Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 28, 2022



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OLF Office hours: 9:30 AM—5 PM Monday –Thursday Closed during noon hour on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday Fridays: Open 10 AM – noon

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

Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 4:00 PM Sunday Masses: 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

Daily Mass: Tuesday thru Friday: 9:00 AM (There is also a 5:30 PM Daily Mass on Wednesdays) Saturday Daily Mass at 8:00 AM

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

Reconciliation: Saturdays 7-7:45 AM, 1:30-3:30 PM, 7-7:45 PM or by appointment — Call 265-5586, Ext. 5

Rosary: Mon-Sat at 8:30 AM

Mass Intentions

Sat. 8-27	4:00 PM	+ Bob Lorenzen
Sun. 8-28	8:30 AM	The Parish
	10:30 AM	+ Marialyce Tobin
Mon. 8-29	No Mass	
Tues. 8-30	9:00 AM	+ Gabriel Tocco
Wed. 8-31	9:00 AM	Mike & Liz Lovelett
Thurs. 9-01	9:00 AM	Fr. Bob Fox
Fri. 9-02	9:00 AM	Jeanette Blomstrom
Sat. 9-03	8:00 AM	+ Pat Freiberg
Sat. 9-03	4:00 PM	++ Michele & Rene Tocco
Sun. 9-04	8:30 AM	The Parish
	10:30 AM	+ Bob Lorenzen

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, the parent (s) must attend a Baptismal Preparation class.
- *Godparents must be Baptized, Confirmed, and practicing Catholics. One Godparent is required. If for good reason the Godparent is from out of town, or another Catholic church in town, a letter from his/her pastor is required stating that he/she is a practicing member in good standing.
- *A visitation with the priest is necessary before scheduling a date for the Baptism of the child.
- *Those parents 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.

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

Forrest Horton, Trenton Trujillo, Sally Zellner, Kerstin Mundy, Damien Estrada, Jim Price, Bob Schaff, Mike Murphy, Paula & Roger Kraushaar, Alex Prine, Mary Deluca, Cassidy Corey, Maria Bulkow, John McAteer, Tina Uhrich, Jaxson Rivera, Colleen Trotter, Olive Kiernan, Jim Minahan, Donna Tidler, Becky Byron, Stephanie Hawley, Butch Ironshell, Sandra Martinez Dixon, 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

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

Fr. Lucas Simango is the Celebrant for August 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.



FAITH FORMATION

It is now time to register for the 2022-23 Faith Formation year! Classes are held on Wednesday evenings starting with Mass at 5:30 pm, dinner at 6pm and class from 6:30 to 7:30. Our first evening will be September 7th with an open house to meet the catechists and find classrooms. Youth ministry takes place for grades 9 through 12 during the same time.

Please register online at tinyurl.com/nxwyr6h

For more information, please contact Carol at 473-2076, or olfreligioused@outlook.com.



Scripture Readings

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Aug. 28— Sir 3:17-18,20,28-29 Ps 68:4-7,10-11 Heb 12:18-19,22-24a

Lk 14:1,7-14

Aug. 30— 1 Cor 2:10b-16 Ps 145:8-14 Lk 4:31-37

Aug. 31— 1 Cor 3:1-9 Ps 33:12-15,20-21 Lk 4:38-44

Sept. 1— 1 Cor 3:18-23 Ps 24:1b-4b,5-6 Lk 5:1-11

Sept. 2— 1 Cor 4:1-5 Ps 37:3-6,27-28,39-40 Lk 5:33-39

St. Gregory the Great, Pope, Doctor of the Church (M)

Sept. 3— 1 Cor 4:6b-15 Ps 145:17-21 Lk 6:1-5

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sept. 4— Wis 9:13-18b Ps 90:3-6,12-17 Phlm 9-10,12-17 Lk 14:25-33

Order of Christian Initiation

Our Lady of Fatima will resume <u>Order of Christian Initiation classes</u> for any unbaptized adults interested in joining the Catholic Church. This class is also open to those baptized Catholics who have yet to make either their First Holy Communion or Confirmation. Anyone interested in sponsoring a perspective Catholic or in simply learning more about the faith are also invited to attend. Classes will begin Thursday, <u>September 8</u>, in the Parish Center (7-8:30pm). For more information, please contact Randy Hall (307.258.8195) or Fr. Clark (<u>clenz@dcwy.org</u>).



