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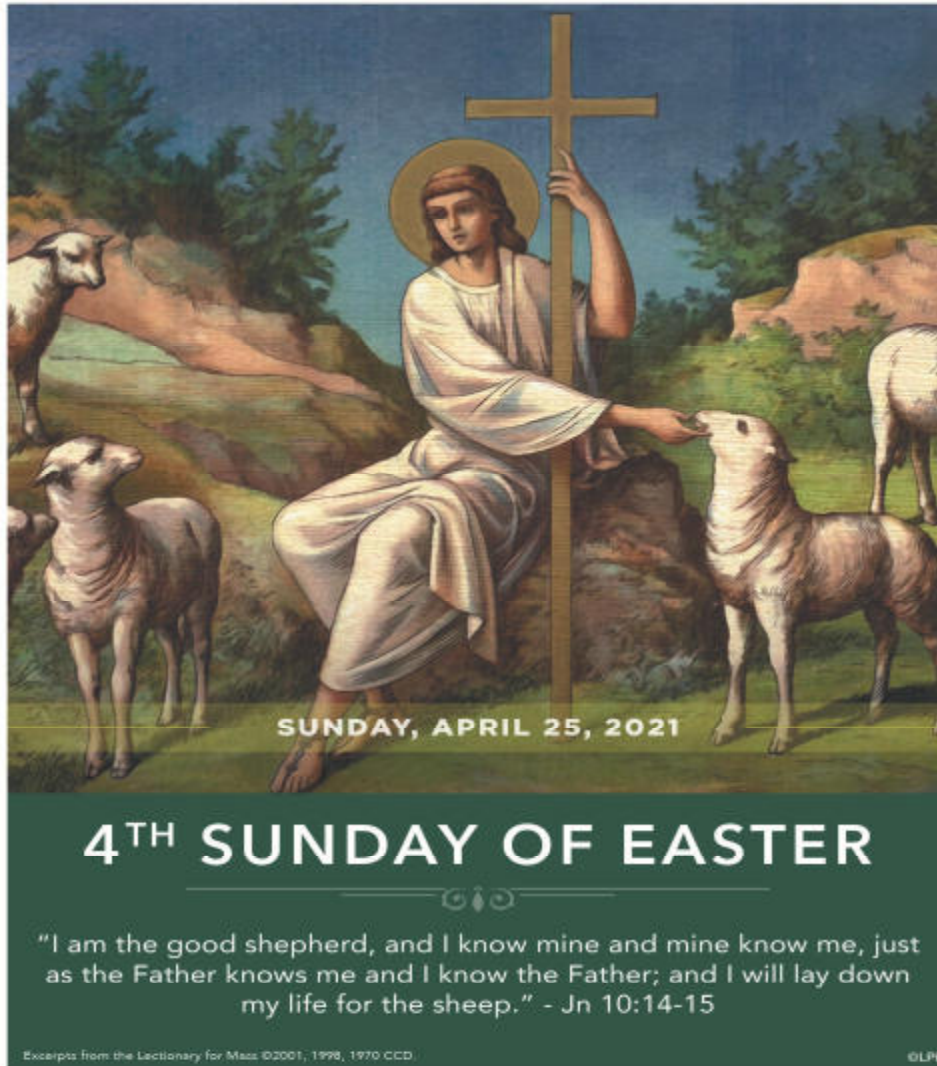


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## Our Church



1000 Country Acres Dive  
Johnstown, CO 80534

## Mission Statement

“Prepare the way of the lord.” We are a culturally diverse Catholic community called to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ. “Love one another as I have loved you”. *John 13:34*

## Find us in our social media



## Office Hours

11:00 a.m.– 4:00 p.m. Tues & Weds

10:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. Thurs

## Daily Mass

9:00 a.m. Mon, Tues, Thu, Fri

8:00 a.m. Wednesday (English)

6:00 p.m. Tuesday (Spanish)

## Saturday Mass

4:00 p.m. (English)

## Sunday Mass

8:00 a.m. (Spanish)

10:00 a.m. (English)

12:30 p.m. (Spanish)

## Adoration

10:00 a.m. –5:00 p.m. Thursday

## Confessions

5:00 p.m. Tuesday

3:00– 3:45 p.m. Saturday

## Please join us in our upcoming events

APR 25	4th Sunday of Easter
MAY 2	5th Sunday of Easter
May 9	6th Sunday of Easter
May 16	7th Sunday of Easter

