Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church

CHRISTMAS

December 25, 2025

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

December 28, 2025

Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church
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Office hours: 9:30 AM—5 PM Monday –Thursday
Closed during noon hour, and on Fridays.

Diocese of Cheyenne — http://dcwy.org

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

Daily Mass: Tuesday thru Saturday: 9:00 AM
On Wednesdays, there is also a 5:30 PM Mass

Reconciliation: Saturdays 8-8:45 AM; 1:30-3:30 PM
or by appointment call 265-5586, Ext. 4

Rosary: Tuesday—Friday at 8:30 AM

MASS INTENTIONS

Wed. 12-24	**4:00 PM**	**+ Joseph & Virginia Brunelli**
	8:00 PM	**Ron Lewis**
Thurs. 12-25	**Midnight 12:00 AM**	**+ Sharon Horton**
	9:00 AM	**The Parish**
Fri. 12-26	**9:00 AM**	**Carol Moler**
Sat. 12-27	**9:00 AM**	**Janet Keating**
Sat. 12-27	**4:00 PM**	**+ Vince Haley**
Sun. 12-28	**8:30 AM**	**+ Melva Malson**
	10:30 AM	**The Parish**
Tues. 12-30	**9:00 AM**	**John Stearns**
Wed. 12-31	**9:00 AM**	**John & Nancy Blomstrom**
Wed. 12-31	**Vigil Mass for Mary the Mother of God**	
	5:30 PM	**+ Ed Rohrich**
Thurs. 1-01	**Mary the Mother of God (Holy Day of Obligation)**	
	9:00 AM	**+ Mary DeLuca**
	5:30 PM	**The Parish**
Fri. 1-02	**9:00 AM**	**Deacon Ed & Pat McCarthy**
Sat. 1-03	**9:00 AM**	**Richard & Rose Rogers**
Sat. 1-03	**4:00 PM**	**+ Judy Trujillo**
Sun. 1-04	**8:30 AM**	**George Axlund**
	10:30 AM	**The Parish**



Thank you to all who helped in any way to make Christmas at Our Lady of Fatima Church wonderful. Special thanks to the Altar Servers, Readers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Choir Members, Ushers, those who contributed to the Flower Fund, and those who decorated the church. May you be especially blessed!





CONTRIBUTIONS

December 20-21, 2025
Regular — $11,220.02
Charity — $215.00
Thank you for your donations.

Church offices will be closed from Wednesday, December 24 until Monday, December 29. Also, the offices will be closed on January 1, 2026. Have a wonderful Christmas.

Online Giving

Online Giving for Regular, Charity, and Building & Grounds 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 by clicking on the Q code, or by going directly to: https://osvhub.com/fatimaincasper/giving/funds



Weekly Calendar

Friday 12/26/25
8:30 AM—Rosary
9:00 AM—Mass
3:00 PM—Divine Mercy Chaplet
6:00 PM—Holy Hour of Reparations

Saturday 12/27/25
8:00 AM—Confessions
9:00 AM—Mass
1:30-3:30 PM—Confessions
4:00 PM—Mass

Sunday 12/28/25
8:30 AM—Mass
NO coffee & donuts today
10:30 AM—Mass

Tuesday 12/30/25
8:30 AM—Rosary
9:00 AM—Mass
9:30 AM—Patriotic Rosary
NO Seven Sorrows of Mary Rosary

Wednesday 12/31/25
8:30 AM—Rosary
9:00 AM—Mass
9:30 AM—Holy Hour
5:30 PM—Vigil Mass—Mary the Mother of God

Thursday 1/01/26
Mary the Mother of God
9:00 AM—MASS
5:30 PM—MASS

Friday 1/02/26
8:30 AM—Rosary
9:00 AM—Mass
3:00 PM—Divine Mercy Chaplet
NO Holy Hour of Reparations

Saturday 1/03/26
8:00 AM—Confessions
9:00 AM—Mass
1:30-3:30 PM—Confessions
4:00 PM—Mass

Sunday 1/04/26
8:30 AM—Mass
9:30 AM—coffee & donuts (FH)
10:30 AM—Mass

FH—Fatima Hall, MR—Marian Room, PC—Parish Center
RE—Religious Education (Faith Formation) Building



January 1 is the Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God. It is a Holy Day of Obligation.
Dec. 31 Vigil Mass 5:30 PM
Jan. 1 Masses at 9 AM & 5:30 PM

Baby Shower for Mary the Mother of God



On January 3rd and 4th (The Feast of Epiphany), CCW will have a baby shower for Mary the Mother of God. The gifts for Mary will be donated to True Care Women's Resource Center. We will have pack-and-plays near the Pieta and The Sacred Heart of Jesus statue for your unwrapped gifts to be placed in. Gifts to consider: diapers, baby wipes, blankets, clothes, and monetary donations. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

4 PM CHRISTMAS EVE — DEC. 24
8 PM CHRISTMAS EVE — DEC. 24
12 AM MIDNIGHT — DEC. 25
9 AM CHRISTMAS DAY — DEC. 25

ADULT Faith Formation class resumes January 7.
YOUTH Faith Formation classes resume on January 14.