COURAGE TO RESPOND: Building a Culture of Vocations in Your Parish

Join us the evening of **September 15th** from 6-9pm, at St. Patrick's Church Commons, to help us, as a parish, embrace supporting vocations in a fuller way. This is a free, informational evening open to all. The night will be led by Vocations Director Brian Hess & Theresa J. Meuer from the Pastoral Formation department. There will be a short Eucharistic Adoration to pray for vocations and ask for guidance from the Holy Spirit. In addition, you will have time to learn and ask questions you have always wanted answered. Fr. Brian & Theresa will address topics like:

- -Looking closer at vocations
- -What discernment is
- -What ways parishioners can help foster vocations
- -How to support discerners
- -Testimony of how efforts of the laity can really make a difference
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The next ENDOW study will be on St. John Paul II's Apostolic Letter on the Holy Rosary. Sign up will take place the second weekend of September, or you can call Pat McCarthy at 307-



797-1117. This will be an exciting study. It will only last six weeks, so it will be completed by Thanksgiving.

If you know of any of our parishioners who are homebound and would like a visit from Fr. Clark, please contact him at the office, 265-5586, ext. 5.

Pro-Life Prayer Vigil, 918 East 2nd Street

Please continue to join the pro-life vigil at 918 East 2nd Street at 5pm on Thursdays during September. During September, we are organizing 40 Days for Life. We need your help. Together we make a difference. For more information call or text Bob at 307-251-7920.

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Goal: \$77,761.00

Pledged as of August 22, 2022: \$44,921.00



From the Pastor: Thank you to those who have made their annual gift to 2022 *Living and Giving in Christ: Unity through Diocesan Ministries*! By providing critical support to parish leaders and ministries, the Chancery Office staff assist parishes to do what they cannot do alone. It is not too late to contribute. Donate online at: https://dcwy.org/living-and-giving-in-christ Be sure to identify our parish when you contribute.

For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted

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Ministry Opportunities at True Care Women's Resource Center

Do you have a heart for helping women? True Care Women's Resource Center has a paid staff position open for our Director of Patient Services, who oversees staff and volunteers in the Patient Advocacy area and works with our electronic medical records system, develops reports, and communicates with personnel and patients. Compassion, database knowledge, and supervisory skills a must! Approximately 20 hours per week.

Contact Jessica at 473-2275 or info@truecarecasper.org for more information.

True Care Women's Resource Center has a paid staff position open for a Communications Specialist to oversee social media accounts and blogs, including writing and scheduling and assist in developing some print pieces. This could be a partially remote position. Strong writing skills, a pro-life heart, self-motivation, and a strong understanding of social media required. Approximately 12-15 hours per week.

Contact Jessica at 473-2275 or info@truecarecasper.org for more information.

All women are invited to a tri-parish women's Bible study which begins September 20th, and meets every Tuesday from 10-11:30am at St. Anthony's Holy Family Parish Center. Childcare is



available! For more information or to get registered, please pick up a flyer at the entrances of the church.

Rosary at St. Anthony's Grotto

The weekly Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet will continue at 10:30 AM every Wednesday until the end of September at St. Anthony's Church Grotto, which is between the church and Shepard Staff office on 604 S. Center Street. Dress for the weather and bring a chair if you cannot stand for 40 minutes. Write down your and your friend's prayer petitions to present to our Blessed Mother. Pamphlets on the Rosary and The Chaplet will be provided. If you have any questions contact Carol Chapin at 307-259-4765. Please pass this message on to your family and friends.

A Lifeline for Marriage - Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It is designed to provide the tools to help get your marriage back on track. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery.

For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on **September 9-11, 2022**, call (303) 317-5111 or email: retrouvialle.co@gmail.com or visit the website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.



The <u>Secular Order of Discalced Carmelites</u> (OCDS) are men and women in the Catholic Church who are called to a deeper spiritual life. Under the protection of Our Lady of Mount Carmel and inspired by St. Teresa of Avila, St. John of the Cross, and St. Therese of Lisieux, we make a commitment to the Discalced Carmelite Order to seek God for the Church and the world. The Secular Order Carmelite longs to seek God through prayer, to find Him, and to share Him with others. For more information on the Secular Carmelites in Casper contact: Missi Frank, OCDS, Phone #307-251-8099 or Tulip Titus, OCDS Phone #307-262-6791.

Wyoming Catholic Women's Conference 2022
Featuring
Debbie & Rachel Herbeck
This years theme is from Esther 4:14
"Called to holiness for such a time as this!"
October 14-15

Ramkota Hotel Casper, Wyoming Register at: www.wycatholicwomen.com

Rachel has worked extensively in youth ministry and she speaks to youth and young adults at retreats, conferences and events in the US and Canada. Debbie has shared with many her personal journey of faith from Judaism to Christianity and subsequent entrance into the Catholic Church. For the past forty years, Debbie has worked extensively in youth and women's ministry. She has written four books and is a frequent author and speaker for "Blessed is She" and contributing writer for "Undone: Freeing your Feminine Heart from the Knots of Fear and Shame."

CONTRIBUTIONS

Aug. 20-21, 2022 Regular — \$6,646.00 Charity — \$180.00

Thank you for your donations.

