

NOVEMBER 4, 2018 - THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



St. Benedict Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am
Monday—Thursday: 9:00 am

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00 pm—4:40 pm

Ministry Center

12152 Falcon Highway
Falcon, CO 80831
(719)495-1426
Deacon Lynn is on call anytime at 719-237-6677

Rectory

12150 Falcon Highway
Falcon, CO 80831

Parish Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 9:30 am—4:00 pm
Phone: (719)495-1426
Fr. Ponce is available by appointment at any time during the week. If you would like to meet with Fr. Ponce, please call the Ministry Center at (&19)495-1426 or email jponce@diocs.org to set up an appointment.

Anointing of the Sick

If you are ill and would like to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please call the Ministry Center at (719)495-1426 to inform Fr. Ponce of this need. Anointing of the Sick normally takes place after Mass.

Baptism

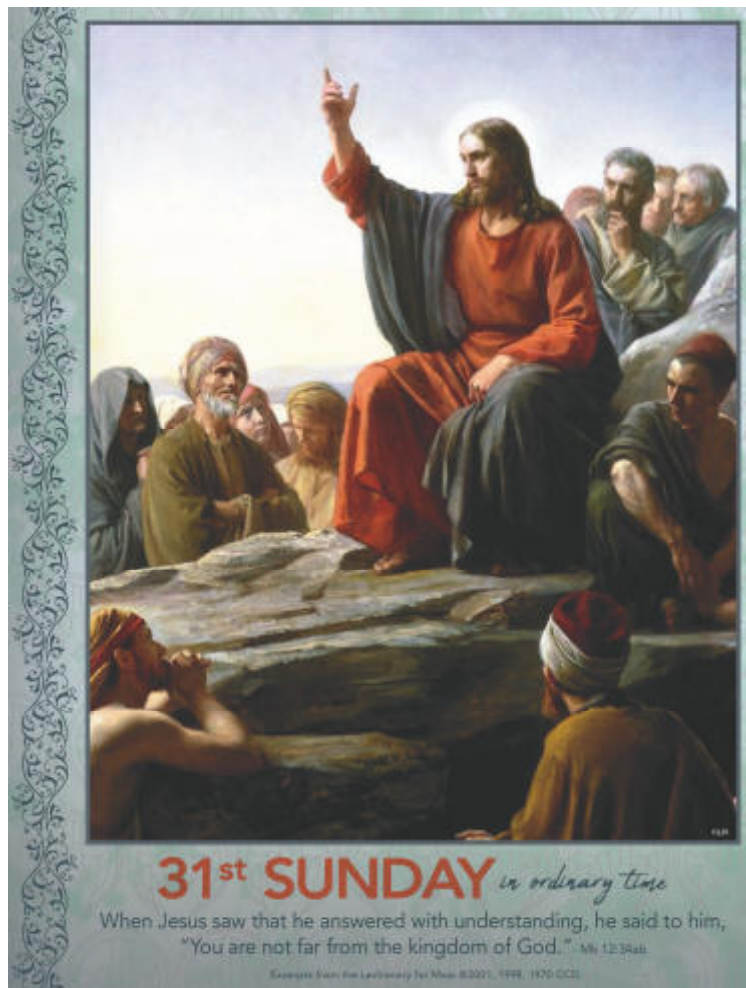
Contact Deacon Lynn at the Ministry Center to schedule a Preparation Seminar (719)495-1426

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary

After Mass on Tuesdays in the Church
Rosary at 8:40 am on all First Sundays of the month, lead by the Knights of Columbus

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The answer is love

The scribe who questions Jesus in today's Gospel engages in a positive dialogue with Jesus. He agrees with Jesus' teaching that the commandments to love God and love neighbor stand above the commandment to offer worship and sacrifice in the Temple.

The question we must ask ourselves today is how we can more fully love God- with our heart, soul, mind and all of our strength.

As soon as we ask this question, we are reminded of how weak we are and how hard it is to love completely. Yet, the second greatest commandment offers us a path to greater love of God. If we practice daily a love of neighbor, we can't do anything but get better at loving God with everything we have. For love of neighbor is love of the sons and daughters of God.

