



St. Rose of Lima

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St. Joseph Mission

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MASS SCHEDULE @ ST. ROSE
Mon. No Daily Mass
Tue, Thu, Fri 8:15 am
Wed 6:00 pm
Sat 5:30 pm Sun 9:30 am
Confessions Sat one hour prior to Mass
Or by appointment.

St. Joseph Mission, Fairplay
Sunday 12:30 pm
Anticipated Holy Days Mass
5:30 pm

COUNCILS/COMMITTEES

COORDINATOR OF COMMUNION MINISTERS OF THE SICK:

Deb Kuennen 719.966.4757
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ENVIRONMENTS

COMMITTEE: Chairperson:
Judy Sherlock, 719.691.9712

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LITURGY COMMITTEE:
Chairperson: Fr. Stephen
Parlet 719.395.8424

PASTORAL COUNCIL:

Chairperson: Dorothy Distel
702.498.7643;
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Mary Kale 719.221.2879;
Cindy Novak 336.214.4768
Luke Paschall 719.293.4606

PLANT COMMISSION:

Chairperson: Steve Kuennen
719.221.0209

SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMISSION:

Chairperson: Barb Paarz
719.486.2922

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday one hour prior to Mass

Sacramental Preparation
Infant Baptism: Baptismal
Instruction Required; please
contact Parish Office for more
information

Marriage: Contact Pastor at least
1 year before date of wedding.

OCIA: Adult preparation for
Sacraments; please contact Parish
Office for more information.

SERVICE GROUPS

CHURCH STORE

Cindy Novak 336.214.4768
Sandy Braatz 719.352.6111
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Glenn Hansen 719.221.2022
grgalen@msn.com

PRAYER CHAIN

Janine Giles 719.395.6597
janine.giles@yahoo.com

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Wednesday, 9:00 am
to 4:30 pm
Closed Noon to 1:00 pm
Thursday, 9:00 am—Noon
Friday Closed

STAFF

ADMIN ASSISTANT/ RECEPTIONIST

Valarie White 719.395.8424

FAITH FORMATION COORDINATOR

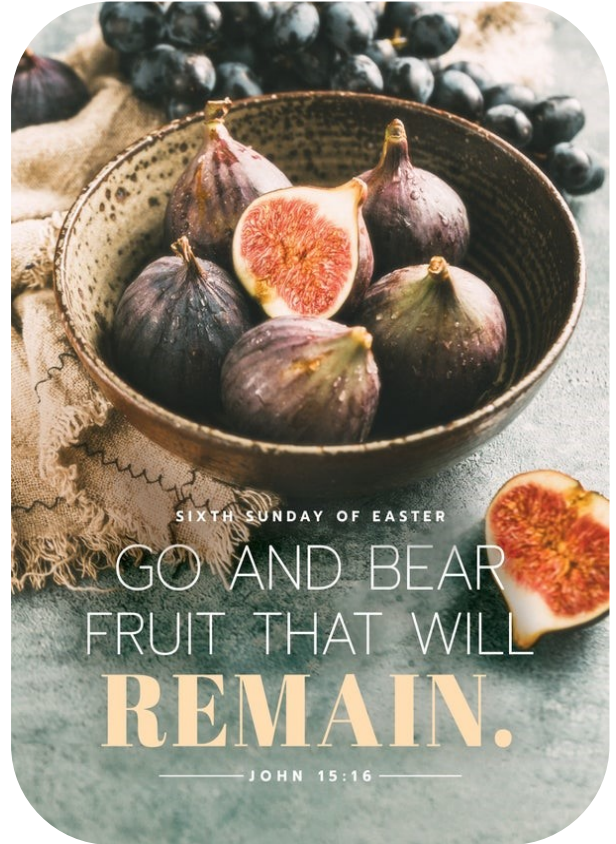
Darcy Barrows, 720.234.9908

MAINTENANCE

Jayne McCracken

BOOKKEEPER

Patty Barrows



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

GO AND BEAR
FRUIT THAT WILL
REMAIN.

