



St. Rose of Lima

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November 16, 2025

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Mon-Wed 9 am—4:30 pm

St. Joseph Mission

455 Castello Road, Fairplay, CO

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STEPHEN J. PARLET**
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MASS SCHEDULE @ ST. ROSE

Mon. No Daily Mass
Tue, Thu, Fri 8:15 am
Wed 6:00 pm
Sat 4:30 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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

SRL COUNCILS/COMMITTEES

COORDINATOR OF COMMUNION MINISTERS OF THE SICK:

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ENVIRONMENTS

COMMITTEE: Chairperson:

Judy Sherlock, 719.691.9712

FINANCE COMMISSION:

Steve Sherlock 719.688.5200

LITURGY COMMITTEE:

Chairperson: Fr. Stephen
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PASTORAL COUNCIL:

Chairperson: Dorothy Distel
702.498.7643;

Brian O'Connell 720.990.4394;

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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

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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STAFF

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FAITH FORMATION COORDINATOR

Darcy Barrows, 720.234.9908

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Melissa Hertrich

BOOKKEEPER

Patty Barrows

SJM PARISH COUNCIL

Paul Greguoli—President

Elizabeth Kay

Bill Steidl

Ed Wilson

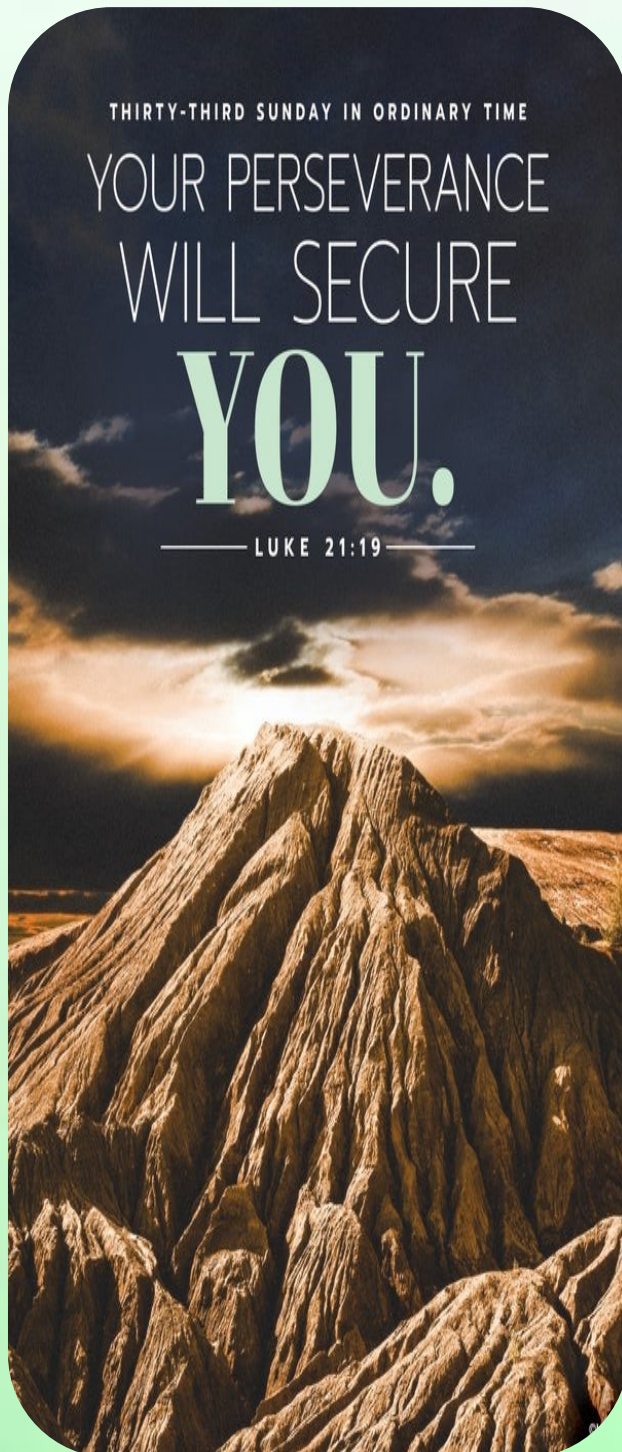
Lillian Wissel

Carolyn Erdle

Bulletin Deadline

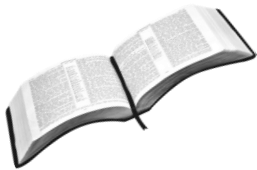
Monday

Noon



THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
YOUR PERSEVERANCE
WILL SECURE
YOU.

— LUKE 21:19 —



Gospel Reflection

LITURGICAL + ROLES

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

When I was a kid growing up in New England, I'd occasionally go on a whale watch. Once we went out with calm waters and clear skies. But on the way back in, the sea got rough. I was just a kid, and I remember thinking we should turn left or right toward the shoreline I could see. But the pilot of the boat kept going straight — right into the waves — focused on a small, discouragingly distant lighthouse. Even when it flickered in and out of sight, he stayed the course. He knew where he was going.

That image comes to mind when I hear Jesus' words in today's Gospel regarding false messiahs: "Do not follow them" (Luke 21:8). In times of chaos or uncertainty, there are always voices offering easier routes, promising false safety, claiming to speak for God. But Jesus isn't found in the loudest voice or the nearest shoreline. He is steady, like a lighthouse in the storm.

