



ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH

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25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Are you envious because I am generous?" Thus, the last will be first, and the first will be last." - Mt 20:15-16

Excerpt from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCC

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Mass Schedule

Weekday Masses at St. Benedict:

Tuesday-Friday 7:00am.

Weekday Mass at St. Michael:

Wednesday at 5:00pm

Divine Mercy Mass Saturday 8:00am

Weekend Masses:

Saturday at 5:00pm

Sunday at 8:00am and 10:30am

Sunday at 11:00am at St. Michael

Sunday Mass celebrated by Fr. Michael also accessible through: YouTube, Parish website, ParishApp, FaceBook, and Parish email.

Confessions

Saturday 8:30-9:30am, 4:00pm and 40 minutes before every weekend Mass

Anointing of the Sick

If you are ill and would like to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please call the Pastoral Center at (719) 495-1426 to inform our priest of this need.

Adoration

Saturday 8:30-9:30am

Thursday 12:00pm-7:00pm

Baptism

Baptismal classes are held on the third Sunday of the month, after the 10:30am Mass. To register, contact the Pastoral Center at (719) 495-1426.

Rosary recited at 7:40am on the first Sunday of the month, led by the Knights of Columbus.

Chaplet of Divine Mercy recited at 7:40am on the last Sunday of the month.

Pastoral Center Hours

Monday through Friday 9:00am—3:00pm

Fr. Michael is available by appointment during the week.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

PRAY THE ROSARY FOR OUR COUNTRY

As a parish we have been praying the "Prayer to Mary" in the silence after communion at every Mass, and I know that some of you are doing this on a daily basis at home. In addition to this, please consider joining Catholics around the nation who are praying the rosary daily for our country. Let us all join together in asking our national patroness, the Immaculate Conception, to intercede for us to be protected from all forms of Evil.

BLESSING OF ANIMALS

In honor of St. Francis, whose memorial is on October 4, we will have the Blessing of Animals on Saturday, October 3, at 10:00am. Please bring your animals to the south lawn adjacent to the church where the blessing will take place.

FAMILY ROSARY NIGHT

October is the month of the rosary with the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary on October 7. Known for several centuries by the alternate title of "Our Lady of Victory," the feast day takes place in honor of a 16th century naval victory which secured Europe against Turkish invasion. Pope St. Pius V attributed the victory to the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, who was invoked on the day of the battle through a campaign to pray the Rosary throughout Europe. Here at St. Benedict we will celebrate this month of the rosary with *Family Rosary Night* on October 10 at 6:00pm. In addition to praying the rosary as a parish family, there will be a BBQ, games for the children, and if conditions permit, a campfire!

PLANNING COMMITTEE (a message from Angelo Pinterpe)
As Father is settling into St. Benedict he is exploring what is needed to plan our future. Over the next few months we will hold initial meetings reviewing our current Master Plan from our current church building project. Next, we will be reviewing our full property plans and what steps we need to take to start on a path to our next Master Plan, which will have to go to Diocese and the county planning commission. As we start down these next big steps, we are asking that all the parishioners take some time and pray that all the necessary guidance and wisdom is given to Fr. Michael and the team starting this process. If you have any questions or comments please reach out to Fr. Michael (frgoodyear@stbenedictfalcon.org) or Angelo Pinterpe (719-482-6137). All input is welcome.

FOOD PANTRY

Our Food Pantry continues to remain open and is serving many individuals. If you would like to drop off canned or dry goods for those in need, please do so either to the office or on the counter in the narthex.

SCAM

If you receive an email or a text from someone claiming to be me and asking for money of gift cards, please know that it is a scam. The emails and texts are sometimes easy to recognize and at other times sophisticated. Please do not be fooled!

RCIA

Have you ever wanted to learn more about the Catholic faith? Please join us Thursday evenings at the Pastoral Center (St. Matthew Room) from 7:00pm to 8:00pm for RCIA Inquiry Sessions.

Please invite anyone you know who is interested in finding out more about the Catholic Faith.

CATECHESIS NEWS

Catechism for K—Confirmation is held Sunday mornings starting Sep 13 from 9:15am—10:15am.

Sep 20—Catechism for K-Confirm
Sep 27—Children's Participatory Mass
Oct 4—Catechism for K-Confirm
Oct 11—NO CLASSES (Fall break)
Oct 18—NO CLASSES (Fall break)

SCRIP

Attn: Safeway Shoppers!

