

*Third Sunday of Advent
December 12, 2021*

*"One mightier than
I is coming..."*

SACREDHEART CHURCH OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP HOLY ROSARY CHAPEL



Dear Believers in Miracles,

John the Baptist is back in action this week in Luke 3:10-18. On this Third Sunday of Advent, John is in the desert to baptize. John is very clear about how to prepare for the Savior. Whoever has two cloaks should give one to a person who has none. Whoever is collecting more than the required amount of taxes should cut it out. We should not practice extortion and we should not falsely accuse anyone. We should be satisfied with our wage. I love the fact that John calls people into direct service as we wait for our own salvation. Salvation rests in how we treat one another. This message is often far from our daily lives.

John rocks this message of hope!

Remember that Luke, as a gospel writer, always speaks on behalf of the poor. John is in the thick of things as he admits that he is not worthy to loosen the thongs of his cousin's sandals. He prepares us with unbelievable images of salvation and the clearing of sin and division in the world. John has a strong and vigorous voice in his longing for mercy and forgiveness by God. Luke puts into the mouth of John these incredible words of justice for people on earth. This is the real preparation for Christmas, that all people shall inherit the dignity of their lives and that all people shall live in harmony on this planet that is also in need of God's help.

This Third Week of Advent has traditionally been called, "Gaudete Sunday." This means that we are more than halfway to Christmas and our lives and hearts are called to rejoice!

Rejoice! John is longing for this promise in the middle of the hot desert. He understands that Jesus, through his presence and ministry, becomes the revelation of salvation. Rejoicing is key to our lives as we enter such a mystery. We are almost there, but not yet. However, we understand that what we wait for is the coming of the Kingdom in the end of time. We wait for more than the baby since we already did that many years ago. Salvation is in our hearts waiting to bear fruit in our day and age.

The reading from Philippians 4:4-7 gives us this message of hope. "Rejoice in the Lord always. I shall say it again: rejoice! Your kindness should be known to all. The Lord is near...." I hope that we all hear that God's presence and his gift of redemption are truly for us even when we think we are knee deep in the weeds. We are called to rely on God even when our marriages are on the rocks and our children don't seem to care about us anymore. We are called to fill our hearts with gratitude even on the days when we don't get our way or when the Church is filled with controversy and darkness. Rejoicing seems dim after all we have been through in these past two years. Yet, rejoicing comes to us when we give over our very lives to God in Advent. There is nothing that stands in the way of such beauty, grace, and love as God's desire to heal and guide our lives.

John boldly expresses that Jesus' winnowing fan will clear the threshing floor. John tells us that there is nothing in our hearts that will not be made clean and refreshed. I thank God for John's voice in our lives. I thank God for all of you, who believe in such miracles.

God give you peace,
Fr. Ron Raab, CSC, Pastor



Advent

Advent Vespers continues this **Sunday, Dec. 12 at 5 pm** at Sacred Heart Church. Each week a parishioner will offer a reflection on the theme "Run forth and meet your Christ." This week parishioner Ruth Coffman will offer a personal reflection. Vespers are live-streamed and a recording is available on our website. All are invited to join us for this prayerful Advent experience.

Giving Trees: During this Advent season, we continue collecting financial donations for our Giving Trees. Sacred Heart Church is supporting four local nonprofit organizations: Fostering Hope and Mesa House in Colorado Springs, La Puente in Alamosa, CO and Los Pobres in Avondale, CO. Holy Rosary Chapel is supporting the Bob Telmosse Foundation. OLPH is supporting a local family in need. Please be sure to mark donations with the name of the church and Giving Tree. Thank you for your support!

Fr. Ron is offering a **daily audio reflection on the Advent gospels**. You can find it at www.ronaldraab.com and on our parish website www.sacredheartcos.org.

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Reflection

Rejoice in the Lord always. I shall say it again: rejoice! (Philippians 4:4)

Gaudete is Latin for “Rejoice!” Our instruction on *Gaudete* Sunday, the third Sunday of Advent each year, is to rejoice! And rejoicing sounds great. Who doesn’t want to be in a good mood?