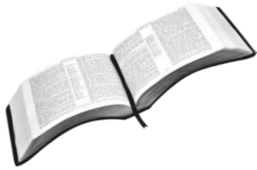
JOHN 15:16



FIRST COMMUNION

Bulletin Deadline
Monday
Noon

May 5, 2024



Gospel Reflection

Εὐαγγέλιον

LITURGICAL + ROLES

All liturgical ministers, please arrive 15 minutes before mass begins to meet in the sacristy for prayer.

Once a man came to the Vatican and asked to see Pope John Paul II, claiming that they had been friends in Poland. When told of the man, the Pope said, “He is mistaken about our friendship. I don’t recall ever having suffered with him.” As it turned out, the man had never known the Pope. Now, I’m not sure if the story is totally factual. But doesn’t the juxtaposition of suffering with friendship sound exactly like JP II? He understood that the deepest and most lasting friendships are forged in the fires of shared suffering. No suffering, no friendship. Amazing.

This week we hear Jesus say to the apostles and to us, “You are my friends if you do what I command you” (John 15:14). In Jesus’ life, death, and resurrection, God entered the world of human suffering and transformed it into an avenue of friendship with Himself. Following His command — to love, to lay down our lives for others — will always entail suffering. But this suffering only deepens our friendship with Him. His suffering is ours; ours is His. We have become friends of God.

This week, how might you share your suffering with the Risen Jesus? How might he be sharing his suffering with you, in the lives of those around you? Be attentive to that, and you’ll find that you are indeed a friend of God, because you’ve suffered together a great deal.

— Father John Muir

Saturday, May 11, 2024 5:30 PM

- Lectors:** D Barrows
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** Deacon Russ, S Braatz, K Rau
- Altar Servers:** S Axe
- Hospitality Ministers:** D Barrows, L Gillingham
- Sacristan:** B Hoover
- Music:** J Giles

Sunday, May 12, 2024 9:30 AM

- Lectors:** M & B Roy
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** K Paschall, R White, B White
- Altar Servers:** R Calvert
- Hospitality Ministers:** P Drawbridge, M Pelino
- Sacristan:** R White
- Music:** Brady Group



May 6, 2024 – May 12, 2024

- Tuesday– 8:15am William Novak
- Wednesday–6:00 pm For a Young Parishioner
- Thursday– 8:15am †Julio Bejarano
- Friday– 8:15 am †Dick & †Josephine Wittwer
- Saturday– 5:30 pm †Charles Courtois
- Sunday– 9:30 am †Isabel Bejarano
- St. Joseph Mission 12:30pm For the Parish

With Him All Things Are Possible

We continue to keep in our prayer list– Cathy Pfalzgraff, Dorothy Maestas, Karen Klugh, Curt Cordova, Marija Willas, Joann Willburn, Catherine Smith, Robert Hines, Johnny Rowe, Frank Maestas, Mary T. Meurs, Cathy Rowe, Trish Young, George Janik, Cecelia Chapman, The Family of Pete and Jenna Ambrose, and all of our home bound and those in nursing homes.

For our recently departed parishioners and family members, please pray for their souls. Please keep their families in your thoughts and prayers.



May 6, 2024

Acts 16:11-15/Jn 15:26-16:4A
Men's Bible Study 7 am (PH)
AVMAD Mtg 3 pm (UR)

May 7, 2024

Acts 16:22-34/Jn 16:5-11
Ladies Bible Study 9 am (RR)
Sm Grp 9 am (CR)
Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)
Men's Bible Study 6:30 pm (RR)

May 8, 2024

Acts 17:15,22-18:1/Jn 16:12-15
Ladies' Meditation 10:30 am (CH)
Knights of Columbus Mtg 7 pm (PH)

May 9, 2024

Acts 18:1-8/Jn 16:16-20
LOTS 9 am (RR)
God's Girls 11:45 am (PH)
Pokeno Noon (PH)
Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)