The tribulation of which Jesus speaks — it's real. It happened to the Temple, it happened to him, it happens in the Church, and it will come to each of us. But the command is not to panic. It's to endure. To keep steering toward him. Faith isn't about having all the answers or dodging every wave. It's about knowing where the lighthouse is — and trusting it enough to keep going, especially when false safety beckons us to stop.

— *Father John Muir*

Saturday, November 22, 2025 4:30 PM

Lectors: S Kuennen

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

M Hertrich, T Small, OPEN

Altar Servers: T Small

Hospitality Ministers: B & K Robb

Sacristan: M Hertrich

Music: J Giles

Sunday, November 23, 2025 9:30 AM

Lectors: Joe Redetzke

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Deacon Russ, B White, R White

Altar Servers: A White

Hospitality Ministers: M & M Kale

Sacristan: R White

Music: Brady Group



Mass Intentions for the Week

November 17, 2025 – November 23, 2025

Tuesday— 8:15 am For a Young Parishioner

Wednesday—6:00 pm †Dick, †Josephine, & †Robert Wittwer

Thursday— 8:15am †Hiltrud & †Tamas Lanczy

Friday— 8:15 am For a Young Parishioner

Saturday— 4:30 pm †Buck Klugh

Sunday— 9:30 am †Ryan Devenney

St. Joseph Mission 12:30pm For the Parish

With Him All Things Are Possible

We continue to keep in our prayer list— Debra Tidd, Bev Hoover, Jennifer LeDue, Dorothy Maestas, Karen Klugh, Curt Cordova, Joann Willburn, Adam 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.



November 17, 2025

1 Mc 1:10-15,41-43,54-57,62-63/
Lk 18:35-43

Men's Bible Study 8:15 am (PH)

November 18, 2025

2 Mc 6:18-31/Lk 19:1-10

Ladies Bible Study (LBS) 9 am
(RR)

Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)

Men's Bible Study 6:30 pm (RR)

Pastoral Council 5:30 pm (PH)

November 19, 2025

2 Mc 7:1,20-31/Lk 19:11-28

Liturgy Comm Mtg 4:30 pm (PH)

K/C Mtg 6-7:30 pm (PH)

November 20, 2025

1 Mc 2:15-29/Lk 19:41-44

Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)

Faith Formation Class 5:30 pm
(CH & PH)

Finance Cmte Mtg 6 pm (PH)

November 21, 2025

1 Mc 4:36-37,52-59/Lk 19:45-48

November 22, 2025

1 Mc 6:1-13/Lk 20:27-40

Rosary 4 pm

Giving Tree Set-Up

November 23, 2025

2 Sm 5:1-3/Col 1:12-20/

Lk 23:35-43

Rosary 9 am



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, computer technical support or a small home repair. For further information call Steve Kuennen (719) 221-0209.



