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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

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ENVIRONMENTS

COMMITTEE: Chairperson:
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PLANT COMMISSION:

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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
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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

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Valarie White 719.395.8424

FAITH FORMATION COORDINATOR

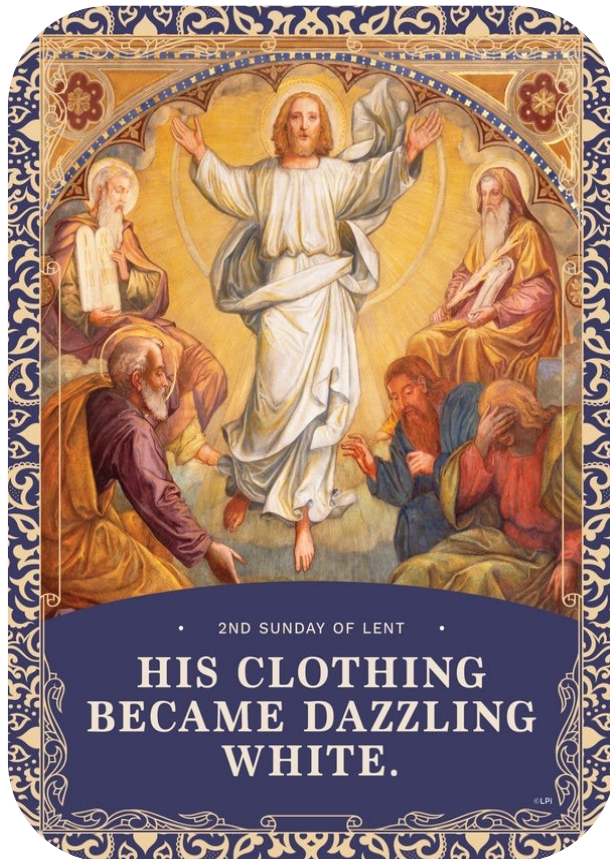
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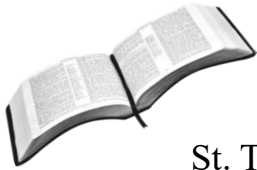
BOOKKEEPER

Patty Barrows



Bulletin Deadline
Monday
Noon

March 16, 2025



Gospel Reflection

St. Thomas Aquinas said that friends share three things: time, possessions and secrets. For example, how do I know if you're my friend? Well, let's say we've been to Mexico together, you've tried my shaky attempts at pasta carbonara, and you know what ridiculous costume I wore in a music video I filmed in my early twenties. We, dear reader, are definitely friends. We've shared time, possessions and secrets.

How does friendship with Jesus develop? The same way. Jesus lives and eats with his disciples. Then he takes Peter, James and John to Mount Tabor and there reveals to them his deepest secret: his glorious, divine Sonship. The majesty of God shines from within his humanity in a way that goes beyond description. God the Father confirms this "secret," saying, "This is my chosen Son, listen to him" (Luke 9:35). It's all so precious that "they fell silent and did not at that time tell anyone." Do we take time to be alone with Christ, to allow him to mystically share this "secret" with us as his dear friends?

Lenten challenge: This week, identify one time when you experienced an awareness of some specific aspect of Jesus — perhaps on a retreat, at Mass, in prayer or in an act of service. Spend ten minutes consciously re-living that experience in your heart. If you can't recall one, set aside at least two hours this Lent as a mini retreat, either alone in nature or in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Focus on him and ask him to share the secrets of his heart with you. He will. Then, as his friend, share the secrets in your heart.

— Father John Muir

LITURGICAL + ROLES

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

Saturday, March 22, 2025 5:30 PM

Third Sunday of Lent

Lectors: MJ Small

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Deacon Russ, C Novak, K Rau

Altar Servers: T Small

Hospitality Ministers: T & S Murphy

Sacristan: C Novak

Music: J Giles

Sunday, March 23, 2025 9:30 AM

Third Sunday of Lent

Lectors: S Sherlock

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

R White, J Sherlock, B White

Altar Servers: P Allison

Hospitality Ministers: R & V White

Sacristan: M Whitney

Music: Brady Group



Mass Intentions for the Week

March 17, 2025 – March 23, 2025

Tuesday— 8:15 am Mark & Stephanie Dragovich & Family

Wednesday—6:00 pm †Kathleen Kersteins

Thursday— 8:15am †Ed Robb

Friday— 8:15 am †Dick, †Josephine, & †Robert Wittwer

Saturday— 5:30 pm The Boone Family

Sunday— 9:30 am †Matt Mikulich

St. Joseph Mission 12:30pm For the Parish

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.



