

Announcements

Coffee Servers:

Feb. 25 - 8:00 - Knights of Columbus Breakfast

Mar. 4 - 7:30-Eleanor Filler & Michele Prado-Landreth
10:00 - Nadine & Nicholas Wertz

Greeters:

Feb. 24 - 4:30 - Myrna & Susan Ward

Feb. 25 - 7:30 - Craig Racine Family
10:00 - John Arellano Family
5:00 - Dave Bartolo Family

Mar. 3 - 4:30 - Norma Potestio & Mary Lou Haering

Mar. 4 - 7:30 - Peter & Virginia Dell
10:00 - Joe & Patricia Hamrick
5:00 - Ron & Michelle Madrid

Latin Mass: The numbers in the *Gather Book* to the parts of the Latin Mass that we will be using are:

Gloria: #255 Holy: #305

Lamb of God: #312

Monday, February 26, 2007

Regular Schedule

Tuesday, February 27, 2007

Legion of Mary - 10 am, Hospitality Rm.
Adoration - After 12:10 pm Mass, Chapel
Rosary/Chaplet/Benediction - 6:45 pm, Chapel
Sobriety in Action - 7 pm, St. Joseph Rm.

Wednesday, February 28, 2007

Rel. Ed. Stations of the Cross Committee Mtg. - 6:30 pm,
Hospitality Rm.

Tri-Parish Rel. Ed.-6-8:30 pm, Parish Hall/St. Joseph Rm.

Thursday, March 1, 2007

Order of Martha - 9:30 am, Hospitality Rm.
Knights of Columbus Mtg. - 7 pm, St. Joseph Rm.
RCIA - 7 pm, Hospitality Rm.
RCIC - 7 pm, Office Conference Rm.

Friday, March 2, 2007

Stations of the Cross - 12:00 Noon, Church
Sobriety in Action - 7 pm, Hall Front Office

Saturday, March 3, 2007

Knights of Columbus Basketball Shoot Out - 10:30 am-
12:30 pm, Parish Hall

Sunday, March 4, 2007

Religious Ed. - Preschool-5th Gr. - 8:45-9:45 am,
Parish Hall/Clrms./St. Joseph Rm.
Religious Ed. - 6-8 Gr. - 6:15-7:30 pm, Clrms. 3 & 4/
St. Joseph Rm.
Religious Ed. - High School Confirmation - 6:15-7:30 pm,
Hospitality Rm.



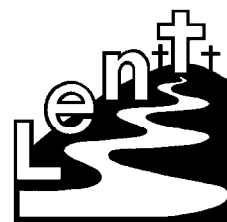
February 25th Rite of Election: All participants in the RCIA/RCIC and Adult Confirmation classes are asked to attend the Rite of Election at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart at 2 pm. Please be sure to invite Sponsors, Godparents and family members to attend this special event with you on that day. Also, it would be a great idea to be there a few minutes early to find parking and the assigned seating for our Parish.

Please pray that all those making their journey of faith to the Catholic Church will be strengthened in their resolve to follow Christ more closely during this Lenten Season and beyond.

2nd Annual Gift Basket Fundraiser: *Thank You* to all who have already started making donations to this year's Gift Basket Fundraiser! Due to the large success of last year's fundraiser, we have expanded our options and have created some **new** categories: *Coffee Lovers Gift Basket, Candle De-lite Gift Basket, and Family Game Night Gift Basket* just to name a few! Anyone is welcome to donate to this wonderful cause. Also, all are welcome to come and bid on the Gift Baskets, which will be available for bidding at the St. Joseph Table Celebration on March 18th. Mark your calendars now!

High School Confirmation Retreat: Mark your calendars now for the *High School Confirmation Retreat*, which will be held in the Hospitality Room on **March 9th from 7-9 pm and on March 10th from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm** (with light snacks and lunch to be served on Saturday). We will have various speakers come and expound upon the meaning and purpose of the Sacrament of Confirmation. Also, there will be time for Reconciliation, faith sharing, and small group discussions. Registration forms should be turned in by the second week of March. ***Please be sure that your Confirmation student attends this meaningful event!***

Baptism Classes: The next set of Baptism classes will be held in May. Both parents and Godparents need to attend the classes. For more information, please contact Sarah in the office.