But can this type of thing be forced? Happiness seems to be one of those things that really can’t be manufactured on command. You no doubt remember the song, “Don’t worry! Be happy!” But what if I am indeed worried about some terrible event in my life? Who are you to tell me how to feel?

Everyone is probably familiar with someone at some point telling them how to feel. “Tell your brother you’re sorry,” your mom might say to you when you’ve been fighting. (But what if you’re not sorry?) “Don’t cry!” (Does that ever work? I’m crying for a reason. I’ve been hurt, or I’ve suffered a great loss. I want to cry!)

Yet Scripture tells us to rejoice always. And the Church tells us that this particular weekend of the year we should rejoice! *Gaudete!*

The command must mean something deeper than simply telling us how to feel at a particular moment. Instead, rejoicing must be meant to be a Christian’s general outlook on life. We can be sad about a particular event in our lives without denying that life is still a gift from God. We can grieve the loss of a family member or friend without giving up hope in the promise of resurrection!

Rejoicing doesn’t mean we need to suppress whatever our emotions might be on this weekend of Advent. Instead, *Gaudete* calls us to remember that even in the darkness of winter, even when it’s (usually) colder this time of year, we still remember that Spring is just around the corner! Christ’s birth is near and we need to prepare for His Coming. That alone is reason enough to rejoice!

—Fr. Randy Rentner, CSC, Associate Pastor



Villa Infantil Orphanage

Parishioner Michael Parrish is returning to the Villa Infantil Orphanage just outside of Guadalajara, Mexico on Dec. 15. For the past few years, Michael has visited the orphanage to bring life-saving essentials to the children and the Sisters who operate the orphanage. The orphanage is run by Catholic Sisters of the Orders of Our Lady of Guadalupe and St. Joseph. Currently there are 43 orphans and abandoned children ages 3 months to 13 years old. Some of these children have been rescues from sex trafficking or they were left on the streets of Guadalajara.

Michael asks for financial donations from parishioners to help feed, clothe and educate these children who have had such a rough start in life. He asks that you help in any way that you can. He would like to purchase gifts for each child and stock the shelves of the orphanage with food and much needed essentials.

Due to Covid-19, the schools have been closed since Aug. 2020. The only form of education is through the internet and television. There is no television service at the orphanage. They were able to get Wi-Fi installed. Michael is asking if anyone has any old iPads that they would donate them to Villa Infantil. The iPad would need to be cleared of your personal information before making the donation.

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How can you help?

Donate at www.Gofundme.com/Villainfantilorphanage or write a check to Villa Infantil Orphanage and mail it to Michael’s address at 824 Dulco Ave., Manitou Springs, CO 80829.

Michael will be available after all Masses this weekend to collect donations and answer any questions.

Thank you for your support!

Parish News

This weekend, **Dec. 11 & 12**, there is a **second collection for the Retirement Fund for the Religious**. Thank you for your support!

Adult Faith Formation: This Sunday Novice Meo is speaking after the 9 am Mass in Room 4 of the Parish Center about St. André Bessette and his own experience of volunteering at the Oratory in Montreal. This is the last session until **Jan. 9**.

All are invited to join us for **coffee, donuts and fellowship** in the Parish Center gym after the 7:30 & 9 am Masses.

Children's Faith Formation: Sunday, Dec. 12, 10:10-11:25 am in the Parish Center. This is the last class until Jan. 9.

Confirmation Classes (grades 7 & 8) and Youth Ministry: Wednesday, Dec. 15, 6-7:30 pm in the Parish Center. This is the last class until Jan. 12.

The Knights of Columbus are **selling Christmas cards** featuring the restored grotto at OLPH. They also have a few cards available with the decorated Christmas interior of Sacred Heart Church. \$20 for a box of 10. They are also **selling "Keep Christ in Christmas" yard signs** for \$10.

The **Caregiver Support Group** has changed its meeting day to the 2nd Tuesday of the month. Next meeting is **Dec. 14 at 2:30 pm** in Room 4 of the Parish Center.

