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OLF Office hours: 9:30 AM—5 PM Monday –Thursday Closed during noon hour. Fridays: Open 10 AM – noon Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church **PENTECOST SUNDAY**

May 28, 2023

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. 5-27	4:00 PM	Christopher John Croniser
Sun. 5-28	8:30 AM	Jerry Goeden
	10:30 AM	The Parish
Tues. 5-30	9:00 AM	Chris & Chiara Brechtel
Wed. 5-31	9:00 AM	+ Martha Cisneros
	5:30 PM	Lori Pistulka
Thurs. 6-01	9:00 AM	+ Al Garcia
Fri. 6-02	9:00 AM	+ Richard Einig
Sat. 6-03	9:00 AM	Fr. Kevin Barrett
Sat. 6-03	4:00 PM	+ Ray Lahti
Sun. 6-04	8:30 AM	The Parish
	10:30 AM	+ Janice Marie Dona

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.

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

PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS

<u>Election for the two open spots on the council will be held</u> on **the weekend of June 3-4**. Pastoral Council members serve 3-year terms, with a maximum of 4 consecutive terms.

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.

2023 Pastoral Council Candidates

Michelle DeSalvo: 15 years in the parish. Retired college librarian, currently an administrative assistant. **Reason for** running: I want to learn more about OLF and the inner workings of the parish. **Applicable skills**: I can bring many skill sets that I have learned through motherhood and employment. I have been blessed to work with intergenerational groups, college students, international students, people and children with disabilities. Highly organized, technologically savvy, kind and good sense of humor. **Church involvement**: Sunday mom's group; Mary Gardens, youth group, hospitality committee, Endow.

Christopher Morgan: 5 years in the parish. Electrical project manager. **Reason for running:** "sense of stewardship and community at OLF has nourished a desire to give of my time and talents to the parish." **Applicable skills:** Worked on various boards as a Union official and oversaw organizational operations. Served on various boards—NC Relay for Life, Historic Trails Center, Wyo Foundation for Cancer Cure. Want to help OLF nourish the stewardship and community. **Church involvement:** CANA Marriage Alive, Holy Name Society, Biscuits & Gravy after Sunday Mass.

Barry Smith: 17 years in the parish. Mathematics Instructor. **Reason for running**: to be more active in the church. **Applicable skills**: Good at listening to all sides of a story and able to help make decisions that are most in line with what everyone is wanting. **Church involvement**: Extraordinary Minister, greeter, usher, coffee & donuts, sons altar serve.

Christine Trumbull: 20 years in the parish. City Clerk of Mills. **Reason for running**: to promote a positive environment and care for the needs of our priest and church. I have been a leader all my life and feel that I can bring that trait to the council and help our church achieve its goals. **Applicable skills**: Leadership and problem-solving skills. Good organization. Sense of Team Building and a people person. **Church involvement**: I am trying to be more involved now to offer what I have to the Church.



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



Church offices will be closed Monday, May 29, for Memorial Day. Have a safe and happy holiday.

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 <u>Fridays at 6:00 pm</u>, 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.

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

Religious Education

Classes are over until next Fall, but registration is now open online for the Fall classes. Please register your children at: https://osvhub.com/fatimaincasper/forms/register

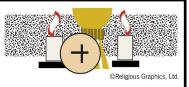
This link is also found on our website, fatimaincasper.org under Faith Formation.

CONTRIBUTIONS

May 20-21, 2023 Regular — \$6,147.01 Charity — \$52.00

Thank you for your donations.

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



The Cheyenne-based station, KKTQ, also carries the televised Masses, which are sponsored by the Diocese of Cheyenne, at 9 AM Sunday mornings. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed Fridays at 3 PM at Our Lady of Fatima Church.



All are welcome.

ENDOW

(Educating on the Nature and Dignity of Women) a 9 week ENDOW study for women <u>"Teacher of Prayer: St. Teresa of Avila</u>" 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.