JESUS AND THE DEVIL

The devil tempted Jesus by quoting scripture, as today's Gospel reminds us. Try a self-serving miracle. Try selling out. Try dazzling the audience; people are gullible, after all. Try all these easy ways. The tempter tries to urge Jesus onto the slippery slope, attempts the old soft-soap, the snake-oil solutions that are always readily at hand. The devil knows better, but is powerless to do better, much less be better. The devil is evil personified, who senses in Jesus the stronger, truly attractive presence of holiness.

Evil is exposed and engaged, we are reminded in this Sunday's Gospel. Evil knows the jig is up. The undoing of lies begins with Jesus, who takes up the work of soul-healing and world-healing. This Lent, the Church invites us to enter into this renewing, re-creative work and be made whole again.




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First Friday All Night Vigil - March 2nd
Alliance of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary
 7:00 p.m. - Friday: Holy Mass followed by Confessions
 and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
 7:15 a.m. - Saturday: Closing
 7:30 a.m. - Saturday: Holy Mass

DESTROYING ONE'S ENEMIES

Am I not destroying my enemies when I make friends of them?
 —Abraham Lincoln



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MARCH SCHEDULE

March 1 - 7 pm - General Meeting - St. Joseph Rm.
 March 16 - 6:30 pm - Social - St. Joseph Rm.
 March 25 - 8 am - 12:00 Noon - Breakfast - Parish Hall

Quiet Time with Jesus and Friends: The annual Quiet Time with Jesus and Friends Lenten Evening Prayer will be held for an increase in vocations, strengthening family life and spiritual renewal in our diocese. This one hour devotional will be held at 7 pm each Thursday of Lent at St. Mary's Church at 307 E. Mesa and includes Evening Prayer, Adoration and Benediction. The Quiet Time with Jesus evening prayers will continue each Thursday evening and end on March 29th.

Shrine of St. Therese Library & Gift Shop
Sunday -- 8:45 - 9:30 am & 11:00 am - 12:00 Noon
Tuesday -- 11:00 am - 12:00 Noon
Thursday -- 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Saturday -- 3:00 - 4:15 pm




Knights of Columbus Breakfast is this Sunday, February 25th, from 8 am to 12:00 Noon in the Parish Hall. Come in for a delicious Breakfast!

Shrine of St. Therese Blood Drive—Mobile Bus will be here this Sunday, February 25th, from 8:30 am to 12:00 Noon. The Knights of Columbus will give a free breakfast with a blood donation.

BLANKETS! BLANKETS! BLANKETS! Sister Nancy of the Centro De Los Pobres is in need of blankets. If you have any blankets to donate, please place them next to the food cart in the Church. Thank You!

GROCERY CERTIFICATE/GIFT CARD FUND RAISER: We thank all parishioners who buy grocery certificates and gift cards. For every \$100 sold, the Building Fund realizes \$5.00. **THIS IS A VERY EASY FUND RAISER.**



**Mass Intentions
for the Week**

Monday, February 26, 2007
 6:45 a.m. †John Toth by Mary Drobnick & Family

Tuesday, February 27, 2007
 6:45 a.m. †Matthew T. Lewis by Mom & Dad
 12:10 p.m. †Fred, Gary & Terri Ursick by Ursick Family

Wednesday, February 28, 2007
 6:45 a.m. †Rudy Bunk by Kathryn Prelas

Thursday, March 1, 2007
 6:45 a.m. †Kaye Paolino by Silvio & Rosalie Caputo
 12:10 p.m. †Catherine Marcen by Family

Friday, March 2, 2007
 6:45 a.m. †Sister Mary Clare by Ron & Cathy Diodosio
 7:00 p.m. For the Priests of the Diocese of Pueblo by
 Alliance of Two Hearts

Pray for Life

Saturday, March 3, 2007
 7:30 a.m. †Cora Pratt by Vic & Jan Alfonso
 4:30 p.m. †Mayme Perko by Frank & Jean Perko
 †Pete Pisciotta by Vic & Jan Alfonso
 †Floreen Dawson by Louis & Rose Fossceco

Sunday, March 4, 2007
 7:30 a.m. †Bill Meier by Myrna Meier
 †Anne Spelich by Mary Gersick
 †Dorothy Boyett by Carmela Farbo

10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
 5:00 p.m. †Roldan (Butch) Hardy by Ron & Cathy Diodosio
 †Gilbert Vialpando by Ron & Michelle Madrid
 †Michael Ciavonne & Kenny Burick by
 Ciavonne Family

Fish Dinners: The only Squires' Circle in the Diocese of Pueblo invites you to special Lenten Fish Dinners beginning Friday, March 2nd, from 5-8 pm at St. Pius X Parish Hall. These Lenten dinners feature a different fish entrée weekly. Cost is \$8 for Adults and \$4 for Children 12 & under. March 2: Stuffed Salmon with white clam chowder - March 9: Mahi-Mahi - March 16: Baked Talapia with trimmings. Everyone is invited!

