



The **STONE**
rejected by the
builders has become
the cornerstone

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Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church
Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 7 2023

Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church
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Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 4:00 PM
Sunday Masses: 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

Daily Mass: Tuesday thru Saturday: 9:00 AM
Wednesdays: also at 5:30 PM

Reconciliation: Saturdays 8-8:45 AM, 1:30-3:30
or by appointment call 265-5586, Ext. 5

Rosary: Mon—Sat at 8:30 AM

Mass Intentions

Sat. 5-06	4:00 PM	+ Craig Riley
Sun. 5-07	8:30 AM	+ Sean Loftus
	10:30 AM	The Parish
Turs. 5-09	9:00 AM	+ Sallie Hible
Wed. 5-10	9:00 AM	Molly Blomstrom
	5:30 PM	Tammy Croniser
Thurs. 5-11	9:00 AM	+ Janice Marie Dona
Fri. 5-12	9:00 AM	Allan Gilloon
Sat. 5-13	First Communion Mass 10:00 AM	+ Jim Ellis
Sat. 5-13	4:00 PM	+ Virginia Kraen
Sun. 5-14	8:30 AM	+ Steve Beasley
	10:30 AM	The Parish

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.

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

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



The names of those who need prayers will be listed on the *Bulletin Prayer List* for one month. You may call the office to re-add a name after one month if desired.

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Prayer Chain contacts are:
 Margie Valdez 307-265-4253
 Marlene Axlund 307-265-8186

BULLETIN PRAYER LIST

Mike Brelsford, Rose Rogers, Francine Smith



As the evil in our world seems to be growing, it is important to remember the urging of our Blessed Mother to pray for the conversion of sinners and the salvation of souls. To this end, on Fridays at 6:00 pm, Fr. Clark is holding a weekly Holy Hour of Reparations with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. All are welcome. The purpose of this holy hour is to offer our prayer in reparation for sins committed against the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

A Study of THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

Thursday evenings until May 25
 Parish Center
 7—8:30 PM

Remember to
 bring your Bible.



The parish feast day of Our Lady of Fatima is May 13.

In celebration, a film about the appearance of Our Blessed Mother and the miracle of the sun will be shown in Fatima Hall following the 4:00 Mass on Saturday May 13.

Popcorn and soda will be served! Please join us!!

The Celebrant for May TV Sunday Masses is Fr. Rob Spaulding. The Masses are aired at 9 AM Sunday mornings on KTWQ-TV.



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

CONTRIBUTIONS

April 29-30, 2023

Regular — \$7,719.88

CRS Rice Bowls — \$327.60

On-line giving for April, 2023

Regular — \$2,340.70

Charity — \$220.00

Thank you for your donations.

Job Opening at St. Anthony Church

Director of Liturgy

Position Description: Responsible for facilitating the liturgical life of the parish community by coordinating quality liturgical experiences, and offering formation for liturgical ministers.

Please contact Fr. Ray Rodriguez or Gloria at St. Anthony Church, 307-266-2666, for a detailed job description of requirements including abilities, skills, key responsibilities, salary and position benefits.

PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS

It is time for our annual Pastoral Council elections. Nominations should be submitted directly to Fr. Clark by May 15. Nominees will be vetted and the election for the two open spots on the council will be held on the weekend of June 3-4. Pastoral Council members serve 3-year terms, with a maximum of 4 consecutive terms.

Per diocesan statutes, to be eligible to serve on the Pastoral Council, members must be:

1. registered in the parish
2. fully initiated into the Catholic Church
3. in good standing with the Church
4. outstanding in firm faith, good morals and prudence
5. willing to work with parishioners of all ages and backgrounds
6. able to use "process and visioning skills," such as listening, collaborating, thinking creatively, discerning spiritually, evaluating, and planning

The purpose of the Pastoral Council is to give advice to the pastor concerning the needs of the people and the pastoral activities of the parish. The council investigates, discerns, and proposes practical recommendations about those things which pertain to the pastoral activities in the parish in order to promote the life and actions of the People of God with the Gospel so that the evangelical mission of the Church reaches everyone.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please visit with Fr. Clark.

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed Fridays at 3 PM at Our Lady of Fatima Church.

All are welcome.



Living and Giving In Christ 2023

May 6-7, 2023 — Living & Giving begins

In today's Gospel (John 14: 1-12), the Risen Lord says, *"Amen, amen, I say to you, whoever believes in me will do the works that I do, and will do greater ones than these, because I am going to the Father."* As believers, we are called to serve God and neighbor. Please prayerfully consider how you may contribute to the works of Jesus by making an offering to the 2023 Diocese of Cheyenne annual appeal, *Living and Giving in Christ: Unity through Diocesan Ministries*. You may return your pledge form or in-pew envelope to the parish or mail to: Diocese of Cheyenne Chancery Office; P.O. Box 1468; Cheyenne, WY 82003-1468. Be sure the name of our parish is on your return card; if you use an in-pew envelope or give online, please include the name of our parish with your gift. You may give online at: <https://dcwy.org/living-and-giving-in-christ>

ENDOW

(Educating on the Nature and Dignity of Women)

All women are invited to the
9 week ENDOW study,

"Teacher of Prayer: St. Teresa of Avila"

Tuesdays at 6:30 PM
in Fatima Hall.

This class is made possible through the
Evie Hankins Memorial Fund.

Please contact Pat at 797-1117 for questions.

Online Giving for Regular and Charity Contributions is now available for Our Lady of Fatima Church by going to our website, fatimaincasper.org and clicking on "Giving" on the main menu.

