

Announcements

Coffee Servers:

Jan. 20 - 7:30 - Lucille Diodosio & Rita Schultz
10:00 - Dwight & Carol Scott

Jan. 27 - 8:00 - Knights of Columbus Breakfast

Greeters:

Jan. 19 - 4:30 - Don & Mary Creager
Jan. 20 - 7:30 - Ed & Alice Skerjanec
10:00 - Fred & Arlene Ingo
5:00 - Shelby Medina & Chelsea Arellano

Jan. 26 - 4:30 - Jim & Jeanne Pagano
Jan. 27 - 7:30 - Herb & Helen Wermers
10:00 - Michael Cira Family
5:00 - Michel Arellano Family

Candles will be blessed on Saturday, February 2nd, the Presentation of the Lord, after the 7:30 am Mass. You may bring candles to be blessed at this time. However, they must be beeswax candles.

Second Collection next weekend, January 26th and 27th, is for the **Church in Latin America**. Over 90% of Collection proceeds are used to support and develop the work of Catholic faith communities in Latin America.

Monday, January 21, 2008

Finance Council Mtg. - 7 pm, Conf. Rm.

Tuesday, January 22, 2008

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, January 23, 2008

Tri Parish Rel. Ed.-6-8:30 pm, Parish Hall/St. Joseph Rm.
Medjugorje Prayer Group - 7 pm, Chapel

Thursday, January 24, 2008

RCIA & Adult Confirmation - 7 pm, Hospitality Rm.
RCIC - 7 pm, Office Conference Rm.

Friday, January 25, 2008

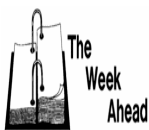
Parish Ministers Mass - 6 pm, Church - Pot Luck to
Follow, Parish Hall

Saturday, January 26, 2008

Catechist Mtg. - 9:30 am-12:00 pm, Hospitality Rm.

Sunday, January 27, 2008

Knights of Columbus Breakfast - 8 am-Noon, Parish Hall
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./St. Joseph Rm.
Religious Ed. - High School Confirmation - 6:15-7:30 pm,
Hospitality Rm.



Pueblo Diocesan Youth Festival: All High School aged youth are encouraged to attend the Pueblo Youth Festival to be held on January 27, 2008, at CSU-Pueblo's Hoag Hall. The featured guest speakers, ApeX a duo team, are energetic, enthusiastic, and completely centered on the Gospel of Jesus Christ in His Church. *Please do your youth a favor and bring them to this wonderful event.* Though this is a required event for Confirmation students, all other High School aged youth are encouraged to attend. If Junior High aged youth want to attend, they may do so *provided that an adult accompanies and sits with them.* The cost is \$20.00, and you may pick up registration forms from either Sarah Nelson or Deacon Buddy Rodriguez.

Mardi Gras Youth Dance: The Shrine of St. Therese Youth Committee is hosting a dance for all youth grades 6-12 at the Parish Hall on February 2nd from 7-10 pm. All Catholic Youth Groups from Pueblo are being invited, and the youth are welcome to bring their friends as well. The youth will enjoy a chaperoned evening of dancing, all-you-can-eat snacks, beverages, and the chance to win an array of **PRIZES!** All of this for only \$5.00! We look forward to seeing the youth there!

4th Parent Compulsory Class: Our Final Parent Compulsory Class will be held on Feb. 9, 2008. Please note that the class will be starting at 9:00 am rather than 9:30 am, and will run until approximately 11:00 am. **YOU MUST ATTEND THIS FINAL PARENT CLASS FOR YOUR CHILD TO BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A SACRAMENT.** Please talk to Father Liam with any problems you may have. Thank you for your diligence!

Calling All Youth! There is a Chastity Rally for grades 6-12 on February 10th at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in the Gym at 3122 Poinsetta Dr., Colorado Springs from 1:30-4:30 pm. Keynote Speaker is Mary Beth Bonacci. For more information contact Sarah Nelson - 542-1788.