Fish Fry: The Knights of Columbus Council #557 will have a fish fry every Friday of Lent from 3-7 pm at Holy Family Church. \$6.00 for adults and \$3.50 for children.

Free Health Clinic: The Hyde Park Center has partnered with the Pueblo County Health Department to provide a FREE health clinic aimed at addressing health issues in Pueblo. This clinic is FREE to anyone 18 years and older, whether you have insurance or not. Get tests done without the cost. Clinics will be March 8th from 5-8 pm and April 10th from 4-7 pm at The Hyde Park Center, 2135 West 16th St. Walk-ins are welcome, however, appointments are preferred. Contact Alex Aragon at 671-8429 or Danette Romero at 583-9903.

Ministry Schedule for the weekend of Mar.3rd-Mar.4th

Saturday, Mar. 3rd - 4:30 pm

- Lector – Dominic Lira
- Altar Servers
Duncan & Nathan Richards, Jake Weakley
- Eucharistic Ministers
Douglas Berg, Joan Javornik, Jackie Koroshetz
Suzanne Lira, Charles Potestio

Sunday, Mar. 4th – 7:30 am

- Lector – Stephanie Costello
- Altar Servers
Brian & James Bissonnette
Eric Racine
- Eucharistic Ministers
James & Sheila Cover, Patrick Dolan
Magdalena Fisk, Lucy Galvan

Sunday, Mar. 4th – 10:00 am

- Lector – Carol Scott
- Altar Servers
Michael Cira, Drake Novak, Dominic & Ryan Tucci
- Eucharistic Ministers
Bonnie Garcia, Andrew Nesbit, Tom Pomeleo
Nadine Styduhar-Wertz, Nicholas Wertz

Sunday, Mar. 4th – 5:00 pm

- Lector – Marcia Arellano
- Altar Servers
Kenneth Medina
- Eucharistic Ministers
Brandon & Sarah Nelson, Darrell Pagels
Mary Ann Rotolo, David Rush

First Sunday of Lent

February 25, 2007

*The word is near you, in your mouth
and in your heart. — Romans 10:8*



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: First Sunday of Lent; Rite of Election;
Rite of Calling the Candidates
to Continuing Conversion; Rite of
Sending
- Friday: First Friday; World Day of Prayer;
Abstinence
- Saturday: St. Katharine Drexel; First Saturday; Purim

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Mt 25:31-46
- Tuesday: Is 55:10-11; Mt 6:7-15
- Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10; Lk 11:29-32
- Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Mt 7:7-12
- Friday: Ez 18:21-28; Mt 5:20-26
- Saturday: Dt 26:16-19; Mt 5:43-48
- Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27; Phil 3:17 —
4:1 [3:20 — 4:1]; Lk 9:28b-36



St. Joseph Table

The Council of Catholic Women of the Shrine of St. Therese will sponsor **The St. Joseph Table** again this year. All persons interested in helping set-up, decorate or help with donations of breads, cookies, vegetables, and fruits, etc. should contact the President of CCW, Lydia @ 565-0378. All help of any kind will be greatly appreciated. Baskets will be given to those names provided by the Shrine of St. Therese Church. Names must be turned in to Lydia (# above) by March 15, 2007, before 3:00 pm. We will have a minimum of 50 Baskets. The Knights of Columbus will again deliver the Baskets to the homes of those in need. Work will begin on the Table Friday, March 16, 2007 @ 9:00 am. Those wishing to attend will need tickets. There is no charge. A covered dish should be brought to share in the meatless meal. Tickets or reservations available through the President of CCW, Lydia @ above number - *No later than March 16, 2007.* More information to follow in next week's bulletin.

CHECKOUT THE PARISH WEBSITE

<http://www.pueblo Shrine.org>

The Website includes the Parish Bulletin.