

**Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church
Sixth Sunday of Easter
May 22, 2022**



**THE ADVOCATE, THE HOLY SPIRIT, WHOM
THE FATHER WILL SEND IN MY NAME,
WILL TEACH YOU EVERYTHING AND REMIND
YOU OF ALL THAT I TOLD YOU.
PEACE I LEAVE WITH YOU!**

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Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church
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Parish web-site: www.fatimaincasper.org

Diocese of Cheyenne web-site: http://dcwy.org

Very Rev. Gary Ruzicka, Parochial Administrator
Retired Deacon—Rev. Mr. Edward McCarthy

Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 4:00 PM

Sunday Masses: 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

Daily Mass Schedule: See — — — — —>

Holy Days of Obligation: 9 AM and 5:30 PM

Reconciliation: Saturdays 2:45-3:45 PM

Rosary: Mon—Fri at 8:30 AM

Religious Education Office: 307-473-2076

Office hours: opens after the 9 AM Mass Monday—Friday
Closes at 5 PM and closed during noon hour.
Open till noon on Fridays.

There will be no Services on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, or Friday at Our Lady of Fatima this coming week. For those who would like to attend daily Masses, St. Anthony Church has 6:30 AM Masses, and St. Patrick Church has 9:00 AM Masses.

Scripture Readings

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 22— Acts 15:1-2,22-29 Ps 67:2-3,5-6,8 Rv 21:10-14,22-23 Jn 14:23-29

St. Bede the Venerable, Priest, Doctor of the Church; St. Gregory VII, Pope;
St. Mary Magdalene de 'Pazzi, Virgin (m)

May 25— Acts 17:15,22—18:1 Ps 148:1-2,11-14 Jn 16:12-15

4 PM Mass — VIGIL MASS for THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 28— Acts 1:1-11 Ps 47:2-3,6-9 Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28;10:19-23 Lk 24:46-53

8:30 & 10:30 AM Masses — THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 29— Acts 1:1-11 Ps 47:2-3,6-9 Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23 Lk 24:46-53

Mass Intentions

Sat. 5-21 4:00 PM + Steve Stewart

Sun. 5-22 8:30 AM The Parish

10:30 AM + Anneliese Bulkow

Mon. 5-23 No Services at OLF

Tues. 5-24 No Services at OLF

Wed. 5-25 9:00 AM Mr. & Mrs. Mike Keefe

Thurs. 5-26 No Services at OLF

Fri. 5-27 No Services at OLF

Sat. 5-28 4:00 PM + Martha Cisneros

Sun. 5-29 8:30 AM Dr. & Mrs. John Zwerneman

10:30 AM The Parish

Please call the parish office, 265-5586, to remove names from our BULLETIN PRAYER LIST of individuals who are now well. Thank you to those who keep us updated on their loved ones' progress.



BULLETIN PRAYER LIST

Tammy Cloninger, Mike Murphy, Paula Kraushaar, Alex Prine, Mary Deluca, Cassidy Corey, Joe Brunelli, Maria Bulkow, John McAteer, Tina Uhrich, Jaxson Rivera, Colleen Trotter, Olive Kiernan, Jim Minahan, Donna Tidler, Becky Byron, Judith Tucker, Stephanie Hawley, Butch Ironshell, Sandra Martinez Dixon, Brenda Galindo, Olivia Hawley, Sam Evans, Asher Pettry, Mike Boyd, Mary Shirk, Chuck Burd, Jasper Eaton, Erica Avery, Kathleen Dougherty, Audrey Benson, Bryan Jones, Fr. Bob Fox, James Feiler, Tami Santisteven, Katherine Williams, Natalie Follensbee, Robert Meyer, Dwight Craig, Randy Craig

Nursing Home & Hospital Chaplain Fr. Phil Vaske 262-3701

Our Lady of Fatima Gift Store
Great quality items at a reasonable price.
Open between the 8:30 and 10:30 AM Masses on Sunday.