The next *Laudato Si'* Discussion Group is next **Sunday, Dec. 19 after the 9 am Mass** in Room 4 of the Parish Center (Adult Faith Formation is not meeting that day). We will continue to meet once a month after the new year. Visit our parish website www.sacredheartcos.org and click on the *Laudato Si'* tab at the top of the page to learn more. All are welcome to join us.

Vital Times: The holidays and Holy Days are upon us. Men and women are invited to join us on **Dec. 22** and **Jan. 12 & 26 10 am- noon** in Room 4 of the Parish Center. Topic for Dec. 22 is "Telling Memorable Christmas Stories" plus we'll have a (dollar store) grab-bag (max \$5). We'll welcome the New Year and the new challenge to deepen our spiritual lives and relationships. RSVP to Helen McCabe, Catholic Chaplain and Sacred Heart Parishioner, at 719-600-8642 or just drop in to see what we're up to. All are welcome!

JOURNEY is a new ministry at Sacred Heart that meets on the 2nd Thursday every month. Our mission is to support and journey with other Catholics who love their LGBTQ+ family members, and who recognize that all are created in the image and likeness of God reflecting His infinite wisdom and goodness. All are welcome to attend our meeting on **Thursday, Jan. 13 at 7 pm** in Room 5 (upstairs) of the Parish Center. Questions? Call Gayle at 719-599-0692.

Our **Men's Group** offers early morning coffee with scripture study topics. Meets 2nd & 4th Friday of the month in the Parish Center gym. Next meeting is **Friday, Jan. 14 at 7 am**. To participate, contact Barry Schultz at 719-440-6933.

Baptism Class: The next Baptism Class is **Sunday, Jan. 16 at 1 pm** in the Parish Center. Those seeking baptism for their children should register BEFORE the class at formationdirector@sacredheartcos.org.



Holy Rosary News: Please contribute a financial donation to our Giving Tree in support of the Bob Telmose Foundation.

We have almost raised the entire \$32,750 to replace our boiler. Thanks for all of your generosity! Our next **Community Meeting** will be on **Saturday, Feb. 5**.



OLPH News: We are raising money for a needy family in our area for our Giving Tree this year. And now that our ramp project is ending, our new challenge is to invite friends and family to join us at Mass Sunday evenings at 5 pm.

Next **Sunday, Dec. 19**, Fr. Tim Corbley will preside at Mass at OLPH. Our next Community Meeting is on **Sunday, Jan. 16**.

The Food Pantry is open Mondays and Thursdays, noon-2 pm. **The Food Pantry is in need of donations of jelly.** Please bring donations to the Parish Office or during Mass. Thank you to all who have donated items.

Men's Retreat: All men of the parish are invited to join us for the Men's Retreat, **Jan 7-9** at the John Wesley Ranch Retreat Center. Cost is \$95. Return completed registration form and payment to the Parish Office by *Dec. 31*. Scholarship opportunities are available. Registration forms are available on our website and in the Parish Office.

Spiritual Growth: Do you feel like something is missing in your spiritual life? Do you want to grow into a deeper relationship with God? Then join us for an **initial spiritual growth discussion** on **Saturday, Jan. 15 from 9-10:30 am** in Room 5 (upstairs) of the Parish Center.

At Fr. Ron's request, parishioners Patty Degen and Brian Krutka will guide an effort to help deepen the most important relationship in our lives, the one with God. They previously led a seven year diocesan spiritual growth effort and have each led RCIA as well. Patty is also a certified spiritual director.

This initial meeting will focus on the question: **What do you want Jesus to do for you in your spiritual life?** This is a question Fr. Ron asked us to reflect on after a recent Sunday Gospel (see Mk 10:51). All are welcome. If you are interested but can't attend, please notify Brian at 719-238-6291, text or call.