Week of May 28, 2023



God's Love Poured Out | Episode 1

During the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, we remember a fundamental pillar of our Faith: 'God is love' (1 Jn 4:8). This simple statement is the beginning and the ending of our pilgrimage of Faith. In this episode of The Wild Goose, join Fr. Dave Pivonka as he illuminates God's eternal pouring out of Love.



The Journey: Trinity, Faith

The Bible reveals the mystery of who God is: God is love. God created us out of love, died for us out of love, and invites us on a journey of faith in which we live in his love. In this study, we'll look at the God who is Love and how that love shows itself in the Trinity and the Faith.



Joyful Mysteries

As we celebrate the Visitation this week, we invite you to pray the Joyful Mysteries alongside this spoken Rosary set to music. Enter into some of the most joy-filled moments of Our Lord Jesus Christ's life, alongside the Blessed Virgin, through this devotional prayer and accompanying Scripture passages.

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Coffee and donuts has been discontinued for the summer months. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped during this past year!



The Our Lady of Fatima Religious Goods store will be closed this Sunday, May 28.

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 <u>histress@hotmail.com</u>. 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.



Disciples of Jesus steward their vocations (marriage, single life, consecrated life, ecclesial lay ministry, or Holy Orders) by serving the Body of Christ through prayer, time, and finances, according to their ability. If you have not yet given to the *Living and Giving in Christ: Unity through Diocesan Ministries* 2023 annual appeal, please prayerfully consider doing so. Every gift, no matter how small or how large, matters and is received in gratitude, responsibly managed, and returned to each giver, as those funds support the infrastructure behind every parish in the Diocese of Cheyenne. You may give online at: <u>https://dcwy.org/</u> living-and-giving-in-christ

TOTUS TUUS 2023

Calling all KIDS!!! Totus Tuus is BACK in Casper Jun<u>e 18th through June 23rd!</u>

Totus Tuus is an AMAZING summer faith formation program for incoming 1st graders through incoming 12th graders!

All grade levels will be held at St. Anthony's Tri-Parish Catholic School!



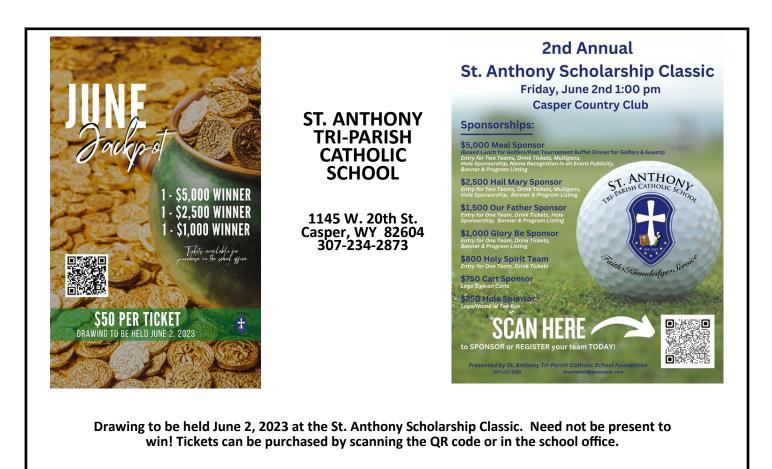
REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Online registration is now open, and closes June 14 at 5 PM.

To register, please visit the St. Patrick's website: (https://stpatricks-casper.com/) click on *Children & youth*, and then on *Totus Tuus*.

You can pay online through online giving or pay in person on the first day of Totus Tuus.

The cost for Totus Tuus is \$20 per child, \$50 for a family with three or more children.



Wyoming Property Tax Refund Program

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

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.



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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.



Are you willing to spend one hour weekly with Jesus?

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

The following hours are available: Wednesday 8:00 PM, 11:00 PM, Thursday 12:00 AM, 1:00 AM, 2:00 AM, 3:00 AM, 4:00 AM, 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.

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 : <u>www.ourladyofpeaceshrine.com</u> or email ourladyofpeaceshrine@gmail.com