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sacred Liturgy

Saturday Vigil 4:30pm **Sunday** 7:45am, 9:30am, 11:30am, 4:30pm

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 7:00am Tuesday, Thursday 12:00pm

sacrament of penance

Saturday 3:30pm Tuesday, Thursday 11:30am

And anytime with a priest in the office.

JANUARY 16, 2022 second sunday in ordinary time

Pastor's Corner

An Excerpt from Rosarium Virginis Mariae, St. John Paul II

"In these mysteries, apart from the miracle at Cana, the presence of Mary remains in the background... Yet the role she assumed at Cana in some way accompanies Christ throughout his ministry. The revelation made directly by the Father at the Baptism in the Jordan and echoed by John the Baptist is placed upon Mary's lips at Cana, and it becomes the great maternal counsel which Mary addresses to the Church of every age: 'Do whatever he tells you' (Jn 2:5). This counsel is a fitting introduction to the words and signs of Christ's public ministry and it forms the Marian foundation of all the 'mysteries of light."' —Pope St. John Paul II

A Message from Bp. Golka

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

Our parishes will be conducting the national collection for the Church in Latin America and the Caribbean, the weekend of January 22/23, 2022. This national collection supports many pastoral projects that benefit the faithful in Latin America and the Caribbean.

Brazil's Associacao do Sementes do Verbo (Seeds of the Word Community) is a young and growing congregation with a unique vision of forming missionary communities of disciples in all states of life—consecrated men and women, clergy, lay missionaries, and married couples and families, all living together in community. A central aspect of the group's spirituality is a nine-month formation period called a "sabbatical year," during which participants live in a mission house with the community and study Scripture; take courses in the theology of the body and human sexuality, with an emphasis on prevention of abuse; and participate in spiritual exercises and parish mission weeks.

Supported by a grant from the Subcommittee on the Church in Latin America, 100 participants from 25 dioceses in 11 Brazilian states had the opportunity to become formed as more effective missionary disciples in 2021. When you support the Collection for the Church in Latin America, your material gift makes it possible for disciples to use their gifts and abilities as evangelizers, regardless of their states in life or economic backgrounds.

Please be generous toward the collection. Take this opportunity to share your faith with our sisters and brothers in Latin America and the Caribbean. Your support truly makes a difference. Thank you, and God bless you.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ James R Dolla

Most Reverend James R. Golka Bishop of Colorado Springs

Pastoral Team

Stewardship

Unless otherwise noted, email is 1st initial and last name@stpatscs.org Ex: Mike Wolf = mwolf@stpatscs.org Parish office 719-598-3595

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Rev. Francisco J. Quezada figuezada1@icloud.com

Priest in Residence

Rev. Jim Klein jklein@stpatscs.org

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Mike Wolf x143

Admin. Asst./Safe Environment/ Media Coordinator

Marie Nicole Strahan x111

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Marlene Kniesche x116

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Jackie Lon-Staton x105 jlon@stpatscs.org

Director of Children's Catechesis and the Catechumenate

Andrew Koumis x108

Director of Facilities

Israel Salazar x141

Assistant to Director of Facilities

David George x100

Pastoral Care

Sharon Pierson and Nona Stuber x113

Your Faithful Tithe

January 2, 2022:

\$19,191.12

January 9, 2022:

\$27,452.72

Returning God's Gifts 2021

Number of F	amilies	1,004
Number of P	ledges	365

% of Goal Paid	110.23%
Total Paid	<u>\$179,422.86</u>
Total Pledged	\$182,500.26
Goal	\$162,776.16

Tithing the Tithe: Our Lady of Guadalupe Church

Many parishioners at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Colorado Springs have had their jobs impacted by the pandemic. With reduced offertory collections, our donation will help the parish pay their monthly bills.

Next Week's Tithe: Collection for the Church in Latin America

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LITURGY & SACRAMENTS

Mass Intentions

(+) = Deceased (SI) = Special Intention

Saturday, January 15

4:30pm for: Cresencia Silorio (+) by: Solly Concepcion

Sunday, January 16

7:45am for: John Megow (+)

by: Mary Curtis

9:30am for: Hermelo Silorio (+)

by: Solly Concepcion

11:30am for: For the People of St. Patrick

by: Rev. Francisco J. Quezada

4:30pm for: Joseph McKee (+)

by: James F. Reagan and Family

Monday, January 17

7:00am for: Ursula M. Cuevas (+)

by: Oscar A. Cuevas and Family

Tuesday, January 18

12:00pm for: Jerry Butters (+) by: Irene Butters

Wednesday, January 19

7:00am for: Pat Comstock (+)