Financial Peace University (FPU) is a program that teaches you how to work with the money and skills that God has brought into your life to best serve your family and further the Kingdom. It is not your typical "money class;" it is practical and fun! FPU is based on the over 800 verses in the Bible about money and provides you with a proven plan that works to free you from the stress that money can cause. If you want to experience some of this freedom too, then come join us for the next series of classes. **Friday evenings, Jan. 21- March 18, 6:30- 8:30 pm** in Room 5 (upstairs) of the Parish Center. Cost is \$129 for a one year membership at Ramsey Solutions. Contact John Krause at 719-593-9503 with questions or use this link to go straight to the sign-up page fpu.com/1143899

Parish Life

Completing Our Spiritual Home

My wife Sandy and I moved to Colorado Springs in 2016. After 25 years in Seattle, we decided to move to the Springs to live close to one of our daughters and sons-in-law and four of our grandchildren. Part of our relocating involved selecting a new parish. We cherished the parish of which we were part in Seattle and hoped to find a spiritual home here that made us feel as welcome as the one we had left.

We spent a few months attending Masses at different parishes around the Springs and discovered that our faith was practiced in many different forms. Each parish we visited had its own, distinctive personality. Some had modern churches while others had historic buildings. Some had elaborate music while others followed a simpler approach. Some clearly embraced the changes from Vatican II, others not so much. There was something appealing about all the parishes where we attended Mass, but none ever felt like it was calling us to its congregation.

At a friend's recommendation, we went to 9 am Mass at Sacred Heart one Sunday. Somehow, we knew instinctively that this parish is where we belonged. Its rich history, warm community, commitment to social justice, and, of course, Fr. Ron's preaching made it clear that Sacred Heart should be our new spiritual home. And it has been ever since.

As we settled in, like in any home, we began to notice that some things in this home needed to be updated and changed. It was hard to ignore the threadbare carpet and the utility tape patches. The stained acoustic tiles on the ceiling and the worn, squeaky pews were reminders of past-due maintenance. The heating system was noisy and unreliable. The former rectory was dilapidated and the parking lot resembled a trail head.

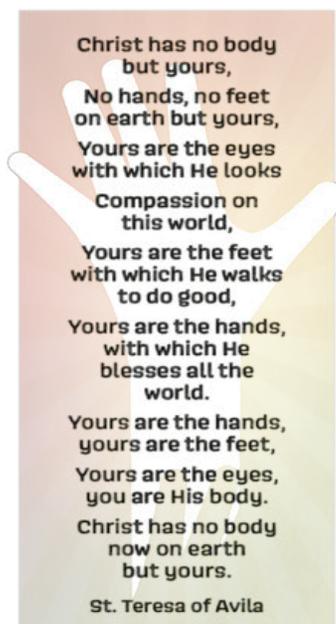
It was about the time we arrived that Fr. Ron decided that the physical Sacred Heart needed to embrace and nurture the spiritual and social one. After decades during which there had been no changes to the structures of the parish, he developed a vision of what could be the perfect harmony between our congregation and where it worships and socializes. "Restore Our Heart" was undertaken. Its first phase was the renovation of our church. Who can step inside this now beautiful space and not be uplifted spiritually? Who can find another church to match its warmth, artistry and craftsmanship?

"Restore Our Heart" has been successful because so many members of our "family" have made financial contributions to the repair and the improvement of our spiritual home. It's the way it's supposed to work in any family. People pitch in and contribute to the best of their ability.

We've now moved on to the final part of Fr. Ron's vision, a "Restore Our Heart – Phase II" that involves the former rectory and parking lot. The progress is unmistakable. It becomes easier every week to imagine the culmination of the vision — the St. André Meeting House and a repaired and repaved parking lot — to complement our wonderful church. We can almost feel the warmth from the fireplace in this new space as we gather for coffee and donuts. We can almost see the fresh tables and chairs in the modern, new meeting rooms. We can almost relax because we will finally have restrooms that accommodate all of our family.

We can see how proud we will be to pass on this heritage, our spiritual home, to the next century of parishioners when we gather to celebrate Sacred Heart's Centennial next July.

—John Goddard, Finance Council Chair



PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY

Because of COVID-19 we were required to discontinue our ministry of communion to the homebound these past few years. We are now ready to get our Pastoral Care Ministry team back up and running again... and need your help!