TRUE CARE WALK FOR LIFE
June 11, 2022
North Casper Athletic Complex
Registration starts at 8 AM.
Walk begins at 9 AM.



PRAYER CHAIN
Please call Margie Valdez at 265-4253, or Marlene Axlund, 265-8186 to add someone to the Prayer Chain.

Picture Directory

If your family had pictures taken for the directory, and you have not yet picked up your copy, you may do so at the church office during office hours (see front page of bulletin).

Here is a list of priests serving in our parish until our new pastor, Fr. Clark Lenz arrives. Those who will be staying for longer segments of time may also be celebrating daily Masses. Watch the front page of the bulletin for the daily Mass schedule.

Weekend of:
May 21-22 — Fr. Mike Carr (weekend only)
May 28-29 — Fr. Phil Vaske (and Wednesdays Masses)
June 4-5 — Fr. Jim Barry (and daily Masses beginning June 2)
Until July 5 — Fr. Jim Barry

EMHC, Reader, and Altar Server Scheduler:
Tonya Johnson
tsjwolf@gmail.com
307-256-9811

OLF Historian
Mary Riis is the Our Lady of Fatima parish historian.
historian@fatimaincasper.org

Our Lady of Fatima Mission Statement

We the faith community of Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church, through the intercession of our Blessed Mother, commit to celebrating the sacraments, following the teaching of Jesus Christ, and living the Gospel. Strengthened by God's grace, we will seek to serve the needs of others and evangelize our community and the world.

The Sunday TV Mass may be viewed locally on KTWO-TV at 9 AM on Sunday mornings.



Very Rev. Rob Spaulding is Celebrant for the May TV Masses.

The Cheyenne-based station, KKTQ, also carries the televised Masses, which are sponsored by the Diocese of Cheyenne, at 9 AM Sunday mornings.

The Wyoming Catholic Men's Retreat is an opportunity to get away from all the stress of the outside world and enjoy all that God has to offer. This retreat concentrates on fellowship, music, and most importantly growing in your faith.

This year's speaker is Paul George. Paul has spent over 25 years helping people discover the "art of living" through searching themselves, discovering a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, and finding true happiness. Throughout these years, he has served in various capacities, including president of a nonprofit, speaker, mentor, consultant, coach, and author. Paul currently serves in development for Hospice of Acadiana Foundation, helping families know their dignity in the most vulnerable time of life. He and his wife, Gretchen, also coach engaged and married couples through their nonprofit. It's his role as a husband and as a father to five children that he cherishes the most. We hope you will join us on August 19th -21st, 2022 in Casper Wyoming at St Patrick's Catholic Church Commons. We are offering a group rate this year. So get some family, friends, parish members to join you and save \$15 per person. Register at: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2022-wyoming-catholic-mens-retreat-registration-322669201267> Get more information at <https://www.wyomingcatholicmen.com/>

This Sunday, May 22, will be the final coffee and donut gathering after the 8:30 AM Mass until Fall. Thank you to all who have volunteered their time and effort to serve in this ministry!

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING



Altar Server Training for children who wish to become Altar Servers for our parish will take place on Saturday, June 11 at 1:30 PM, and Monday, June 13, at 5:30 PM. Children who have made their First Communion are eligible to be trained. Parents, please contact Tonya Johnson, who schedules the Altar Servers for Masses after they are trained, to sign your child up for one of the training sessions. She may be contacted at tsjwolf@gmail.com or 307-256-9811.

CONTRIBUTIONS

May 14-15, 2022
\$6,625.75
Charity
\$220.00

Thank you for your donations.

Thank you to all who gave to the Envelope Fundraiser in support of our youth going to Steubenville of the Rockies in Denver this summer!

