

June 2, 2019

## FEAST OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD



St. Benedict Catholic Church  
12130 Falcon Highway, Falcon, CO 80831  
(719)495-1426  
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### Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am; 11:30 am

Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday: 12:15 pm

### Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00 pm

### Ministry Center

12152 Falcon Highway

Falcon, CO 80831

(719) 495-1426

### 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 (719) 495-1426 or email [jponce@diocs.org](mailto: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 the Ministry Center to schedule a Preparation Seminar (719) 495-1426 with either Deacon Lynn or Deacon Bill. Baptismal classes on the third Sunday of the month after 9 am Mass. Call the office to register.

Rosary at 8:40 am on all First Sundays of the month, lead by the Knights of Columbus

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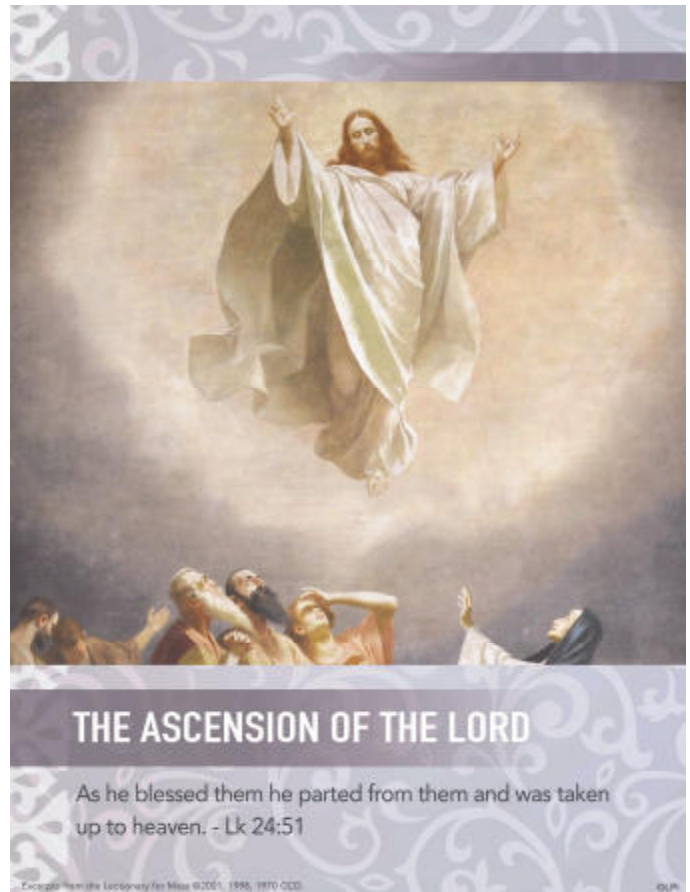
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### Unity of the Faithful

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus prays to his Father in a very intimate way. Praying for his disciples, he asks "that they may all be one". He goes further asking that those the Father gives to him "may be brought to perfection as one". This is not a prayer for moral perfection, but rather that all who would follow him may be "perfectly one", radiating a complete unity visible to the world.

The process toward perfect unity has already begun, since Jesus has already given them the glory that his Father gave him. Jesus is speaking here of a dynamic relationship of shared glory that is the foundation for the perfect unity of the Church.

We are the Church. Having heard Jesus' prayer, may we individually join in praying for renewed unity and healing within the whole Church.

Deacon Lynn

## Our Mission

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

### Saint Benedict's Food Pantry

Our outreach program, now known as Saint Vincent de Paul, collects food all year round to help the less fortunate. Please help us out by donating regularly to this very important mission.

#### **May-We are in need of the following:**

Baking items such as flour, sugar, baking powder, soda and salt Canola and olive oil, Canned fruit, boxed potato mixes such as au gratin or scalloped, cereal, **coffee, tea bags, mustard, mayo, ketchup, raisins, jam, crackers.** Don't forget to add an extra gift card when you purchase scrip. Saint Vincent de Paul will use these to purchase gasoline, meat, perishables and other items to help assist needy families in our area? Saint Vincent de Paul would like to say thank you to all of the Saint Benedict's parishioners. Your kindness and generosity is what makes this parish such a wonderful place. If you are aware of individuals or families who are in need of immediate assistance of food or financial help, please contact one of the following: Cindy-(719) 351-3590 ; DeeAnn-(719) 330-2367

#### **NEW MONTHLY FOOD BANK STARTING**

Saint Vincent's de Paul outreach ministry is excited to announce that we will be starting a monthly food bank on the second Wednesday of each month beginning on Wednesday, May 8th from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

If you or your family is in need of food or know of someone who is in need of food, please contact the ministry center to let them know you are planning on stopping by or just show up during the hours of operation and pick up a box of food.

