

Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 12, 2024

I am with you even to the end of the world

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Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church
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Tri-Parish Nursing Home & Hospital Chaplain
Fr. Philip Vaske (currently inactive, recovering from surgery)
Calls for the hospital and last rites should be directed to Fr. Clark at
the parish office, 265-5586, ext. 5.

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

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 PM
or by appointment call 265-5586, Ext. 5

Rosary: Mon—Sat at 8:30 AM

Mass Intentions

Sat. 5-11	4:00 PM	Sonja Huff
Sun. 5-12	8:30 AM	The Parish
	10:30 AM	Elie Huff
Mon. 5-13	9:00 AM	Rose & Richard Rogers
Tues. 5-14	9:00 AM	Tammy Cronizer
Wed. 5-15	9:00 AM	Michael Valdez
	5:30 PM	+ Ed Rohrich
Thurs 5-16	9:00 AM	+ Johanna Brunelli Costel
Fri. 5-17	9:00 AM	+ John Moler
Sat. 5-18	9:00 AM	Chuck Trujillo Family
Sat. 5-18	4:00 PM	+ Pete Martinez Jr.
Sun. 5-19	8:30 AM	The Parish
	10:30 AM	+ Shirley Woodward Warren

As a 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.



Men of Galilee, why are you standing there looking at the sky? This Jesus who has been taken up from you into heaven will return in the same way as you have seen Him going into heaven.

Acts 1:11



CONTRIBUTIONS

May 4-5, 2024

Regular — \$7,823.00

Charity — \$1,756.00

Thank you for your donations.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Training for new Altar Servers will take place May 26 at 11:30 AM. Children who have made their First Holy Communion are eligible for the training to be Altar Servers for our parish.



There are NO coffee and donuts this Sunday, May 12, as it is Mother's Day. The last date this Spring for coffee and donuts is May 19.

Many thanks to all who have assisted with and participated in this valuable ministry. Coffee and donuts will resume on September 8 following the 8:30 Mass.

Online Giving for Regular and Charity Contributions is 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 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:
Margie Valdez 307-265-4253
Marlene Axlund 307-265-8186

Let us pray for:
Ken Johnson, Roger Bulkow, Maria Bulkow, Monica Sheeler, Lynn Brabec, Dycke Sevcik, Lori Wingerter, Jorge Trevizo, Jerry Goeden



**Living and Giving in Christ:
Unity Through Diocesan Ministries — 2024**



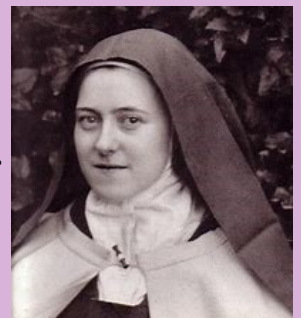
Thank you to all who already have responded to the *Living in Giving in Christ* 2023 annual appeal! [Gifts to Living and Giving in Christ](#) are received in gratitude, responsibly managed, and returned to each giver, as those funds support the infrastructure behind every parish in the Diocese of Cheyenne. By providing critical support to parish leaders and ministries, Chancery Office staff members assist parishes to do what they cannot do alone.

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 [by scanning the QR code with your cell phone.](#)

ENDOW will begin May 14, at 7 PM in Fatima Hall. This session will be "St. Therese of Lisieux — The Science of Love". *ENDOW* studies are made possible through the Evie Hankins Memorial Fund.



St. Anthony's Thrift Store (formerly St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store) is in need of volunteers to work in our store. We need people to ready the donations to go on the floor, price donations and greet our customers with a smile and a friendly hello. Volunteers may work 1 to 4 hours per day or whatever their schedule will allow. The store hours are 10-2 Tuesday through Saturday. Please call Gloria 307-259-3243 or MariLu 307-277-0917.

**Wyoming Council of Catholic Women
70th Annual Convention / Retreat
September 13, 14, 15, 2024
(Friday, Saturday, Sunday)
Best Western Downtown, Casper, Wyoming**

Guest Speakers:
Bishop Steven Biegler
Valimar Jansen
Angela Copenhaver

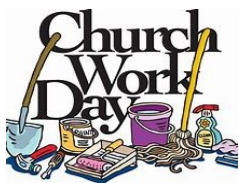
Registration information available mid-June



Monday, May 13 is special for our parish; it is the Memorial of Our Lady of Fatima. There will be a 9 AM Mass.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION — June 2, 2024

Please plan to join in a Tri-Parish procession and celebration to conclude the Year of the Eucharist. A Eucharistic Procession will begin at 1pm at St. Patrick's Church and conclude with a cookout at St. Anthony's Tri-Parish School on Sunday, June 2. Please consider making this mini-pilgrimage with our Lord, as He walks the streets of Casper.