Deacon Lynn

Our Mission

*Be a welcoming Catholic Community, teaching God's word, helping those in need,
and living a life in Christ.*

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Readings for the Week of November 4, 2018

Sunday: Dt 6:2-6/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2]/Heb 7:23-28/
Mk 12:28b-34
Monday: Phil 2:1-4/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday: Phil 2:5-11/Ps 22:26b-27, 28-30ab, 30e, 31-32
[26a]/Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [3b]/Lk 15:1-10
Friday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 [5]/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22
Saturday: Phil 4:10-19/Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a and 9/Lk 16:9-15
Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b]/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44:2-6/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2]/Heb 7:23-28/Mk 12:28b-34

Script ordering

The holidays are right around the corner. There are **ONLY 2** ordering dates left for **Scrip/Giftcards**. Scrip can be used for your holiday shopping needs. Are you needing to send gift to loved ones far away? You can buy scrip to send and save the shipping costs! We offer Honey Baked Ham gift cards, King Soopers & Safeway reloadable cards, Walmart gift cards and many more! Take a look at an order form soon. Also if you are traveling for the holidays you can order gas gift cards. Ordering dates are:

November 3 & 4th with pick up dates of November 10 & 11
December 1 & 2nd with pick up dates of Dec. 8 & 9th.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Dee Klein 491-8732 or Gina Klimek at 660-3656.

Scrip has some lower denomination gift cards that will be available to us for our next 2 ordering dates. Simply add these cards/amounts to the back of the order form. Our next ordering dates are Nov. 3 & 4, Dec. 1 & 2nd. Here are the cards you can order:

Target \$10.00 Red Lobster \$10.00 Taco Bell \$5.00
Walmart \$10.00 Amazon \$10.00 Applebees \$10.00
Barnes & Noble \$5.00 Home Depot \$10.00
IHop \$10.00 Panera Bread \$5.00 Starbucks \$5.00
These gift cards make great gifts for the mail person, newspaper delivery person, and stocking stuffers.

Dine out at Culver's

On the first Sunday of every month St. Benedict will receive 15% of what you pay for a meal at Culver's in Falcon. Just ask them to put your receipt in the St. Ben bucket.

Together We Pave Our Future

Projected Cost	\$70,000.00
Funding Needed	\$70,000.00
Pledges up to Date	\$27,177.00
Donations Received	\$17,501.87
Balance needed to Date	\$52,498.13

Offertory for the weekend of October 20-21, 2018

Sat/Sun Masses	\$3567.59
Debt reduction	\$50.00
Attendance	265
World Mission Collection	\$449.00
Paving Donations	\$1060.00

Supporting our Mission

A big "thank you" to all of those participating in online giving with **WeShare!** Online giving has been a big help to our parish. St. Benedict's has received more consistent donations. WeShare provides us with the ability to accept credit and debit cards and to make automatic withdrawals from checking and savings accounts for your offertory, second collection, building fund, debt reduction and paving campaign contributions.

No matter how you give, your gifts are always appreciated! If you have not yet made the switch to online giving, we invite you to consider doing so. Online giving offers our parish a stable, sustainable future. We know that you share in this vision and we're excited about giving our parishioners many ways to participate in our growth as a parish family. Thank you for your support!

For additional information about online giving with WeShare, visit the home page of our website, www.stbenedictfalcon.org. There you will find a link to sign up along with information on frequently asked questions.



Monday Through Thursday

Daily Mass at **12:15 pm**

Sunday, Nov. 4, 2018

9:00am Mass, Church

7 pm-8:30pm—Youth Group-MC

Tuesday, Nov. 6, 2018

12:45 pm Adoration & Rosary, Church

Wednesday, Nov. 7, 2018

6:00-8:00 pm Choir practice—Church

Saturday, Nov. 10, 2018

4:00pm Reconciliation, Church

4:00pm Choir Practice, Ministry Center

5:00pm Mass, Church

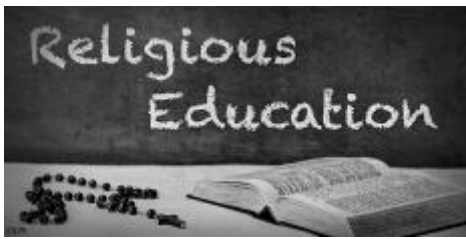
Sunday, Nov. 11, 2018

9:00am Mass Church

10 am RE—MC

7 pm-8:30 pm Youth Group—MC

Parish News & Events



Religious Education

Kindergarten through Confirmation classes are held at the Parish Center starting 15 minutes after the end of Sunday Mass. Classes last for one hour.

