



# 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 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  
[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;  
Robin & Brian Hines  
719.395.9559

### **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**

Melissa Hertrich

### **BOOKKEEPER**

Patty Barrows

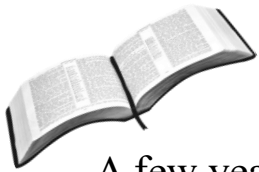
*Bulletin Deadline*

*Monday*

*Noon*



*May 11, 2025*



## Gospel Reflection

A few years back, I felt as if I couldn't hear God's voice the way I used to. The words in the Bible seemed like cold ink on a page. Prayer felt like sitting anxiously in a lonely room. I was worried — how could I, a priest, preach or help others if I couldn't hear God's voice? It went on for months.

Then a friend encouraged me to go on a retreat and spend as much time as possible in silence. After a day or two of quiet prayer, I noticed gentle but clear thoughts of repentance in two specific areas of my life. I asked God for the grace to change, and I went to confession. Suddenly, the divine silence that haunted me was filled with a sense of God's closeness and goodness. I realized, gratefully, that God had been speaking to me in the quiet voice of my conscience.

This week we hear Jesus say, "My sheep hear my voice. I know them and they follow me" (John 10:27). Jesus links the hearing of his voice to following him. He speaks to us in our conscience in an intimate, personal way, when we most need to hear him. When you feel deaf to God's voice, perhaps it is time to listen in silence for His voice in your conscience calling you to hear and follow the Good Shepherd of your soul.

— Father John Muir

## LITURGICAL + ROLES

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

**Saturday, May 17, 2025 5:30 PM**

**Lectors:** MJ Small

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Deacon Russ, C Novak, D Distel

**Altar Servers:** S Axe

**Hospitality Ministers:** B & K Robb

**Sacristan:** C Novak

**Music:** J Giles

**Sunday, May 18, 2025 9:30 AM**

**Lectors:** K Paschall

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Deacon Russ, J & J Redetzke

**Altar Servers:** T Small

**Hospitality Ministers:** B White, Janey Redetzke

**Sacristan:** M Whitney

**Music:** Brady Group



## Mass Intentions for the Week

**May 12, 2025 – May 18, 2025**

Tuesday— 8:15 am ☩ Ryan Devenney

Wednesday—6:00 pm NO DAILY MASS

Thursday— 8:15am NO DAILY MASS

Friday— 8:15 am NO DAILY MASS

Saturday— 5:30 pm ☩ Don Philpott

Sunday— 9:30 am ☩ Herman & ☩ Kathleen Gion

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— Bev Hoover, 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.



**May 12, 2025***Acts 11:1-18/Jn 10:11-18*

Men's Bible Study 7:00 am (PH)  
 English as a Second Language  
 6:30—8 pm (PH)

**May 13, 2025***Acts 11:19-26/Jn 10:22-30*

Ladies Bible Study (LBS) 9 am (RR)  
 Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)  
 Men's Bible Study 6:30 pm (PH)  
 Pint w/Padre

**May 14, 2025***Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17*

Ladies' Meditation 10:30 (CH)  
 Knights of Columbus Mtg 7 pm (PH)

NO DAILY MASS

**May 15, 2025***Acts 13:13-25/Jn 13:16-20*

Zumba 4:30 pm (PH)

NO DAILY MASS

**May 16, 2025***Acts 13:26-33/Jn 14:1-6*

NO DAILY MASS

**May 17, 2025***Acts 13:44-52/Jn 14:7-14*

Rosary 5 pm

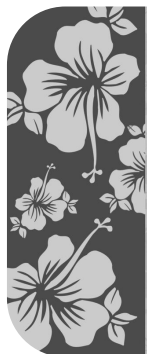
**May 18, 2025***Acts 14:21-27/Rv 21:1-5A/**Jn 13:31-33A, 34-35*

Rosary 9 am

Social Concerns



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.



St. Damien de Veuster of Molokai" (1840-1889) cared for the physical, medical, and spiritual needs of those exiled to the leper colony on the Hawaiian island of Molokai. His life of service shed light on the effects of this devastating disease and allow people to see those afflicted with it with more compassion and love.



Congratulations to our Confirmandi and their families. Enjoy reading about their chosen Saints below.

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. Elizabeth of Hungary  
 Although her life was short, St. Elizabeth of Hungary (1207 – 1231) is recognized for her love of the poor and suffering, and as patroness of Catholic charities and the Secular Franciscan Order. The daughter of the King of Hungary, she chose a life of penance instead of leisure, which made an impact on the "commoners" she served.



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 of Ireland is one of the world's most popular saints. He was born in Roman Britain and when he was four-

teen or so, he was captured by Irish pirates during a raiding party and taken to Ireland as a slave to herd and tend sheep. He often used shamrocks to explain the Holy Trinity and entire kingdoms were eventually converted to Christianity after hearing Patrick's message.

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

**LITURGICAL + ROLES****St. Joseph Mission****Sunday, May 18, 2025****12:30 PM****Lectors:** T Nelson

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:** T Nelson, C Hart

**Altar Servers:** J Prochazka**Ushers:** J Prochazka, P Greguoli**Sacristan:** J Prochazka**Music:** C Erdle**SAVE THE DATE**

Thursday, May 22nd at 9am  
 St Francis of Assisi, Castle Rock  
 "Mary, The Ark of God's Covenant"

Explore profound insights of the Blessed Mother rarely heard from Catholic pulpits. Catholics revere and honor Mary for reasons most have never heard or learned! This fresh, luminescent 2-hour visual presentation unveils why William Wordsworth (a non-Catholic) exclaimed, "Woman! Above all women glorified." Presented by Michael White, a Catholic convert whose heart was transformed (ravished!) by Mary. Catholics and non-Catholics are invited to discover – from a strictly Biblical perspective – why ONLY Catholics honor and esteem Mary as did Christ Himself!

9:00 – 11 AM, Thursday May 22, 2025,  
 Assisi Hall, St. Francis of Assisi Parish,  
 2746 Fifth Street, Castle Rock | CO 80104  
 For more information email :  
 whitmom4life@gmail.com

Thank you for all the prayers, food, cards, and flowers sent to me after my encounter with a member of the "Dept of Wildlife". No more wrestling elk for me! I am slowly recuperating. Your concerns meant so much. Thanks Again.

*Thank You!*

Bev Hoover

**Prayer to the Good Shepherd**

Beloved Shepherd, You guide in a way often beyond my understanding. You lead to paths yet undiscovered. Keep me in Your care, as together we seek green pastures and still waters. Amen.

