)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
June 15	June 16	June 17	June 18	June 19	June 20	June 21
Weekday	Weekday	Weekday	Weekday	Weekday	Weekday	Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary
1 Kgs 21:1-16 Mt 5:38-42	1 Kgs 21:17-29 Mt 5:43-48	2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14 Mt 6:1-6, 16-18	Sir 48:1-14 Mt 6:7-15	2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20 Mt 6:19-23	2 Chr 24:17-25 Mt 6:24-34	Jer 20:10-13 Rom 5:12-15 Mt 10:26-33

### Do you have a question for the Padre?

Go to [DearPadre.org](http://DearPadre.org) to send your question and to learn more about *Dear Padre*.



CRISTIAN GUTIERREZ, LC / CATHOPIC

### A WORD FROM POPE LEO XIV

*Humility is really freedom from ourselves.... Those who exalt themselves generally think that nothing is more interesting than themselves; yet, deep down, they are quite insecure.... Dear friends, today let us pray that the Church will always be a school of humility for everyone, a home where all are welcome, a place where rivalries are set aside and where Jesus...teaches us to imitate his own humility and freedom.*

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