Baptism Classes: The next set of Baptism Classes will be held on Tuesday, February 12th, and Tuesday, February 19th, from 6:30-8:00 pm in the Hospitality Room. Both Parents and Godparents need to attend the classes. Please contact Sarah Nelson for more information - 542-1788.



Knights of Columbus Breakfast will be held next **Sunday, January 27th**, from 8:00 am to 12:00 Noon. The profits will be given to Colorado Bluesky. Please plan to come. You will get great food and help a good cause at the same time.

THREE MISSIONS

Today we begin with one of the “servant songs” from the book of Isaiah, a song prophetic of Jesus’ ministry of service. Isaiah’s mission is not only to bring back the children of Jacob to gather in Israel; it is also to be “a light to the nations” (Isaiah 49:6). Jesus Christ, as servant, will be the fulfillment of the ancient prophecy and the basis of the new.

This Sunday we begin a series of readings from Paul’s letter to the Corinthians. Here Paul is identified by his mission: he is an apostle of Jesus Christ. The church at Corinth to whom he addresses this letter is also identified: it is part of the universal church of God. The Corinthians are called to holiness, as are all Christians.

Though the feast of the Baptism of the Lord was celebrated last Sunday, today’s Gospel also alludes to the importance of that event. The reading emphasizes that Jesus “outranks” John: his baptism in the Spirit will eradicate sin. Jesus accepts John’s baptism, even though it is he himself who is the Lamb of God.



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GROCERY CERTIFICATE/GIFT CARD FUND RAISER: Prescriptions can be purchased with grocery certificates and gift cards.

Thanks to all who helped remove and reset the pews for the carpet in Church: Bill Berry, Mike Blazer, Tony Casio, Larry Lacerte, Joe Martinelli, Jim Murry, Art Padilla, Dr. Potestio, Dwight Scott, Ted Shallbetter, Ed Skerjanec, Herb Wermers, and Frank Zugelder.

Global Warming: Our Lady of the Meadows Church, 23 Starling Dr., in conjunction with Colorado Interfaith Power and Light will present the film *Global Warming: the Signs and the Science* on Tuesday, January 29th, at 7:00 pm in the church. Interfaith Power and Light is a national religious response to global warming that promotes renewable energy, energy efficiency and conservation. Seminarian John Gotz will explain the Change a Light, Change the World Campaign. The first 250 families will receive a free energy efficient light bulb. You are invited to attend. For information, contact Chris at 561-3580.

Mardi Gras Carnival: St. Therese Catholic School Mardi Gras Carnival will be held on Saturday, January 26th, from 4-8 pm in Shrine of St. Therese Hall. Games, food, fun!

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

Calling All Parish Ministers: This includes all committee members, choir members and cantors, altar servers, coffee servers, Eucharistic ministers, lectors, everyone who serves the parish in any way along with their families. In order to build our community, Fr. Liam will offer a Mass of Thanksgiving on Friday, January 25th, at 6 pm. After Mass, Father would like all ministers to join him in the Hall for a pot-luck dinner. The parish will provide the main dish and ministers will provide salads and desserts. Families with last names beginning with A-K are to bring desserts. Families with last names beginning with L-Z are to bring salads or vegetable dishes. Please call the parish office by noon on Tuesday, January 22nd, to report how many members of your family will be attending this event. Please come and get to know the members of your community.