Nov. 4—Religious Education for K – Confirmation

Parents First Reconciliation Meeting in Church during RE

Nov. 11—Religious Education for K – Confirmation

Nov. 18 — Religious Education for K – Confirmation

Your attention Please!

It's time to check the roster and see if we have missed anyone! Please email Mark Danielski, our business manager, to let him know about your information: name, address and the best phone number to reach you along with your email address. We would like to make sure we have your correct information on file. Mark will send you a list of ministry opportunities that you might be interested in serving. Please email him at:

MDanielski@stBenedictFalcon.org

Your response will help us make sure our rolls are up to date and save us on mailings. Thank you!

Don't Be Off-Key

If you are interested in hearing Sunday's music in advance check out www.psalmsforMass.com

Planning Team Update:

The Planning team is finishing up on dialogues with many of the ministries and would like to open the feedback to all parishioners. So for the next couple of weekends we will have some forms and a collection box in the Narthex. The basic question is... How are we doing on our Parish mission statement? "Be a welcoming Catholic Community, teaching God's word, helping those in need and living a life in Christ". Any and all feedback is appreciated.

Please note:

Daily Mass times change on November 5 to 12:15 pm.

Pajama Collection

Quiz Time! *How many pairs of pajamas a child can get with a \$20 donation?* Hey everyone, I'm collecting pajamas for Sweet Dreams Colorado for my Religious Emblem for American Heritage Girls. I'll be collecting new clothing and books throughout the month of November. Sizes needed are size 12 in kids to size XXL in adults. Some kids sleep in their clothes, even getting pajamas as a gift they're so happy about it. Answer: 4 books and 3 pairs of pajamas for a child. You do not need to wrap the pajamas. Please leave the tags on the pajamas. Thanks, Danielle Murillo.

St. Benedict Women's Group

Next Meeting – Tuesday, November 13th 7p.m. - Ministry Center
All Women of The Parish Are Welcome

Hospitality is looking for more volunteers, especially for the Saturday evening Masses during the Religious education season. We need volunteers to serve cookies and juice for 10-20 minutes after Mass. If you would like to help out please contact Kacey Van Brimmer @kaceyvanbrimmer@yahoo.com. There will also be a sign up sheet in the Narthex.

Volunteers needed for Saint Vincent de Paul Ministry

The Saint Benedict's newly forming society is in need of couples or individuals who are interested in joining us. Members of the society are men and women who strive to grow spiritually by offering person to person services to individuals in the community who have no where else to turn for help. These services may include providing food, clothing, financial help and or spiritual comfort.

An informational meeting will be held on November 1st at 6:30 p.m. at the ministry center for all those interested in joining us.

Please contact Deeann at 719-330-2367 if you would like more information

Announcement Deadlines

Please submit all bulletin items via email to bulltinedtor@stBenedictFalcon.org a minimum of ten(10) days prior to the requested Sunday publication.

Please send updates and notices for the website to: webmaster@stbenedictfalcon.org



It's Time for the Great Pumpkin Roll Sale
Just In Time For Your Holiday Dinner
St. Benedict Women's Group

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Sunday, November 11th (After Mass)
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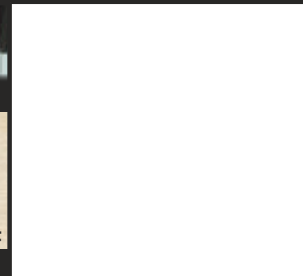
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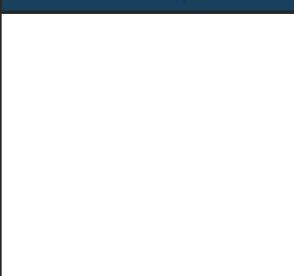
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