MARY'S FUND COOKIE RAFFLE



The OLF CCW Mary's Fund Fall Raffle winner is Linda Higgins. She graciously offered her cookie winnings to Father Clark Lenz. Thank you and God bless everyone who bought tickets to support the Apostolic Life Community of Priests who are raising money for the Catholic School in Dhamanur, Villapuram, India.



WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

We wish you all a blessed New Year! Make the best decision this year for your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on: Apr. 18-19, 2026, Lakewood, CO; June 19-21, 2026, Golden, CO. You may also check our website or call the number below for more information on locations in your area.
For questions feel free to contact:
Paul & Tracy McElvery: 307-689-2820
Space is limited, so reserve your weekend early.
For more information about Worldwide Marriage Encounter, please visit www.wwme.org

Wyoming Catholic Ministries Foundation

The Diocese of Cheyenne, Catholic Charities of Wyoming, St. Joseph's Society, Saint Joseph's Children's Home, and Wyoming Catholic Ministries Foundation have united in one end-of-year request for your support of the immediate needs of key ministries. With *one* gift you can support one, some, or all these ministries. 100% of your donation goes directly to the ministries you designate. Detailed descriptions of how each partner will use your donation can be found at wycmf.org. Please prayerfully consider generously supporting the work of the Church throughout the Diocese of Cheyenne in addition to your normal parish support.

Questions: Visit wycmf.org or call us at 307-631-4084. Thank you!



The names of those who need prayers will be listed on the *Bulletin Prayer List* for one month. You may call Mary at the church 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:
Pat McCarthy, Liz Lovelett, Teresa Neely, Jennifer Frausto

ST. ANTHONY TRI-PARISH CATHOLIC SCHOOL
1145 W. 20th
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School is closed for Christmas vacation until January 2.

Partners in Education (PIE) is our school's largest annual fundraiser and will be held on March 14, 2026. The evening includes cocktails, dinner, silent & live auction, and a paddle raise. Table sponsorships will be available in January and can be secured by contacting Anne Derby in the Foundation Office at 307-337-1361. All funds collected through PIE directly off-set the cost of educating students by bridging the gap between tuition and the cost to educate, so that we can provide current and future students a quality Christ-centered education.

Tickets for our Pick A Prize Raffle are also available now. Tickets are $50 and can be purchased by scanning the QR code or in the school office via cash or check. With questions about PIE or the raffle, please contact Anne Derby at307-337-1361 or anne.derby@sascasper.com.

Living and Giving In Christ

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Goal — $97,791

THANK YOU! WE HAVE REACHED OUR GOAL!

TAX TIME

Donations must be delivered to the church office by, or postmarked on, December 31 to be included in 2025 giving records.

Checks that are placed in the church offering during the first worship service in 2026 will not qualify for a charitable contribution deduction in 2025, even if the check is postdated to 2025 or was actually written in 2025.

Please contact your accountant if you have any questions.

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This Week on Formed

Week of December 28, 2025



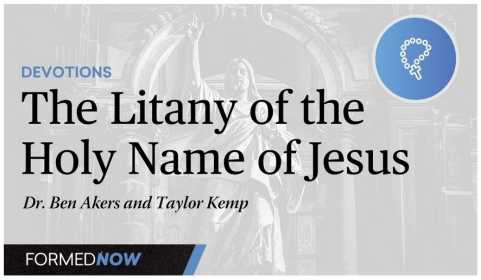
New Year's Resolutions | The Augustine Institute Show

What's your resolution this year? Dr. Tim Gray welcomes Dr. Scott Hefelfinger, Assistant Professor of Theology in the Augustine Institute Graduate School of Theology, to celebrate one year of the Augustine Institute Show!



The Holy Family

We are excited to announce our series of FORMED Now! Christmas and New Year special episodes. In these episodes, professors from the Augustine Institute Graduate School will lead us in reflections throughout the season!



Litany of the Holy Name of Jesus

Join Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp as we celebrate the feast of The Most Holy Name of Jesus with this litany prayer of the Holy Name.

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