RETREAT FOR YOUNG ADULTS AGED 23-39

St. Paul's Newman Center has invited young adults from across the Diocese, aged 23-39, to participate in their Young Adult Wilderness Leadership Retreat. Dev- on James has done tremendous work making this retreat in the Snowy Range possible. Register at <https://bit.ly/yawilderness>



The Our Lady of Fatima Pilgrim Statue is again traveling around our parish.

If you would like to have the statue of Our Lady of Fatima in your home for a week or two, and pray the devotion of the Daily Rosary asked by Our Lady, please call Mary in the church office. The statue is available by reservation. Call Mary at 307-265-5586, ext. 6, to arrange for a time for the statue to be brought to your home.



Jesus said to St. Faustina:

“Speak, My beloved child, for I am always listening. I wait for you. What do you desire to say?”

— *Diary of St. Faustina Kowalska # 1489*



Living and Giving
In Christ
2022

Our Lady of Fatima Parish
Goal: \$77,761.

A gift to the *Living and Giving in Christ* annual appeal makes a difference to every person in the Diocese of Cheyenne. Please contemplate how your gift will strengthen important ministries throughout the diocese that build up the Mystical Body of Christ. If you have not yet made your gift to this year's annual appeal, please prayerfully consider doing so. You may return your appeal card or in-pew envelope to the parish or the Chancery Office. You also may donate online at: <https://dcwy.org/living-and-giving-in-christ>

WCCW MARY'S FUND 2022

Villa Mornese Home for Girls — Tuxtia Gutierrez, Mexico

This project will provide meals and academic support for girls and young women living at Villa Mornese, a Catholic boarding school. Students are provided a safe environment free from poverty and abuse to heal, thrive, focus on their studies and pursue dreams. **WCCW Mary's Fund envelopes will be available at the church entrances. Please drop your envelope in the regular Sunday collection, or turn them in to the church office. Be sure your check has the notation "WCCW Mary's Fund 2022".**

RCIA

Classes are over for this Spring but if you know of someone interested in joining the classes next Fall, please have them call RCIA Director Randy Hall, 258-8195, or the office, 265-5586.



Faith Formation

Children's Wednesday evening Faith Formation Classes are over for the summer. However, there will be **TOTUS TUUS** happening this summer in July! Watch upcoming bulletins for details.

Religious Education Office — Carol — 473-2076

Plan a Pilgrimage to the Our Lady of Peace Mass in Pine Bluffs, WY on June 11, 2022. Rev. August Koeune and Rev. Clark Lenz will be presiding. Stations of the Cross will be at 9 AM, and Mass will be at 10AM. For more information please visit www.ourladyofpeaceshrine.com or email ourladyofpeaceshrine@gmail.com



Come and pray to protect the unborn, Thursdays at 5pm, at 918 East 2nd Street. The proposed abortion facility was renamed to Wellspring Health Access, and the opening date changed from June 1st to... "this summer". Persistent, peaceful prayer and Christian witness on the streets can influence positive decisions. We pray an abortion facility will never open, but should it happen, for the sake of mothers and babies at risk, we will not go away. We love them both! For more information call Bob at 307-251-7920, Todd at 307-262-0628 or John at 265-8940

Patriotic Rosary

Please join us to pray the Patriotic Rosary for our country and Church in this time of dire need for holiness, unity under God, and religious freedom. The Patriotic Rosary is Mondays at Our Lady of Fatima Church by the Sacred Heart of Jesus statue after Mass at 9:35 AM. (Note: NO Mass either May 23rd or 30th.)