Do you have a reloadable Safeway card from St. Benedict? If you are interested in getting one please reach out to Dee Klein at 1deeklein@gmail.com or 719-491-8732 for more information.

The St. Benedict Building Fund receives 5% of every reload you do. This is a great way to help build the future of St. Benedict.

STEWARDSHIP

Mortgage Balance as of August 31, 2020:
\$490,326.24

Tithe for August 30, 2020

Sunday Tithe	\$ 3,773.00
Online Tithe	\$ 946.00
Total Tithe	\$ 4,719.00

To sign up for online giving, please go to our parish website at www.stbenedictfalcon.org and click on the WeShare Online Giving picture. Or on our Parish App, tap the "Giving" button and then the "Give" with the basket icon and follow the instructions.

You can help pay off our mortgage directly by giving a designated tithe to "Debt Reduction." Together we build God's Kingdom!

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Ministry sign-ups begin this weekend!

All 9-12 graders and 6-8 graders are welcome! We are also in need of adult volunteers. Reach out to CYM@StBenedictFalcon.org with registration questions or to volunteer.

The first session for both middle schoolers and high schoolers is **Wednesday, September 23** at **5:30pm** in the **JPII Room**.

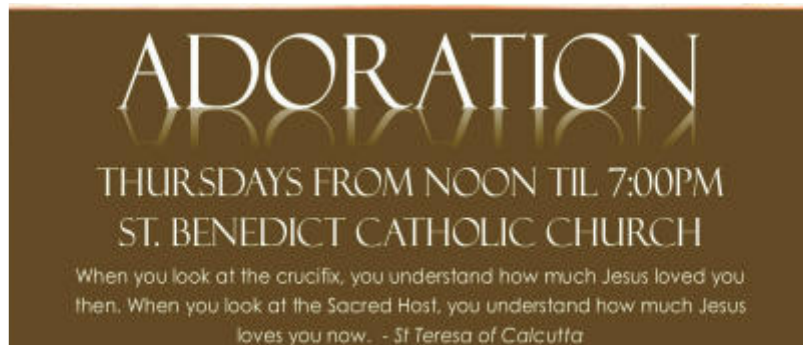


BANDS@BENS presents

SEPTEMBER 26
6:00PM
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Bring blankets, lawn chairs, or sit on your car, while you and your friends enjoy craft brews, and our friends at TACO EL BUENO food truck. As the sun sets listen to live music from our featured band REDRAW THE FARM!

Sponsored by St. Benedict Young Adults



ADORATION

THURSDAYS FROM NOON TIL 7:00PM
ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH

When you look at the crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Sacred Host, you understand how much Jesus loves you now. - St Teresa of Calcutta



Family Rosary Night

* BBQ * CHILDREN'S GAMES * BONFIRE *
* CURCAKE ROSARY *

Saturday, October 10
following 5 p.m. Mass
St. Benedict Catholic Church

MEAL TRAINS

We are organizing a meal train ministry for our parish. This will be a way for us to support others within our own community by the simple act of bringing a meal when it is needed, such as after the birth of a new baby or during a recovery from a major procedure.

How it works: Send an email to the St. Benedict Meal Trains ministry asking to have your email address added to our list of volunteers. When a parishioner reaches out to the meal trains ministry to notify us of a temporary need for meals, we will send you a link to their meal train using www.mealtrain.com. You then choose the date for which you would like to volunteer. If you are uncomfortable cooking for others, gift cards and delivery are available within each meal train. You do not have to volunteer for every meal train.

If you are able and willing to help others in your parish, please email mealtrains@stbenedictfalcon.org to have your email address added to the distribution list. Your email address will not be shared with anyone, not even the meal train recipients.



ST. BENEDICT MEAL TRAINS

* new baby * recovery *

join the volunteer list:
mealtrains@stbenedictfalcon.org

ADULT CATECHISM

**Adult Catechism class will start
Sunday, September 20.**

"Discovering the Gospel" will be held every Sunday at Falcon Elementary School from 9:15am to 10:00am during Religious Education.

Together, we will discuss living out the Sunday Gospel in our lives. We would love to add your voice into the discussion!

For more information, email kpinterpe@stbenedictfalcon.org or come directly to the class.

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