Our Pastoral Care Ministers take communion to Catholic residents of 9 long term healthcare facilities, 1 rehabilitation center, and several parishioners' private homes. We need 15-20 new pastoral care ministers to cover the needs of our parish.

Please prayerfully consider whether God is calling you to be a part of our Pastoral Care Ministry team. Please sign up by December 31 to attend these events:

SCHEDULE

- Training to become mandated as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC) to care facilities and private homes in our diocese: **Saturday, January 15, 1:00-3:30 pm** in Sacred Heart Church.
- Meeting for all new, returning and current Pastoral Care Ministers: **Saturday, January 29, 9:15-11:00 am** in the Parish Center (Gym).
- Additional requirements to protect high-risk members of our community include: background check, safe environment training (online course), COVID-19 vaccination and agreement to wear a mask when serving as a Pastoral Care Minister.

CONTACT

If you have questions or would like to join the Pastoral Care Ministry Team, please contact Sue at 719-633-8711 x102 or sgerlach@sacredheartcos.org by December 31. Thank you!



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Br. James Blaszak, CSC who died on Dec. 5. Br. James was the Procurator of the Holy Cross Novitiate in Cascade for the past ten years, where he cared for the kitchen, supervised and taught novices how to cook, assisted with maintenance projects, and procured goods and supplies for the house. A humble and gentle soul, he will be greatly missed.

Presider Schedule and Mass Intentions

Saturday, Dec. 11

8:00 am Sacred Heart Church— Presider: Fr. Ron
Lily Fortt on her Birthday by Mary Superata

4:00 pm Holy Rosary- Presider: Fr. Randy
†Regina Bossle by Michael & Francee Lemchak

5:30 pm Sacred Heart Church— Presider: Fr. Ron
†Janis Hein-O'Connor by her husband & Family

Sunday, Dec. 12

7:30 am Sacred Heart Church— Presider: Fr. Ron
†Janis Hein-O'Connor by Jack Dhooghe

9:00 am Sacred Heart Church— Presider: Fr. Randy
†Bo Hamilton by the Aldaz Family

11:30 am Sacred Heart Church— Presider: Fr. Randy
†Gloria Aguilar by the Aguilar Family

5:00 pm OLPH— Presider: Fr. Randy
For families in need of compassion and refuge

Monday, Dec. 13

8:00 am Sacred Heart— Presider: Fr. Randy
For people struggling with addiction and their families

Tuesday, Dec. 14

8:00 am Sacred Heart— Presider: Fr. Randy
†Jean & †Edward Graham by Elinor McGarry

Wednesday, Dec. 15

8:00 am Sacred Heart— Presider: Fr. Ron
For our homebound parishioners and their caregivers

Thursday, Dec. 16

8:00 am Sacred Heart— Presider: Fr. Ron
For safety of police, fire fighters and first responders

Friday, Dec. 17

8:00 am Sacred Heart— Presider: Fr. Ron
†Gloria Aguilar by the Aguilar Family

Saturday, Dec. 18

8:00 am Sacred Heart Church— Presider: Fr. Ron
†Kay Pask by Gene Pask

4:00 pm Holy Rosary- Presider: Fr. Ron
†Br. James Blaszak, CSC by Mary Superata

5:30 pm Sacred Heart Church— Presider: Fr. Ron
†Leonard Aldaz by the Aldaz Family

Please pray for our brothers & sisters...