WYOMING CATHOLIC MINISTRIES CAREER OPPORTUNITY

The Wyoming Catholic Ministries Foundation is looking for a person committed to growing the Church across Wyoming. This position is responsible for annual and major gift fundraising initiatives to meet the short and long-term funding needs for Catholic Charities of Wyoming, Diocese of Cheyenne, St. Joseph's Children's Home, St. Joseph's Society, St. Paul's Newman Center, and WCMF. This full-time position is remote but requires travel across the state. To learn more about the position and to apply please visit

https://www.wycmf.org/career-opportunities

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.

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

St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School summer office hours are Mondays through Thursdays 9
AM to 1 PM. At other times, you may leave a
message at 307-234-2873 for office personnel,
and they will return your call as soon as possible.

August 30 first day of school for S.A.T.C.S.



Building and Grounds Manager - St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School is looking for a part-time building and grounds manager for 20 hours per week. The position requires the ability to coordinate schedules, inspect the building for maintenance needs, order supplies, schedule repairs and act as a point of contact for scheduling events on campus. Flexibility in days able to work is a plus. Interested applicants should email melissa.whelan@sascasper.com and must meet the requirements of the Diocese of Cheyenne to be eligible for employment.

Extended Day Program - St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School offers an extended day program until 5:30 p.m. to assist families who need care for their children after the school day. We are seeking dynamic individuals to help in the program. High school and college age students are encouraged to apply. Interested applicants should email melissa.whelan@sascasper.com and must meet the requirements of the Diocese of Cheyenne and the Wyoming Department of Family Services to be eligible for employment.

Preschool Come and see the wonderful preschool program at St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic school. We have both morning and afternoon options, as well as a full day multi-age (3-5) program. Our little Archangels discover what it means to be a kind, polite, and God loving person by bringing faith into the classroom. SAS preschool provides a caring, stimulating, safe, and supportive environment for your child to begin their excitement and love of learning. Call the school at (307) 234-2873 to arrange a tour today.

SAS Archangel Amble will take place Saturday, September 10, 2022 at St. Anthony School

8:00 am – Mass at Our Lady of Fatima

8:30 am - Race Registration

9:00 am – Race Begins @ St. Anthony School – This fun route will include obstacle stations through Nancy English Park! 9:30 am – Pancake Breakfast Honoring First Responders

Individual racer entry fee is \$10 and immediate family entry is \$40. Contact an SAS student or the St. Anthony School Foundation at 337-1361 to preregister or you can register the day of the event! The annual Archangel Amble supports our school's greatest needs, while promoting wellness and fitness. Join us afterwards as we honor our local first responders and enjoy a pancake breakfast, playground play, yard games and a raffle drawing.

Diocesan Bilingual Holy Mass

September 17, 2022

9:30 a.m.

at St. Patrick's Catholic Church Casper, WY

We Are One Body

1Corinthians 12:12

All are welcome to celebrate with Bishop Steven Biegler and our Diocesan Latino/Hispanic brothers and sisters in Christ on Saturday, September 17th, 2022 at 9:30 a.m. a billingual Holy Mass at St. Patrick's Catholic Church. There will be a Hispanic Heritage Month celebration following Mass. More details for the event can be found at this website: www.iglesiacatolicausa.org/englis

Please contact Deacon Benny or Brian & Laura Zook via e-mail, if you are interested in extending a hand of hospitality to our Catholic Latino/Hispanic brothers and sisters in Christ.

> Deacon Benny Yupangui Hispanic Ministry & Evangelization **Diocesan Office**

> > byupanqui@dcwy.org or Brian and Laura Zook

> > > **Support Team**

bandlzook@gmail.com

St. Anthony School Foundation Archangel Breakfast

Please join us in honoring

Joe Scott

Archangel Breakfast Honoree

Mary Kozola

Servant's Heart Award Recipient

Thursday, September 29th, 2022

7:00 AM (doors open at 6:45 AM)

Commons of St. Anthony School



There is no charge for this event. However, seating is limited. Please RSVP on or before Wednesday, September 21st to St. Anthony School Foundation (307) 337-1362 or email foundation@sascasper.com

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 Tuesdays at Our Lady of Fatima Church by the Sacred Heart of Jesus statue at 9:35 AM.



CaYAC

CaYAC is a community of young adults (20s,30s,college) who seek to grow closer to Christ and His Church through friendship, prayer, formation, and service. Join us every Thursday evening from 6-9 PM at 1732 S. Elm St.



Help Ensure the Future of Faith

You will Double Your Impact with a Gift to the St. Anthony School Gather & Grow Scholarship Campaign. This \$50,000 Match Challenge will help establish Scholarships for New Students and Families with Multiple Children. Currently donations are doubled thanks to the generosity of the

Joseph J. Scott Foundation. Please consider a gift via mail at 1145 W 20th St Casper WY 82604, website (<u>www.stanthonyschoolfoundation.org</u>) or by scanning the QR Code.

Thank you for your incredible support and prayers for our Tri-Parish Catholic School!