The OLF Building and Grounds Committee will be holding a workday on **Saturday, June 29 from 9:30 AM to noon**. Volunteers are desired to come and assist with painting and repair work around the grounds.

**Natrona County Chapter of Right to Life Wyoming
*Spring Dinner & Music for Life***

St. Patrick's Church Commons
May 11, 2024 6 PM — 9 PM
Dinner, music & bake sale
Cost: \$20 Adults \$15 Seniors
\$10 Children Free 5 years and under
(all proceeds go to awareness billboard campaign)

RSVP: Carol Chapin 307-259-4765 carolchapin1@charter.net – mail donations to: Natrona County Right to Life – PO Box 50404 Casper WY 82605

Seven Sorrows of Mary Rosary
Tuesdays at 11 AM
Our Lady of Fatima Church

The Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed Friday afternoons at 3 PM. All are welcome.



Please continue to pray that the Holy Spirit will guide the delegates who will attend the Second Session of the Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops in October 2024 in Rome. To read the Vatican document, *A Synodal Church in Mission: Synthesis Report*, as well as other Synod documents, go to: <https://dcwy.org/synod-2021-2023>



**TOTUS TUUS 2024 IS COMING TO CASPER
JULY 7 THROUGH JULY 12, 2024.**

TOTUS TUUS is an amazing Faith Formation program for incoming 1st graders through incoming 12th graders.

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

**ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS MAY 28TH AT 8 AM.
MORE DETAILS TO COME!**



Livestreamed Mass
Sunday Masses for our diocese are being livestreamed. You can access the Mass by 11 am on Sundays on the Diocese of Cheyenne website <https://dcwy.org/>

The Religious Goods Store at Our Lady of Fatima is open between the 8:30 and 10:30 AM Sunday Masses. For questions about items, please call Mary Anne at 266-5718.





WHO: ALL incoming preschoolers & kindergarteners

(Children MUST BE 4 years old and fully potty trained.)

WHAT: Vacation Bible School

WHERE: St. Patrick's Catholic Church Ministry Building

WHEN: 9am to 12pm, June 10th – June 13th, 2024

WHY: To learn more about Jesus, grow in our relationship with HIM, and TO HAVE FUN!!!

Cost: \$15 per child

Registration QR Code:



NOTE: WHEN PARISHIONERS FROM OUR LADY OF FATIMA OR ST. ANTHONY'S REGISTER, THEY NEED TO REGISTER AS A GUEST.

Questions? Call Andrea Hodges @ 307-235-5535.

NEEDED: VBS Teachers

We are looking for dynamic adult volunteers to lead our preschool & kindergarten VBS classes. You must have a current safe environment training. The time commitment will be from 8:30am to 12:30pm, June 10th - 13th. Interested? Contact Andrea at andrea@stpatricks-casper.com or at 307-235-5535.

WANTED: Youth Volunteers

We are in need of youth volunteers (7th grade or older) to help our 4 & 5 year olds make crafts, play games, and LEARN ABOUT JESUS! The time commitment would be from 8:45am to 12:15pm, June 10th –13th. You can come for one day or all the days. Great for Confirmation service hours! Interested? Contact Andrea at andrea@stpatricks-casper.com or at 307-235-5535.

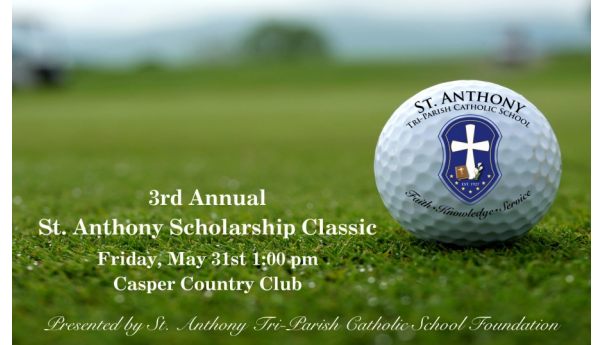


ST. ANTHONY TRI-PARISH CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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

Summer Camps- St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School invites students entering Kindergarten to Eighth Grade to attend Summer Camps with us. Camps will run Monday to Thursday from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. with a cost of \$45 per camper. For registration information, visit the school website sascasper.com

Online registration and sponsorship opportunities for our May 31st St. Anthony Scholarship Classic Golf Tournament are available NOW! With questions or for more information, please contact Anne Derby in the St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School Foundation office @ 307-337-1361 or anne.derby@sascasper.com Please join us for a fun day in support of St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School Students!



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Finding Fatima

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