†Marie Ihrig	Bob Roper
†Br. James Blaszak, CSC	Steven Jeselnick
Chase	Judy, Cindy & Jean
Daniel	Emily Quintana
Thomas Psalidas	Carol Peterson
Jim Matthews	Julie Bergen
Marilyn Pillar	Tim Pugh
Karen Whitworth	Philip Brugeman
Patricia Day	Jennifer Doell
Lea	Ron Sanchez
Pat Emenheiser	Kerri Perea
John and Diane Antista	Richard Benz
Patrick M. Keller	Gail Phipps
Bridget Gallegos	Curtis Banks
Pat Thompson	Ron Marriage
Carol Howard	Tena Jelinek
Shannon Barajas	Mary Ann Siehr
Peter C.	Grace Windon

Readings for the Week of Dec. 12, 2021

Sunday: Zep 3:14-18a/Is12:2-3, 4, 5-6 [6]/Phil 4:4-7/Lk 3:10-18 **Monday:** Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 [4]/Mt 21:23-27 **Tuesday:** Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/Ps 34:2-3, 6-7, 17-18, 19 and 23 [7a]/Mt 21:28-32 **Wednesday:** Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21c-25/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [Is 45:8]/Lk 7:18b-23 **Thursday:** Is 54:1-10/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a, and 13b [2a]/Lk 7:24-30 **Friday:** Gn 49:2, 8-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4ab, 7-8, 17 [cf. 7]/Mt 1:1-17 **Saturday:** Jer 23:5-8/Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19 [cf. 7]/Mt 1:18-25 **Next Sunday:** Mi 5:1-4a/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 [4]/Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45

Community News

Diocese: Celebrate Christmas with an **Evening of Advent Lessons and Carols** at Corpus Christi, 2318 N. Nevada Ave., on **Friday, Dec. 17 at 7 pm.** Join us for an Advent evening of prayer, scripture, and song featuring the student choir of Chesterton Academy of Our Lady of Walsingham. The event is free, with contributions welcomed for appreciation gifts for our devoted faculty.

Community: Ithaka invites you to join them in honoring those who have passed away in the homeless community over the past year with **"The Longest Night," Tuesday, Dec. 21 at 5:30 pm** at the Columbarium, 411 W. Bijou. Fr. Ron Raab, CSC will offer the prayer. After the ceremony, they will gather for a community reception in the Ithaka Community Center, 424 ½ W Kiowa (on opposite side of alley).

Diocese: The Chesterton Academy of Our Lady of Walsingham invites you to attend an **information night** for families and students at St. Gabriel's, 8755 Scarborough Dr., on **Friday, Jan. 14 at 7 pm** in the St. Joseph Room.

Mission

Mass Times:

Sacred Heart Church in Colorado Springs, CO—
Daily Mass: Monday– Saturday, 8 am; 7:40 am Rosary
Weekend Masses: Saturday, 5:30 pm;
Sunday, 7:30, 9 & 11:30 am in the church
Confessions: Saturday, 9-10 am or by appointment,
call the Parish Office at 719-633-8711
Adoration: Saturdays after the 8 am Daily Mass
Anointing of the sick: 1st Friday during Daily Mass

Holy Rosary Chapel in Cascade, CO– Saturday, 4 pm.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Manitou Springs,
CO– Sunday, 5 pm.

Masks are recommended, but optional for those
who have been vaccinated.

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– Thursday, 8:30 am– 3 pm. Closed 1– 2 pm for lunch.**

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Sustaining Our Mission

*Please remember... the parish depends on your financial
contribution, even if you can't attend Mass in person.*

Current Fiscal Year: July 1, 2021– June 30, 2022	SH	OLPH	HR
Offertory budget	\$ 750,000	\$ 55,000	\$ 65,000
Offertory year-to-date	250,051	18,281	15,172
OCT. OFFERTORY TOTALS:	\$ 57,879	\$ 4,779	\$ 3,516
Sunday collections	35,926	2,344	2,071
Online giving received	21,953	2,435	1,445
JULY– OCTOBER 2021			
Revenue (see note below)			
General Revenue	\$261,665	\$ 18,295	\$ 15,769
Restricted Gifts/programs	0	0	0
Expenses			
Operating Expenses	(242,035)	(26,470)	(35,292)
Parish Support of Diocese	(43,171)	(2,790)	(2,457)
Over (Under)	(\$23,541)	(\$10,965)	(\$21,980)

NOTE: Gifts restricted for capital improvements, insurance claims for
capital repairs, and all capital expenditures are not included here and
will be reported at the end of the fiscal year.

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