May 10, 2024

Acts 18:9-18/Jn 16:20-23
Chaffee County Patriots 6-8 pm (PH)

May 11, 2024

Acts 18:23-28/Jn 16:23B-28
Special Collection Catholic
Communication Campaign
English as a Second Language
Class 9-10 am (PH)
Wedding Rehearsal 1 pm (CH)

May 12, 2024

Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23 or 4:1-13
or 4:1-7,11-13/Mk 16:15-20
Special Collection Catholic
Communication Campaign
Rosary 9 am

May Crowning/Mother's Day
K/C B'fast benefitting Habitat for
Humanity
Church Store Open
Destination Wedding 4 pm (CH)



The Knights of Columbus are always willing to lend a hand. Please reach out to a Knight if you, or someone you know, is in need of assistance. This assistance can be in the form of a visit or a small home repair. For further information call Steve Kuennen (719) 221-0209.



Please speak with your student's teacher for classes in May.

Are you desirous of receiving the Holy Eucharist, but are homebound due to chronic illness, a disability or a recent surgery and therefore unable to attend Mass? Are you aware that St Rose has parishioners mandated and trained as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to the sick? Whether your situation is short or long term, we are blessed to bring Christ in the Eucharist to you. Please contact Deb Kuennen, (719) 966-4757, or debkuennen@hotmail.com for more information.



If anyone would like prayer for any reason, contact Janine and she'll get the prayer request on the prayer chain. Additionally, if anyone would like to join and pray for one another, please contact her as well. janine.giles@yahoo.com

For those who remember Tom and Eileen Gatliffe, Tom passed away in June of last year and is buried in Boulder. Eileen has recently been diagnosed with cancer and is receiving care through Anschutz. Those who would like to contact her, please feel free to do so at: 3455 S Corona St Apt 837, Englewood, CO 80113. She would love to hear from you.



This is my commandment: love one another as I love you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends." Learn how to love your spouse better by attending the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on: June 28-30, Colo. Springs; Oct. 4-6, Grand Junction, CO
For questions, or to find out more about Virtual Encounter Weekends, feel free to contact: Brenda & Gary Granger: 720-213-8833
Space is limited, so reserve your weekend early. For more information about Worldwide Marriage Encounter, please visit www.wmwe.org
Follow us on Instagram and Facebook! @wmweColorado

LITURGICAL ROLES

St. Joseph Mission
Sunday, May 12, 2024
12:30 PM

Lectors: W Hart
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: S Anderson, C Ryan
Altar Servers: J Prochazka
Ushers: P Greguoli, J Prochazka
Sacristan: J Prochazka
Music: C Erdle



The Ascension of the Lord, A Holy Day of Obligation, is permanently moved within the Diocese of Colorado Springs to the seventh Sunday of Easter, next weekend. Regular daily mass will take place on Thursday, May 9th at St. Rose of Lima.

Do you know someone who would make a great priest? Have you been discerning the priesthood? Have you even given the priesthood just the slightest thought? The Diocese of Colorado Springs is hosting their 2nd Annual Discernment Retreat for single men between the ages of 16 - 40, on Saturday, June 1, from 2PM - 6PM at the St. John Henry Newman Center at 4785 Stanton Rd, near UCCS. There will be three speakers who will share their own personal journey regarding the priesthood followed by Adoration and the Rosary; Confessions will also be available. Discerners and parents are invited to the BBQ which begins at 5PM, also at the Newman Center. Registration begins at 1:30 PM. Please RSVP to Mike at mlehnertz@icloud.com by Saturday, May 25.



Congratulations! Congrats to our First Communicants; Ariana & Ricky Calvert, Analia Banuelos-Rivera, Camila Lopez, Diego & Jesus Martinez, and Lucy Stoltzfus. There will be receptions at both churches following mass.

There will be a graduation reception for Keira White on Saturday, May 25th from 1-4 pm in the St. Rose of Lima Parish Hall. Please RSVP to Val at the office if you plan to attend.

PREGNANCY HOTLINE NUMBER
24 HOURS 719-395-6703