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Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 8, 2026

OUR LADY OF FATIMA CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Office hours: 9:30 AM—5PM 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

Sat.11-07	4:00 PM	+ John P. Kaney
Sun. 11-08	8:30 AM	Jeff & Vicki Makelky
	10:30 AM	The Parish
Tues. 11-10	9:00 AM	+ Joyce Ripperger
Wed. 11-11	9:00 AM	Jeremy Flanders
	5:30 PM	Josh Calvert
Thurs. 11-12	9:00 AM	+ Mike Brelsford
Fri. 11-13	9:00 AM	Allyssa Lasky
Sat. 11-14	9:00 AM	David Kaney
Sat. 11-14	4:00 PM	Peyton Bertlett
Sun. 11-15	8:30 AM	The Parish
	10:30 AM	+ Brandon Kuchna



INFANT BAPTISM GUIDELINES

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.**



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 QR code, or by going directly to:

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



Our Lady of Fatima
2026 Goal
$104,421.00
Amount reached as of
November 2, 2026
$80,673.80 (77.26%)

Thank you for your generous and prayerful support of *Living and Giving in Christ:* Unity through Diocesan Ministries. *Living and Giving* sustains ministries that reach people in every corner of Wyoming. Any amount we raise above our parish's goal for Living and Giving in Christ will be returned to our parish and will be designated for use for Buildings and Grounds.

If you have not made a commitment in support of Diocesan ministries, and you would like to, you can make a gift by using a L&G envelope found at the entrances of the church, or by scanning the QR code or by visiting dcwy.org

Weekly Calendar

Friday 11/06/26
8:30 AM-- Rosary
9:00 AM—Mass
10:30 AM—Carol Smith Funeral
3:00 PM—Chaplet of Divine Mercy
NO Holy Hour of Reparations

Saturday 11/07/26
8:00 AM—Reconciliation
8:30 AM—3:30 PM—*Women of Faith* Retreat (FH)
9:00 AM—Mass
10:30 AM—John Valdez Funeral
1:30-3:30 PM—Reconciliation
4:00 PM—Mass of Anticipation

Sunday 11/08/26
8:30 AM—Sunday Mass
9:30 AM-- Coffee & Donuts (FH)
9:30 AM—Holy Name (MR)
10:30 AM—Sunday Mass

Tuesday 11/10/26
8:30 AM—Rosary
9:00 AM—Mass
11:00 AM—Seven Sorrows Rosary
7:00 PM—Parish Council (FH)

Wednesday 11/11/26
8:30 AM—Rosary
9:00 AM—Mass
9:30 AM—Holy Hour
12:30 PM—St. Bernadette Circle (FH)
5:30 PM—Mass
6:00 PM—Dinner (FH)
6:30 PM—Faith Formation classes & Youth Group
6:30 PM—Adult Faith Formation (S.A.T.C.S)

Thursday 11/12/26
8:30 AM—Rosary
9:00 AM—Mass
7:00 PM—O.C.I.A. (FH)

Friday 11/13/26
8:30 AM—Rosary
9:00 AM—Mass
3:00 PM—Chaplet of Divine Mercy
6:00 PM--Holy Hour of Reparations

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

Next weekend, November 14-15, will be the annual *Catholic Campaign for Human Development* second collection.
This campaign seeks to help break the cycle of poverty in the United States.

St. Anthony Church Hispanic Ministry Fund Raiser

OLF parishioners who ordered Texas Roadhouse rolls & butter may pick up their orders here at Our Lady of Fatima church after the weekend Masses November 14-15.

Checks are to be written to St. Anthony Church.

Council of Catholic Women

The Council of Catholic Women at Our Lady of Fatima is a ministry for women which offers opportunities for fellowship and faith sharing. All women of OLF are welcome. For questions and inquiries to become more involved, please call or text Lynn Brabec 307-262-7338.





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 Prayer Chain contacts:
Margie Valdez 307-265-4253
Marlene Axlund 307-265-8186

Let us pray for:
Pope Leo, Pat McCarthy, Betsy Vigneri, Jennifer Frausto, Bernie Jussel, Travis McFarland, Janet Fulton, Brent Bennet, Kermit Hamon, Peter Hoppa, Jr.