## Pray for...

Living and Deceased Parishioner & Family

- Fernando Ortega
- Piper Brinkley
- + Juan Holguin
- + Ray Avila
- + Socorro Villalobos Morales
- + Diane Marcantonio
- Genae Lucero
- Valencia Family
- Mark Hernandez
- Kirby Family
- + Mary Virginia Chaloupka
- + LeRoy Garcia
- Pat Montaña
- + Carol O'Connor
- + Robert Konzem
- Tony Rivera
- + George Ray Kline
- + Genaro Tapia
- Hector Herrera
- Jane Hill
- Leonard and Flo Bosley
- + Arturo Longoria
- + Rito Dominguez
- + Rosa Garcia
- + Genaro Tapia
- Teresa Benzor
- Robert & Barbara McNabb
- Cal Schreiner
- Duke & Jan Hemberger
- + Jeremy Davis

### PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

- Jesse Holguin
- Luis Holguin
- Ray Raker
- David Castillo
- Joe Castillo
- Kristy Swofford
- Angelique Montaña Dadids
- Phillip Fritchell

To add a name to the prayer list call the parish office at (970) 587-2879

## Weekly Readings

### Readings for the week of April 25, 2021

- SUN 4/25** Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 [7a]/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48
- MON 4/26** Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 [1ab]/Jn 6:22-29
- TUES 4/27** Acts 7:51—8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab [6a]/Jn 6:30-35
- WED 4/28** Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a [1]/Jn 6:35-40
- THR 4/29** Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 [1]/Jn 6:44-51
- FRI 4/30** Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 6:52-59
- SAT 5/1** Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [12]/Jn 6:60-69
- SUN 5/2** Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 [22]/1 Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

### New to Saint Johns?

Are you new to our church? Welcome! We're glad you are here. Our church uses a communication tool called Flocknote to provide information about our church activities, events and programs. Want to signup? It's free and easy to do. Just visit our website that is listed in front of the bulletin and register your family with us. Forms are also available in the entrance of the church or the parish office.

Saint John the Baptist is always seeking for volunteers if you are willing to help your church please feel welcome to contact the office at this number: 970.587.2879

## Mass intentions

Month	Day	Time	SI/+	Name
APRIL	24	4:00 PM	+	Eileen Thompson
APRIL	25	8:00 AM	+	Roberto Holguin
APRIL	25	10:00 AM	+	Melissa Egan
APRIL	25	12:30 PM	+	Elizabeth Perez
APRIL	26	9:00 AM	+	Bobby Trevino
APRIL	27	9:00 AM	SI	Father's Intention
APRIL	27	6:00 PM	+	Felipe Garcia
APRIL	28	9:00 AM	SI	Jose Omar Sanchez (health)
APRIL	29	9:00 AM	+	Brett Swanson
APRIL	30	9:00 AM	+	Jose Antonio Anfonso
MAY	1	4:00 PM	+	Tammy Caesar
MAY	2	8:00 AM	+	Ma del Refugio Portillo, Alfredo Vargas y Jesus Manuel Cepeda
MAY	2	10:00 AM	+	Melissa Egan
MAY	2	12:30 PM	SI+	Conchita Benzor (birthday)

### No checkbook, no envelopes, no problem!

Can't find your checkbook or envelope Sunday morning? Join the parishioners who are using electronic contributions. It is secure and convenient! There is no cost to you and a great benefit for you and your parish. Go online to: [saintjohnsjohnstown.com](http://saintjohnsjohnstown.com) and go to giving on top of screen, or contact the parish office.

## Parish Sacrificial Giving

### April Offering

Weekly collection (APR 17-18)	\$ 2,863.00
Electronic Giving (FEB)	\$ 11,378.00
Expansion & Maintenance (FEB)	\$ 451,382.68