by: Jim and Marilyn Bonifer

Thursday, January 20

12:00pm for: Lowry Family (SI)

by: Patsy Lowry

Friday, January 21

7:00am for: Bill Curtis (+)

by: Mary Curtis

Saturday, January 22

4:30pm for: Dorothy Zanini (+)

by: Ted and Jeannie Morgan

PRIESTS CELEBRATING Mass this Week

Saturday 4:30pm: Fr. Francisco Quezada

Sunday 7:45am: Fr. Joseph Dygert

Sunday 9:30am: Fr. James Klein

Sunday 11:30am: Fr. Francisco Quezada

Sunday 4:30pm: Fr. Francisco Quezada

Monday 7:00am: Fr. James Klein

Tuesday 12:00pm: Fr. Francisco Quezada

Wednesday 7:00am: Fr. James Klein

Thursday 12:00pm: Fr. Francisco Quezada

Friday 7:00am: Fr. James Klein

Saturday 4:30pm: Fr. Francisco Quezada

IN NEED OF PRAYER

Kathy Cara, Alex Dvorshek, Angie Dykes,
Annunciata Salvoni, Naoma Ford, Linda
Henggeler, Mary Rowlands, Beverly
Stevens, Charise Garrett, Glenda
Youmans, Josh Taft, Pat Strahan Sr, Jolene
Hodder, Tyler Berry, Mary Ruther, Kay
Turner, Larry Linnenburger, Barb Souba,
Ken Williams, Alva and Janice Richardson,
Anna Jones, Falisha Lahman, Evelyn Kuhn,
Alma Perez, Susan Rohe, Kumari Arimilli,
Cindy Laverentz, Thomas and Rose Ryan

Calendar for this Week

Sunday

7:45am Mass

8:00am Young Adult Bible Study

9:30am Mass

10:00am RCIA

11:30am Mass

4:30pm Mass

Monday

OFFICE CLOSED FOR FEDERAL HOLIDAY

7:00am Mass

Tuesday

8:00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

9:00am ESL

9:30am Adult Study on Revelation

11:30am Rosary

12:00pm Mass

6:45pm Benediction

Wednesday

6:30am Rosary

7:00am Mass

7:30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

11:30am Respect Life Crafters

5:30pm Music Ministry

6:10pm St. Vincent de Paul Meeting

6:45pm Benediction

7:00pm Knights of Columbus 3049

Thursday

8:00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

9:00am ESL

11:30am Rosary

12:00pm Mass

6:00pm Dean Committee Board

6:45pm Benediction and Vespers

Friday

6:30am Rosary

7:00am Mass

7:30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

3:30pm Food Pantry

6:45pm Benediction

Saturday

2:30pm Baptism Preparation Class

3:30pm Sacrament of Penance

4:00pm Rosary led by Knights of Columbus

4:30pm Mass

Sunday

7:45am Mass

8:00am Young Adult Bible Study

9:30am Mass

10:00am RCIA

11:30am Mass

1:00pm Catechesis for K-8

4:30pm Mass

5:45pm Catechesis for High School



AROUND ST. PATRICK



Ladies Auxiliary: The Ladies Auxiliary is open to all women of St Patrick. You do not need to be related to a Knights of Columbus to be a member. Contact Sidney Rodriguez at ladauxstpat@gmail.com for more information.

Calling all Children to Feed the Poor:

Remember to bring a nonperishable food item with you each Sunday to give to the poor. During the offertory hymn, bring your box or can up to the basket on the sanctuary steps. Your gifts will be distributed through our church's Food Pantry, which is open every Friday.

<u>Parents of Little Ones:</u> We love seeing your babies and toddlers at Mass! Thank you for bringing them to our community and most importantly, to the altar of the Lord.

Eucharistic Adoration: "To be alone with Jesus in adoration and intimate union with Him is the Greatest Gift of Love—the tender love of Our Father in Heaven." St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Come grow in the Love of Jesus. Come spend time in Eucharistic Adoration.

We currently have the following openings for regular adorers:

Monday: 8am, 11am, Noon, 1pm <u>Tuesday:</u> 9am, 10am, Noon, 1pm, 2pm, 3pm (two adorers needed for 3pm) <u>Wednesday:</u> 7am, Noon, 4pm <u>Thursday:</u> 8am, Noon, 1pm, 2pm <u>Friday:</u> 8am, 9am, 11am, Noon, 1pm, 2pm, 3pm

For more information about Eucharistic Adoration or to sign-up as a regular Adorer, contact Anne at adoration@stpatscs.org.