You may also access the giving site directly by going to:

<https://osvhub.com/fatimaincasper/giving/funds>

The last Religious Education night is next Wednesday, May 10. Registration is now open online for next Fall's classes. Please register your children at:

<https://osvhub.com/fatimaincasper/forms/register>

This link is also found on our website, fatimaincasper.org under Faith Formation.

Please join us for coffee and donuts this Sunday after the 8:30 AM Mass in Fatima Hall.

Next Sunday, May 14, Mothers' Day, coffee and donuts will not be served.



Our Lady of Fatima Religious Goods Store

Mystic Monk coffees and teas are available in the gift store, which is open between the 8:30 and 10:30 AM Sunday Masses. You may also call Mary Anne at 266-5718. The store is located in Fatima Hall.



Whoever has seen me has seen the Father.

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If you have been praying at the clinic site for one hour each week, we invite you to continue to do so. If you are not currently signed up, please contact Bob at 307-251-7920 or histriss@hotmail.com. We also invite you to continue to pray for an end to abortion in Wyoming each Thursday from 5 to 6 pm at the clinic site, 918 East Second Street in Casper.



Are you willing to spend one hour weekly with Jesus?

St. Patrick's Church is adding hours to their Adoration Schedule.

The newly added hours extend from Wednesday 5:00 PM thru Thursday 9:00 AM.

The following hours are available:

Wednesday 7:00 PM, 8:00 PM, 9:00 PM 11:00 PM,

Thursday 12:00 AM, 1:00 AM, 2:00 AM, 3:00 AM, 4:00 AM, 7:00 AM, and 8:00 AM

Adoration during these hours will begin as soon as ALL hours are filled.

Please call Johnnie at 307-235-5535 if you would like to reserve an hour.

JUNE
Jackpot

1 - \$5,000 WINNER
1 - \$2,500 WINNER
1 - \$1,000 WINNER

Tickets available for purchase in the school office

\$50 PER TICKET
DRAWING TO BE HELD JUNE 2, 2023

**ST. ANTHONY
TRI-PARISH
CATHOLIC
SCHOOL**

**1145 W. 20th St.
Casper, WY 82604
307-234-2873**

**2nd Annual
St. Anthony Scholarship Classic**

Friday, June 2nd 1:00 pm
Casper Country Club

Sponsorships:

\$5,000 Meal Sponsor
(Boxed Lunch for Golfers/Post-Tournament Buffet Dinner for Golfers & Guests)
Entry for Two Teams, Drink Tickets, Mulligans,
Hole Sponsorship, Name Recognition in all Event Publicity,
Banner & Program Listing

\$2,500 Hail Mary Sponsor
Entry for Two Teams, Drink Tickets, Mulligans,
Hole Sponsorship, Banner & Program Listing

\$1,500 Our Father Sponsor
Entry for One Team, Drink Tickets, Hole
Sponsorship, Banner & Program Listing

\$1,000 Glory Be Sponsor
Entry for One Team, Drink Tickets,
Banner & Program Listing

\$800 Holy Spirit Team
Entry for One Team, Drink Tickets

\$750 Cart Sponsor
Logo Sign on Carts

\$250 Hole Sponsor
Logo/Name on Ice Box



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Presented by St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School Foundation
307-237-2262 foundation@stcasper.com

Religious Education Families are encouraged to consider St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School to partner with them in raising their children in the faith. All families attending the religious education program at one of the sponsoring parishes are eligible to apply to the school at no cost. Financial aid is available for qualified families.

Summer Camps- St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School is offering summer camps from 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. Monday through Thursday. Camps are designed for students entering K – 8th grade and are available for a fee of \$45 per week. A discount is offered for those who register for more than one camp. To register and to see a complete list of camps, scan the QR code.

Summer Camp Registration
Summer 2023



Wyoming Property Tax Refund Program

Applications are available in the church office
for those who qualify.

Plan a **Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Peace Mass** in Pine Bluffs, WY on June 10, 2023. Rev. August Koeune will preside over Stations of the Cross at 9 AM. Mass will follow at 10AM. Hamburgers and hot dogs will be served after the Mass for a donation.

For more information please visit :
www.ourladyofpeaceshrine.com or
email ourladyofpeaceshrine@gmail.com

Lord, let your mercy
be on us
as we place
our trust
in you

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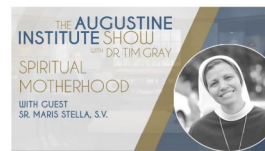
Patriotic Rosary



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.

THIS WEEK ON
FORMED

Week of May 07, 2023



Spiritual Motherhood | The Augustine Institute Show

Join Dr. Tim Gray and Sr. Maris Stella for a conversation on the vocation of every woman, that of motherhood. Although all women will not be called to be physical mothers, every woman is called to be a spiritual mother.



The 13th Day

In a world torn apart by persecution, war, and oppression, three children in Fatima were chosen by God to offer an urgent message of hope to the world. Based on the memoirs of the oldest seer, Lucia Santos, *The 13th Day* dramatizes the true story of three young shepherds who experienced six apparitions of Our Lady, which culminated in the final prophesied miracle on October 13.

REAL WOMANHOOD
LISA COTTER



Real Womanhood by Lisa Cotter

What does it mean to be a real woman in today's culture? Join Lisa Cotter in her talk *Real Womanhood*, as she draws on modern-day saints, St. John Paul II to define what it means to be an authentic woman.

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Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.