NCYC 2022

NATIONAL CATHOLIC YOUTH CONFERENCE

HIGHLIGHTS:

- Inspiring speakers to enliven your faith
- Top Christian artists featured in concert
- Worship with over 11,000 youth from across the US
- Pray like never before with the young church

WHO: High School Youth
(9th-12th Grades in 2022-2023 School Year)

WHEN: November 10-13, 2022

WHERE: Long Beach, CA

COST: \$1000

(Reduced to \$500, pending grant approval)

Contact Theresa J. Meuer for info & interest: tmeuer@dcwy.org

OFFICE OF PASTORAL FORMATION

DIocese of CHEYENNE



Baptism of Infants

As a Catholic Christian Community we bring forth these guidelines regarding the Sacrament of infant Baptism. Since this is a sacrament of initiation (introduction) to the Catholic Community the following must take place:

*The parents must be registered at Our Lady of Fatima, and be consistently seen attending Mass in this church.

*If this is the first child, parent (s) must attend a Baptismal Preparation class.

*Godparents must be Baptized, Confirmed, and practicing Catholics. One Godparent can be of a Protestant denomination. If for good reason God-parents are from out of town, or another Catholic church in town, a letter from their pastor is required to state they are practicing members in good standing.

*A visitation with the priest is necessary before scheduling a date for the Baptism of the child.

*Those not registered in our parish must have written permission from their pastor to have their child Baptized in our church. These guidelines are given in order to insure continued growth and participation in the Catholic faith and the Church community.

ST. ANTHONY TRI-PARISH CATHOLIC SCHOOL
1145 W. 20th St.
Casper, WY 82604
307-234-2873

1st Annual St. Anthony Scholarship Classic

Friday June 3rd 1:00 p.m.
Casper Country Club



SCAN HERE

to REGISTER your team TODAY!

Presented by the St. Anthony School Foundation
307-337-1362 foundation@sascasper.com



St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School seeks a dynamic, passionate **Middle School Religion Teacher**. We are seeking a mission driven, creative, team player with an appreciation for the unique needs of middle school students. The candidate must be an active Catholic who can assist in preparing students to receive the sacraments. Previous catechetical experience is required and an understanding of or training in the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a plus. Teaching credentials and a minimum of two years teaching experience is preferable. This is a full-time teaching position with other duties as assigned. Interested applicants should send a resume and cover letter to melissa.whelan@sascasper.com with "Religion Teacher" in the subject heading. The successful candidate must pass Diocesan background check and complete Safe Environment Training before the position is offered.

An Opportunity for Adults this summer —

Catholics from the Diocese of Cheyenne will have an opportunity to pray and study together this summer as we learn about the early history of Catholicism in Wyoming. This opportunity for spiritual and intellectual formation is open to all adults. Please register by June 3 at the following link: <https://forms.office.com/r/pXWswFQ7GV>. You may learn more about this opportunity at dcwy.org/pastoral-formation.

Shared Prayer and Study: The Early History of Catholicism in Wyoming

On July 5, 1840, Fr. Peter De Smet served as principal celebrant of the first Eucharistic assembly located within the territory that would eventually become Wyoming. The rendezvous outside of what today is the town of Daniel now contains a monument and small chapel commemorating this celebration, and the Diocese celebrates Eucharist at this location each July to remember this Eucharistic gathering.

The history of De Smet's arrival in Wyoming, those among whom he ministered, and the context of his time provide great insight not only into this first Eucharistic assembly but also who we are as the local Church of the Diocese of Cheyenne today. Essential to the beginnings of the Catholic Church in Wyoming is Fr. De Smet's ministry among Native communities, his eventual involvement in the federal government's establishment of the reservation system, and the shared affection and respect between some Native communities and De Smet.

To explore this history further, the Office of Pastoral Formation of the Diocese of Cheyenne will coordinate a Diocese-wide experience of prayer and study with the book, *Come, Blackrobe*.

Through our shared study, we will have the opportunity to learn about our faith, the historical forces that have contextualized our faith, and how we can understand ourselves as the Church in the Diocese of Cheyenne in contemporary times.

Please pick up a flyer at the entrances of the church for more information.

Our Lady of Fatima CCW recently installed their new officers:

President — Patty Kaiser
Vice President — Deanna Schaff
Secretary — Linda Miner
Treasurer — Becky Byron