### **Readings for the week of June 2, 2019**

**Sunday:** Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53

7th Sunday of Easter: Acts 7:55-60/Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9 [1a, 9a]/Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/Jn 17:20-26

**Monday:** Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab [33a]/Jn 16:29-33

**Tuesday:** Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21 [33a]/Jn 17:1-11a

**Wednesday:** Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab [33a]/Jn 17:11b-19

**Thursday:** Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Jn 17:20-26

**Friday:** Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab [19a]/Jn 21:15-19

**Saturday:** Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7 [cf.7b]/Jn 21:20-25

**Next Sunday:** Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39.

**Extended Vigil:** Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15 [12]/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Dn 3:52, 53, 55, 56 [52b] or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [Jn 6:68c]/Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [1]/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39. **Day:** Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 [cf. 30]/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

### **Together We Pave Our Future**

Projected Cost	\$70,000.00
Funding Needed	\$70,000.00
Pledges up to Date	\$68,812.17
Donations Received	\$68,577.84
Balance needed to Date	\$1,422.16

### **Offertory for May 18-19, 2019**

Collection	\$3,319.50
Attendance	297
Debt reduction	\$500.00



### **We Are Called to Be Stewards**

Please consider using our We Share program to schedule your offertory gifts.

Our parish has been using an Online

Giving system that is strengthening stewardship as well as making it easier for members to support our parish. Your regular contributions support the operation of the church and all of our ministries. Sign up today by visiting our website,

[www.stbenedictfalcon.org](http://www.stbenedictfalcon.org)



### **Sunday, June 2, 2019**

9:00am Mass Church

11:30 am Mass

### **Monday, June 3, 2019**

12:15pm Mass

### **Tuesday, June 4, 2019**

12:15 pm Mass

### **Wednesday, June 5, 2019**

12:15 pm Mass

5:00 pm Choir rehearsal

### **Thursday, June 6, 2019**

12:15 pm Mass

### **Friday, June 7, 2019**

6:30 pm Choir rehearsal

### **Saturday, June 8, 2019**

9:00 am Alanon Mtg. MC

4:00 pm Confessions

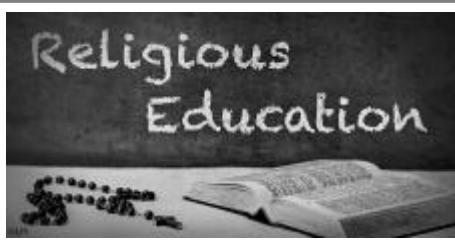
5:00 pm Mass

### **Sunday June 9, 2019**

9:00 am Mass

11:30 am Mass

# Parish News & Events



**Religious Education**  
Kindergarten through Confirmation classes are held at the Parish Center starting 15 minutes after the end of 9 am Sunday Mass. Classes last for one hour.

### Returning God's Gifts Appeal

St. Benedict parish's goal is **\$23,515.00** with 100% participation of our members. Every gift counts, no matter how small. Please participate and continue God's work of faith, hope and charity. Thank you to all who are generously supported the Returning God's Gifts campaign. Seventy-five of our parishioners at St. Benedict Parish have donated \$17,943.90 and have pledged \$26,824.40. Thank you so much for your generosity.

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### Don't Be Off-Key

If you are interested in hearing Sunday's 9 am music in advance check out [www.psalmsforMass.com](http://www.psalmsforMass.com)



**This summer take a journey with Mary, Star of the Sea as she leads us to Jesus!**

VBS this year will be presented by the Salesian Sisters July 1 - 5 from 9 AM - 2 PM for children age 5 - 12 at St. Benedict

Catholic Church.

Adult and Youth volunteers are also needed age 13 and up.

Registration forms can be found online or in the church/Parish Center.

**Environment group** in need of more members. Environment is the floral and other decorative enhancement to the church sanctuary. Our group would love to have more members to help with this ministry. If you enjoy working with plants, flowers and holiday design or just want an exciting place to lend a hand, please join us to help keep our environment fresh and welcoming.

Call the office to leave your name and contact info or call Kathleen at 495-4420.

### Read the Bulletin while on vacation!

Did you know that you can read the bulletin online OR you can receive an email notice as soon as it is published?

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**June 1, 5 pm** Mass for the repose of the soul of Juanita Glascock requested by David Dalton

**June 2, 9 am** Mass for the repose of the soul of Kathaleen Amelia Buchholz requested by David Dalton

June 8, 5 pm Mass for the repose of the soul of Linda Alcalá requested by Dee and Kevin Klein  
June 15, 5 pm Mass for the repose of the soul of Frederick J. Robicheau requested by the Hagen family.

June 16, 9 am Mass for the repose of the soul of Virginia Mauro, mother of Patti Lefebvre requested by Patti Lefebvre

### Help needed

**June 1st** we will begin **clean-up** in the **Ministry Center**. If you can help please call the office for more details—719-495-1426.

### Entrance to the property

**During the week** for now please use the Swingline Road entrance to enter the property for daily Mass and to go to the office.

### Script Sunday!

Don't forget to order your script this weekend and pick up next weekend.



The 2018-2019 Youth Group year has come to a close. **Thank you** to all of our wonderful adult volunteers, who helped make this term both fun and inspirational.

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