Pope Leo's intention for the month of November:
***For the proper use of wealth*.** **Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity of those who have less.**

Box of Joy



Please return your BOX OF JOY to the church foyer this weekend, November 7-8.

Remember to include your envelope with the $9 donation to cover shipping.

Questions? Please contact Jessica Calvert at 307-265-5586, ext. 3, or jcalvert@dcwy.org

CONTRIBUTIONS

October 31-November 1, 2026
Regular -- $8,031.68
Charity -- $2,980.00
All Saints -- $848.00

October 2026 E-Giving
Regular -- 6,602.50
Charity -- $1,298.00
Buildings & Grounds -- $535.00

Thank you for your donations.

St. Patrick's Knights of Columbus Council 9917 will be preparing a benefit fundraiser meal on Sunday, November 22, with serving starting at 12 PM noon in the St. Patrick's Commons. The Thanksgiving meal proceeds will support the Holy Cross Center food bank here in Casper.



MARY'S FUND 2026-2027
Hogar de la Nina Santa Rosa de Lima
Cuilapa, Guatemala

Hogar de la Nina Santa Rosa de Lima provides a safe home for 42 girls who have been removed from unsafe living conditions, and also serves 78 impoverished children who live nearby.

Watch the bulletin for more details.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

After each of the three weekend Masses on November 14 and 15th, the Our Lady of Fatima Prayer Shawl Ministry will display a variety of prayer shawls in the church foyer that are available for a donation.

As the shawls are being crocheted or knitted, the ministry members pray that the shawls provide comfort, healing and peace for the recipient, as well as physical warmth and comfort.

All proceeds are used to purchase yarn to continue this healing ministry.
shawls are available at other times either from the Our Lady of Fatima church office or at the *Olive & Myrrh* store located at 406 S. Beech Street.



IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PARISHIONERS

The Diocese of Cheyenne is renewing its warning regarding **Jennie Spin**, who was the subject of a diocesan notice issued on November 12, 2018. At that time, parishes were advised that she had presented herself to parishioners in various parts of Wyoming as "Sister Jennie Spin," wearing a religious habit. She is not a Religious Sister but a married woman, and she has no authorization to minister within the Diocese of Cheyenne.

Recent information has raised serious concerns regarding possible financial exploitation and undue influence involving Jennie Spin. The Diocese is working to better understand the extent of these concerns and to protect individuals who may have been affected.

If you have given money or other financial assistance to Jennie Spin, are currently providing assistance, or have had or continue to have communication with her, please contact:

Tammy Skala
Executive Director of Human Resources
Diocese of Cheyenne

Email: tskala@dcwy.org
Phone: 307-638-1530, ext. 1010

Please do not assume that your information is unimportant, even if the contact occurred years ago or the amount involved was small. All information may be helpful in understanding the situation. If you have been in contact with her or provided financial assistance, we encourage you to reach out confidentially. You will be treated with respect and compassion.

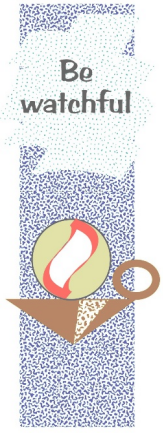
Our priority is to protect the faithful, prevent further harm, and ensure that concerns are appropriately addressed. Thank you for your cooperation and discretion as the Diocese works through this serious matter.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

November 6-8 Casper, WY

For more info visit WWME.ORG

or contact John & Brenda Pankratz at 406-591-5061



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O.C.I.A. -- Order of Christian Initiation of Adults is for any unbaptized adults interested in joining the Catholic Church. This class is also open to those baptized Catholics who have yet to make their First Holy Communion or Confirmation. Anyone interested in sponsoring a perspective Catholic or in simply learning more about the faith is also invited to attend.

Classes are Thursdays from 7:00-8:30 PM in Fatima Hall. For more information, please contact Randy Hall (307-258-8195) or Fr. Clark Lenz (clenz@dcwy.org).



YOU'RE INVITED

to our Patriotic Rosary

Wednesday, November 11

10:15 am

St. Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School Commons

1145 W. 20th Street



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The Afterlife | Eternal Rest | Episode 2

What happens after the moment of our death? Once the soul has been separated from the body, then what? What is heaven, hell, and purgatory? This session looks at the truth about what awaits the human person on the other side of death.

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