



# St. Rose of Lima

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# St. Joseph Mission

(455 Castello Road, Fairplay, CO)



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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

## COUNCILS/COMMITTEES

### **COORDINATOR OF COMMUNION MINISTERS OF THE SICK:**

Deb Kuennen 719.966.4757  
[debkuennen@hotmail.com](mailto:debkuennen@hotmail.com)

### **ENVIRONMENTS**

**COMMITTEE:** Chairperson:  
Judy Sherlock, 719.691.9712

**FINANCE COMMISSION:**  
Steve Sherlock 719.688.5200

### **LITURGY COMMITTEE:**

Chairperson: Fr. Stephen  
Parlet 719.395.8424

### **PASTORAL COUNCIL:**

Chairperson: Dorothy Distel  
702.498.7643;  
Brian O'Connell 720.990.4394;  
Mary Kale 719.221.2879;  
Melissa Hertrich 719.427.0415;  
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  
**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**  
Glenn Hansen 719.221.2022  
[grgalen@msn.com](mailto:grgalen@msn.com)

### **PRAYER CHAIN**

Janine Giles 719.395.6597  
[janine.giles@yahoo.com](mailto: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

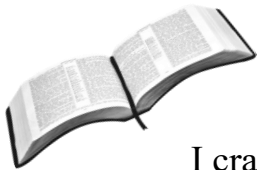
### **BOOKKEEPER**

Patty Barrows

*Bulletin Deadline*  
*Monday*  
*Noon*



*February 16, 2025*



## Gospel Reflection

I craved four things as a teenager: success in sports, food, fun and the attention of popular people. However, I noticed that as I acquired them, I was more unsatisfied than before. So, I'd strive even more energetically, achieve more, and the sense of emptiness was greater still. These four things started to feel like burdens or even curses. Soon after, I encountered Christ in my high school youth group. Experiencing his love was totally different than anything those four things previously produced. It produced a lasting happiness.

Jesus utters a kind of four-fold curse in this week's Gospel of Saint Luke's "woes": "Woe to you who are rich...who are filled now...who laugh now...who are well-spoken of" (cf. Luke 6:24-26). How marvelous that these correspond perfectly to the four things that obsessed my teenage soul: riches, food, laughter and good reputation. The "woes" the Lord speaks are warnings: when those things are the purpose of your life, you'll be miserable. He is saying, "You'll be happy, or blessed, in the measure that these things do not determine the shape of our lives, and the kingdom of God does."

To some degree, we're all spiritual teenagers, addicted to one or more of those four "woes." How splendid that the Lord wants his to bless us — that is, to satisfy us, make us laugh with joy, and in the kingdom of God, offer us what will truly satisfy us. But first let's admit what is causing our "woes."

— Father John Muir

## LITURGICAL + ROLES

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

**Saturday, February 22, 2025 4:30 PM**

**Lectors:** V Austin

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Deacon Russ, C Novak, K Rau

**Altar Servers:** P Allison

**Hospitality Ministers:** M Pelino, OPEN

**Sacristan:** K Rau

**Music:** J Giles

**Sunday, February 23, 2025 9:30 AM**

**Lectors:** M & B Roy

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

R White, B White, J Sherlock

**Altar Servers:** A White

**Hospitality Ministers:** Janey Redetzke, M Pelino

**Sacristan:** R White

**Music:** Brady Group



## Mass Intentions for the Week

**February 17, 2025 – February 23, 2025**

Tuesday— 8:15 am Mary Ann Williams

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

Thursday— 8:15am Helen Crumpton

Friday— 8:15 am Patty Robinson

Saturday— 4:30 pm Arlene Cogan

Sunday— 9:30 am †Jim Silsby

St. Joseph Mission 12:30pm For the Parish

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**With Him All Things Are Possible**

We continue to keep in our prayer list— Jennifer LeDue, Cathy Pfalzgraff, Dorothy Maestas, Karen Klugh, Curt Cordova, 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.