Continued thanks for your donations to and blessings on the rectory renovation. With your continued support, our 1967 rectory will proceed to march triumphantly into the 21st century. Scan QR to donate to the rectory renovation or offertory. After scanning, click on the yellow link then follow the prompts. You can also donate by texting "GIVE" to 719-631-2233.

PREGNANCY HOTLINE NUMBER
24 HOURS 719-395-6703

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

St. Rose of Lima PASTORAL COUNCIL SUGGESTIONS

If any parishioners have any suggestions for the Parish Council, please email the St. Rose office at: office@strosebuenavista.org. Val will ensure the messages are forwarded to the appropriate individuals. Positive and/or negative feedback is all appreciated. If you wish to remain anonymous, feel free to use the mailbox #3 by the office across from the ladies' room. Mark the envelope to the attention of the Pastoral Council. Also, if you are interested in being on the Parish Council, please let Fr. Steve know. We could use 1-2 more members.



Tuesday Night Men's Bible Study Group Did You Know?

The Formed Platform has a video series on "Opening Up the Treasures of the Mass" a video collection of 31 short episodes on the Elements of the Catholic Mass. From the episode titled The Collect:

"Collect" is the official term for what is generally known as the Opening Prayer of the Mass. This term is significant because it suggests how we ought to approach the opening oration. The prayer is preceded by the invitation of the priest: "Let us pray." Note that these words do not mean "Bring me the book," or "Please stand," or "Watch while I turn through the pages," or even "Listen to this prayer." The invitation means first and foremost "Let us formulate the intentions we want to offer at this Mass."

For those "wondering", Circle Time was formerly known as English as a Second Language. English folk come and speak Spanish, Spanish folk come and speak English.

LITURGICAL + ROLES

St. Joseph Mission Sunday, November 23, 2025 12:30 PM

Lectors: W Hart

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: L Wissel, S Wilson

Altar Server: J Prochazka

Ushers: P Greguoli, W Hart

Sacristan: J Prochazka

Music: C Erdle



Human Dignity Conference

Join us at the inaugural Diocesan Human Dignity Conference on Saturday, November 22 from 8:00 am–5:00 pm at St. Francis Parish in Colorado Springs! The conference will feature keynote talks by Bishop James Golka and Prof. Lucas Pollice, along with lightning talks on a variety of topics such as NFP and NaPro, IVF, Abortion, Treatment of the Disabled, Human Trafficking, End of Life Issues, and more! The day will also include lunch, Mass, and Adoration, along with opportunities for confession. Please RSVP at <https://www.diocs.org/Human-Dignity-Conference>. Questions? Contact Julie Bailey at jbailey@diocs.org or (719) 866-6478.

The Saint Pope John Paul II Monstrance Coming to the Diocese of Colorado Springs!!

Adoration Schedule for the John Paul II Monstrance

Wednesday, November 19, 12noon – 6pm;

St. Francis of Assisi, Castle Rock

Thursday, Nov 20, 7:30am – 12noon;

St. Mary's Cathedral

Thursday, Nov 20, 12:30pm – 6:30pm; The Shrine of OL of Guadalupe, Mother of the Divine Redeemer

The Saint Pope John Paul II Monstrance is a monstrance blessed by the late Pope in 2004 to promote prayer for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Six such monstrances were created for the Year of the Eucharist, and one was given to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) for North America. It is entrusted to the care of the Serra Club and travels to various parishes and dioceses to facilitate prayer and Eucharistic adoration for vocations. Due to high demand, the monstrance's availability has been extended beyond the initial year.