March 17, 2025

Dn 9:4B-10/Lk 6:36-38

Men's Bible Study 7:00 am (PH)

English as a Second Language

6:30—8:00 pm (PH)

March 18, 2025

Is 1:10,16-20/Mt 23:1-12

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)

March 19, 2025

2 Sm 7:4-5A,12-14A,16/

Mt 1:16,18-21,24A or Lk 2:41-51A

Liturgy Comm Mts 4:30 pm (PH)

March 20, 2025

Jer 17:5-10/Lk 16:19-31

Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)

Finance Cmte Mtg 6 pm (RR)

March 21, 2025

Gn 37:3-4,12-13A,17B-28A/

Mk 21:33-43,45-46

Stations of the Cross 5:30 pm

(CH) SRL

Free Simple Suppers 6 pm (PH)

SRL

March 22, 2025

Mi 7:14-15,18-20/Lk 15:1-3,11-32

Rosary 5 pm

March 23, 2025

Ex 3:1-8A,13-15/1 Cor 10:1-6,

10-12/Lk 13:1-9

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.



Prayer of Listening

Attune the ears of my heart, Lord, to the soft and still ways You are inviting me today. And then give me the strength and courage to respond to what You say. Amen.



Sacramental Prep students meet in their respective classrooms for class today.

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.

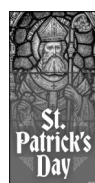


If anyone would like prayer for any reason, contact Janine and she'll get the prayer request on the prayer chain. Additionally, if anyone would like to join and pray for one another, please contact her as well. janine.giles@yahoo.com

**Denver March for Life
April 11th**



Hi all! Just a reminder if you are interested in going to the March for Life in Denver on April 11th. Please contact Mary Kale if you want to carpool or if you just want to meet us there at the march. The Rally and Talks start at 11:00 at the steps of the State Capital and the March starts at 2:00. We will be done around 2:00. Thank you for considering joining us!



Whether you know him as the man who brought Christianity to Ireland or simply as a reason you eat corned beef and cabbage in March, St. Patrick (415 – 493) is a well-known saint around the world.

St. Patrick was born in Britain of a Romanized family. At the age of 16, he was kidnapped by Irish raiders from the villa of his father, a deacon and local official, and brought into slavery in Ireland. He spent six long years there as a herdsman, during which he turned to his faith for strength. He later escaped back to Britain on a ship, where he was eventually reunited with his family. His years of captivity changed him and brought out a zeal for God and a yearning to spread the message of Jesus Christ. Despite the constant danger of martyrdom, he continued to travel throughout Ireland where he baptized and confirmed in the name of Christ.

LITURGICAL + ROLES

**St. Joseph Mission
Sunday, March 23, 2025**

12:30 PM

Third Sunday of Lent

Lectors: C Hart
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: C Hart, C Ryan

Altar Servers: J Prochazka

Ushers: J Prochazka, W Hart

Sacristan: P Greguoli

Music: C Erdle



**The Resurrection and Spiritual
Hangriness**

I want to talk about being hangry. I'll give you a quick description of hangriness, though I warn you, it doesn't come from the Oxford English Dictionary. Hangriness is when you're so hungry you get angry. You turn into a real piece of work. You can't get anything done and you're probably not a joy to be around, at least until you grab a snack. Everybody gets this way sometimes.

We can be this way in our souls, too. It's so easy to get distracted by the hungers of this world: greed, pride, anxiety. We can become ruled by the needs of our bodies and the desires of our mind and, in doing so, neglect the needs and the desires of our souls.

Everyday stewardship calls us to a constant reflection on the truth that we are not made for this world, as Christ clearly shows us in his Transfiguration. He reveals himself in his heavenly glory, just before he is going to be deprived of all earthly needs and wants — even his very life. He shows us that this is what we were meant for. This is what we are striving for.

Lent exists to remind us that we are not made for this world. When you become spiritually hangry — or as Scripture more eloquently puts it this week, when your mind is "occupied with earthly things" — turn your thoughts to the Transfiguration. I promise you, it's even better than grabbing an energy bar.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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