**February 17, 2025***Gn 4:1-15, 25/Mk 8:11-13*

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

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**February 18, 2025***Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Mk 8:14-21*

Ladies Bible Study (LBS) 9 am (RR)

Sm Grp 9 am (CR)

Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)

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

Pastoral Council 5:30 pm (PH)

**February 19, 2025***Gn 8:6-13, 20-22/Mk 8:22-26*

Liturgy Commission 4:30 pm (PH)

**February 20, 2025***Gn 9:1-13/Mk 8:27-33*

Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)

**February 21, 2025***Gn 11:1-9/Mk 8:34-9:1***February 22, 2025***1 Pt 5:1-4/Mk 16:13-19*

Rosary 4 pm

**February 23, 2025***1 Sam 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/**1 Cor 15:45-49/Lk 6:27-38*

Rosary 9 am

Faith Formation Sacramental Class

Faith Formation Community Mtg

Youth Mass



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.



The Year of Hope web page is now live on the diocesan website at: [diocs.org/About/Year-of-Hope](https://diocs.org/About/Year-of-Hope). There you'll find Bishop Golka's pastoral letter, "Christ Our Hope," as well as information on the Jubilee Indulgence, diocesan pilgrimage sites, and other resources. The Spanish Year of Hope web page can be found at [diocs.org/About/Year-of-Hope-Spanish](https://diocs.org/About/Year-of-Hope-Spanish)



There are no Faith Formation classes/meetings taking place on Sunday, February 16, at St. Rose. Classes and a Community Meeting will occur next Sunday, February 23rd.

Are you desirous of receiving the Holy Eucharist, but are home-bound 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](mailto: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](mailto:janine.giles@yahoo.com)

Thank you so much to all our Knights and to all our parishioners for your long time support to our BV Pregnancy Center! It is so greatly appreciated! Every life we can save through stopping any abortion is a huge victory to that child, the family and All in Heaven Rejoice with our efforts!

**Vatican II: Proclaiming the Joy and Hope of Christ to the Modern World**

Starting March 2025, the Diocese of Colorado Springs will be

offering a diocesan-wide parish video series with Prof. Lucas Pollice, MTS. Learn what Vatican II was really about – and how it's still relevant for us in 2025! This series will provide an overview of the vision, documents, and meaning of Vatican II. A study guide will be provided. Visit <https://www.diocs.org/About/Vatican-II> to access videos as they are released!

March 5: What is the Real Vatican II?

April 2: The Missionary Renewal of Vatican II

May 21: The Documents and Themes of the Council

June 11: Lumen Gentium: The Church Renewed for Mission

August 20: Dei Verbum: The Word of God in the Life of the Church

September 17: Sacrosanctum Concilium: The Source and Summit of the Christian Life

October 29: Gaudium et Spes: Joy and Hope for the Modern World

November 19: The Implementation of the Council in the Life of the Church

December 17: The New Evangelization: The Extraordinary Mission of Our Time

**LITURGICAL + ROLES**

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

**Lectors:** C Hart

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** L Wissel, C Hart

**Altar Servers:** J Prochazka**Ushers:** J Prochazka, P Greguoli**Sacristan:** P Greguoli**Music:** C Erdle**Human Dignity Initiative**

"A Pastoral and Moral Approach to Gender Ideology"

Workshop #3 | Friday, March 21, 2025 |  
9 AM - 2 PM | Bonfils Hall | \$10/person

We are excited to welcome back Fr. Angel Perez and Fr. Israel Perez as they present together at both the English and Spanish Human Dignity workshops this March.

The English workshop will take place on Friday, March 21, 2025, at the St. John Paul II Center for the New Evangelization (Bonfils Hall, 1304 S Monroe St, Denver, CO). This session, titled "A Pastoral and Moral Approach to Gender Ideology," is designed for all ministry leaders in the Archdiocese of Denver.

The Spanish workshop will be held on Saturday, March 22, 2025, from 9 AM to 2 PM in Bonfils Hall.

A livestream will be available for both workshops, with links sent closer to the event. The cost is \$10 per person, which includes lunch.

RSVP's are due by the end of the day March 13th for both workshops.

If you're interested, please contact the office for directions on registration.

**Prayer of God's Blessing**

Bless me, Lord, mold my heart in imitation of Yours. Bless me, Lord, help me to see people as You do, and to hear their needs. Bless me, Lord, replace my understanding with Yours. Amen.

**PREGNANCY HOTLINE NUMBER**  
**24 HOURS 719-395-6703**