Parents of High Schoolers: We meet after the Sunday evening Mass! Come check out our new youth room! Last semester, we focused on *Prayer and the Spiritual Life*. This semester, we will focus on *Misconceptions in Church History*.

The three parts of each Life Teen night:

- Dinner and socializing
- Catechesis in an area of our faith (This year, first semester focuses on *The* Spiritual Life and the second semester focuses on Misconceptions in Church History)
- Eucharistic Adoration and silent prayer

St. Nicholas Giving Tree: Thank you for your very generous gift donations for this year's St. Nicholas Giving Tree as it was a huge success! Special thanks to the Knights of Columbus for helping to prepare the boxes for the gifts and assisting with distribution of gifts, the Respect Life Crafters for their hats, scarves, blankets and dolls, the donor who provided coats and hoodies for the children, and the parishioners who assisted in preparing all the boxes for pick up.

Gifts were provided for 285 kids from 100 families and 25 kids from the Military Outreach program. Our families were from: St. Vincent de Paul, Wasson Family Literacy Program, Jenkins Middle School, Military Outreach, Fostering Hope and those who applied directly to St. Patrick at our front desk.

Given the economy and pandemic, it was an amazing holiday season for this important outreach program that benefits so many families in need. Again, thank you St. Patrick families for your contributions. May God richly bless you for your efforts!

Nancy Allen, Chairperson



AROUND ST. PATRICK



<u>Volunteer Requirements for working</u> with Children (Safe Environment

Training): If you are planning on volunteering with the children of our parish you must be safe environment trained. Please contact Marie Nicole Strahan for more information at 719-598-3595 or mstrahan@stpatscs.org.

Knights of Columbus: Thank you to all of the kids that submitted an entry to the 1st Annual, Council 9993, Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest! We had a total of 10 entries, which is amazing for the first year.

The kids who submitted an entry are:

- Dahlia Breitbeil
- Colin Conroy
- Addy Kammerer
- Logan Kammerer
- Brooklyn Doran
- Scarlett Doran
- August Scott
- Daniel Scott
- Oliver Scott
- Ava Whittock.

To view all of the entries, please visit the following link: https://bit.ly/2021-KCIC

Again, thank you to all of these talented kids! Winners will be announced next week!



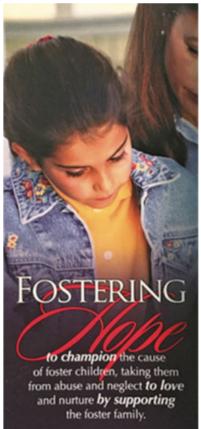
40th Jubilee Notes on Our Parish History:

In January 2006, the Fostering Hope program was initiated to explore the impact of creating support teams at Colorado Springs churches to serve as extended families for overextended foster parents to enrich the lives of foster children and provide occasional respite for foster parents. St. Patrick formed one team in 2007, later expanding to three.

Each team member completed a background check and diocesan Safe Environment Training. Team members met monthly with their assigned foster parents to determine what support was needed, drawing upon individual team member giftedness and interests. For some it was helping with homework, organizing a birthday party, taking the kids for a hike or to a movie, or preparing a meal for the children at their home, allowing the foster parents to enjoy a "date night."

By sharing their time, talent, unconditional

acceptance and concern for young people, Fostering Hope Team members provided individualized support and temporary caregiving that reduced stress on foster parents and provided personalized attention to children and youth helping them to thrive. As children in foster care are adopted or "age out," teams and families change. Is this a place where you feel called to serve?



AROUND THE DIOCESE



Seminarian Support Fund: Many thanks to everyone who donated to the Seminarian Support Fund. More than \$91,000 was collected, which combined with the matching grant from Catholic Foundation comes to more than \$166,000 to form our future priests!

Pregnancy Center: Colorado Springs Pregnancy Center offers free pregnancy tests and education. Know your options with confidential and compassionate support. Visit cspregnancycenter.com or call us at 719-591-2724.

Kids Competition: The Knights of Columbus Council 7520 is sponsoring a free throw shooting contest for boys and girls, 9-14 years of age, on Sunday, January 23, 2022 beginning at 1:30pm in Corpus Christi Catholic School gym. Participants will shoot fifteen free throws in their respective age group. The winner of each age group will advance to District competition. Preregistration by January 19, 2022 is requested by sending an email to timwolken218@hotmail.com indicating the participant's name, gender, age as of January 1, 2022, and parent email address.