Mass Intentions for the Week

- Monday, January 21, 2008**
 6:45 a.m. Intention of Dr. Bryant Family by Sarah Nelson
 Intention of Danielle Hart Family by Sarah Nelson
- Tuesday, January 22, 2008**
 6:45 a.m. In Atonement for Abortion
 12:10 p.m. In Atonement for Abortion
- Wednesday, January 23, 2008**
 6:45 a.m. †Deceased Priests of the Diocese of Pueblo
 †Frances Concialdi by Dr. & Mrs. Charles Potestio
- Thursday, January 24, 2008**
 6:45 a.m. †Betty Huber by Myrna Ward
 †Ann Taravella by Frances Vislosky & Michael
 12:10 p.m. †Catherine Carleo by Louie & Dorothy Carleo
 †Norma Hewitt by Greg & Debbie Purkett
- Friday, January 25, 2008**
 6:45 a.m. Intention of Dr. Cichon Family by Sarah Nelson
 Health of Dorothy Zanini by Ed & Alice Skerjanec
 6:00 p.m. Mass of Thanksgiving for Parish Ministers
- Saturday, January 26, 2008**
 7:30 a.m. †Marcia Pachak by Mike & Michael Anselmo
 †Ida Passarelli by John & Debbie Carleo
 4:30 p.m. †Mary Ann Corsetino by Mary Pechek
 †John Corsetino by Ben & Donna Corsetino
 †Frances B. Hiza by Steve & Jean Hiza
- Sunday, January 27, 2008**
 7:30 a.m. †Frank Pershin, Sr. by Gary & Janice Mehle
 †Everett Even by John Moorcroft
 †Elsie Francel by Carmella Dionisio
 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
 5:00 p.m. †Mayme Carlo by Daughters
 †Al Solano by Frank & Joan Zugelder
 †Juan Saenz by John & Eleanor Saenz

A **petition** will be presented to the State of Colorado to define person in the State Constitution to include any human being from the moment of conception. Signature forms will be available after all the Masses the weekend of January 19 and 20. You must be registered to vote in the state of Colorado to be able to get on this ballot. Every person who is pro-life in Colorado must join in the effort to reestablish personhood to the preborn!

The Great Adventure-Our Father's Plan: Two for the Price of One! Come join us on our "Great Adventure"! In this Catholic Scripture Study you will learn:

1. How to read the Bible to where it makes sense
2. Understanding the Big Picture of Salvation History
3. How the Magisterium of the Catholic Church interprets the passages of the Holy Scripture

Beginning Wednesday February 13th and every Wednesday evening through May 28th. (16 Classes) 6:30-8:00 pm - Shrine of St. Therese Hospitality Room - \$15.00 per student textbook - Deacon Buddy Rodriguez, Instructor.

Ministry Schedule for the weekend of Jan. 26th-Jan. 27th

Saturday, January 26th - 4:30 pm

- Lector – Ivan Rhodes
- Altar Servers
Jake Weakley, Cody Kraus
- Eucharistic Ministers
George & Mary Ann Beauvais
Vic & Janice Alfonso, Dan Kraus

Sunday, January 27th - 7:30 am

- Lector – Belinda Szarkowski
- Altar Servers
Jonathan Szarkowski, Cody Chain
Bryson & Brendan Pacheco
- Eucharistic Ministers
LaVonne Morton, Patricia Charest, Kathleen Marohn
Alfred Kottenstette, Edward Skerjanec

Sunday, January 27th - 10:00 am

- Lector – David Rush
- Altar Servers
Donimic Sinatra, Trey Graham, Andrew Maal
- Eucharistic Ministers
Diana & Luis Maal, Chad Sexton
Allen Pearson, Michael Dietz

Sunday, January 27th - 5:00 pm

- Lector – Shelby Medina
- Altar Servers
Kenneth Medina, Sean Leal
- Eucharistic Ministers
Tom & Lil Pomeleo, Michelle Parsons
Angel & Christine Medina

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 20, 2008

I will make you a light to the nations,
that my salvation may reach to the
ends of the earth. — *Isaiah 49:6b*



SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Agnes; Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Tuesday: St. Vincent; Day of Penance for
Violations to the Dignity of the Human
Person
Thursday: St. Francis de Sales
Friday: The Conversion of St. Paul;
Week of Prayer for Christian Unity ends
Saturday: Ss. Timothy and Titus

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Mk 3:7-12
Friday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Mk 16:15-18
Saturday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Mk 3:20-21
Sunday: Is 8:23 — 9:3; Ps 27; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17;
Mt 4:12-23 [12-17]

<i>Stewardship Offering</i>	<i>01/12-13/08</i>
Weekly Stewardship	\$ 8,300.72
Special Collections	311.75
Extraordinary	508.57
Capital Campaign	305.00
BDF - 2007	0
Memorials	260.00
Scholarships	30.00
Grocery Certificates/Card Sales	1,975.00