## GOSPEL MEDITATION

### Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

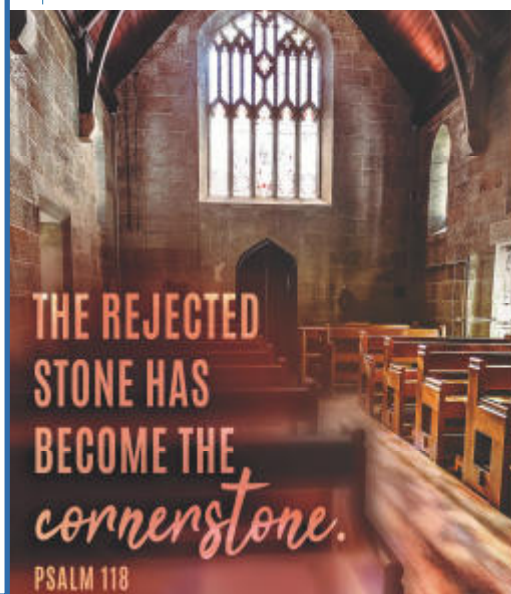
Any builder worth his or her salt knows the value and importance of a cornerstone. Properly laying and securing this primary unit determines how the rest of the project unfolds and its success. Cornerstones are necessary elements not only of buildings but of lives as well. Many human beings conduct the business of their lives paying little attention to a grounding reference or starting point. Hence, what unfolds is a tapestry of relativism, with few anchors or guideposts and many impulsive choices. Some consider love to be their cornerstone. While this may sound attractive and useful, the pursuit of love without a simultaneous pursuit of its source can be shallow and self-focused. Just because a person chooses to do no harm and love others does not mean that they are living in truth and properly anchored to the real cornerstone.

Jesus is the true and authentic cornerstone and shepherd. It is only in following the Risen One as the way, the truth, and the life that we can move from being well grounded ethical people to properly focused moral ones. Proper conduct, a true sense of justice, wisdom, virtue, moral principles, faith, hope, and love will be difficult to find unless we listen to the right Voice. It is when we learn to listen to the voice of God that we begin our journey on the road to salvation. It is only the Good Shepherd, the authentic and solid cornerstone, who can guide us through life's questions and challenges and bring us to the safe and proper pasture.

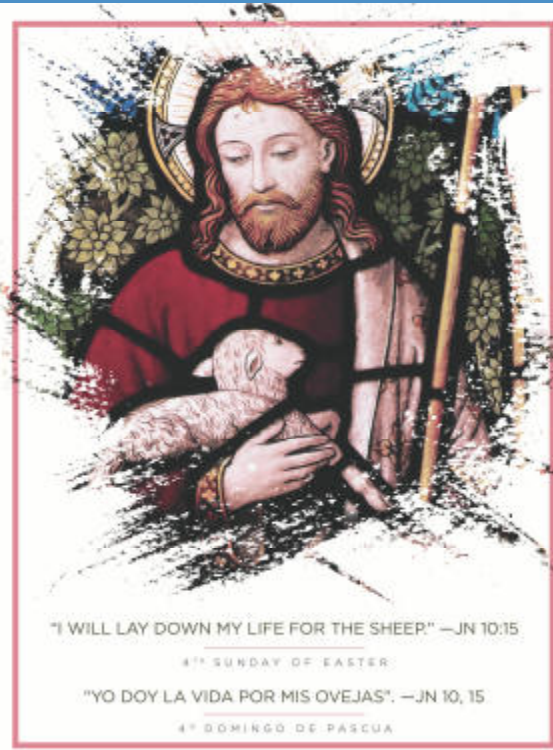
A person's life only has meaning when the cornerstone is properly selected and set. Understanding themselves only as random acts of creation, existing without intent or purpose, will color their choices and influence their decisions. The foundation of their lives will be simply a matter of preference and choice, leaving benchmarks of growth and higher ideals optional to pursue. Whereas people who believe that they are fashioned and loved into existence by a God who purposely made them, have this incredible unconditional relationship at their source which has tremendous significance. Their allegiance is not to themselves but to their Creator. Life, then, is an adventure in search of this Creator God and a journey of self-discovery that seeks to unite their will to His. There is a cost. We have to give up our life in order to gain our life. As ironic as that sounds, it is true. It is only when we finally figure this out that the true cornerstone of our lives will be properly laid and we can, with God's help, get about the business of properly constructing a temple that endures.

## Parish Council

- Annie Beal, Chair
- Bob Super                      Michael Wright
- Michol Wright                Oscar Chavez
- Todd Pearce                   Cesar Alvarado
- Erick Longoria               Piper Brinkley
- Gabriela Zamarron



## Announcements & Events



*“I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. These also I must lead, and they will hear my voice, and there will be one flock, one shepherd. This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again.”*  
— Jn 10:16-17



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