Carmelite Spirituality: The Community of the Teresian Carmel and The Little Way Discalced Carmelites Secular Order in Colorado Springs will be accepting aspirants during our February 26, 2022 monthly meeting. Our monthly Carmelite meetings are on the 4th Saturday with a few exceptions due to holidays. Aspirants will journey one year to discern whether they have a vocation in Carmelite spirituality. The deadline to apply is Tuesday, February 15, 2022. If interested, please contact Mikell Humpert at mlcposch@aol.com.

Project Rachel: Learn how to share about this ministry, how to talk with someone who has had an abortion, reactions and trauma for both women and men, opening the door to post-abortive healing, Church teaching, diocesan pro-life activities, and more!



AROUND The Diocese

Diocese of Colorado Springs features a Trilogy of Events for Life.

Catholics have led the cause for Life from the beginning, and your participation now is essential as you are able. We begin with the Rocky Mountain March and Mass for Life on Martin Luther King Day which appeals for Civil Rights for the Unborn and All Life—led by St. Mary's HS students, priests, and deacons. This is followed by Week-long Rocky Mountain Adoration for Life at participating parishes. The week culminates with Mass for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children in recognition of the 49th anniversary of Roe v. Wade. Schedule details follow:

I. Rocky Mountain March and Mass for Life Monday, Jan 17 (MLK Holiday)

To gather at the Planned Parenthood sidewalk, you may (a) take shuttles or (b) drive and park at the King Soopers on Centennial and Fillmore.

8-8:40am: Shuttles from Corpus Christi to Planned Parenthood sidewalk

9am-10am: Rosary, prayer, and speakers

on the sidewalk

10am-10:15am: Eucharistic Procession up

Fillmore to Corpus Christi Church

11am-12pm: Adoration and Divine Mercy

Chaplet

12pm-1pm: Mass with Bishop Golka 1pm-2-pm: Pizza lunch in parish hall



II. Rocky Mountain Adoration for Life Pilgrimage Monday, Jan 17 until Saturday, Jan 22

Find time to spend just one hour in Adoration for life with a particular intention for the Supreme Court to decide in favor of Dobbs. Parish Locations and Pilgrimage Adoration Times can be found on the Diocesan website diocs.org/Pastoral-Services/Respect-Life (or remain here at St. Patrick for Adoration—in either the chapel or sanctuary). Questions? Our parish Respect Life contact is Deb deb.hay@comcast.net 719-593-2880.

St. Patrick will participate with diocesan visitors on Tuesday, Jan 18 from 8am-7pm.

III. Mass for the Legal Protection on Unborn Children: Saturday, Jan 22, 10am at St. Mary Cathedral with Bishop Golka

Bishop Golka's letter (featured in our Christmas and Epiphany bulletins) called for urgent prayer and fasting and works of charity and mercy over the next six months to protect the unborn as we await the Dobbs v Jackson Supreme Court decision. This decision would not end abortion but would return abortion legislation to the States. Here is an opportunity to go in strong!

AROUND THE DIOCESE

THREE EVENINGS WITH

JOSEPH PEARCE

Jan. 22-24

UNLOCKING THE CATHOLICISM OF "THE LORD OF THE RINGS"

Saturday, Jan. 22 at 5:15 pm

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Sunday, Jan. 23 at 6:30 pm

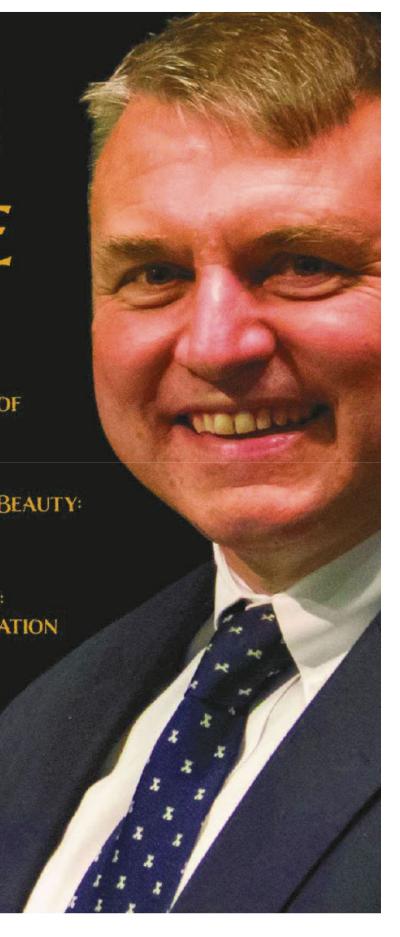
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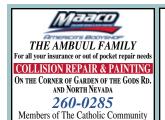
Monday, Jan. 24 at 6:30 pm

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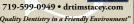
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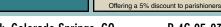
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